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1. Kenwood TR-7950 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-01 17:41:33 UTC
From: Mike <1234@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <hhBBd.117115$AL5.112000@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 17874

Does anyone know what the voltage and/or part number is for the memory back-up battery ? I need to replace mine, but I can only see a '13' on top of the battery, and the manual is of no help either.

2. 4 Sale...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-01 17:45:36 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net>
Message-ID: <33o5tuF4303o1U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

Icom 02AT with wall wart.
Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery $ 65

Icom IC-229H 90% $ 85

All items will include manuals unless noted.

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net
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3. Re: Kenwood TR-7950 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-01 17:48:38 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net>
Message-ID: <33o63kF4303o1U2@individual.net>
Source record: 17876

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> of the battery, and the manual is of no help either.
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4. FS Timewave DSP 59+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-01 18:19:28 UTC
From: mike nelson <mike_nelson@acm.org>
Message-ID: <41d6e6d0$0$30417$9a6e19ea@news.newshosting.com>
Source record: 17877

FS Timewave DSP 59+ digital signal processor (aka noise filter), with manual. Version 3 firmware. Very clean working unit. $125. Free shipping to CONUS only. Paypal preferred, money orders OK.

5. VHF radios and accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-01 18:22:25 UTC
From: Eric Patterson <ericp@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <BTBBd.10883$qf5.4195@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17878

I currently have an old FT470 HT, whose batteries do not maintain a charge anymore. Currently, I am looking at upgrading it to a newer VHF/UHF radio. Here are some of the options I am looking at:
1. Getting a new HT with at least 2 bands.
2. getting a mobile unit and converting it to a base station. I don't plan to do a lot of traveling with a unit. However, I live in an apartment where there is not much room to install an antenna. Would a telescopic antenna work on a mobile radio as well as an portable one? Because I am visually impaired, I will need to have either a keypad for setting the frequency or a talking frequency reader. Are there handheld radios with talking frequency readers? Can you recommend one with digital keypad entry for setting the frequency? Thanks in advance for any recommendations.

Eric Patterson
Kb7vfr
Beaverton, Or.
P.S., You may either write to the newsgroup or send your reply to ericp@teleport.com.

6. Re: Kenwood TR-7950 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-01 20:26:47 UTC
From: Mike <1234@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <bIDBd.89296$Uf.51574@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 17879

Thanks Bob.

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net> wrote in message
news:33o63kF4303o1U2@individual.net...
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> > of the battery, and the manual is of no help either.
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7. FS: Tono Theta 777 stand-alone multi-mode RTTY terminal unit TU

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-01 22:51:18 UTC
From: "wd5jbc@verizon.net" <wd5jbc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <1104619878.155354.108530@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.shortwave, rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale: I have a very interesting piece of equipment for transmitting
and receiving rtty, amtor, cw, and ascii digital data modes.

This is a rare Tono model Theta 777 multi-mode code converter.

What separates this TU from any other is you connect it to any 'dumb
computer terminal' to use as the I/O display!
If you have an old dumb terminal laying around collecting dust, now's
your chance to put it to good use!

The Tono is a microprocssor controlled code converter that
sends/receives data on it's rs-232 port and communicates directly with
any rs-232 terminal. The Tono is completely controlled from the
terminal, or you can run a terminal program and connect it to a pc if
you wish. The unit runs on 12vdc. You will need to supply
an AC adapter, or run it directly off your hf rigs 12Vdc supply.

The unit works flawlessly on every mode, and cosmetically in close to
new condition.
I have a couple of pictures of the unit for anyone interested. Unit
comes in its original box with manual, interface cable, and some pc
terminal software on 3 1/2 and 5 1/4 inch floppys. Again, all you need
is a dumb rs-232 terminal or a terminal program to run this unit.

Some of the specs are:

Code: Morse (continental and Japanese CW), ASCII, Baudot, JIS, ARQ
(amtor mode A, L) FEC(amtor mode B) SEL-FEC, bit inversion

Morse 5-100wpm RTTY:12-200 baud (ttl level 12-600 baud)
ARQ/FEC: 100 baud
Input: AF input/TTl input
Output: CW 80ma-200v FSK 80ma-200v afsk (600 ohms) PTT
AFSK output CW 830Hz
Rtty 1275hz(low tone), 2125hz(high tone) shift 170hz, 425hz, 850hz,
variable shift
interface rs232c, ttl level ascii code full-duplex, baudot half-duplex
Input Buffer: 768 characters
Output Buffer: 512 characters
Message Memory:
64 characters x 4 channels. 32 chars x 7 channels. 16 chars x 4
channels.
Power supply: 12VDC, 700ma

I'm asking $70.00/shipped via USPS/Priority/Insured.

Please e-mail me for pictures, or if you have any other questions.
Thanks,

Don Levstik

8. FreePlay generator question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 03:30:18 UTC
From: Sneezy <sneezy@spam-me-not.net>
Message-ID: <eVJBd.1206975$Gx4.1097292@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17881

Has anyone here ever tried to get inside a FreePlay 360? It's one of those wind-up radios from a few years ago (Y2k era). I just wanna know if all the springs are going to fly out and sever my arteries and be impossible to put back together again.

Sorry if this is the wrong place to ask, I just did a quick search for a newsgroup full of the sort of folks who might know the answer.

9. MANY OLD RADIO PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 03:59:24 UTC
From: dialcover@webtv.net
Message-ID: <14549-41D7719C-325@storefull-3254.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 17882

SEE BELOW.

CHECK MY WEBSITE: www.dialcover.com
Bill Turner, excuse caps, short answers, stroke.
Business SASE, each order a copy of The Pocket Resource Guide.

10. Re: Need an elmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 08:59:26 UTC
From: "Leland C. Scott" <k.c.8.l.d.o.@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <zKmdnZXioYVsKkrcRVn-ug@comcast.com>
Source record: 17883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

<chasm@texas.net> wrote in message
news:875ft0pjgqlu009mimabudl738vleihav6@4ax.com...
> I cannot get any help from the HAM elists in Houston, TX so...

And I'll bet they sit around the radio all night babbling on and on to each other about how Ham Radio is a dying hobby, and can't figure out why. Go figure and good luck.

Regards;
--
Leland C. Scott
KC8LDO

Wireless Network
Mobile computing
on the go brought
to you by Micro$oft

11. FS AS New Alinco DR-605TQ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 15:23:25 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <GlUBd.12961$ph.8530@okepread01>
Source record: 17884

I have for sale an Alinco DR-605TQ Dual Band 2meter/440 Transceiver. It is like new with less than 10 hours use. It comes with the original box, mic, mobile mount, power cord and all that was in the box when new except the manual. I can not find it. The manual is available on the internet for downloading.
See at: http://home.ec.rr.com/w4ymi/Docs/dr605ins.pdf
Price is $265 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

12. FA ESI DB 877 Precision 8 Decade Coaxial Resistor Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 18:16:44 UTC
From: randylands@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050102131644.10335.00001848@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17885

On ebay: http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=3864310471

13. Re: Kenwood TR-7950 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 18:56:20 UTC
From: Gordon Smith <wpe9ijx@insightbb.com>
Message-ID: <otXBd.608120$wV.293505@attbi_s54>
Source record: 17886

I ordered a replacement battery from Newark Electronics a few years ago.
They sent it to me inserted in a piece of anti-static foam. That's
right...conductive foam.
Needless to say, the battery was almost totally flat when it got to me.
They thought they
were doing me a favor. :) :)

73, Gordon, W9lu

"Mike" <1234@hotmail.com> wrote in message
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14. Re: Need an elmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 20:28:38 UTC
From: Sarge <sarge43@NOSPAMev1.net>
Message-ID: <10tgmbp379vft64@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

where are you?

<chasm@texas.net> wrote in message
news:875ft0pjgqlu009mimabudl738vleihav6@4ax.com...
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> doing a little elmering.
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> my shack. but concentrating on the Tower first.
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starting the
> first time in 1951... theory was never a problem, just the damned code.
> That is still the problem especially with all the morphine I take for
tumor
> pain.
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> I have about 50' of tower, a VX7R, an IC-736, an AlfaDelta 40m dipole and
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> 4.5' of a section of tower sticking out of a 3' diam hole filled with
concrete.
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materials
> to connect the rods to the tower legs and how to do it.
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> Also, where to get 2"od .25" wall aluminium tube/pipe for a gin pole and
for a
> mast
>
> And how to fix the legs of the sections so that they go together - the
slip
> joints don't .. slip, that is.
>
> yada...
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> I have read this

> http://www.astrosurf.com/lombry/qsl-tower-assembly4.htm
> but it seems to be old, and written in French and then translated.
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> isfaik, strap copper is no longer recommended for ground rod to tower leg
or to
> a single point copper bulkhead.
>
> I have GOT to find that blue covered Antenna Handbook!! It is buried
around
> here somewhere
>
> sigh..
>
> thanks
> chas
>
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> --
> Charles L Hamilton, chasm@texas.net Houston, TX
> for swapping, selling, buying firearms related stuff
> subscribe to the "rummage sale", try this url -
> http://www.yahoogroups.com/subscribe.cgi/jagdhutte
> to post to the list, To: jagdhutte@yahoogroups.com

15. Re: Need an elmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 20:48:47 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <p9ngt05s263gdr1v627psf1tu8rlja7r82@4ax.com>
Source record: 17888

Umm, since you have a Tech license, have you tried getting on any of
the Houston repeaters, and asking for help/Elmer-ing? When I lived in
Houston, there were quite a few fairly active repeaters there...

For tower materials of any kind or aluminum whatevers, try Texas
Towers in Dallas -- see their web site or call them.

Have a happy...

bob
k5qwg

On Sun, 02 Jan 2005 00:44:39 -0600, chasm@texas.net wrote:

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>thanks
>chas

16. Clear Plexiglas cases for Vibroplex bugs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 20:52:19 UTC
From: Brockcom <brockcom@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <5qmdnRVu5sj0_kXcRVn-1g@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17889

Several years ago I bought one from a ham that makes them himself. Really good quality, reasonable price and he engraves your callsign on the top of the case. Does anybody know if he still does these and if so do you have his contact info? Thanks for reading. - John

17. 2-Radius SP10's VHF with chargers & batts. $75.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 21:40:25 UTC
From: CommCtr1 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <dTZBd.59839$uM5.30006@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17890
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have two Radio Shack VHF handhelds, these are the same as the Radius SP10
radio's. Only difference is the Radio Shack name on the case. All
accessories are the same.
They come with chargers, batteries and antenna's.
I also have the programming sheets.
They are dip-switch programmable.
These are in very good condition and ready to be used.
$75.00 for the pair plus shipping.
Cont US only.
USPS money orders only

pottsladd13@yahoo.com

18. Need a part number for the Kenwood TM-741A/E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 22:50:41 UTC
From: ve2bap@sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <b69c2305.0501021450.6e3d45f7@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17891

Hi folks,
I need the part number of this component on a Kenwood TM-741A/E
transceiver:

push-botton switch S5 (MHz switch), located on the Display Unit.

I have the schematic diagram, but parts numbers are not listed on it.
I need this number to order this part From Kenwood (by the way, it
could be ordered from Kenwood directly on: www.kenwoodparts.com).

Many Thanks, 73s
Daniel ve2bap

19. Re: Clear Plexiglas cases for Vibroplex bugs?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 23:01:05 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Q2%Bd.4490$2_4.125@okepread06>
Source record: 17892

"Brockcom" <brockcom@adelphia.net> wrote in message
news:5qmdnRVu5sj0_kXcRVn-1g@adelphia.com...
> Several years ago I bought one from a ham that makes them himself. Really
> good quality, reasonable price and he engraves your callsign on the top of
> the case. Does anybody know if he still does these and if so do you have
> his contact info? Thanks for reading. - John

I bought a vacu-formed cover for my Bencher paddles years ago at a hamfest and I've been looking for
a similar cover for my bug for years.
I rarely use the bug, so I'd like a display cover versus an operational cover for it.
I found this after a Google search
http://www.ayustar.net/cwkeysdustcovers/cover%20picture.htm
The guy's in Puerto Rice.
Couldn't find anything else close.
73 de Glenn AA5PK

20. Re: Need an elmer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 23:35:21 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <q01ht0dk7hqvngeeli2mgvlc7h882h9i0e@4ax.com>
Source record: 17893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

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>pain.
>
Congrats on the license, whenever you have completed it.

You may do better if you can attend meetings of a local radio club,
rather than an email list. There are many people with experience and
equipment for projects like putting up an antenna, and this is often
done for hams with physical limitations.

The ARRL can steer you towards a local radio club.

You order in the pizza and refreshing beverages, and I am sure you can
get some help. Houston is a litle far for me, however.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

21. Re: Atlas 210 and 215 output frequency change

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-02 23:58:12 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <41D88AF8.2090502@yahoo.com>
Source record: 17894

150 hz is not much drift for these radios sounds like they are working
like designed.

Ron

esotericradio@engineer.com wrote:
> I have some friends that have a few of these Atlas 210/215
> transceivers, all with the same problem, which is noticable
> nowadays with all the PLL frequency controlled radios on
> the air.
>
> they said these radios have no RIT.
>
> but in SSB mode, on 40 or 75 meters, after tuning to a
> frequency to the stations there, then going to transmit,
> then their Atlas radios shift in frequency about 150 Hertz.
>
> is there a cure to fix this this problem on these radios
> that I can pass along to these people??
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>
> esotericradio@engineer.com
>

22. Re: 10m contact

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 02:36:23 UTC
From: Chesteta@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1104719783.744003.210900@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17895

Is it possible to "bond" (run in parallel) two radioshack 25 amp switching powersupplies together? I have tried it however one always shuts down when it senses that there is current "in the circuit." any help would be greatly apprecaited! Thanks!

23. two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 02:38:44 UTC
From: Chesteta@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1104719924.940012.221770@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17896

Is it possible to run two radioshack switching supplies in parallel? I have tried it however one always seems to shut down, so i would only be getting 25 amps max. I need all the amperage I can get because I am running two car audio amplifiers in my room... Thanks for any advice or instructions!

-Matt

24. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 02:42:49 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net>
Message-ID: <33rpp9F43e2g2U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17897

Did you isolate the supplies with high power diodes?? Or run each amp on
it's own power supply.

Bob N9LVU

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> -Matt
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25. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 02:53:36 UTC
From: Chesteta@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1104720816.628779.3760@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17748

I just had two powersupplies and ran the cables together so a simple way of putting it would be that I have an amp, and i took the + from both powersupplies, and put them to the + on the amp and the same with the -. do you think it would work for me to get some bridge rectifiers from radioshack? (25 amp bridge rectifier is $3.50 or something like that,) get 2 of them and isolate each powersupply?

26. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 03:38:58 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net>
Message-ID: <33rt2lF446ev3U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17749

All you need is 2 25amp diodes and hook up so it looks like one half of
a4 diode full wave bridge rectifier, or it looks like a 2 diode full
wave bridge rectifier. The output is positive, and the input of each
diode is the positive output from each power supply.

in + >|
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+ out
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in + >|

pos from power1 to diode >| output tied to second diode output
common output is positive at amp/power1 + amp/power2
pos from power2 to diode >| output tied to first diode output

I would still supply each amp separately, due to voltage requirements.

Bob N9LVU

Chesteta@gmail.com wrote:
> I just had two powersupplies and ran the cables together so a simple
> way of putting it would be that I have an amp, and i took the + from
> both powersupplies, and put them to the + on the amp and the same with
> the -. do you think it would work for me to get some bridge rectifiers
> from radioshack? (25 amp bridge rectifier is $3.50 or something like
> that,) get 2 of them and isolate each powersupply?
>

27. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 03:53:40 UTC
From: Chesteta@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1104724420.961662.284090@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17750

so i could buy one of those a4 rectifiers (this one?)
http://www.radioshack.com/product.asp?catalog%5Fname=CTLG&category%5Fname=CTLG%5F011%5F002%5F006%5F000&product%5Fid=276%2D1185
and then use one half for one amp, one half for the other? (I have
already opened the powersupplies up and tweaked their voltages a bit :)
(14.4 volts instead of 13.8)

28. WANTED! OPC Cable for Icom 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 03:58:02 UTC
From: "Alexander N. Gerli" <ac1y@nc.rr.com>
Message-ID: <ep3Cd.11332$lN5.494526@twister.southeast.rr.com>
Source record: 17751

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Thanks! And, God Bless you!

Sandy

Alexander N. (Sandy) Gerli
8901 Wadford Lane, #105
Raleigh, NC 27616
(919) 790-8326
(919) 625-7181 cellphone

29. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 04:26:19 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net>
Message-ID: <33rvrmF41u877U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17752

No, because you would NOT get seperation of the supplies.
If you hooked up the supplies to the 2 ac legs of a 4 diode full wave
bridge, the supplies would be connected through the two doides that make
up the negitive half of the bridge, only by using 2 diodes will you get
true isolation. All you need to do is isolate the positve outputs of the
supplies, the negitive can be wired together.

Bob

Chesteta@gmail.com wrote:
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> http://www.radioshack.com/product.asp?catalog%5Fname=CTLG&category%5Fname=CTLG%5F011%5F0
02%5F006%5F000&product%5Fid=276%2D1185
> and then use one half for one amp, one half for the other? (I have
> already opened the powersupplies up and tweaked their voltages a bit :)
> (14.4 volts instead of 13.8)
>

30. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 05:24:49 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c4276fac1b46ef8989692@localhost>
Source record: 17753

In article <1104719924.940012.221770@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
Chesteta@gmail.com says...

> Is it possible to run two radioshack switching supplies in parallel? I
> have tried it however one always seems to shut down, so i would only be
> getting 25 amps max. I need all the amperage I can get because I am
> running two car audio amplifiers in my room... Thanks for any advice
> or instructions!

Why in the Multiverse would you need that much audio power in your
room?

Do you have no concern for the quality of your hearing in later
life?

<sigh> Ahh, well... You need to diode-isolate the supplies, as has
been pointed out. I would add that it may be a good idea to use Schottky
power devices as opposed to generic diodes. Schottkys have a much lower
forward voltage drop.

Run the positive lead from each supply to the anode side of one
diode. Tie the cathode side of the diodes together, and take your common
positive output from there. The ground leads may be tied together
without isolation.

Good luck. Hope your neighbors don't object to the noise.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

31. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 05:45:45 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@att.net>
Message-ID: <d_4Cd.1214043$Gx4.484243@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17754

<Chesteta@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1104719924.940012.221770@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> Is it possible to run two radioshack switching supplies in parallel? I
> have tried it however one always seems to shut down, so i would only be
> getting 25 amps max. I need all the amperage I can get because I am
> running two car audio amplifiers in my room... Thanks for any advice
> or instructions!

Yes, this would be possible but not the best choice.

Check out the Astron power supplies, in particular the RS-70M.
It should provide sufficient power, is very well regulated.
Google will find them for you.

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... Hank

http://horedson.home.att.net
http://w0rli.home.att.net

32. Re: Atlas 210 and 215 output frequency change

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 11:58:19 UTC
From: WA9VRH Larry <wa9vrh@mtco.com>
Message-ID: <41d932c6_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 17755

Hi,

I would have your friends check to make sure the
jumpers on J4 the ext. osc. plug are installed.
There should be a jumper between 2&3 and between 5&6.

I bought a 210X from a friend of mine and he told me
to make sure if I was going to use it on SSB to put
the jumpers in. He was using it on some digital mode
which at the momnet I can't remember.
Hope this helps.
73 Larry WA9VRH

<esotericradio@engineer.com> wrote in message
news:1104605249.155447.292380@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups
.com...
> I have some friends that have a few of these Atlas
210/215
> transceivers, all with the same problem, which is
noticable
> nowadays with all the PLL frequency controlled
radios on
> the air.
>
> they said these radios have no RIT.
>
> but in SSB mode, on 40 or 75 meters, after tuning to
a
> frequency to the stations there, then going to
transmit,
> then their Atlas radios shift in frequency about 150
Hertz.
>
> is there a cure to fix this this problem on these
radios
> that I can pass along to these people??
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>
> esotericradio@engineer.com
>

33. Re: Need a part number for the Kenwood TM-741A/E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 14:47:23 UTC
From: ve2bap@sympatico.ca
Message-ID: <1104763643.633264.285240@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17756

Hi, I finally got a reply from Kenwood service dept. The part # ofr
this push-button switch is: S70-0408-05
If it could help someone...
73

34. Re: Realistic HTX-202 Shows Error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 15:12:16 UTC
From: SweetMoth@webtv.net
Message-ID: <3866-41D960D0-215@storefull-3111.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 17757

Thank you all and thanks Tommy. I saved the instruction page you posted.
Terrific, I really appreciate it!

35. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 19:37:07 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <D9hCd.6587$F67.3501@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17758

Motorhome accesories include the use of 2 batteries with diodes. So check
with some local motorhome dealers.

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73
Hank WD5JFR
<Chesteta@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1104719924.940012.221770@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> Is it possible to run two radioshack switching supplies in parallel? I
> have tried it however one always seems to shut down, so i would only be
> getting 25 amps max. I need all the amperage I can get because I am
> running two car audio amplifiers in my room... Thanks for any advice
> or instructions!
>
> -Matt
>

36. Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 21:03:07 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <fqiCd.6597$F67.5807@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The freqency /time display doesn't blank any of the center segments on
either time or frequency function. Any suggestions on a fix appreciated.
The serial number is 59,800 and I wonder if anyone can tell me if this is an
early or late model?
tnx

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73
Hank WD5JFR

37. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 21:32:07 UTC
From: dxAce <dxace@eclipsed.net>
Message-ID: <41D9B9D7.89E82A67@eclipsed.net>
Source record: 17760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Henry Kolesnik wrote:

> The freqency /time display doesn't blank any of the center segments on
> either time or frequency function. Any suggestions on a fix appreciated.
> The serial number is 59,800 and I wonder if anyone can tell me if this is an
> early or late model?
> tnx

Blank or blink?

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> 73
> Hank WD5JFR

38. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 21:42:11 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <T_iCd.6604$F67.2964@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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All the center segments stay bright, no blinking.
tnx

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73
Hank WD5JFR
"dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
news:41D9B9D7.89E82A67@eclipsed.net...
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> Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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>> The freqency /time display doesn't blank any of the center segments on
>> either time or frequency function. Any suggestions on a fix appreciated.
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>> early or late model?
>> tnx
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> Blank or blink?
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>> 73
>> Hank WD5JFR
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39. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 21:47:37 UTC
From: dxAce <dxace@eclipsed.net>
Message-ID: <41D9BD79.73436753@eclipsed.net>
Source record: 17762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Henry Kolesnik wrote:

> All the center segments stay bright, no blinking.

OK, what is it you wish to blank then? I owned a FRG-7700 for several years.
What exactly do you mean by 'center segments'?

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> tnx
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> 73
> Hank WD5JFR
> "dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
> news:41D9B9D7.89E82A67@eclipsed.net...
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> > Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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> >> The freqency /time display doesn't blank any of the center segments on
> >> either time or frequency function. Any suggestions on a fix appreciated.
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> >> 73
> >> Hank WD5JFR
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40. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 22:18:05 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <xwjCd.6608$F67.5304@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17763
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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It's a five digit display made of seven segment digits. The center or "G"
segment doesn't blank when zero is displayed so zero looks like an eight.
It has leading zero suppression and instead of the zero being totally
suppressed the center segment appears as a minus sign.

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73
Hank WD5JFR
"dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
news:41D9BD79.73436753@eclipsed.net...
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> Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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>> All the center segments stay bright, no blinking.
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> OK, what is it you wish to blank then? I owned a FRG-7700 for several
> years.
> What exactly do you mean by 'center segments'?
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>> tnx
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>> --
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>> 73
>> Hank WD5JFR
>> "dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
>> news:41D9B9D7.89E82A67@eclipsed.net...
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>> > Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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>> >> either time or frequency function. Any suggestions on a fix
>> >> appreciated.
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>> >> early or late model?
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>> > Blank or blink?
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>> >> 73
>> >> Hank WD5JFR
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41. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 22:19:55 UTC
From: "Mark S. Holden" <mark@bmas.org>
Message-ID: <HJKdnR-8c5eOWETcRVn-jA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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dxAce wrote:
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> Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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>>All the center segments stay bright, no blinking.
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> OK, what is it you wish to blank then? I owned a FRG-7700 for several years.
> What exactly do you mean by 'center segments'?
>

I think his problem is a 0 looks the same as an 8 and a 7 looks like a
backwards F - the middle horizontal bar is lit all the time.

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>>tnx
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>>73
>>Hank WD5JFR
>>"dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
>>news:41D9B9D7.89E82A67@eclipsed.net...
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>>>Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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>>>>The freqency /time display doesn't blank any of the center segments on
>>>>either time or frequency function. Any suggestions on a fix appreciated.
>>>>The serial number is 59,800 and I wonder if anyone can tell me if this is
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>>>>early or late model?
>>>>tnx
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>>>Blank or blink?
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>>>>73
>>>>Hank WD5JFR
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42. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 22:22:39 UTC
From: dxAce <dxace@eclipsed.net>
Message-ID: <41D9C5AF.94ED7AFB@eclipsed.net>
Source record: 17765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Henry Kolesnik wrote:

> It's a five digit display made of seven segment digits. The center or "G"
> segment doesn't blank when zero is displayed so zero looks like an eight.
> It has leading zero suppression and instead of the zero being totally
> suppressed the center segment appears as a minus sign.

OK, I understand Hank. Sorry, I never encountered that problem. I'm certain
someone will be able to help you out.

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> 73
> Hank WD5JFR
> "dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
> news:41D9BD79.73436753@eclipsed.net...
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> > Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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> >> >> 73
> >> >> Hank WD5JFR
> >> >
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43. Re: Realistic HTX-202 Shows Error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 23:13:10 UTC
From: Tommy Willoughby <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <41d9cf1e$1@nntp0.pdx.net>
Source record: 17766

moth . wrote:
> Thank you all and thanks Tommy. I saved the instruction page you posted.
> Terrific, I really appreciate it!
>
I'm glad we could help.

73 de K7RTT

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mail: teeuu at qwest dot net

44. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 23:26:48 UTC
From: Brian Hill <releif@last.net>
Message-ID: <PBkCd.9061$Yj3.4862@fe04.lga>
Source record: 17767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:xwjCd.6608$F67.5304@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com...
> It's a five digit display made of seven segment digits. The center or "G"
> segment doesn't blank when zero is displayed so zero looks like an eight.
> It has leading zero suppression and instead of the zero being totally
> suppressed the center segment appears as a minus sign.
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> 73
> Hank WD5JFR

It sounds like a short in the display board. Did it get dropped? Or maybe a
soda spill?

B.H.

45. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-03 23:40:19 UTC
From: yoyo <yo@yo.com>
Message-ID: <58ijt09nho73mf73uah4p9bhh61h7043i9@4ax.com>
Source record: 17768

On 2 Jan 2005 18:38:44 -0800, Chesteta@gmail.com wrote:

>Is it possible to run two radioshack switching supplies in parallel? I
>have tried it however one always seems to shut down, so i would only be
>getting 25 amps max. I need all the amperage I can get because I am
>running two car audio amplifiers in my room... Thanks for any advice
>or instructions!
>
>-Matt

Yes, you just need a diode in series with each power supply's output
so they are isolated from each other. Schottkey diodes are
recommended for the lower voltage drop (and less power lost).

46. WTD Crankup Tilt over tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 00:37:56 UTC
From: Jack <emcgroup@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <EzICd.8302$JC2.5383@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17769

I am still looking for a crank up tower but will only consider one close to
my area (central
North Carolina). Would like a guyless crank up & tilt over if available
that will handle a forty meter beam and a tri-bander.
KB4RW
Jack (919) 676-7964

47. FA:RME VHF-152+MANUAL-ONE DAY LEFT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 00:40:38 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <aClCd.64052$uM5.26182@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17770

SEE AT ADDRESS BELOW + A FEW MORE ITEM TOO:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZheytubeguyQQsorecordsperpageZ25QQsosortpropertyZ1

TNX heytubeguy

48. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 00:58:24 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.i9rh1c3.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com>
Source record: 17772

On 2 Jan 2005 18:53:36 -0800, Chesteta@gmail.com wrote:

>I just had two powersupplies and ran the cables together so a simple
>way of putting it would be that I have an amp, and i took the + from
>both powersupplies, and put them to the + on the amp and the same with
>the -. do you think it would work for me to get some bridge rectifiers
>from radioshack? (25 amp bridge rectifier is $3.50 or something like
>that,) get 2 of them and isolate each powersupply?

Go to your local auto supply store and get a reverse-polarity
two-battery isolator. Tell them that you are running a
positive-ground British RV or something exotic like that. These
devices exist but they have to be ordered from the warehouse. They
consist of two horse-size diodes mounted on a heat sink with nice
big screw terminals. There should be a clear hook-up diagram with
it. This will be cheaper and easier than buying the components and
manufacturing the device yourself.

Connect one P/S to one input, and the other P/S to the other input.
Connect the load (amps) to the output/common. Warning - if one
supply has a slightly greater output voltage than the other, that
one will pick up the whole load. Digital metering of each supply's
output and the load voltage (nominally 0.7 V below the supply
voltage) is important.

That's how I run my communications center, with a big marine
gel-cell battery floating on the DC bus (13.8 V). Haven't had a
problem in five years' continuous duty.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

49. Re: two 25 amp radioshack switching supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 01:11:28 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <crcqkvics1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 17771

Even with diodes, it is often the case that one supply will hog all the current while the other one loafs, as the output set points of both would never be exactly the same. The easiest way to deal with the problem is to hang a boat battery on one supply to float.

Unless you are going for the Neil Young sound, the average will be lower than the peak, allowing the battery to absorb a lot of the peak current with one supply operating quite efficiently.

It may be difficult to truly separate the two amps with their own separate supply as this may lead to ground loop problems, but if you can tie the grounds together, you might not.

Another approach would be to check out E-bay for a good clean used integrated amp.

Jim

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net> wrote in message news:33rt2lF446ev3U1@individual.net...
> All you need is 2 25amp diodes and hook up so it looks like one half of
> a4 diode full wave bridge rectifier, or it looks like a 2 diode full
> wave bridge rectifier. The output is positive, and the input of each
> diode is the positive output from each power supply.
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> in + >|
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> + out
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> in + >|
>
> pos from power1 to diode >| output tied to second diode output
> common output is positive at amp/power1 + amp/power2
> pos from power2 to diode >| output tied to first diode output
>
> I would still supply each amp separately, due to voltage requirements.
>
> Bob N9LVU
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> Chesteta@gmail.com wrote:
> > I just had two powersupplies and ran the cables together so a simple

> > way of putting it would be that I have an amp, and i took the +
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> > both powersupplies, and put them to the + on the amp and the same
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> > the -. do you think it would work for me to get some bridge
rectifiers
> > from radioshack? (25 amp bridge rectifier is $3.50 or something
like
> > that,) get 2 of them and isolate each powersupply?
> >

50. FS TenTec Paragon II and Centurion Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 02:27:31 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <canCd.13416$ph.4319@okepread01>
Source record: 17773

I have for sale an as new Paragon II Transceiver with all filter installed
and matching 961 Power Supply and 705 mic.
Also a Centurion HF Amplifier. All equipment is as close to brand new as you
are likely to find. The Paragon II has less than 100 hours use and the
Centurion has less than 10 hours use. I purchased this station from the
original owner who seldom turned it on. Details available. All original
manuals are included.
I can take digital pictures and send them to interested parties.
Price is $2995 for the complete station or will trade for a nice TenTec
Orion.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

51. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 02:57:40 UTC
From: James Sweet <jamessweet@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ECnCd.24892$tG3.22709@trnddc02>
Source record: 17774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:T_iCd.6604$F67.2964@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com...
> All the center segments stay bright, no blinking.
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If I understand you right, it sounds like you have a shorted transistor
driving either the rows or columns of the multiplexed display.

52. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 09:57:44 UTC
From: eddumweer <eddumnogsteeds@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <crdpas$aa2$1@news2.zwoll1.ov.home.nl>
Source record: 17775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Greetings Peter

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53. FA: $9.99 VINTAGE CHROME LAFAYETTE PTT MICROPHONE>TURNER CLONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:37:09 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050104113709.21939.00002829@mb-m06.aol.com>
Source record: 17776

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54. FA: $9.99 TELEX C-1210 MONORAUL HEADPHONES 16 OHMS, USA MADE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:38:43 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
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55. FA: MILITARY CY-853 PRC-6 RADIO CRYSTAL STORAGE BOX>WWII NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:39:54 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
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56. FA: $9.99 HUSTLER RM-80S 1KW 80MTR MOBILE RESONATOR>NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:41:14 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
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57. FA: $9.99 HUSTLER #DTG "DOUBLE TALK" CB MOBILE ANTS>NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:42:47 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050104114247.21939.00002838@mb-m06.aol.com>
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58. FA: $9.99 DRAKE TV-42-LP LOW PASS TVI FILTER>LIKE-NEW & NR too:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:43:51 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
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59. FA: $9.99 ANTENNA SPECIALIST ASP-143 CHAIN BUMPER MOUNT>NEW & NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:45:08 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:46:22 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
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61. FA: $9.99 12 VINTAGE SYLVANIA 2N306 GERMANIUM TRANSISTORS>OLD NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:47:36 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
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62. FA: $12.50 HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK, NEW-9-1/2">NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 16:48:49 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050104114849.21939.00002849@mb-m06.aol.com>
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63. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 17:02:05 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <h_zCd.7010$F67.6193@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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64. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 17:26:37 UTC
From: "Mark S. Holden" <mark@bmas.org>
Message-ID: <41DAD1CD.2813C6CB@bmas.org>
Source record: 17787
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This web page:

<http://www.crocuta.com/FRG7700/html/page20.html>

indicates the segments are controlled by Q1052 - Q1058 (2SA733A-Q)

So there should be seven transistors there.

If the transistor isn't identified in the schematic, you can narrow down the segment to one of two by tuning to all 1's and then all 2's. 2 segments will have the -25 voltage on them for both tests. You may be able to get a better handle on which of the two is bad by tuning to 15,555 - the segment that consistently reads the full -25 (or -22.5) is probably the bad one.

I'm not familiar with your radio - just basic trouble shooting.

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Date: 2005-01-04 20:12:59 UTC
From: eddumweer <eddumnogsteeds@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <cretcc$e73$1@news3.zwoll1.ov.home.nl>
Source record: 17788
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I only have a bad pdf of it, so that could be the problem.

Indeed check if there are 7 of the same type of transistor there and you can try it on 2 way's. You can change them one with another or if it is a leddisplay get the suspected transistor out of it then it must go dark. If the problem is from pin 25 then check with an oscilloscoop if it's switching right, looking to another pin with the same function for another segment.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 21:00:44 UTC
From: pdrahn@coinet.com
Message-ID: <1104872444.193246.235410@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17789

I don't think your price is very good. I can get a box of 10 new ceramic insulators just like them at the local farm supply store for your price.

Paul

67. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

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Date: 2005-01-04 22:26:35 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <vKECd.12214$iC4.5952@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17790
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According to my schematic Q57 and Q58 are drivers for the 2 LEDs used in the clock mode to indicate AM or PM. Looks like I'm going to get the scope on the bench and see what happens on the various segment pins. I've not had much luck finding the data sheet on the MSM5524, anyone have any?
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68. FS: Icom IC-SM2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 22:44:30 UTC
From: Shephed <me@home.org>
Message-ID: <i%ECd.14$bB.4@fe1.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17791

Nice desk mic.
In good condition.

$46 shipped CONUS

69. ICOM CM-8 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 23:16:25 UTC
From: Zorpetus <zorpetus@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1104880585.352662.211920@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17792

Hi,

Could anyone told me something more about Icom CM-8 battery pack, like
for example:

- voltage (is it 8.4V?)
- capacity (is it 1100 mAh?)
- what is that piece of electronic inside for?
- why it does have 13.8V AND wall charger connector. Could it be
charged both ways?
- why it does have 11 (!?) "strange" cells inside but only (nominal, if
I am right?) 8.4V
- it seems to have thermal and current protection connected in series
with cells (if somebody could confirm this?)

- does anybody, maybe, has a schematic diagram of it?

(I would like to put 7 x NiCd AA cells inside, and I am not sure if
that could be done).

Any info is more than appreciated.

70. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-04 23:27:51 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <340n77F1qgld0U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Try here for a copy of the manual (looks complete, but I can't vouch for
it).
http://www.crocuta.com/FRG7700/

Cheers.

Ken

"eddumweer" <eddumnogsteeds@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:cretcc$e73$1@news3.zwoll1.ov.home.nl...
> I only have a bad pdf of it, so that could be the problem.
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> Indeed check if there are 7 of the same type of transistor there and you
can
> try it on 2 way's. You can change them one with another or if it is a
> leddisplay get the suspected transistor out of it then it must go dark. If
> the problem is from pin 25 then check with an oscilloscoop if it's
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> right, looking to another pin with the same function for another segment.
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71. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 00:05:42 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <qbGCd.12243$iC4.1843@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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news:41DAD1CD.2813C6CB@bmas.org...
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> This web page:
>
> <http://www.crocuta.com/FRG7700/html/page20.html>
>
> indicates the segments are controlled by Q1052 - Q1058 (2SA733A-Q)
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> So there should be seven transistors there.
>
> If the transistor isn't identified in the schematic, you can narrow down
> the segment to one of two by tuning to all 1's and then all 2's. 2

> segments will have the -25 voltage on them for both tests. You may be
> able to get a better handle on which of the
> two is bad by tuning to 15,555 - the segment that consistently reads the
> full -25 (or -22.5) is probably the bad one.
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> I'm not familiar with your radio - just basic trouble shooting.
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72. Re: Icom IC-SM2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 00:26:21 UTC
From: N8IE <n8ie@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <NuGCd.5283$iu5.1486@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17795

"Shephed" <me@home.org> wrote in message
news:i%ECd.14$bB.4@fe1.columbus.rr.com...
> Nice desk mic.
> In good condition.
>
> $46 shipped CONUS
>

Reply to n8ie@yahoo.com

73. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 00:36:33 UTC
From: "Mark S. Holden" <mark@bmas.org>
Message-ID: <Ia2dnVC48rIBq0bcRVn-gQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> else?
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I presume this is a new acquisition for you.

You've mentioned the previous owner had a note on the schematic
indicating pin 25 controlled that segment.

Sounds to me like he found the problem, and decided it would be easier
to sell with a segment always on than always off.

Murphy's law says since the MSM5524 is out of production and relatively
hard to find it's the most likely problem. (besides, it's the display
driver)

Here's an auction for one I found as part of an unsuccessful search for
a data sheet:

<http://search.auctions.shopping.yahoo.com/search?desc=MSM5524+&auccat=23761&st=auct&f=&apg=1&nm=1&acc=sg&alocale=0sg&sb=desc>

You may be able to find a better price.

74. Re: ICOM CM-8 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 00:49:00 UTC
From: larry <larya@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <gPGdndBrCNBbp0bcRVn-uw@rogers.com>
Source record: 17797

Greetings

Before you do anything... is there are printing on the battery pack lable to indicate the type of battery used.... eg Li-ion...

Larry ve3fxq

"Zorpetus" <zorpetus@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:1104880585.352662.211920@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
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> that could be done).
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75. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 00:58:49 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <dZGCd.12259$iC4.3087@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17798
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I saw the Singapore deal but it aint worth for me. I might pay $10.00 for a good one but no more. The 7700 isn't worth that much! If I don't have any luck I'll take it to tnext hamfest and see if I can get my money back, or find a junker.

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> You may be able to find a better price.
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76. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 00:58:49 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <dZGCd.12258$iC4.8159@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ken
Thanks for the point. I have a schematic and have read some of the manual
and it is misleading. I
may be clueless but not as clueless as the guy who wrote them manual. I
trust the schemtic because I can follow it on the PCB. The manual is all
wrong on how the display works.

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77. wanted Mike Cord for AXDEM Pcs3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 01:50:50 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0501041548330.17445@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 17800

Will pay whatever you like to get the coilcord mike for the
AZDEN pcs3000.
Kokomo Joe/KH6JF

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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78. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 02:02:15 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <34105aF43b5q3U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

No problems, just thought a clearer version may assist. I don't recall if Yaesu had a propensity for using IC sockets (I fear not) but you should be able to pull the segment drive pins down to the reference voltage (pin 1 of the IC) using, say, a 10k resistor without causing damage. (Is the display connected via one of those fairly rigid ribbon cable connectors??). Thus you can light the segments up one by one (for all digits, obviously) to check operation. OKI made these beasts but don't even list them in the obsolete components
http://www2.okisemi.com/us/docs/PrdDisplayDocs.html#products.txt1525 but an e-mail may be rewarded.

www.1sourcecomponents.com claim to have these IC's in stock, but who knows how much. I think I'm actually looking at one right now on a VFD board from an ancient satellite dish controller (I'll confirm the part number if it becomes an issue), but as I'm here in New Zealand it may be of limited use if you can find one more local to yourself. Let me know though, I can send it over.

Cheers.

Ken

"Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:dZGCd.12258$iC4.8159@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
> Ken
> Thanks for the point. I have a schematic and have read some of the manual
> and it is misleading. I
> may be clueless but not as clueless as the guy who wrote them manual. I
> trust the schemtic because I can follow it on the PCB. The manual is all
> wrong on how the display works.
>
> 73
> Hank WD5JFR
>
> "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz> wrote in message
> news:340n77F1qgld0U1@individual.net...
> > Try here for a copy of the manual (looks complete, but I can't vouch for
> > it).
> > http://www.crocuta.com/FRG7700/
> >
> > Cheers.
> >
> > Ken
> >

> > "eddumweer" <eddumnogsteeds@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> > news:cretcc$e73$1@news3.zwoll1.ov.home.nl...
> >> I only have a bad pdf of it, so that could be the problem.
> >>
> >> Indeed check if there are 7 of the same type of transistor there and
you
> > can
> >> try it on 2 way's. You can change them one with another or if it is a
> >> leddisplay get the suspected transistor out of it then it must go dark.
> >> If
> >> the problem is from pin 25 then check with an oscilloscoop if it's
> > switching
> >> right, looking to another pin with the same function for another
segment.
> >>
> >> Good luck PP
> >>
> >> "Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> schreef in bericht
> >> news:h_zCd.7010$F67.6193@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com...
> >> > Peter
> >> > Thanks for the tip but I had previously checked the voltages on the
> >> > transistors you mention and all are B +4.44, E +4.58 and C -22.4
volts.
> > I
> >> > discounted them as being the problem because there's only five and
> >> > there
> >> > are seven segments. My guess is that these transistors are the
> > individual
> >> > digit drivers as there are five digits and the segments are muxed
from
> > the
> >> > msm5524. If I look closely at the copy of a copy many times over of
> >> > the
> >> > schematic I can see where a prevoius owner made notes indicating that
> > the
> >> > center segment is driven by pin 25. Any more tips appreciated. As
you
> >> > can tell I'm out of my league with this kind of stuff.
> >> >
> >> > --
> >> >
> >> > 73
> >> > Hank WD5JFR
> >> > "eddumweer" <eddumnogsteeds@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> >> > news:crdpas$aa2$1@news2.zwoll1.ov.home.nl...
> >> >> Check the segment transistors position Q1052-Q1056 (2sa733a-q)
> >> >>
> >> >> One of them will probably be shorted. The signals for the
transistors
> > are

> >> >> coming from ic msm5524 controlling the frequency and time display.
> >> >>
> >> >> Greetings Peter
> >> >>
> >> >> "Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> schreef in bericht
> >> >> news:xwjCd.6608$F67.5304@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com...
> >> >>> It's a five digit display made of seven segment digits. The center
> >> >>> or
> >> >>> "G" segment doesn't blank when zero is displayed so zero looks like
> >> >>> an
> >> >>> eight. It has leading zero suppression and instead of the zero
being
> >> >>> totally suppressed the center segment appears as a minus sign.
> >> >>>
> >> >>> --
> >> >>>
> >> >>> 73
> >> >>> Hank WD5JFR
> >> >>> "dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
> >> >>> news:41D9BD79.73436753@eclipsed.net...
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>> Henry Kolesnik wrote:
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>> All the center segments stay bright, no blinking.
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>> OK, what is it you wish to blank then? I owned a FRG-7700 for
> >> >>>> several
> >> >>>> years.
> >> >>>> What exactly do you mean by 'center segments'?
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>> tnx
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>> --
> >> >>>>
> >> >>>> 73
> >> >>>> Hank WD5JFR
> >> >>>> "dxAce" <dxace@eclipsed.net> wrote in message
> >> >>>> news:41D9B9D7.89E82A67@eclipsed.net...
> >> >>>> >
> >> >>>> >
> >> >>>> > Henry Kolesnik wrote:
> >> >>>> >
> >> >>>> >> The freqency /time display doesn't blank any of the center
> > segments
> >> >>>> >> on
> >> >>>> >> either time or frequency function. Any suggestions on a fix
> >> >>>> >> appreciated.
> >> >>>> >> The serial number is 59,800 and I wonder if anyone can tell me

> >> >>>>> >> if
> >> >>>>> >> this is
> >> >>>>> >> an
> >> >>>>> >> early or late model?
> >> >>>>> >> tnx
> >> >>>>> >
> >> >>>>> > Blank or blink?
> >> >>>>> >
> >> >>>>> >>
> >> >>>>> >>
> >> >>>>> >> --
> >> >>>>> >>
> >> >>>>> >> 73
> >> >>>>> >> Hank WD5JFR
> >> >>>>> >
> >> >>>>
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79. Re: ICOM CM-8 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 09:23:06 UTC
From: Zorpetus <zorpetus@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1104916986.264552.200920@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17802

Yes, it says NiCd (Nickel-Cadmium).
It is an older battery pack for an older HT - Icom H16 (at that time
Li-ion was Science Fiction :-)

80. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 18:04:10 UTC
From: mzenier@eskimo.com
Message-ID: <crk1a0saa1@eskinews.eskimo.com>
Source record: 17807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <vKECd.12214$iC4.5952@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>,
Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote:
>According to my schematic Q57 and Q58 are drivers for the 2 LEDs used in the
>clock mode to indicate AM or PM. Looks like I'm going to get the scope on
>the bench and see what happens on the various segment pins. I've not had
>much luck finding the data sheet on the MSM5524, anyone have any?

The service manual for the (Trio)Kenwood R-1000 has a lot on it.
Internal block diagram and pinout. I got the pdf from the mods.dk
site.

Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com Washington State resident

81. FS: Tono Theta 777 RTTY/CW/AMTOR Terminal Unit/ Price reduced!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-05 23:19:14 UTC
From: "wd5jbc@verizon.net" <wd5jbc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <1104967154.620851.176080@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.shortwave

Price reduced!

I'd rather try and sell it here instead of listing it on Ebay :)
I have several photos I can e-mail if interested.

$50.00/shipped via UPS Ground. Money Order or PayPal.

This is a rare Tono model Theta 777 multi-mode code converter.

What separates this TU from any other is you can connect it to any
'dumb computer terminal' to use as the I/O display. You can also
connect it to your PC and just run a terminal program to control it.
The Tono will work off standard rs-232 levels or TTL levels, so it is
very easy to interface with other equipment.

Specs:

The Tono is a microprocssor controlled code converter that
sends/receives data on it's rs-232 port and communicates directly with
any rs-232 terminal. The Tono is completely controlled from the
terminal, or you can run a terminal program and connect it to a pc if
you wish. The unit runs on 12vdc. You will need to supply
an AC adapter, or run it directly off your hf rigs 12Vdc supply.

The unit works flawlessly on every mode, and cosmetically in close to
new condition.

I have a couple of pictures of the unit for anyone interested. Unit
comes in its original box with manual, interface cable, and some pc
terminal software on 3 1/2 and 5 1/4 inch floppys. Again, all you need
is a dumb rs-232 terminal or a PC and terminal program to run this
unit.
Some of the specs are

Code: Morse (continental and Japanese CW), ASCII, Baudot, JIS, ARQ
(amtor mode A, L) FEC(amtor mode B) SEL-FEC, bit inversion

Morse 5-100wpm RTTY:12-200 baud (ttl level 12-600 baud)
ARQ/FEC: 100 baud
Input: AF input/TTl input
Output: CW 80ma-200v FSK 80ma-200v afsk (600 ohms) PTT
AFSK output CW 830Hz
Rtty 1275hz(low tone), 2125hz(high tone) shift 170hz, 425hz, 850hz,
variable shift
interface rs232c, ttl level ascii code full-duplex, baudot half-duplex

Input Buffer: 768 characters
Output Buffer: 512 characters
Message Memory:
64 characters x 4 channels. 32 chars x 7 channels. 16 chars x 4 channels.
Power supply: 12VDC, 700ma

$50.00/shipped via UPS Ground. PayPal or Money Order.

Please e-mail me for pictures, or if you have any other questions.
Thanks for looking,

Don Levstik

82. Kenwood TM-D700A information HELP, Mermory, TNC, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-06 04:49:23 UTC
From: Kevin & Natalia <sparc_man@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <41dcbed2$1@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 17804

Hi All,

I have just brought a new Kenwood TM-D700A VHF/UHF mobile transceiver, and learning what it can do.
Very nice piece of gear.

However I have found a few things in it that do not seem to be right, compared to my other Kenwood radios.
One of the main problems I have, is understanding the operation of the Memories.
Should mention at this time, I have done the mod to open the TX portion.

1. What I have done is program the first 100 memories with VHF, and second 100 with UHF.
However when I step through the memories on either band, it goes through the whole 200. So if I am on VHF, it will also show the UHF memories as well.
(The only ones the VHF won't show are those above 1Ghz, as the display won't go that high, RX only on the UHF side).
The manual does not say anything about this, or that any memory can be accessed from either band.

2. As for the TNC feature, can anyone suggest a good program to use with the built-in TNC????

If anyone can help with any information, I'd be grateful, either send it to this group, or directly to my home e-mail.
If anyone has any information on how to open the 900Mhz blocked portion on the US model, I'd like to know, this blocked area, is part of our (ZL) band plan.

Any other comments, ideas would be of interest as well.

BTW, I have checked all the mod sites on the net for the above information, without any luck.

Regards

Kevin, ZL1KFM.

83. Re: Kenwood TM-D700A information HELP, Mermory, TNC, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-06 05:46:55 UTC
From: F8BOE <f8boe-8@bluemail.ch>
Message-ID: <41dcd0de$0$5724$626a14ce@news.free.fr>
Source record: 17805

Hello,

For the TM D700, I cannot help you much but for packet radio, you can either
try to use Winpack and play around with it or take a look at:

http://f4dyx.free.fr/

Michel has the command lines to use Kenwood's interal TNCs in KISS mode on
COM1 port on his home page at :

http://f4dyx.free.fr/telechar.php?change_ID=0&code_ID=3&famille_ID=Packet&rubrique_ID=Paxo
n
(in one line)

Some hams here use successfully TM D700s and TS2000s with Flex32.

Paxon: http://paxon.de/
Flex32: http://www.afthd.tu-darmstadt.de/~flexnet/
WPP: http://wpp.dc6hb.de/

and the classical: http://www.uspacket.org/

73 de F8BOE Olivier ...-.-

84. FS: Tono Theta 777 RTTY/CW/AMTOR Terminal Unit/ SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-06 18:00:45 UTC
From: "wd5jbc@verizon.net" <wd5jbc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <1105034445.145254.286810@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17806
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.shortwave

The unit is sold.
Thanks for everyones interest.

Don Levstik

85. Help w/ EV-676 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-06 19:38:05 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <xsgDd.71459$uM5.187@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17808

Looking for pin out diagram for this mic. Pse advise, tnx 73 heytubeguy

86. Re: Yaesu FRG-7700 display ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-07 00:56:27 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <%6lDd.7554$F67.4508@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks Mark I'll go to .dk and get whatever they have.

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73
Hank WD5JFR
"Mark Zenier" <mzenier@eskimo.com> wrote in message
news:crk1a0saa1@eskinews.eskimo.com...
> In article <vKECd.12214$iC4.5952@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>,
> Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote:
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> Internal block diagram and pinout. I got the pdf from the mods.dk
> site.
>
> Mark Zenier mzenier@eskimo.com Washington State resident
>

87. FS icom ps125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 03:41:12 UTC
From: Mwin33 <Mwin33@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <9OCdnQM0n9rCy0LcRVn-qQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 17810

This icom ps125 is brand new in the box never used.
$200.00 shipped to lower 48 states.

88. Battery source...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 04:28:16 UTC
From: thehixs@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <1105158496.550959.241190@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17811

After a hiatus of several years, my wife and I are getting out our radios and dusting them off. I have a Yaesu FT-530, and she has a Kenwood TH79A. They both need new batteries. After doing a web search today I found a lot of sources. Can someone please suggest a good, reputable, easy to work with company to buy my replacement batteries from. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Rob Hix

89. Re: Battery source...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 04:32:30 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@att.net>
Message-ID: <ynJDd.4724$c13.984@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17812

<thehixs@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:1105158496.550959.241190@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
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> radios and dusting them off. I have a Yaesu FT-530, and she has a
> Kenwood TH79A. They both need new batteries. After doing a web search
> today I found a lot of sources. Can someone please suggest a good,
> reputable, easy to work with company to buy my replacement batteries
> from. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

http://www.batteries.com/

I've bought some hard to find batteries from them,
and been pleased with their quick shipment and
reasonable price.

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

90. Re: Kenwood TM-D700A information HELP, Mermory, TNC, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 07:01:43 UTC
From: dougmc@frenzy.com
Message-ID: <rzLDd.14590$q4.6720@fe1.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 17813

In article <41dcbed2$1@news.iconz.co.nz>,
Kevin & Natalia <sparc_man@hotmail.com> wrote:

| 1. What I have done is program the first 100 memories with VHF, and
| second 100 with UHF.

Wow. Are there really that many interesting things around you? :)

Kenwood's site has a program to download that can program the memories
from your computer. Hopefully you're already using it :)

| However when I step through the memories on
| either band, it goes through the whole 200. So if I am on VHF, it
| will also show the UHF memories as well. (The only ones the VHF
| won't show are those above 1Ghz, as the display won't go that high,
| RX only on the UHF side).

There's two scanning modes -- scan all non-locked-out memories, or
scan just the local 20 memories -- 0-19,20-39,40-59,etc.

Pressing and holding MR scans all memories.

Pressing and holding the frequency dial in for a second scans only the
20 memories as I mentioned earlier.

If you're just turning the dial or hitting UP or DOWN on the keypad, I
don't think it ever limits itself to just 20 memories. Only when
scanning.

| The manual does not say anything about this, or that any memory can be
| accessed from either band.

Yes, it does. It's not entirely clear, but it _is_ there.

Any memory position can be accessed by either side, but the left side
can't go over 460 mHz or so and the right side can't go under 144 mHz
or so, so if you've got one of these frequencies in one of these
memory positions, it'll just silently skip over it. And if you're
receiving VHF on the right side, you can't listen to either VHF or UHF
(I forget which) on the left side, something like that. (I'm going
from memory here.)

It's very odd how the RX functions all work. I've ended up putting
the left side on the APRS channel, and do everything else on the right
side. This works for most things, but I can't listen to aircraft
radios (118-136 mHz, AM) on the right side. It's sort of
dissappointing, though I guess it's meant as an amateur radio
transceiver, not a scanner.

I don't know if any of this is affected by opening up the RX or TX
ranges.

| 2. As for the TNC feature, can anyone suggest a good program to use with the
| built-in TNC????

Personally I use minicom or kermit for my packet stuff, but I doubt
that's what you're looking for. :)

| If anyone can help with any information, I'd be grateful, either send it to
| this group, or directly to my home e-mail.
| If anyone has any information on how to open the 900Mhz blocked portion on
| the US model, I'd like to know, this blocked area, is part of our (ZL) band
| plan.

Got me.

Since we're talking about the D700A, another thing that dissappoints
me about the radio is the limited APRS functionality.

Sure, it can broadcast my position every X minutes. How about doing
it more often when I'm going fast, and less often when I'm slow?
(`Smart beaconing', though smart beaconing also takes into account
turning. Even the tinytrak3 can do this.)

How about a display where I can see the other hams near me, rather
than making me scroll through a list of the 30 most recently seen hams
and looking at each info page individually? Sure, I can limit what it
sees to X miles, but that's not the same.

How about telling me when a ham gets within one mile of me?

Ultimately, if you want all this stuff, you need to add a computer
running a full featured APRS program. The stuff that's built in is
very basic -- unnessesarily so, if you ask me. It's too bad that they
don't offer some of this stuff in a firmware upgrade ...

I like my D700A, don't get me wrong. But it's not perfect.

--
Doug McLaren, dougmc@frenzy.com
I haven't lost my mind -- I know exactly where I left it.

91. Re: Battery source...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 07:07:35 UTC
From: dougmc@frenzy.com
Message-ID: <XELDd.14607$q4.11645@fe1.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 17814

In article <1105158496.550959.241190@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
<thehixs@earthlink.net> wrote:

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| Kenwood TH79A. They both need new batteries. After doing a web search
| today I found a lot of sources. Can someone please suggest a good,
| reputable, easy to work with company to buy my replacement batteries
| from. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

My FT-530 needed new batteries, and I just cracked open my pack and
soldered a new battery pack together. If I recall correctly, the pack
originally used 6 NiCd N cells, but I replaced it with 6 NiMH AAA
cells (the shape was different, but I made it work) and it cost me
less than $10, and has more capacity than it did before. And it even
still works with the same smart charger.

Now, there's a lot more that can be said about replacing packs like
this (about soldering, about NiCd vs. NiMH, etc. I've certainly said
a lot online about it, if you want to google for it), and if you're
afraid to do it, the battery stores can often do this for you too.
But it's something to consider when the battery pack on something runs
like $50, or you can't get a new pack at all from the manufacturer ...

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Doug McLaren, dougmc@frenzy.com
You may say I'm a dreamer. But I'm not the only one.

92. WTB Kenwood TS-930 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 12:10:16 UTC
From: Mr X <xxx@xxxxxx.com>
Message-ID: <r3jvt0l9taaosf1fkk2a3h6af9nkvqmofv@4ax.com>
Source record: 17815

Has anybody a service manual for a kenwood TS-930 for sale
Greg Humphrey
gregjh@takeoutiprimus.com.au

a pointer towards a download would be great to get me out of a hole
but still want a proper manual to keep for posterity
GH.

93. The Boatanchor Classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 15:37:04 UTC
From: Jeff James <cbstv@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <8fTDd.417$Rx4.192@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17816

You never know what you'll find!
http://www.dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi
Dedicated to Vintage Amateur Radio...

94. FA: $9.99 OLD RARE LAFAYETTE PTT MICROPHONE>LAST DAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 16:10:16 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108111016.10502.00001798@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17817

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5741476741
This is my entire list on Ebay.
You may want to check others while you're there :-)
Please add HTTP in front of the address below as AOL frowns on HOT links :-(
://cgi6.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=myradioroom&sort=
3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
Thanks es 73..........RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

95. FA: $9.99 TELEX C-1210 MONORAUL HEADPHONES, USA 1-day!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 16:11:51 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108111151.10502.00001800@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17818

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5741476750
This is my entire list on Ebay.
You may want to check others while you're there :-)
Please add HTTP in front of the address below as AOL frowns on HOT links :-(
://cgi6.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=myradioroom&sort=
3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
Thanks es 73..........RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

96. FA: MILITARY CY-853 PRC-6 RADIO CRYSTAL STORAGE BOX>WWII NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 16:12:58 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108111258.10502.00001802@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17819

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
6502582707
This is my entire list on Ebay.
You may want to check others while you're there :-)
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://cgi6.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=myradioroom&sort=
3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
Thanks es 73..........RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

97. FA: HUSTLER RM-80S 1KW 80MTR MOBILE RESONATOR>NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 16:14:43 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108111443.10502.00001804@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17820

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5741476770
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HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

98. FA: $9.99 HUSTLER #DTG "DOUBLE TALK" CB ANTENNAS>NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 16:16:06 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108111606.10502.00001806@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17821

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http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

99. FA $9.99 DRAKE TV-42-LP LOW PASS TVI FILTER>LIKE-NEW & NR too:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 16:17:37 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108111737.10502.00001808@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17822

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
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Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

100. FA: HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK, NEW-9-1/2">1-DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 16:18:50 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108111850.10502.00001809@mb-m25.aol.com>
Source record: 17823

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5741477133
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Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

101. PICS of IC-746 PRO - top cover removed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 20:37:18 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <10u0h4upf79cib4@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

1. http://www.ad5th.com/IC-746-PRO.html

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

102. fa Roller tuner for transmatch...NICE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 22:36:27 UTC
From: Dave Edwards <kd2e@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <N7ydnezsI5zw_X3cRVn-1A@comcast.com>
Source record: 17825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Check it here!!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48711&item=5743187204&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

103. Heathkit SB-200 Manual page missing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-08 23:33:12 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20050108183312.06084.00001798@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17826

I found data on the Heathkit SB-200 linear amplifier on both the BAMA and mods.dk web sites, including three copies of the manual in PDF format. One version is abbreviated and the other two appear to be identical.

None of these manuals have Page 41, which would appear to contain pictorials 13, 14 and 15. The two identical copies jump from page 40 with pictorial 12, to page 42 with Initial Test and Final Assembly. The abbreviated copy contains even less.

It is possible that there were more than one generation of the manual, so I need the page between pictorial 12 and the Initial Test section. Could someone with the manual please scan the missing page and post it at alt.binaries.schematics.electronic?

I'm sure it would be appreciated by the people at BAMA and mods.dk web sites as well.

Thanks.

73, Fred, K4DII

104. Re: FS Seperation Kit for the Icom IC-207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 01:48:50 UTC
From: tjfloren <tjfloren@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3743a7f9d8c01657ed31a51492300223@localhost.talkaboutradio.com>
Source record: 17827

Hi Charlie,

I would like to buy your Kit. Let me know where to send the money and how
and I will do it monday.

73's Tracy Floren K7KCS
k7kcs@arrl.net

105. Re: FS Seperation Kit for the Icom IC-207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 01:51:09 UTC
From: tjfloren <tjfloren@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3e3c1fd62a08bb627793931763d1fbb5@localhost.talkaboutradio.com>
Source record: 17828

Charlie,

I am new to this forum. I think I just e-mailed you an offer but now I see this open box. ???

E-mail me if you still have the kit and where to send money.

73's Tracy Floren k7kcs@arrl.net

106. WTB latching relay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 03:28:08 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050108222808.06537.00002665@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17829

Looking for a new old stock latching relay, DPDT, for RF switching. Would like 1/4 inch contacts, and a well insulated frame.

73s,

Evan

107. Re: Heathkit SB-200 Manual page missing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 06:13:58 UTC
From: jkjsysadm@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050109011358.09507.00000001@mb-m13.aol.com>
Source record: 17830

Fred writes:
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>mods.dk web sites, including three copies of the manual in PDF format. One
>version is abbreviated and the other two appear to be identical.
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>to page 42 with Initial Test and Final Assembly. The abbreviated copy
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>even less.
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>need the page between pictorial 12 and the Initial Test section. Could
>someone
>with the manual please scan the missing page and post it at
>alt.binaries.schematics.electroni

Page 41 Pictorial 13 shows how to solder a shield wire of un specified length
to RCA connector, Pictorial 14, how to solder RG-58 to a PL-259, and
Pictorial 15 Shows how to make two 4 foot cables using "small" shielded cable
and RCA connectors. Almost any heathkit manual or ARRL manual has instructions
on how to do this kind of soldering.

108. Re: Heathkit SB-200 Manual page missing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 15:24:07 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20050109102407.13776.00000005@mb-m04.aol.com>
Source record: 17831

<< Page 41 Pictorial 13 shows how to solder a shield wire of un specified length
to RCA connector, Pictorial 14, how to solder RG-58 to a PL-259, and
Pictorial 15 Shows how to make two 4 foot cables using "small" shielded cable
and RCA connectors. Almost any heathkit manual or ARRL manual has instructions
on how to do this kind of soldering. >>

JK-

Thanks for the information. I'll insert your message in place of Page 41, in case I can't find a copy.

The local club is attempting to help the widow of a Silent Key to dispose of his equipment. I thought it would help the SB-200 sell if it had a manual. (I'm also considering buying it if the competition isn't too great!)

Thanks.

73, Fred, K4DII

109. Re: Heathkit SB-200 Manual page missing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 15:53:57 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <pscEd.1941$KJ2.905@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17832

"Fred McKenzie" <fmmck@aol.communicate> wrote in message
news:20050108183312.06084.00001798@mb-m19.aol.com...
> I found data on the Heathkit SB-200 linear amplifier on both the BAMA and
> mods.dk web sites, including three copies of the manual in PDF format.
One
> version is abbreviated and the other two appear to be identical.
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pictorials
> 13, 14 and 15. The two identical copies jump from page 40 with pictorial
12,
> to page 42 with Initial Test and Final Assembly. The abbreviated copy
contains
> even less.
>

Fred a copy in pdf format is on the way to you. Just hope your email here
is the correct address.

73 de ku4pt

110. Re: Heathkit SB-200 Manual page missing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 16:35:59 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20050109113559.13776.00000008@mb-m04.aol.com>
Source record: 17833

In article <pscEd.1941$KJ2.905@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>, "Ralph Mowery" <rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote:

> Fred a copy in pdf format is on the way to you. Just hope your email here
> is the correct address.
>
> 73 de ku4pt

Ralph-

My address is garbled just a bit, "communicate" should be "com".

If you caught that, something else went wrong, or it just hasn't shown up yet. I've been having all kinds of trouble with AOL not posting messages in the AOL newsgroup, but still sending them to the outside world. I've taken to reading messages at a read-only news server and posting responses on AOL. Your message did not appear on the AOL news server but did on the news-read2.maxwell.syr.edu server.

73, Fred, K4DII

111. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 20:52:20 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net>
Message-ID: <34djs4F4ad7bcU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

Icom 02AT with wall wart.
Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery $ 65

Icom IC-229H 90% $ 85

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

112. Re: Which DSP to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 21:25:33 UTC
From: oookhc@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1105305933.807108.250750@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17835

You probably can try
http://www.ScienceOxygen.com/design208.html

It does not sell anything there. It is just
a collection of links about DSP. Probably you can
start from there to collect some information...

113. Re: Heathkit SB-200 Manual page missing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 21:53:42 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20050109165342.16377.00000014@mb-m16.aol.com>
Source record: 17836

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<< In article <pscEd.1941$KJ2.905@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>, "Ralph
Mowery" <rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote:

> Fred a copy in pdf format is on the way to you. Just hope your email here
> is the correct address.
>
> 73 de ku4pt
>>

Thanks to Ralph and Jim, I now have a complete manual, and the BAMA web site
will have it as well.

73, Fred, K4DII
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114. Receive sensitivity with regard to transmitter power.... help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 22:06:22 UTC
From: jetfixr <jetfixr@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1105308382.956827.97850@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17837

I recently took a test and I failed to understand how the answered was derived.. Heres the question:

A malfunctioning transmitter designed to transmit at 28 watts of power has a power output of 7 watts. In its current state, its signal is being received by a base station at 5uV. If the transmitter were to be repaired and had its proper output of 28 watts, what would the receive signal signal at the base station be?

I figured if the transmitter were repaired, that would be a improvement of 6dB on the transmit side. At the receiver I would figure the signal should be 20uV, but somehow the the correct answer was a receive signal of 10uV. I have no idea how they derived 10 uV and no explaination was given. Can someone help me out with the math here?

115. WTB: Astro Spectra Desk mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 22:09:16 UTC
From: CommCtr1 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <gYhEd.10664$c13.1425@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17838
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Must be capable with all T99DX.... models.
ASTRO Digital models
I'm looking for a nice used one at a good price.

thnx

pottsladd13@yahoo.com

116. Re: Receive sensitivity with regard to transmitter power.... help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 22:19:29 UTC
From: jimp@specsol-spam-sux.com
Message-ID: <crsalhhfk1@mail.specsol.com>
Source record: 17839

jetfixr <jetfixr@hotmail.com> wrote:
> I recently took a test and I failed to understand how the answered was
> derived.. Heres the question:

> A malfunctioning transmitter designed to transmit at 28 watts of power
> has a power output of 7 watts. In its current state, its signal is
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> should be 20uV, but somehow the the correct answer was a receive signal
> of 10uV. I have no idea how they derived 10 uV and no explaination was
> given. Can someone help me out with the math here?

You probably forgot that

power db = 10 * (P1/P2)

voltage db = 20 * (V1/V2)

which is way you are off by a factor of 2.

--
Jim Pennino

Remove -spam-sux to reply.

117. WTB Heathkits

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-09 23:52:07 UTC
From: wa8cdu@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1tg3u0hjh0ft5mblfet3cqam7k50ec5gfl@4ax.com>
Source record: 17840

Wanted: Heathkit ham radio items from unassembled kits, catalogs, manuals to finished rigs. My collecting has slowed down in the past year or two and I am now back at it. Let me know what you might have. Please reply direct to:

wa8cdu@sbcglobal.net

Tnx de Bill

118. Wanted FRG-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 02:44:57 UTC
From: JH <bobdylan@rcn.com>
Message-ID: <ZoOdnX71KMG7cXzcRVn-gw@rcn.net>
Source record: 17841

If anyone knows where I can find a Yeasu FRG-7000, I sure would appreciate it.

John

119. Re: Receive sensitivity with regard to transmitter power.... help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 14:16:09 UTC
From: "B.R. Smith" <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <d335u0pvtnn12qougf3g179mte76ijs1me@4ax.com>
Source record: 17842

On 9 Jan 2005 14:06:22 -0800, "jetfixr" <jetfixr@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I recently took a test and I failed to understand how the answered was
>derived.. Heres the question:
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>A malfunctioning transmitter designed to transmit at 28 watts of power
>has a power output of 7 watts. In its current state, its signal is
>being received by a base station at 5uV. If the transmitter were to be
>repaired and had its proper output of 28 watts, what would the receive
>signal signal at the base station be?
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>of 6dB on the transmit side. At the receiver I would figure the signal
>should be 20uV, but somehow the the correct answer was a receive signal
>of 10uV. I have no idea how they derived 10 uV and no explaination was
>given. Can someone help me out with the math here?

You are over complicating things. According to ohms law, whenever you
double the voltage, (and resistance remains the same) the current
must also double so your power quadruples. For example,

10 Volts / 5 Ohms = 2 Amps Power = 10 V x 2 A = 20 Watts

20 volts / 5 Ohms = 4 Amps Power = 20 V x 4 A = 80 Watts

So taking it in reverse, if you power quadruples from 7 Watts to 28
Watts, the voltage in you example doubles from 5 uV to 10 uV.

120. Re: Receive sensitivity with regard to transmitter power.... help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 16:12:04 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <10u5aaodditlq5a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17843

And I fear that you UNDERcomplicated them a little. Jetfixr properly calculated, using the formula

dB = 10 log P1/P2 = 10 log 28/7 = 10 (0.60) = 6 dB

that the gain in transmitter power was 6 dB.

What he failed to calculate was the concomitant voltage gain for 6 dB. If

dB = 20 log V1/V2, then V1/V2 = 10 ^ (dB/20) = 10 ^ (0.3) = 2.0

So a 6 dB gain in power gives you a 2:1 gain in voltage.

Jim

"B.R. Smith" <me@privacy.net> wrote in message news:d335u0pvtnn12qougf3g179mte76ijs1me@4ax.com...
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>>of 10uV. I have no idea how they derived 10 uV and no explaination was
>>given. Can someone help me out with the math here?
>
> You are over complicating things.

121. advice: good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 16:59:09 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <cruc8s$462$1@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 17844

My XYL passed her Tech exam last Saturday, and I passed the General. We're looking for a pair of good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm HT. To us, "inexpensive" is in the under-$150 range. I would count it a bonus if the HT had a good general-coverage (say 500 KHz-and-up) receiver, and Melody would like to have one that gets NMEA-183 from her (or my) GPS and does APRS reporting. But the cost is the major driver for selection.

Thanks!

--
Mike Andrews, waiting for his callsign to show up in the FCC database
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

122. Tek 2754P LO adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 17:29:42 UTC
From: rfgelitronics <no_spam@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <aYyEd.9057$wZ2.6923@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello everybody:

I am adjusting the LO hardware of my 2754P and there are some things that I
can not find or undestand:

After pressing shift 0 , loops calibration, overall system option the first
message is:

Connect a DVM on TP1058...etc (no problem)
(the meter shows 17mV)

Adjust frequency control
for a reading of 0.000 +/- 2mV

(problem WHICH FREQUENCY CONTROL?? OR POTENTIOMETER OR RESISTOR???)
The freuquency control board???

2.Connect a DVM on oint B of the controlled oscillator board and ground..
WHERE THE HECK IS POINT B AND WHERE IS THE CONTROLLED OSCILLATOR BOARD???

Thank you your help

123. Re: Tek 2754P LO adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 17:33:17 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <x%yEd.14040$iC4.5559@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

there's a Tek group on Yahoo & SA are discussed.
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TekScopes/

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73
Hank WD5JFR
"rfgelitronics" <no_spam@nowhere.com> wrote in message
news:aYyEd.9057$wZ2.6923@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com...
> Hello everybody:
>
> I am adjusting the LO hardware of my 2754P and there are some things that
> I can not find or undestand:
>
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> (the meter shows 17mV)
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> (problem WHICH FREQUENCY CONTROL?? OR POTENTIOMETER OR RESISTOR???)
> The freuquency control board???
>
>
> 2.Connect a DVM on oint B of the controlled oscillator board and ground..
> WHERE THE HECK IS POINT B AND WHERE IS THE CONTROLLED OSCILLATOR BOARD???
>
> Thank you your help
>

124. Re: Tek 2754P LO adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 17:40:19 UTC
From: rfgelitronics <no_spam@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <76zEd.9065$wZ2.4873@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is an spectrum analyzer, but I will give it a try..

Thank you

"Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:x%yEd.14040$iC4.5559@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
> there's a Tek group on Yahoo & SA are discussed.
> http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TekScopes/
>
> --
>
> 73
> Hank WD5JFR
> "rfgelitronics" <no_spam@nowhere.com> wrote in message
> news:aYyEd.9057$wZ2.6923@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com...
>> Hello everybody:
>>
>> I am adjusting the LO hardware of my 2754P and there are some things that
>> I can not find or undestand:
>>
>> After pressing shift 0 , loops calibration, overall system option the
>> first message is:
>>
>> Connect a DVM on TP1058...etc (no problem)
>> (the meter shows 17mV)
>>
>> Adjust frequency control
>> for a reading of 0.000 +/- 2mV
>>
>> (problem WHICH FREQUENCY CONTROL?? OR POTENTIOMETER OR RESISTOR???)
>> The freuquency control board???
>>
>>
>> 2.Connect a DVM on oint B of the controlled oscillator board and ground..
>> WHERE THE HECK IS POINT B AND WHERE IS THE CONTROLLED OSCILLATOR BOARD???
>>
>> Thank you your help
>>
>
>

125. FA: MAS 6 Meter Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 18:52:08 UTC
From: t@rogers.canada
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-f8siZXZdNiiE@localhost>
Source record: 17648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Need a bit more power from your 6 meter HT or low powered mobile?

I have up on Ebay, and very well made MAS Enterprises 6 meter amplifier that I used with my Cherokee HT. Works very well.

Please see Ebay auction #5743587720

Thanks, Tedd, VE3TJD

126. WANTED: B&W - Portable Antenna AP-10A or AP-10B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 19:01:59 UTC
From: ebohnn@gmail.com
Message-ID: <3ac0d1e7.0501101101.59d601d7@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17649

Hi,

I am looking for a B&W portable antenna model AP-10A or AP-10B.

If you have one available, please contact me at: ebohnn@gmail.com

I am located in the Denver area.

Thanks,

Bill

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127. FA ESI DB877 Precision 8 Decade Coaxial Dial Resistor Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 19:17:23 UTC
From: randylands@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050110141723.11340.00000030@mb-m10.aol.com>
Source record: 17650

On ebay: http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=3866469025

128. Yaesu MD-100 Desk Microphone Internal Schematic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-10 22:47:34 UTC
From: "Alan P. Biddle" <APBIDDLE@ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <q716u0942bmtdde4f20b3g84nsfmafvkhk@4ax.com>
Source record: 17651

I am trying to locate a schematic for the filtering and other
circuitry in the base of the microphone. The "manual" does not even
include the connector pins, though I have that. Copies of the spec
sheet come up on Google, but nothing more. Anybody have a copy, or a
good pointer?

Thanks,

Alan
WA4SCA

129. who can do programming of Moto VISAR HTs? (VHF high)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 00:12:09 UTC
From: boeing377@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050110191209.19356.00000063@mb-m06.aol.com>
Source record: 17652

Need two Motorola VISAR K models (VHF high, 16 ch) programmed. Any recommendations for reliable reasonable programming service?

130. WTB Icom SM-20 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 01:07:35 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <rFFEd.3802$C52.1306@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17653

WTB an Icom SM-20 microphone, used in good
condition if anyone has one that they want to get
rid of.

I am willing to pay a resonable price, or if anyone
wants to trade I have several HTs that I could offer
including 2 RS HTX-202s, an IC T7H, an IC W32A,
an Icom 02AT all in boxes with original manuals,
batteries, speaker mic, all expected accessories
and then some.

Thanks,

W4PHM
Jimmyk@mindspring.com

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Patrick H. Mason M.S. OHST, EMT-I

131. Kenwood TS-180s mod question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 01:17:32 UTC
From: wboas@nyx.net
Message-ID: <Pine.SUN.3.96.1050110181611.8466A-100000@nyx>
Source record: 17654

looking for the mod that opens it up to receive WARC bands.

anyone know?

Bill, KC0IZI
wboas@nyx.net
www.nyx.net/~wboas

132. Re: PICS of IC-746 PRO - top cover removed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 03:09:41 UTC
From: kh2d@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <41e34334.1010688863@newsgroups.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 8 Jan 2005 14:37:18 -0600, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com>
wrote:

>1. http://www.ad5th.com/IC-746-PRO.html
>
Whoaaa dude. 2 Kewl. Got any naked pictures of Britany Spears
on your web page ?

73, Jim KH2D

133. newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 04:10:09 UTC
From: william hoffman <tram396@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <BkIEd.3566$KJ2.2758@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17656

taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25 years on c.b radio getting tired of all the crap ,have over 2000.00$ to invest,read the reviews for different transievers (mostaly on eham.net) the ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ,put a deposet on brand new rig (can still get my money back)-not to troulble anyone,is this a good entry level unit for a person who likes to talk skip,and experiment.i have good radio knolage but not on the ham side-is this to much radio?and if so what would your advise be.

thank you for taking the time to read and or respond

134. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 04:55:45 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <crvloamig1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 17657

"william hoffman" <tram396@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:BkIEd.3566$KJ2.2758@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25
> years on c.b radio getting tired of all the crap ,have over 2000.00$ to
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> ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ,put a deposet on brand new
> rig (can still get my money back)-not to troulble anyone,is this a good
> entry level unit for a person who likes to talk skip,and experiment.i have
> good radio knolage but not on the ham side-is this to much radio?and if so
> what would your advise be.

Overkill for a newbee rig. You can get most of the features for about half
the money with a Yaesu FT-847. For around half of THAT you can get a nice
rig in either the Yaesu FT-100 or the Icom IC-706/II (for a bit more, you
can get the upgraded versions of these, the FT-100D or the IC-706/IIG)

135. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 05:25:50 UTC
From: Steven L Umbach <n9rou@n0-spam-for-me-comcast.net>
Message-ID: <HO2dnfX9zJOY_37cRVn-2w@comcast.com>
Source record: 17658

I have one and like it. It is a lot of radio for the money if you want all those bands. I find the small buttons and multi function buttons a bit getting used to however. If you do not need satellite or 440 all mode, the Icom 746 Pro is a great rig. I had one a while back. They have a reputation for the transmit failing which Icom says has been fixed in later models. If you only need Hf - up to 10 meters, you can't beat the Yaesu FT 1000MP Field or Mark V which also has 200 watts that is within your budget. You could then pick up a dual band 144/440 FM mobile for the shack for under 300. --- Steve KK9ZZ

"william hoffman" <tram396@earthlink.net> wrote in message news:BkIEd.3566$KJ2.2758@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25
> years on c.b radio getting tired of all the crap ,have over 2000.00$ to
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> if so what would your advise be.
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> thank you for taking the time to read and or respond
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136. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 05:41:17 UTC
From: danjr <danjr@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <1GJEd.83300$mA3.80530@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17660

> ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ...
> not to troulble anyone,is this a good entry level unit ...

Entry level? No. Great rig? Yes.

What bands will you be using? All of them, or just VHF/UHF? If you are getting a Technician license, then yes, the rig is probably WAY overkill. You could still work all-modes on 6m, 2m, and 440, which is fun. And you could use the HF bands for SWL'ing. If you are going for General, then you have made a good choice. A lot of bells and whistles on it though. You could have gone with another great radio for far less money.

> a person who likes to talk skip

I would refrain from using CB-esque slang on amateur radio. Instead of "talkin' skip" perhaps you should refer to it as DX.

Dan

137. Need case for AOR AR 1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 05:41:41 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <crvoee$pl0$1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 17659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Need at least a back case piece for this radio, but a whole dead radio would be best, as I also could use the attenuator button. The e-mail's good, just put the subject line in so I notice it among the Spam.

TIA

Brenda Ann

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Illigitimus non tatum carborundum

(Don't let the bastards wear you down)

138. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 09:41:55 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <41E39F63.6040007@netscape.net>
Source record: 17661

danjr wrote:
>>ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ...
>>not to troulble anyone,is this a good entry level unit ...
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>
> Entry level? No. Great rig? Yes.
>
> What bands will you be using? All of them, or just VHF/UHF? If you are
> getting a Technician license, then yes, the rig is probably WAY overkill.
> You could still work all-modes on 6m, 2m, and 440, which is fun. And you
> could use the HF bands for SWL'ing. If you are going for General, then you
> have made a good choice. A lot of bells and whistles on it though. You
> could have gone with another great radio for far less money.
>
>
>>a person who likes to talk skip
>
>
> I would refrain from using CB-esque slang on amateur radio. Instead of
> "talkin' skip" perhaps you should refer to it as DX.

Or perhaps we could let people use whatever terms/slang/language they
wish on the public airwaves or public internet.
I happen to like "talkin' skip". The DX is parked in my
driveway...although I sometimes talk skip from the DX.
mike

>
> Dan

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Return address is VALID.
Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
http://nm7u.tripod.com/homepage/te.html
Wanted, 12.1" LCD for Gateway Solo 5300. Samsung LT121SU-121
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

139. CALCULATION OF EARTH RESISTANCE IN MULTI-LAYER EARTH STRUCTURE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 10:52:33 UTC
From: mmufoe2004@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1105440753.480444.202520@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17662

I am PhD student and I doing some work on grounding resistance and I would like to develop a formula for CALCULATION OF EARTH RESISTANCE IN MULTI-LAYER EARTH STRUCTURE. and compare it with some field measurments...What do you think? Is it possible to develop such this formula?
Just want to remind you again that my case of study (calculation of Earth resistance for the driven rod in a horizontally stratified multi-layer earth at non-homogeneous earth).
If any body have any papers to help or any advice please do
I would like to thank you in advance
your Ram

140. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 12:32:46 UTC
From: william hoffman <tram396@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <OHPEd.4326$C52.3645@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17663

THANK you! for all the advice-i will hold off-my bag "DXing"
take care

"william hoffman" <tram396@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:BkIEd.3566$KJ2.2758@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25
> years on c.b radio getting tired of all the crap ,have over 2000.00$ to
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> the ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ,put a deposet on brand
> new rig (can still get my money back)-not to troulble anyone,is this a
> good entry level unit for a person who likes to talk skip,and experiment.i
> have good radio knolage but not on the ham side-is this to much radio?and
> if so what would your advise be.
>
> thank you for taking the time to read and or respond
>
>
>

141. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:07:57 UTC
From: Steve <inawb@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <UIydneGCb5QiQH7cRVn-qA@comcast.com>
Source record: 17664

Ts 2000 is a nice rig but it's more than the average Ham would use. One side
of the radio is only
VHF UHF. Granted it's dual receive and is the only HF rig that does it. The
847 is nice but,
it also is a small rig. 706 is basically a Mobil. All the smaller radios
like 847 -706 -ft-90 - 100
all are nice but they lack the receiver. The Ft-1000mp or the MP Field has a
great receiver
but does not have 6 meter or VHF UHF..
I would think if you want an true all mode then the TS-2000 would be what
you want.
But if you want a good receiver then the FT-1000 is what you want.

Hope we all have not confused you, or maybe helped.

Steve

Good Luck

"william hoffman" <tram396@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:BkIEd.3566$KJ2.2758@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25
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> have good radio knolage but not on the ham side-is this to much radio?and
> if so what would your advise be.
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> thank you for taking the time to read and or respond
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142. fa: US NAVY CJP-23ABM AIRCRAFT RADAR CONTROL UNIT WWII '42

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:41:11 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111094111.00686.00000040@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17665

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
6504026978
This is my entire list on Ebay.
You may want to check others while you're there :-)
Please add HTTP in front of the address below as AOL frowns on HOT links :-(
://cgi6.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=myradioroom&sort=
3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
Thanks es 73..........RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

143. fa: $9.99 TWO(2) BRAND-NEW 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES-China>Nice Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:42:15 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111094215.00686.00000042@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17666

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5742816702
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Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

144. fa: $9.99 SIX(6) VINTAGE NOS OCTAL RADIO TUBES in BOXES-A Deal:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:43:28 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111094328.00686.00000044@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17667

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3865718121
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Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

145. fa: $9.99 PRIM M131 "GREEN BULLET" MICROPHONE>Neat Lookin'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:44:44 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111094444.00686.00000045@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17668

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3774428735
This is my entire list on Ebay.
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3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
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146. fa: $9.99 MINT DRAKE TV-300-HP TVI HIGH PASS FILTER in BOX,1950's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:45:52 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111094552.00686.00000047@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17669

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All items are real inexpensive.
5742816760
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147. FA: MOTOROLA 2660D IDENT TEST SET SERVICE MONITOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:48:14 UTC
From: kb6lue@pacbell.net
Message-ID: <1105454894.088010.186910@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17670

FA: MOTOROLA 2660D IDENT TEST SET SERVICE MONITOR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=3865652900

148. fa: PRO AUDIO-TECHNICA AT815ST STEREO SHOTGUN MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:48:38 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111094838.00686.00000050@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17671

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3774428803
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149. fa: $9.99 34 VARIOUS POWER TRANSISTORS, JAN, TI, RCA, Motorola-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:49:41 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111094941.00686.00000051@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17672

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3865718210
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HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

150. FA: $9.99 12 VINTAGE GE 2N489 TRANSISTORS>NOS, Repair that Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 14:50:47 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111095047.00686.00000053@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17673

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3865718241
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3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
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Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
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Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

151. fa: PRO AUDIO-TECHNICA AT835ST STEREO SHOTGUN MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 15:02:11 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050111100211.00686.00000067@mb-m24.aol.com>
Source record: 17674

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3774428785
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://cgi6.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=myradioroom&sort=
3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
Thanks es 73..........RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

152. FA: Cubic CDR-3150 DSP LF-HF Receiver & Exciter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 15:44:35 UTC
From: "kb6lue@pacbell.net" <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <1105458275.675886.214610@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17675

FA: Cubic CDR-3150 DSP LF-HF Receiver &
T-4150 Exciter & ACIU Controller
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5743057505

153. Re: 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 15:45:10 UTC
From: Tom OBrion <tobrion@hammerzone.net>
Message-ID: <3PWdnQd4DZkMaX7cRVn-sw@giganews.com>
Source record: 17676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Unable to email you Robert on this post, it kicks back with a note "not routable to your host address! I am interested in the 2 Meter Icom IC-229H. Please email me i you get this!

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@lakefield.net> wrote in message news:34djs4F4ad7bcU1@individual.net...
> Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
> Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
> I have no way to verify operation.
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> Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
> and extra hi gain whip. $175
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> Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery $ 65
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> Icom IC-229H 90% $ 85
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> LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
> -Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-
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> I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
> Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
> Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
> modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
> A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
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> if sold piecemeal....
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> $100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.
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> All items will include manuals unless noted.
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> Robert Kubichek N9LVU
> 1502 South 10th. Street
> Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
> bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net
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154. Re: CALCULATION OF EARTH RESISTANCE IN MULTI-LAYER EARTH STRUCTURE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 17:14:22 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <OPTEd.15852$iC4.14076@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17677

I think the following group would be better:
rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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73
Hank WD5JFR

<mmufoe2004@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1105440753.480444.202520@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
>I am PhD student and I doing some work on grounding resistance and I
> would like to develop a formula for CALCULATION OF EARTH RESISTANCE IN
> MULTI-LAYER EARTH STRUCTURE. and compare it with some field
> measurments...What do you think? Is it possible to develop such this
> formula?
> Just want to remind you again that my case of study (calculation of
> Earth resistance for the driven rod in a horizontally stratified
> multi-layer earth at non-homogeneous earth).
> If any body have any papers to help or any advice please do
> I would like to thank you in advance
> your Ram
>

155. Re: advice: good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 17:26:30 UTC
From: Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.61.0501110918150.2513@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 17678

On Mon, 10 Jan 2005, Mike Andrews wrote:

> My XYL passed her Tech exam last Saturday, and I passed the General.

Congratulations to you both!

> We're looking for a pair of good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm
> HT. To us, "inexpensive" is in the under-$150 range.

Are you looking for something new?

Personally, what I would do is get a catalog from someplace like AES or Ham Radio Outlet, and see what's available at your specified price. Then go to eham.net and check reviews on each of these HTs to get an idea of how other hams feel about them.

For the record, I use a Yaesu VX-5R. It's outside of your specified budget, but it has served me well over the past few years and I've no complaints about it.

73,

Josh, AE6IQ

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senecal@mapson.cs.ucdavis.edu

Remove the reversed "nospam" in the address.

156. Re: advice: good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 18:57:30 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <cs17iq$8rl$4@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 17679

Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu> wrote:
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> budget, but it has served me well over the past few years and I've no
> complaints about it.

That's pretty much what we've been doing, along with watching eBay
and talking with local hams about their gear.

New would be nice, but the budget is the major driver here.

The Yaesu VX-5R has been recommended -- and praised -- by a number of
the folks with whom I've talked or swapped mail.

I get Monday off; we may drive down to Texas Towers and see what they
have to offer, too.

Thanks for the help, and 73s.

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Mike Andrews, KE5DMQ
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

157. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 19:56:38 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <34ipblF4bfds9U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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158. Advice on 2 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 20:59:03 UTC
From: jimbo <jimbo62@spamex.com>
Message-ID: <1105477143.516197.98260@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17681

My 10 year old Kenwood TM-241A mobile seems to have quit transmitting the PL tone, or it doesn't transmit the tone indicated. Works fine on simplex and receives OK via repeater, but I cannot get a signal through a repeater.

Anyway, it is probably not worth the cost of repair, so I am in the market for a new 2 meter mobile. Does anyone have any advice? Either good or bad experience with a current model. I have heard that the Kenwood TM-271A has had problems. Any confirmation? How about the Icom 2100H?

Thanks, jimbo

159. Re: Advice on 2 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 21:14:05 UTC
From: danjr <danjr@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <xkXEd.11378$wz6.757@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17682

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> anyone have any advice? Either good or bad experience
> with a current model. I have heard that the Kenwood
> TM-271A has had problems. Any confirmation? How
> about the Icom 2100H?

The Kenwood 261A was a nice successor to the 241 ... I owned both of them.
Never owned a 271A, but it looks a lot like the Yaesu FT-2600, which I own.
A lot of similar features I hear.

Yaesu has a nice line of mobiles ... and if you are looking at mono-band
only, look at the FT-2800M. A fine radio.

Dan

160. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 22:05:44 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <g2i8u0lvgmvljq9fupv59peig80m0s0mno@4ax.com>
Source record: 17683

On Tue, 11 Jan 2005 04:10:09 GMT, "william hoffman"
<tram396@earthlink.net> wrote:

>taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25
>years on c.b radio getting tired of all the crap ,have over 2000.00$ to
>invest,read the reviews for different transievers (mostaly on eham.net) the
>ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ,put a deposet on brand new
>rig (can still get my money back)-not to troulble anyone,is this a good
>entry level unit for a person who likes to talk skip,and experiment.i have
>good radio knolage but not on the ham side-is this to much radio?and if so
>what would your advise be.
>
>thank you for taking the time to read and or respond
>
>

Depends on what you want to do. If you're only going for a Technician
license, you'll be limited to 6 meters and up. About your only
opportunity for "talking skip" will be 6 meters when it is open, and
that will be increasingly rare as we get lower and lower in the sun
spot cycle. If you're only going to get on the VHF/UHF FM repeaters,
just get an FM dual bander. On the other hand, if you're going for
your General license reasonably soon, the HF part of the 2000 will be
ready and waiting for you.

You could spend about half the money and get an Icom 706 or Yaesu 857;
they have about the same capabilities as the TS-2000, but perhaps not
the refinement and engineering. That might be a better way for a
beginning ham to go, but it's your money.

Most radios, especially those with a paucity of knobs and an excess of
software menus, will be complicated to work, so there's not really a
'beginner's" radio out there -- even my $100 Icom T2-H handy talky is
hell-acious-ly complicated to program and operate.

Have fun!

Bob
k5qwg

161. Re: Advice on 2 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 22:55:35 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <HPYEd.4019$KJ2.691@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17684

My Icom 2100H could be run over with a truck and it
would still work!

Patrick
W4PHM

"jimbo" <jimbo62@spamex.com> wrote in message
news:1105477143.516197.98260@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
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162. Re: advice: good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 23:54:24 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <m6p8u01io9962tnbejav7d1sis82n9n636@4ax.com>
Source record: 17685

On Tue, 11 Jan 2005 18:57:30 +0000 (UTC), mikea@mikea.ath.cx (Mike Andrews) wrote:

>Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu> wrote:
>> On Mon, 10 Jan 2005, Mike Andrews wrote:
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>> Congratulations to you both!
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>> > We're looking for a pair of good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm
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>
For a 2M only rig, the Yaesu VX-150 is in the $110-120 range regular retail. Occasional sales take it down to about $100, but I have not been following the price in detail.

Well thought of, rugged, 5W output. Very easy on the power requirements while standing by or receiving. Very clean sound and crisp reception.

I would recommend upgrading the stock antenna, getting the AA cell battery pack, and getting the RT Systems programming software and cable for it. A few other accessories may be helpful, such as a speaker mike and a carry case.

It is my primary HT for 2M for hiking and public service events, and I know a number of others quite happy with it.

The biggest grip about it is that there is no dual band version. If they made one, they would instantly sell a bunch of them.

If you want dual band in that price range, it is going to be used.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

163. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-11 23:57:33 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <NJZEd.4758$C52.1407@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17686

"william hoffman" <tram396@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:BkIEd.3566$KJ2.2758@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25
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> entry level unit for a person who likes to talk skip,and experiment.i have
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> what would your advise be.
>
Did you save any money for the antenna system ?

164. Re: advice: good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or 2m/70cm HT?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 00:50:11 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95DBAB5845579spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 17687

>> > We're looking for a pair of good, inexpensive, reliable 2m or
>> > 2m/70cm HT. To us, "inexpensive" is in the under-$150 range.
>

I don't see what the problem is. Just looking in the latest AES catalog
I saw 5 or 6 HTs listed under $150, some as low as $79. Shopping around
would show even lower prices.

Ed K7AAT

165. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 01:44:32 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <34jdo0F4b881gU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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166. Help with Kenwood TS-820 VFO stability problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 05:40:32 UTC
From: Photoman <photoman28@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <HeadnfpykZHQJXncRVn-iw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17689

I just got my 820 out of retirement after at least 14 years. It has the digital display and IF output on the back but is labeled TS-820, not TS-820S and I'm not sure why... anyway when I turned it on the display came up garbage (99__.9) while using both the internal and external VFOs. Finally (after 20 minutes) the frequency appeared correct but would jump around while tuning. By the noise level I could tell that it was actually changing frequency, and not a display problem. More time passed and it seemed to be correcting itself even more but while tuning it would go from (for example) 3599 to 3700 skipping the 3600-3699 completely. I'm not sure that this was a frequency error or readout error but since the noise level did not change I am thinking it was a freq. display problem. I took off the top and bottom covers and tightened all the available screws in and around the VFO area as well as circuit boards. More time passed and finally, after maybe 2 hours everything was fine.

I then turned it off, went to a meeting and when I returned and again turned the rig on the instability started again. It wasn't as radical as before but like before it seemed to correct itself after about 45 minutes. After another 15 minutes I tuned it up and the transmitter worked fine as did the receiver.

I know this is an old radio but I love it and can load it into a barbed wire fence if I want to and it doesn't mind. I have the external VFO, station monitor, and external speaker and it has always worked flawlessly.

If anyone has a suggestion I sure would appreciate it.
73,
Ken

167. Sick DX70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 09:05:07 UTC
From: news <news@care4free.net>
Message-ID: <2LVLoCFQhO5BFwwW@care4free.net>
Source record: 17690
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

I have a sick DX70 (not TH). The output power on the hf bands has gradually fallen from 100w to less than 50w over the last few months. Same effect on all bands, except for 80m, where the power has only dropped to about 80w.

I've independently verified the external power meter I use against a Bird wattmeter, and the power input is still 12v DC, so it has to be the radio.

Ideas anyone?

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73
Ian, G3NRW
g3nrw@yahoo.co.uk

168. Re: Sick DX70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 10:37:16 UTC
From: Steve H <g0lmv@yahoo.co.uk>
Message-ID: <41e4fde8$1_2@mk-nntp-1.news.uk.worldonline.com>
Source record: 17691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

Is that the output into a dummy load?? I use one in the car and the power drops off rapidly above 1.5 to 1 SWR. You haven't moved the internal power switch, this reduces the output to 50W max.

Steve H
"news" <news@care4free.net> wrote in message
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> 73
> Ian, G3NRW
> g3nrw@yahoo.co.uk

169. Wanted CW Filer for Yaesu FT-707

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 12:13:35 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <yKWdnYuV9c20iXjcRVn-jg@comcast.com>
Source record: 17692

Anyone have a CW filter for the Yaesu FT-707?
Frank KG9H

170. Re: Sick DX70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 12:57:13 UTC
From: news <news@care4free.net>
Message-ID: <4XylfDJMvR5BFwB+@care4free.net>
Source record: 17694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

In message <41e4fde8$1_2@mk-nntp-1.news.uk.worldonline.com>, Steve H
<g0lmv@yahoo.co.uk> writes
>Is that the output into a dummy load??

Yup.

>You haven't moved the internal power
>switch, this reduces the output to 50W max.
>
Nope.

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Ian

171. Re: Sick DX70

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 12:57:16 UTC
From: news <news@care4free.net>
Message-ID: <on9MjYJz5R5BFwAm@care4free.net>
Source record: 17693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

In message <1105525006.254624.246400@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
G1LVN <google@g1lvn.org.uk> writes
>I've got a couple:
>
>1.Get a schematic and replace the components in bias circuit(s) of the
>PA.
>then
>2. Get a service manual and retune the PA setting bias as indicated.
>
>3. (you might get away with just 2.)
>
>4. Then again it could be the ALC ;-)
>
>(....5. or the drivers)

I have the service manual, but unfortunately don't have an audio signal
generator or scope any more, so cannot do much in the way of testing.

My current thinking is that either the PA (or driver) is dying, or that
the thermal conductivity between the PA and heatsink has degraded
(however, the PA does not seem to run any hotter than originally, and
the fan very rarely kicks in -- again, no more so than when it was new).

>
>Aternatively send it off to Castle Electronics as they seem to know
>what they are doing -

Good tip. I'll call them today.

>they rarely quote input power in terms of Volts
>DC for example.
>

I only quoted that to eliminate the PSU from the equation. A drop from
12v to 11.5 volts can make quite a difference to the output power.

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Ian

172. Yaesu FT-8000R vs. Alinco DR-605T???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 12:58:11 UTC
From: W8KZW <w8kzw@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <10ua7odbgtnkme0@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17695

I have both of these and plan to keep only one.

But which one?

Has anyone had experience with both? eham reviews seem to favor the Alinco, primarily because of reported reliability issues with the Yaesu ... but the Yaesu is more richly featured.

I don't want to sacrifice functionality, but I certainly don't want a radio I'll have problems with either.

Thanks in advance for your thoughts.

Jeff

173. FS: GR1225 UHF Repeater 16 channel, 25/45 watt repeater. It is in excellent condition.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 15:33:12 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <fpgau0dl6ueuu07oiklltbvv9vkigu5iu8@4ax.com>
Source record: 17696

FS: GR1225 UHF Repeater 16 channel, 25/45 watt repeater. It is in
excellent condition.
Like NEW hardly used GR1225 UHF Repeater High Power
In GR cabinet everything including 6 cavity duplexer.
Of course it has the power supply and fan in cabinet.
Will not be dead on arrival!!

Price: 875.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

174. Re: Help with Kenwood TS-820 VFO stability problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 16:23:07 UTC
From: Steve <zarco@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <L9cFd.1554$m31.16312@typhoon.sonic.net>
Source record: 17697

Ken,
My TS-820S has a similar problem, but your symptoms are worse.
With mine, the problem is in the VFO varible cao. The grease
(conductive?) on the shaft has dried out and caused the tuning to
become intermittent. Since this is a rig I don't use much, I haven't
torn it apart, but others have and cleaning off the old grease solve
the problem. Try tuning running the VFO from one stop to another
a few times and see if the problem goes away (it does on my rig)
or gets better.

Steve W6SSP
p.s.-my recently aquired TS-520S is just starting to show the same symptoms,
oh joy!

175. WTB: RF Spectrum Analyzer - 1Ghz or more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 16:44:38 UTC
From: "David H." <d_h@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <brkau09vdif95bu4actgdtjl8cpeori349@4ax.com>
Source record: 17698

greets all

Just wanted to let everyone [who might read this] know that I am looking to purchase a spectrum analyzer. Make and model is not terribly important. Just looking for something that works reasonably well, has fairly good input sensitivity (measurements made from an antenna are prime objective) and has a top end of at least 1Ghz.

I've looked on ebay. Most of these unit are running around $1000.00 - $1500.00. If anyone's recently purchased a new 6 or 22Ghz SA, and would like to get rid of that older one that might be sitting in the closet, I'd be interested. Thanks.

Dave

176. Buy/Sellor Swap Radio Equipment.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 16:57:52 UTC
From: Ken Baker <kenbaker@email.com>
Message-ID: <34l390F4ctupqU4@individual.net>
Source record: 17699

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Ken G3SPX.

kenbaker@email.com

177. FA:EICO 955 Cap Checker + other items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 20:09:19 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <PtfFd.8404$7N1.7690@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17700

Very nice Eico 955 Cap checker + other items can be seen at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQfsooZ1QQfsopZ1QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx , 73, heytubeguy

178. FA:Insulated shaft couplers + more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 20:09:37 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5ufFd.8405$7N1.2065@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17701

Insulated shaft couplers + other items can be seen at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQfsooZ1QQfsopZ1QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx , 73, heytubeguy

179. FA:HRO 'AC' Coil + others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 20:09:44 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <cufFd.8406$7N1.4636@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17702

National HRO AC receiver coil in very good condition + other items can be seen at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQfsooZ1QQfsopZ1QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx , 73, heytubeguy

180. Re: PICS of IC-746 PRO - top cover removed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 21:23:48 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <10ub5bh5k9ppk53@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Take it EZ Jim.....she's already married anyway. 73 welcome back to the mainland.....

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

<kh2d@my-deja.com> wrote in message
news:41e34334.1010688863@newsgroups.bellsouth.net...
> On Sat, 8 Jan 2005 14:37:18 -0600, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com>
> wrote:
>
>>1. http://www.ad5th.com/IC-746-PRO.html
>>
> Whoaaa dude. 2 Kewl. Got any naked pictures of Britany Spears
> on your web page ?
>
> 73, Jim KH2D
>

181. social commentary, performance art or smut?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-12 22:14:07 UTC
From: thruthewoods32@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1105568047.860203.266800@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17704

I just came across the website for a video called "hunting for bambi".
>From the looks of it, it seems to be a low-brow stab at the OLN/Playboy genres of cable networks, but also comes across as a misogynist celebration of gun culture. Does anybody have any insight or opinions as to what else it could be construed as?
The preview is on www.teambambi.com

182. MOTOROLA HT1250 VHF w/accys for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 00:14:07 UTC
From: "R. Belcher" <randy.belcher@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <j3jFd.4439$SS6.1715@trnddc07>
Source record: 17705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hey all, have a VHF HT1250 for sale, limited keypad (6 buttons), with
charger and speaker/mic. 1999 manufacture.
Model AAH25KDF9AA5AN, with '99 code battery, so no guarantee on the life of
the battery, but it's working.
136-174MHz, 5watt.

128 channel, Zones, paging, all the toys you don't need!

Has a small scuff on the display, but doesn't hinder view or operation.
Excellent condition radio!

$375 plus shipping.
Will program 16ch free.

Thanks!
rb

183. FA: Kenwood Model TS-130S Transceiver/Pwr Suply/Spkr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 02:44:48 UTC
From: RPK <rpkalb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <7flFd.12047$tF.6507@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17706

Very nice Kenwood TS-130S with power supply and external speaker.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40067&item=5744110770&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

184. Re: Help with Kenwood TS-820 VFO stability problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 04:13:35 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050112231335.12040.00000084@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17707

Ken,

This is the legendary Kenwood grounding problem. Let me know if you still need the details on how to fix it.

73s,

Evan

185. Re: Receive sensitivity with regard to transmitter power.... help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 07:03:11 UTC
From: Old Macdonald <oeieio@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <cs567h$f90$1@newstree.wise.edt.ericsson.se>
Source record: 17708

> > Can someone help me out with the math here?
>
> You probably forgot that
> power db = 10 * (P1/P2)
> voltage db = 20 * (V1/V2)
>
> which is way you are off by a factor of 2.

Or to put it simply, if the voltage doubles, then the current also doubles and since power is volts x current, and 2 x 2 = 4, then the power increase is 4 x if the voltage increase is 2 x.

Hairy R. Beanz
(On second thoughts, forget that - probably never get away with it !:-)

186. Re: Help with Kenwood TS-820 VFO stability problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 14:09:41 UTC
From: Wefax_Dude <wefaxdude@noaspam.com>
Message-ID: <41E68124.9E064E1E@noaspam.com>
Source record: 17709

Hi,

Please join the kenwood group on yahoo,
lots help there !

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TS-520_820_530_830/

Photoman wrote:

> I just got my 820 out of retirement after at least 14 years. It has the
> digital display and IF output on the back but is labeled TS-820, not TS-820S
> and I'm not sure why... anyway when I turned it on the display came up
> garbage (99__.9) while using both the internal and external
> VFOs.............

187. FA: MANY USEFUL ITEMS>SEE THEM ALL>MIKES, 6146's ETC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 15:36:52 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050113103652.08023.00000116@mb-m28.aol.com>
Source record: 17710

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188. FA: MANY USEFUL RADIO ITEMS>PRO MIKES, 6146B's>Much more stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 16:59:24 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <5XxFd.5887$S23.5546@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17711

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&since=14&rdir=0

189. Re: RF Spectrum Analyzer - 1Ghz or more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 17:16:44 UTC
From: Steve <zarco@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <02yFd.1686$m31.19644@typhoon.sonic.net>
Source record: 17712

Dave,
I've got a nice, working HP8558 I'm not using. $750
E-mail me if interested.

Steve

David H. <d_h@nospam.com> wrote in message
news:brkau09vdif95bu4actgdtjl8cpeori349@4ax.com...
> greets all
>
> Just wanted to let everyone [who might read this] know that I am looking
to purchase
> a spectrum analyzer. Make and model is not terribly important. Just
looking for
> something that works reasonably well, has fairly good input sensitivity
(measurements
> made from an antenna are prime objective) and has a top end of at least
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>
> I've looked on ebay. Most of these unit are running around $1000.00 -
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> anyone's recently purchased a new 6 or 22Ghz SA, and would like to get rid
of that
> older one that might be sitting in the closet, I'd be interested. Thanks.
>
> Dave

190. Re: Receive sensitivity with regard to transmitter power.... help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-13 22:48:52 UTC
From: Gary Schafer <gaschafer@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <6ludu05j4offlj4o1i4pk5r9j13ujvtajh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17713

And the really simple way to remember it:
2 times the power = 3 db.
2 times the voltage = 6 db.

73
Gary K4FMX

On 9 Jan 2005 14:06:22 -0800, "jetfixr" <jetfixr@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I recently took a test and I failed to understand how the answered was
>derived.. Heres the question:
>
>A malfunctioning transmitter designed to transmit at 28 watts of power
>has a power output of 7 watts. In its current state, its signal is
>being received by a base station at 5uV. If the transmitter were to be
>repaired and had its proper output of 28 watts, what would the receive
>signal signal at the base station be?
>
>I figured if the transmitter were repaired, that would be a improvement
>of 6dB on the transmit side. At the receiver I would figure the signal
>should be 20uV, but somehow the the correct answer was a receive signal
>of 10uV. I have no idea how they derived 10 uV and no explaination was
>given. Can someone help me out with the math here?

191. Yaesu FT-920 & PS-125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-14 00:15:03 UTC
From: Daniel W4ADT <danielw4adt@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <CaEFd.1820$aa6.1230@fe61.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 17714

I know one is a Yaesu the other is the ICOM Power Supply - that's my question, please EMAIL me directly off the newsgroup -

I know the PS-125 will work with most Kenwoods, will it work with the FT-920. I sold my ICOM rig and have purchased a FT-920 - still hasn't arrived, just wondering if it will work.

Thanks!

73 Daniel W4ADT

danielw4adt@alltel.net

192. Re: ICOM CM-8 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-14 05:08:00 UTC
From: k9opo@sbcglobal.qlfit.net
Message-ID: <41e7501b.18813017@news.ind.sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 17715

"Zorpetus" <zorpetus@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Hi,
>
>Could anyone told me something more about Icom CM-8 battery pack, like
>for example:

The CM-8 is from Icom's commercial line and is equivalent to the BP-8.
>
>- voltage (is it 8.4V?)
Yes.

>- capacity (is it 1100 mAh?)
My 1992 vintage reference says 800 mah.

>- what is that piece of electronic inside for?
It's the constant-current charge regulator for slow-charging (12-14 hr
charge rate).

>- why it does have 13.8V AND wall charger connector. Could it be
>charged both ways?
Not sure about that, the Icom wall chargers I have put out nominal
12v., or you can plug any nominal 12v source into the same jack.

>- why it does have 11 (!?) "strange" cells inside but only (nominal, if
>I am right?) 8.4V
No idea about the number of cells. If it's really an original unit, it
only has 7 cells. Maybe someone has converted it to a higher voltage
with more, smaller capacity cells? Or they're space fillers?

>- it seems to have thermal and current protection connected in series
>with cells (if somebody could confirm this?)
The pack can be fast charged with the proper drop-in charger. Since
this can generate enough heat to melt things if something goes wrong,
the thermal switch is there to open the circuit if things get too hot.

>- does anybody, maybe, has a schematic diagram of it?
Not I. It shouldn't be that hard to draw one out if you're really
interested (I haven't been!).

>(I would like to put 7 x NiCd AA cells inside, and I am not sure if
>that could be done).
If they fit it can be done :-). I'd think it would be easier to get a
pack that's designed for AA's. Icom's is BP/CM-4, a 6-cell, 7.2v pack.
There are higher voltage AA packs available from third-party vendors.

Roger Grady k9opo@sbcglobal.qlfit.net
To reply by email, remove "qlfit." from address

193. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-14 13:04:10 UTC
From: Nospam@itsuxs.com
Message-ID: <Xns95DE52A7F63E8Nosapmitsuxcom@216.77.188.18>
Source record: 17716

The only problem with the ts-2000 if you work satelite mode it does not have the pl tones....Needed on some of the newer birds.. But I'm sure there is a work around..

"Ralph Mowery" <rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote in news:NJZEd.4758$C52.1407@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net:

>
> "william hoffman" <tram396@earthlink.net> wrote in message
> news:BkIEd.3566$KJ2.2758@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
>> taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b.
>> equiptment,over 25 years on c.b radio getting tired of all the crap
>> ,have over 2000.00$ to invest,read the reviews for different
>> transievers (mostaly on eham.net)
> the
>> ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ,put a deposet on brand
>> new rig (can still get my money back)-not to troulble anyone,is this
>> a good entry level unit for a person who likes to talk skip,and
>> experiment.i have good radio knolage but not on the ham side-is this
>> to much radio?and if so what would your advise be.
>>
> Did you save any money for the antenna system ?
>
>
>

194. Wanted Kenwood R-1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 05:05:02 UTC
From: JH <bobdylan@rcn.com>
Message-ID: <IemdnUXQjt0DOXXcRVn-3A@rcn.net>
Source record: 17717

Wanted Kenwood R-1000

Does anyone have on that's in great shape?

195. UT-109 into IC-V8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 11:31:51 UTC
From: Tom <truckdrivingman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <csauvdgno00$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 17718

Hello OMs
I recently got an IC-V8000.Included were instructions how to integrate the UT-109 voice scrambler unit into the radio.Is it possible to install the UT-109 AND the DMTF-unit UT-108 ? I only saw one slot on the pcb.

73
Tom

p.s.: I KNOW that voice scrambling's illegal on amateur radio,so please no unnecessary comments

196. K9YA Telegraph e-Zine - FREE Subscription!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 12:29:21 UTC
From: K9YA Telegraph <k9ya@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <B08Gd.9469$Vj3.3686@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17719

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197. Re: UT-109 into IC-V8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 13:19:56 UTC
From: N8WWM DOUG ADAIR <N8WWM@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <41e92796@news.usenetzone.com>
Source record: 17720

"Tom" <truckdrivingman@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:csauvdgno00$1@news.t-online.com...
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> UT-109 voice scrambler unit into the radio.Is it possible to install the
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>
> 73
> Tom
>
> p.s.: I KNOW that voice scrambling's illegal on amateur radio,so please no
> unnecessary comments
>
Fuck Riley.

_____
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More than 120,000 groups
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http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

198. FA: AUDIO-TECHNICA STEREO MIKES, COST $1100 @$100:-(

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 15:25:20 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115102520.15889.00000014@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17721

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Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

199. FA: $9.99 TWO(2) BRAND-NEW 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES>Nice Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 16:31:44 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115113144.15889.00000019@mb-m15.aol.com>
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Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

200. FA: $9.99 SIX(6) VINTAGE NOS OCTAL RADIO TUBES in BOXES-

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 16:32:59 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115113259.15889.00000020@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17723

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201. FA: PRIM M131 "GREEN BULLET" MICROPHONE> Like Calrad, ETC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 16:34:26 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115113426.15889.00000023@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17724

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Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

202. FA: MINT DRAKE TV-300-HP TVI HIGH PASS FILTER in BOX,1950's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 16:35:28 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115113528.15889.00000025@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17725

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HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

203. FA: $9.99 BEAUTIFUL TANDBERG TM-3 TAPE RECORDER MICROPHONE NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 16:36:30 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115113630.15889.00000027@mb-m15.aol.com>
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Thanks es 73.....RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

204. FA: $9.99 34 VARIOUS POWER TRANSISTORS, JAN, TI, RCA, Motorola-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 16:37:54 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115113754.15889.00000029@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17727

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205. FA: $9.99 12 VINTAGE GE 2N489 TRANSISTORS>NOS, Repair that Radio!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 16:39:00 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050115113900.15889.00000031@mb-m15.aol.com>
Source record: 17728

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206. alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 19:51:19 UTC
From: stryped@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1105818679.832456.259580@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17729

I just went to my first hamfest and I am disappointed. I bought a Alinco dr590 that the guy said worked great. WHen I got it home, everything in the display lights up, but only sqigially lines where the numbers go. Pressing all the buttons does nothing. I can not even hear static. I can power it off and on however.

What could this be and is it repairable? The radio is about 10 years old. Can I repair this myself? WHat should I do from here?

207. Re: UT-109 into IC-V8000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 19:59:35 UTC
From: Tom <truckdrivingman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <csbsnb$587$05$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 17730

Who's Riley?

208. Re: alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 20:03:16 UTC
From: "NeumannTelcom & IT Services,LLC" <neumanntelcom@neumanntelcom.com>
Message-ID: <8GeGd.58143$ld2.21444722@twister.nyc.rr.com>
Source record: 17732

go to the alinco website , look at the manual, see if there is a master
reset

<stryped@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:1105818679.832456.259580@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
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> Alinco dr590 that the guy said worked great. WHen I got it home,
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> static. I can power it off and on however.
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> What could this be and is it repairable? The radio is about 10 years
> old. Can I repair this myself? WHat should I do from here?
>

209. I need help re: IC207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 20:06:18 UTC
From: pherring05@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1105817697.160521.191310@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17731

I need a plain english guide written, for the ICom 207H. Duel Band
tranciver

Thanks

210. Millen 90651 calibration?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 20:23:27 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <41e97c08_4@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 17733

Recently acquired a Millen 90651 grid dip meter in very nice condition. While checking the meter, I found the dial calibration to be off a bit more than I expected - when tuned to 10.105 MHz, the dial reads 10.7. Haven't checked the other ranges yet, but wonder what the others see as typical dial error? The manual doesn't mention the accuracy. According to the schematic, there are no adjustments internally for calibration and so I expect that adjustment of the individual coils is the only resort - correct?

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73, Floyd - K8AC

211. Re: I need help re: IC207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 20:24:05 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10uiuv54g8j3642@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17734

In article <1105817697.160521.191310@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
<pherring05@yahoo.com> wrote:

>I need a plain english guide written, for the ICom 207H. Duel Band
>tranciver

Go to www.mods.dk and click on "Icom" then on "Manuals". You can
download PDF scans of the IC-207H instruction manual, and also the
workshop (service) manual.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

212. Re: alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 21:35:40 UTC
From: danjr <danjr@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <M0gGd.4539$re1.882@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17735

> WHen I got it home, everything in the display lights
> up, but only sqigially lines where the numbers go.
> Pressing all the buttons does nothing. I can not even
> hear static. I can power it off and on however.

Have you tried lowering the squelch to see if you can "hear static?" Also, the lines in question may simply be the display. ADI and Alinco radios often have this problem. It could be the display is too cold and as a result a bunch of gibberish is displayed. Also, this may occur when there is a loose connection in the display unit.

I have an ADI AR-247 that does this EVERY time I turn the unit on. A couple quick flicks with the finger on the display and it seems to straighten up.

Just some thoughts.

213. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 21:38:30 UTC
From: danjr <danjr@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <q3gGd.4550$re1.4482@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17736

"N8WWM DOUG ADAIR" <N8WWM@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:41e92794@news.usenetzone.com...
> Be LOUD and PROUD!
>
> Email me
>
> $200 firm

Why would you, an apparent ham, sell an illegal "CB linear?" You are part of the never-ending problem of illegal equipment on 11 meters spilling over onto 10 meters. I hope you buyer plugs it in and it explodes.

214. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 21:45:07 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <KbgGd.35602$NC6.8335@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17737

"danjr" <danjr@voyager.net> wrote in message
news:q3gGd.4550$re1.4482@fe2.columbus.rr.com...
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> of the never-ending problem of illegal equipment on 11 meters spilling
> over
> onto 10 meters. I hope you buyer plugs it in and it explodes.
>
May be risky business. Are you not aware that anyone caught with "illegal"
equipment can lose "any" FCC licenses they may hold? Ignorance is not an
excuse and they'll expect you to know better. I'd laugh my ass off if they
come knocking on your door. You just as much as gave them your address,
giving your call sign.

L.

215. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 22:45:08 UTC
From: cabletieguy <cabletieguy@cabletie.com>
Message-ID: <41E99CF3.3A2F3DD7@cabletie.com>
Source record: 17738

Please don't post photos the usenet !

BTW, one can get in trouble by USING the device,
owning one is not a crime the last time I checked.

73

216. Re: alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-15 23:37:38 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <95aju0dqeh74hmfj9buu1j55itd5iv4vrh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17739

On 15 Jan 2005 11:51:19 -0800, stryped@hotmail.com wrote:

>I just went to my first hamfest and I am disappointed. I bought a
>Alinco dr590 that the guy said worked great. WHen I got it home,
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>static. I can power it off and on however.
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>old. Can I repair this myself? WHat should I do from here?

Caveat emptor maximus. Many people have learned similar lessons, (self
included on some gelcell batteries). Bringing a multimeter and some
basic test gear with you might make sense.

Check the voltage on the batteries. Many displays get squirrelly when
the voltage is low.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

217. Re: alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 02:08:21 UTC
From: stryped@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1105841301.774981.173230@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17740

Well, I went back after posting my previous mail and everything worked. I even caught a guy on simplex 25 miles away testing it on the floor of my truck. I dont know what happened.

Does anyone know where I could get a manual for it? I could not find it on the alinco website.

Also, are these radios any good? Can they be programmed with an offset for repeater work? (The guy told me it would work on repeaters).
Thanks again for your help!

218. Re: alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 02:10:01 UTC
From: stryped@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1105841401.671094.186920@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17741

What batteries? you mean the 12 volt in the truck powering the radio itself?

219. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 02:11:35 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <5qiju053806nkfqv8v2a77nj7kg17dr7ub@4ax.com>
Source record: 17742

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+4db +2db 0db +2db +4db

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noise.............................................Signal

On Sat, 15 Jan 2005 21:38:30 GMT, "danjr" <danjr@voyager.net> wrote:

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>> Be LOUD and PROUD!
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>> $200 firm
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>onto 10 meters. I hope you buyer plugs it in and it explodes.
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>
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220. Nebie coax,, power supply, and other questions.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 02:12:13 UTC
From: stryped@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1105841533.284145.195470@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17743

Well, I went to my first hamfest and I am now the owner of an alinco dr 590 dual band radio I wish to use as a base station. I must now decide where to locate an antenna. I have a tv town that I could mount it on but It would require about 70 feet of cable and fishing of the coax through some insulated walls upstairs. Or, I could mount the antennas to my vinyle chimney somehow and only have about a 20 foot run. But how would I get the cable inside my house? The only way I see is drillling a hole in the side of the house which I am not crazy of.

What is the best/most econmical cable to use? How would you do this installation?

Also, I dont have a power supply. I do have a deep cycle battery. Would it be improper to use this in my house as a temporary measure?

By the way this radio has two antenna inputs. I think I will use two different antennas. I am thinking of building a beam for 440 and using a j pole or ground plane for 2 meters.
I appreciate any advice you could give me!

221. Re: alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 02:27:04 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <YhkGd.7689$C52.1989@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17744

<stryped@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:1105841301.774981.173230@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> Well, I went back after posting my previous mail and everything
> worked. I even caught a guy on simplex 25 miles away testing it on the
> floor of my truck. I dont know what happened.
>
> Does anyone know where I could get a manual for it? I could not find it
> on the alinco website.

Look here. There is a service manual and down the page is the operating
manual.

http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html

You can use the battery to power it in the house if you want to. The rig
may act funny if the battery starts to get low on voltage.

222. Re: alinco radio problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 02:36:16 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10ujkp0psjke8dd@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17745

In article <1105841301.774981.173230@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
<stryped@hotmail.com> wrote:

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>floor of my truck. I dont know what happened.
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>Does anyone know where I could get a manual for it? I could not find it
>on the alinco website.

SIGH

>Also, are these radios any good? Can they be programmed with an offset
>for repeater work? (The guy told me it would work on repeaters).

Additional sigh

>Thanks again for your help!

Thirty seconds and a search on Google would have found you several
sites from which you can either download a PDF, or order a paper copy
(possibly even an original).

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

223. Mike and cord for Azden Pcs3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 03:17:09 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0501151714480.28866@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 17746

Does anyone have a mike for the Pcs3000 azden transceiver?
My AZDEN PCS3000 works fine but the cord and mike is messed
up. I use it as fixed station vhf transceiver, not mobile.
Kokomo Joe
(email is valid)

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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224. Re: Nebie coax,, power supply, and other questions.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 05:32:01 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95DFDB2BEBC20spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 17747

I would suggest for starters, keeping the antenna location simple and the cable run short. You may not need the extra height from the TV antenna tower. Do be sure to keep the chimney mounted antenna clear from the soot that comes out the chimney.

You did not state the construction of your house, but regardless, I'd say go ahead and drill a hole through the wall.... perhaps down low near the base boards like the telco does. I stuck a piece of 1" PVC through the hole I drilled and put PVC flanges on each end to hold in place in the wall. Seal with tin foil, steel wool, etc. to keep small critters and bugs out.

For cable, I'd suggest RG8 (foam dielectric preferrably) or RG8X (smaller). Either should be fine for 2M and 440 operation. For a 20 foot run, you could even get away with RG-58. Its lossy, but probably won't be an issue on that short a run.

For a really cheap, but effective antenna, I also like to use ground plane made from brass welding rod, on a SO-239 coax connector. Standard PL-259 connector fastens right to it.

Nothing wrong with using a battery for that rig..... perhaps you have a small 12V power supply.... 1A rating or so... would keep the battery charged. Some larger 12V DC wall warts might suffice, too. Be sure you have adequate venting when using a lead acid battery though.

Good luck.

Ed K7AAT

225. FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 10:57:58 UTC
From: ryan48545@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1105873078.406133.257800@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17548

Hey...

Kinda off topic, but just FYI to everyone in this group:

TO ANYONE THAT DOES NOT HAVE A HEADSET FOR THEIR CELL PHONE

Free-Headset.org is a nationwide wireless phone safety program that provides cell phone users with a free handsfree headset to promote safe driving.

Last year Free-Headset.org provided over 33,000 people with free handsfree headsets for their cell phone.

Skeptical? Free-Headset.org has been reviewed in many big name national newspapers and magazines such as the New York Times and Popular Science.

Please help us make the roads a little safer by getting a headset for your cell phone today.

For information on obtaining a free headset for your cell phone, please visit http://www.Free-Headset.org
It's fast, easy and free! :)

Thanks,
Ryan

226. Cleaning battery corrosion on printed circuit board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 14:29:35 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <o4uku0h6chlbt070jd3ac3l7r3q05pjai8@4ax.com>
Source record: 17549

I have battery leakage from a couple of AA batteries that has corroded about an inch square of surface on a printed circuit board, with the corrosion also on the little "trails" that lead from one component to another.

Any hints on removing the corrosion without damaging the board? I was thinking of trying alcohol. I also have something from Radio Shack called "Electronic Cleaner."

Thanks for any ideas.

Bob
k5qwg

227. Re: Cleaning battery corrosion on printed circuit board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 17:04:17 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <10ul7kkhghe7u69@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17550

A slushy paste of baking soda and water left on the corrosion for a few hours neutralizes the goop that the battery squirted onto the board. Rinse with distilled water and then any good contact cleaner brushed over the area.

Jim

"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message news:o4uku0h6chlbt070jd3ac3l7r3q05pjai8@4ax.com...
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> another.
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> thinking of trying alcohol. I also have something from Radio Shack
> called "Electronic Cleaner."
>
> Thanks for any ideas.
>
> Bob
> k5qwg
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228. Re: Cleaning battery corrosion on printed circuit board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 17:29:57 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <839lu0hs3bmu5cbbsj9i50p75038r3r0ic@4ax.com>
Source record: 17551

On Sun, 16 Jan 2005 09:04:17 -0800, "RST Engineering"
<jim@rstengineering.com> wrote:

>A slushy paste of baking soda and water left on the corrosion for a few
>hours neutralizes the goop that the battery squirted onto the board. Rinse
>with distilled water and then any good contact cleaner brushed over the
>area.
>
>Jim

Thanks, I tried the Radio Shack Electronic Cleaner and that seemed to
do the trick. The device is working now.

Bob
k5qwg
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>"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
>news:o4uku0h6chlbt070jd3ac3l7r3q05pjai8@4ax.com...
>>I have battery leakage from a couple of AA batteries that has corroded
>> about an inch square of surface on a printed circuit board, with the
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>> another.
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>> thinking of trying alcohol. I also have something from Radio Shack
>> called "Electronic Cleaner."
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>> Thanks for any ideas.
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>> Bob
>> k5qwg
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229. kenwood squelch adj

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 17:52:29 UTC
From: james <jhladun>
Message-ID: <10ulcfvbval8kf6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17552

Does anyone know how to adj the squelch on a
Kenwood tk-248.

Thanks
James

230. "Self-powered" radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 18:27:01 UTC
From: Sneezy <sneezy@spam-me-not.net>
Message-ID: <VlyGd.14139$S11.7018@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17553

Have any of you folks ever disassembled a FreePlay 360 radio? It's one of those small wind-up radios that became popular with the Y2K survivalist crowd. It uses a big clockwork spring mechanism to spin the dynamo, and I'm worried that the springs are going to pop out all over the place if I open the back. Has anyone tried it?

231. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 18:30:43 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <34vqcnF4gevn9U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17554

<ryan48545@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1105873078.406133.257800@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> Hey...
>
>
> Kinda off topic, but just FYI to everyone in this group:
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> TO ANYONE THAT DOES NOT HAVE A HEADSET FOR THEIR CELL PHONE
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>
> Free-Headset.org is a nationwide wireless phone safety program that
> provides cell phone users with a free handsfree headset to promote safe
> driving.
>

Statistically, using your cell-phone while driving is a risk factor - using
a headset doesn't change that.

Ken

232. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 18:47:16 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <8jdlu0lrhn3eab12qngipnhi5dactl3ccq@4ax.com>
Source record: 17555

On Mon, 17 Jan 2005 07:30:43 +1300, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
wrote:

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>news:1105873078.406133.257800@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
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>
>Ken
>

So, statistically speaking, driving with one hand versus two would be
equally safe?

Dick

233. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 19:33:00 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <41EAC16C.5060007@netscape.net>
Source record: 17556

Ken Taylor wrote:
> <ryan48545@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> news:1105873078.406133.257800@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
>
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a cigarette in the other, putting on make-up, while yelling at the kids
in the back seat has GOTTA be safer than doing all that with a cellphone
in the other hand.
mike

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Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

234. Re: Cleaning battery corrosion on printed circuit board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 20:19:23 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10ulj2bblfoge38@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17557

In article <10ul7kkhghe7u69@corp.supernews.com>,
RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com> wrote:

>> I have battery leakage from a couple of AA batteries that has corroded
>> about an inch square of surface on a printed circuit board, with the
>> corrosion also on the little "trails" that lead from one component to
>> another.

>A slushy paste of baking soda and water left on the corrosion for a few
>hours neutralizes the goop that the battery squirted onto the board. Rinse
>with distilled water and then any good contact cleaner brushed over the
>area.

The baking-soda slurry idea is a good one if the batteries are the old carbon/zinc type which use an acidic electrolyte (corrosive as all get out, unfortunately).

Alkaline batteries have an electrolyte which is (tada!) alkaline, and using baking soda (also alkaline) won't help. Fortunately this electrolyte is rather less corrosive to metal than the acid from an old "heavy duty" battery, and it can usually be just washed off. I'd suggest warm water with perhaps a small amount of a mild surfactant (Simple Green or something like that), then the distilled-water rinse, shake dry, and perhaps use the contact-cleaner trick as a final cleaning to remove any oils present.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

235. vista XX-R power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 20:48:06 UTC
From: pdrunen@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050116154806.11075.00000031@mb-m28.aol.com>
Source record: 17558

Hi Group,

Looking for a schematic for the Vista XX-R 20amp 12V power supply.

Need to repair mine.

Thanks,

De KJ4UO

236. Re: "Self-powered" radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 21:42:41 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <hfnlu0101057hi9agsj6r693qc2dpg9hgk@4ax.com>
Source record: 17559

On Sun, 16 Jan 2005 18:27:01 GMT, "Sneezy" <sneezy@spam-me-not.net>
wrote:

>Have any of you folks ever disassembled a FreePlay 360 radio? It's one of
>those small wind-up radios that became popular with the Y2K survivalist
>crowd. It uses a big clockwork spring mechanism to spin the dynamo, and I'm
>worried that the springs are going to pop out all over the place if I open
>the back. Has anyone tried it?
>
From taking apart other wind-up devices, you _should_ be worried about
springs popping out. The tricky part, once you find all the pieces teh
flew around the room, is getting the tension correct when you
re-assemble.

There are tricks to working with spring-driven equipment which are
best learned on something less expensive to replace.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

237. WTB: Frequency Down Converter - 2.4GHZ to 1.0GHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 21:58:38 UTC
From: Stephan Clark <stephanclark001@hotmail.nospam.net>
Message-ID: <ifolu09ldand2uak6hilnq41pt4fcueitb@4ax.com>
Source record: 17560

greetings,

I am looking to buy a microwave frequency down converter for my spectrum analyzer.

Avcom MFC-1700 (or equivalent), to convert 1.7GHZ - 2.7GHZ (input) down to 0 - 1000MHz (output). Something close will also work.

Frequency output of down convert must be 0 - 1000MHz (range of spectrum analyzer).

Please e-mail stephanclark001@yahoo.com

Thank you.

238. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-16 22:12:06 UTC
From: Chas <wg2a@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <WEBGd.915$Rs.219@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17561

You need to try using a hands free device while driving, that has got to be worse than just using the cell phone! Someone calls or you've got to make a call, you've got to put the @#$%! thing on, seems to be on the same order of trying to pick up several things from the floor of the back seat, or worse.
Many studies have shown that cell phones are FAR from the worst distractions while on the road, though they certainly tick people off when they see someone driving carelessly while using one.
As for only using one hand, how many hams ALREADY drive that way while on the radio and yet have no problem talking, moving frequency or adjusting something on the radio??

Chuck WG2A

"mike" <spamme0@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:41EAC16C.5060007@netscape.net...
> Ken Taylor wrote:
> > <ryan48545@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> > news:1105873078.406133.257800@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
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239. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 00:11:14 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <350e55F4hmnghU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17562

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:8jdlu0lrhn3eab12qngipnhi5dactl3ccq@4ax.com...
> On Mon, 17 Jan 2005 07:30:43 +1300, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
> wrote:
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> So, statistically speaking, driving with one hand versus two would be
> equally safe?
>
> Dick

That'll depend what the other hand is doing. Reminds me of the joke (okay,
"everyone" knows the guys who really said this, but let's assume it's a
joke....):
Man has girlfriend in lap while driving at high speed on country highway.
Gets pulled over by angry highway patrolman who says "Shouldn't you be using
both hands?!". Hero replies "Well I would but I need one to drive."

Ken

240. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 00:12:54 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <350e88F4entnmU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17563

"mike" <spamme0@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:41EAC16C.5060007@netscape.net...
> Ken Taylor wrote:
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You changed the conditions by adding in all the other factors. Anyway, go
search out the stat's, they're available somewhere. Studies in USA, Europe
and Australia all agree. I guess we're all just crappy drivers.

Ken

241. WTB "Ultimate" Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 01:22:59 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <sq4mu05a8lu3hvuo6alb5eqcjl49h61odg@4ax.com>
Source record: 17564

I am looking for a heavily modded Pro-2006. As many of the Bill Cheek mods the better. LED , Analog s-meter , 232 interface , etc. If you have one you want to sell please contact me , I have many scanners to trade or will listen to your price. MUST be in 100% working order. Thanks , Tom

242. Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 03:16:27 UTC
From: dave.harper@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1105931787.708834.27290@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Is using a sound card as effective as a TNC for packet radio? I
imagine this may depend on the software, but I'm debating on which to
get. Is there any drawbacks to using a sound card?

Thanks!
Dave

243. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 03:23:24 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.iafqf07.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com>
Source record: 17566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 16 Jan 2005 19:16:27 -0800, dave.harper@gmail.com wrote:

>Is using a sound card as effective as a TNC for packet radio? I
>imagine this may depend on the software, but I'm debating on which to
>get. Is there any drawbacks to using a sound card?

I use 4 TNCs on the two packet circuits and two SITOR/AMTOR circuits
which I monitor 24/7 on a single computer. I'm not too sure that
that can be done with a single sound card.

Does that answer your question, I hope?

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

244. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 03:35:24 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <0oGGd.8698$pZ4.2535@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

<dave.harper@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1105931787.708834.27290@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
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Depends on what you want to do.
Give us a little more information.
Do you plan to be a router in a tcp/ip network?
Do you wish to run a traditional packet BBS?
Do you want to be able to connect to your local ARES
system to send and receive messages?
Are you interested in APRS? DX Cluster? Chat modes?

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

245. FA Heath mobile microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 03:53:09 UTC
From: Dave Edwards <kd2e@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <K_adnSp4gv8zq3bcRVn-qQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 17568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Kind of a rare item.
Check it out here.....
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5744955468&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

246. FA LDG Y-OTT interface cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 03:55:46 UTC
From: Dave Edwards <kd2e@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <dJ6dnRjYGZ7XqnbcRVn-rA@comcast.com>
Source record: 17569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Never used!
Check it here....
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5744954724&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

247. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 04:48:10 UTC
From: dave.harper@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1105937289.980108.217060@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

My main interest is in telemetry for various projects, like high altitude balloons, rockets, etc. APRS is something I'm definately interested in, but I'd also like to include other data as well. In the past, I'd used a much simpler (and limiting) position reporting system and recorded all the flight data on an eeprom for later retrevial. I don't anticipate monitoring more than one frequency at a time, nor am I looking to break any speed barriers just yet.

Thanks for the help!
Dave

248. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 05:02:44 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <1dhmu0hg3vsr87aqlaa32pkmrmr04ikb1t@4ax.com>
Source record: 17571

Well, that would be a cel phone I would do without. My Motorola Startac required no intervention at all to receive a call. The phone was mounted on the dash and hooked to a Motorola hands-free amplifier and visor mounted microphone. When someone called, the phone would answer automatically on the second ring. All I had to do was say, "Hello." Calling took more intervention, but with the new phones that accept voice commands, you never have to touch the phone.

Dick

On Sun, 16 Jan 2005 22:12:06 GMT, "Chas" <wg2a@earthlink.net> wrote:

> You need to try using a hands free device while driving, that has got to
>be worse than just using the cell phone! Someone calls or you've got to make
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>of trying to pick up several things from the floor of the back seat, or
>worse.

249. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 05:24:57 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <J_HGd.8777$pZ4.6305@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Sound card packet should work just fine for those applications.

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... Hank

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> looking to break any speed barriers just yet.
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> Thanks for the help!
> Dave
>

250. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 05:52:40 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10umkl8g0iccp97@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>Is using a sound card as effective as a TNC for packet radio? I
>imagine this may depend on the software, but I'm debating on which to
>get.

I think you're probably right - the quality of the software is going to make the biggest difference. There's probably more spread _within_ each category (soundmodems vs. IC-based or discrete "hard" modems) than there is between categories.

One advantage to using a sound modem is that you can, in principle, run two or more modems on the same soundcard at the same time... e.g. 1200 AFSK and 9600 FSK. You can also experiment with new digital modes (e.g. PSK31, SCAMP) which either aren't supported in "hard" TNCs or which are expensive in a hardware implementation.

> Is there any drawbacks to using a sound card?

You can burn up quite a lot of CPU cycles (which adds up to power consumption and heat in your system) running the DSP software to implement a soundmodem. You'll need an operating system which can keep the soundmodem running reliably ("soft" realtime behavior) even in the face of whatever other CPU and disk I/O workload you put on your computer.

You ought to be able to put together a basic 1200 AFSK setup with either a soundmodem (kluge together an audio isolator / PTT circuit, or buy a RigBlaster or RASCAL), or with a real TNC (e.g. a TNC-2 or clone - pick up a used one for a song at a local hamfest/fleamarket) quite inexpensively.

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251. Alinco DR 590 modifications?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 13:33:55 UTC
From: stryped@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1105968835.407828.273940@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17574

As many of you know I am fairly new to ham and got a radio to use as a base station this weekend. It is an ALinco dr 590. The guy told me it had been modified to receive and transmit on extended frequercncies even cellular.

I do not intend or want to transmitt illegally but it would be nice to recieve the local police and aircraft if possible. When I plugged it up I could get the frequency of my local police at 452 mhz but did not have an antenna to see if I could hear anything or not. The vhf goes from 130-174 I think. The uhf displays to 500 mhz. How can I tell if this radio has been modified easily?

Also I thought cellular was 800 - 900 mhz. I could not get it to display that.

As a last note does anyone know how I can find online a free manual for htis book? I have looked but only been able to find the service manual. Thanks again!

252. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 14:40:11 UTC
From: dave.harper@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1105972811.057467.210840@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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I should be able to receive by piping the audio from my radio to the
audio input of the soundcard, right? I wouldn't need a PPT circuit or
anything else unless I wanted to transmit, correct?

Thanks again!
Dave

253. Mobile mount for HT with belt clip?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 15:09:25 UTC
From: Ken <cprstn54zz@att.net>
Message-ID: <e4lnu09r7gk66fpgv0mmfapsjquql5aug5@4ax.com>
Source record: 17576

Is there a glass/vent mount without side wings that will employ the HT's belt clip?

All the generic mounts want to hold the radio with side clamps that block the power and speaker/mic jacks.

Ken KC2JDY

Ken
(to reply via email
remove "zz" from address)

254. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 18:23:18 UTC
From: dave.harper@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1105986197.980778.253870@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

As a follow up question, what types of digital communication protocols
can a sound card NOT accomodate? I know if can do RTTY, PSK31, etc...
what about PACTOR? MFSK? G-TOR? etc?
Also, is any soundblaster sound card adequate?

Thanks!
Dave

255. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 19:13:12 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10uo3i8djriqq21@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I should be able to receive by piping the audio from my radio to the
>audio input of the soundcard, right? I wouldn't need a PPT circuit or
>anything else unless I wanted to transmit, correct?

You might be able to manage reception with a simple audio interconnect cable. The problem with this sort of arrangement is that it's fairly common for ground loops to exist between the computer and the radio (one ground through the audio cable shield, another through the power-line grounding). Ground-voltage differentials can create a current flow in the loop, which introduces hum on the audio signal, which could mess up the soundmodem's ability to decode the signal properly.

A good solution for this is to place a 1:1 audio transformer between the radio and the computer's sound-card line input. One of the miniatur "audio coupling" or "audio isolation" transformers will do the job... it looks as if you can still get these at Radio Shack (part #273-1374, $3.99) or through many electronics-surplus dealers.

Just cut the audio cable in the middle, solder one half of the cable to the "primary" winding, the other to the "secondary" winding, and box it up or pot it in epoxy or wrap it with tape or whatever you prefer. The transformer will couple the audio frequencies through, but will not allow ground-loop currents to flow.

The commercial (and better-quality homebrew) PC-to-radio interfaces usually have two of these transformers (one for receive audio, one for transmit audio) and an optoisolator for the PTT circuit.

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256. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 19:25:13 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10uo48pefqm0s52@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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MFSK is no problem (gMFSK software for Linux, and I'm sure there's
plenty of Windows software available). I believe that PACTOR is also
possible. The newer PACTOR modes are proprietary (or so I understand)
and I don't think there's a freely-available software implementation
yet. I believe that one of the goals behind the SCAMP project is to
create an open-standards (and eventually open-source) protocol with
bandwidth and robustness similar to those of the newer PACTOR variants.

You would not be able to use a soundmodem setup (or a TNC) plugged
into standard radio's audio output port and mic jack, for any digital
mode whose bandwidth exceeds about 2.5 kHz. Some of the newer modes
(e.g. the OFDM multi-carrier system used by Radio Mondial) exceed this
range, and require a different sort of feed arrangement from the radio
(e.g. tapping into or downmixing the final IF to a center frequency of
around 12 kHz).

>Also, is any soundblaster sound card adequate?

For many of the simpler modes, I believe that any decent card with
16-bit sample I/O capability will probably suffice.

Some PCs (especially laptops) have only MIC inputs, not LINE inputs -
these would probably require a resistive padder to reduce the radio's
signal levels to those acceptable to a MIC input. Similarly, these
built-in sound interfaces may be "convenience grade" - acceptable for
teleconferencing, but with distortion or noise levels or frequency/phase
response variations too high for certain digital modes.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

257. WTB: Avcom Frequency Extender MFC-1700 / MFC-1727

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 20:18:57 UTC
From: Stephan Clark <stephanclark001@hotmail.nospam.net>
Message-ID: <nc7ou09qkuj24hnq7av7uqtssm4c0kvdbs@4ax.com>
Source record: 17580

greetings all,

I am looking to buy a used Avcom MFC-1700 / MFC-1727 for my PSA-65A spectrum analyzer.

Please e-mail stephanclark001@yahoo.com

Thank you.

258. Motorola portable repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 20:34:50 UTC
From: smile4camera@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <1105994090.363244.113780@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17581

Picked these up as part of a larger package of equipment.. one looks
complete, other is missing antenna. Model # P44SYS3180B

Don't have much use for them, don't know much about them. If anyone
can shed some light on usability/worth I'd appreciate it.

(And, of course, if anyone's interested please let me know)
Thanks,

Jim

259. Re: Ham Radio and Boy Scouting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 21:48:26 UTC
From: KA6PNL <medeco_99@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <KoWGd.2758$8Z1.1227@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17582
Cross-posted to: rec.scouting.usa,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

We take ours to summer camp when we go as a medic. The boys really enjoy it. We hang a inverted v in the trees so no one see it. Great shot over shaver lake, CA

Ed

Ponder my word carefully
"Phil Schuman" <pschuman_nospam_me@interserv.com> wrote in message news:P0qvd.46510$Qv5.30607@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com...
> Wonder if there are any other Hams that have managed to take their rigs on
> a
> Boy Scout campout and got the Scouts interested in Ham Radio, or even
> Morse
> Code ? We have two Hams in our Troop, and we have thought about doing the
> JOTA in October, along with dragging a rig to our indoor/cabin camping
> weekends, and something during good weather. Also, what would be a good
> rig
> to drag out to these camping events....
>
>
>

260. Motorola UHF Mobiles Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 21:56:28 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <SvWGd.4912$Wp.2004@lakeread07>
Source record: 17583

I purchased a Motorola Maxtrac Model #D44LRA77A5DK and a Radius Model #D44MJA77A3CK. Both are UHF 40 watt radios mid split.

I have tried programming them and they accepted the programming, however, when I transmit, the watt meter goes to full power for a second or two and then drops back where it does not read anything at all. However, I can still detect the presence of a signal on my service monitor (the signal is off frequency).

It is almost like it is looking for some sort of ACK signal from a trunking system or something like that.

I have played around with the various parameters in the programming including simplex channels, repeater splits, etc.

I let a friend of mine look at them and he is pretty much up on Motorola equipment, especially the mobiles and he cannot figure these out.

Anyone with any suggestions, I would appreciate it.

Thanks,

Andy

261. Re: FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-17 21:57:59 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrncuod77.2na.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 17584

On 16 Jan 2005 02:57:58 -0800, ryan48545@yahoo.com wrote:
> Hey...
>
> Kinda off topic, but just FYI to everyone in this group:

Way OT, actually.

The gentle reader might want to skim over

http://www.hot-deals.org/text/freeheadset1/

first.

262. Re: Alinco DR 590 modifications?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 00:47:04 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95E1AADEF1996spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 17585

Mods for that radio should be found at,

http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ModelId=182

Since your radio already tunes out of the ham bands, I suspect the mod for frequency extension has already been done.

Both operation and service manuals are available at the same site, at:

http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=alinco

Ed K7AAT

263. PHOTOS - inside Ameritron AL-80B 1KW amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 00:50:14 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <10uonb57mpkora3@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

1. http://www.ad5th.com/AL-80B.html

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

264. FA: Kenwood Model TS-130S Transceiver/Pwr Suply/Spkr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 00:59:59 UTC
From: RPK <rpkalb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <MaZGd.24610$tF.22442@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17587

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40067&item=5744110770&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

265. Re: Motorola UHF Mobiles Advice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 03:53:44 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c56281e6f8f9f0f9896a2@localhost>
Source record: 17588

In article <SvWGd.4912$Wp.2004@lakeread07>, nitespark@cox.net says...

> I purchased a Motorola Maxtrac Model #D44LRA77A5DK and a Radius Model
> #D44MJA77A3CK. Both are UHF 40 watt radios mid split.
>
> I have tried programming them and they accepted the programming,
> however, when I transmit, the watt meter goes to full power for a second
> or two and then drops back where it does not read anything at all.
> However, I can still detect the presence of a signal on my service
> monitor (the signal is off frequency).

I see three possibilities here. First, the radio has a flaky VCO.

Second, you've got frequencies in there that exceed the rated band limits of the logic board's initialization, and the microcontroller is throwing a fit because of it.

Third: The radios have some sort of special firmware.

> It is almost like it is looking for some sort of ACK signal from a
> trunking system or something like that.

Exactly my point. VHF or UHF trunking systems do exist. Does the radio give any kind of error tone when you try to transmit?

> Anyone with any suggestions, I would appreciate it.

Pretty much impossible to troubleshoot via Usenet and E-mail. I'd have to have them here in the lab to do anything with them.

At the risk of generating a shameless self-plug: Conversion of Motorola hardware to amateur use is a specialty of mine, and I've got all kinds of tricks up my sleeve for dealing with stubborn radios such as yours.

If you would like me to take a look at the units, I would be happy to do so. See http://www.bluefeathertech.com/rf.html for details and rates.

Keep the peace(es).

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Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

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266. Re: Mobile mount for HT with belt clip?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 06:24:00 UTC
From: "M.S." <notvalid@email.add>
Message-ID: <dZ1Hd.23$04.4163@sooner.brightok.net>
Source record: 17589

Try the Alinco EBC-6 mobile HT bracket ($15.99 at AES). It fits on the doorpanel, has an extra strap that secures it to the top of the door panel, and not only does it have a slot for the HT's belt clip, there is another slot to the side for a speaker/mike if you use one. I bought one about three years ago at a hamfest and it's still working great.

"Ken" <cprstn54zz@att.net> wrote in message news:e4lnu09r7gk66fpgv0mmfapsjquql5aug5@4ax.com...
> Is there a glass/vent mount without side wings that will employ the
> HT's belt clip?
>
> All the generic mounts want to hold the radio with side clamps that
> block the power and speaker/mic jacks.
>
> Ken KC2JDY
>
> Ken
> (to reply via email
> remove "zz" from address)

267. Need Icom CS-V8000 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 09:16:12 UTC
From: Tom <truckdrivingman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <csik4vcps04$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 17590

Hello all
Unfortunately,this Software ain't available in Germany,but I need it to program my IC-V8000.Would someone be so kind to mail it to me?
mailto:truckdrivingman@hotmail.com

Mni tnx
Tom

268. test message rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 10:01:06 UTC
From: bait@infosynaptics.com
Message-ID: <csimp2siu102@reader01.singnet.com.sg>
Source record: 17592

Just a quick test post for the sole purpose of spreading this email address.
Only some random garbage below. Nothing for you to see here, please move along :)

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bait@infosynaptics.com

View Spam trap mailbox in real time: http://zipurl.org/4g0c3

269. Re: PHOTOS - inside Ameritron AL-80B 1KW amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 10:37:07 UTC
From: philipnocode@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <csiospcqm1@news6.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 17591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

come on now, he's shown you his, you show him yours.

270. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 12:22:34 UTC
From: Hank <qrp@sitorhqrp.net>
Message-ID: <csiurh$j2f$0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 17593
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Phil Kane" <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop> wrote in message
news:cuvyxnansvbet.iafqf07.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com...
> On 16 Jan 2005 19:16:27 -0800, dave.harper@gmail.com wrote:
>
>>Is using a sound card as effective as a TNC for packet radio? I
>>imagine this may depend on the software, but I'm debating on which to
>>get. Is there any drawbacks to using a sound card?
>
> I use 4 TNCs on the two packet circuits and two SITOR/AMTOR circuits
> which I monitor 24/7 on a single computer. I'm not too sure that
> that can be done with a single sound card.
>
> Does that answer your question, I hope?
>
> --
> 73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane
>
> From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
> Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

I use 5 TNCs on my three packet circuits and three SITOR/AMTOR circuits
which I monitor 24/7 on a single computer. It *CAN* be done on a single
sound card.

73 es DX,

Hank

271. Re: Alinco DR 590 modifications?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 13:36:55 UTC
From: stryped@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1106055415.742809.197390@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17594

But I thought I would be able to get the aircraft bands and it does not go that low. Plus one thing I read said the mods allowed you to tx but not rx those frequencies. I am confused!

272. Re: Sound Card for use with packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 13:41:24 UTC
From: dave.harper@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1106055684.228296.207320@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What's good software for the different modes? I've downloaded MMTTY
for RTTY, but would like to know some good software for things like
AMTOR, PACTOR, and packet?

Thanks in advance!
Dave

273. FA: $9.99 NICE VINTAGE TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K OHMS NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:38:27 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118093827.17829.00000144@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17597

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5744473999
This is my entire list on Ebay.
You may want to check others while you're there :-)
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274. FA: $9.99 NEW HUSTLER RM-30 400watt MOBILE RESONATOR>No Bids

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:39:38 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118093938.17829.00000145@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17596

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5744474007
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275. FA: $9.99-RARE NEW DRAKE SPR-4 SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER DC POWER CORD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:40:59 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118094059.17829.00000148@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17498

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276. FA: $9.99 NEW ANTENNA SPECIALIST MON-8 BASE SCANNER/MONITOR ANT:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:41:56 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118094156.17829.00000150@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17499

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277. FA: $9.99 MEASUREMENTS CORP. Model 59 MEGACYLCE METER>BOOTON NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:42:51 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118094251.17829.00000151@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17500

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278. FA: $11.58 NEW HUSTLER RM-80S 1KW 80MTR MOBILE RESONATOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:44:15 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118094415.17829.00000154@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17501

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279. FA: $9.99 HARD LEATHER STORAGE CASE for SIMPSON 260, ETC NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:45:15 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118094515.17829.00000155@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17502

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280. FA: GOLD-LINE 1042A 5-POSITION COAXIAL ANTENNA SWITCH>Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:46:20 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118094620.17829.00000158@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17503

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281. FA: $11.59 ATLAS 210X SERIES MOBILE BRACKET>CHEEP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 14:47:24 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050118094724.17829.00000159@mb-m07.aol.com>
Source record: 17504

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282. Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 15:26:10 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <mU9Hd.19989$iC4.2906@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17505
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

This is a 20 amp switching power supply for their 12 volt ham transceivers. I used to leave it on 24 hours a day on receive pulling less than an amp with no problems but about a month ago it started to shut off. You have to turn it off first and wait about 15 minutes and it'll come back on, sometimes for an hour or longer and other times for 5 to 10 minutes. After it goes down you have to turn it off and then wait 10 to 15 and it'll come back for an unpredictable time. It doesn't seem matter if it been on for an hour or sometime 5 minutes, it'll shut down. It doesn't seem to be a cold or heat problem and flexing the board or tapping components won't turn it off or make it come on quicker. I don't have a schematic and can't find one. It must have some kind of logic that senses something and makes it shut down and then time out. One thing I have noticed is that if I turn it on when its not ready to come on I can hear a very, very faint noise (like static discharge) that goes away as soon as the switch is turned off. It has a TL494CN. Any tips appreciated.

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73
Hank WD5JFR

283. Re: PHOTOS - inside Ameritron AL-80B 1KW amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 17:09:15 UTC
From: aRKay <REMOVEarkay@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <REMOVEarkay-748952.11091518012005@newssvr12-ext.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <1tmpu0ddtvrboke78852ksej0j1qkq0s2c@4ax.com>,
Walt Davidson <g3nyy@despammed.com> wrote:

> On Mon, 17 Jan 2005 18:50:14 -0600, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com>
> wrote:
>
> >1. http://www.ad5th.com/AL-80B.html

Great pictures. Too bad it exhaust heat to the left side. My
AL-80X exhaust heat out the rear. I would consider 80B if it
could be modified to exhaust heat on the right side.

Dick, AA5VU

284. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 18:59:52 UTC
From: sofie <sofie@olypen.com>
Message-ID: <10uqn75tb4oc77f@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17507
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Henry:
As long as it is still w"working" the problem is not likely anything more
than either cold or cracked solder connection OR electrolytics that have
dried out or have developed high ESR. If you do not have an ESR meter then
you will have to use the "one by one" substitution method... or just replace
all of the electrolytics at once. Just about all other methods of testing
electrolytics will not provide the crucial ESR test needed especially for
electrolytics in switching power supplies and other high frequency or
critical circuitry.
DO NOT keep running your power supply with this problem.... it will only get
worse to the point that it will fail all together and be a much more
involved repair.
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Best Regards,
Daniel Sofie
Electronics Supply & Repair
- -

"Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:mU9Hd.19989$iC4.2906@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
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285. Re: Alinco DR 590 modifications?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 19:13:04 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95E2724FE7488spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 17508

> But I thought I would be able to get the aircraft bands and it does not
> go that low. Plus one thing I read said the mods allowed you to tx but
> not rx those frequencies. I am confused!
>

Your Alinco radio is FM only. Aircraft only transmit AM, so even if your radio could be made to tune down to the aircraft frequencies, it still could not hear (detect) aircraft radio traffic.

You apparently mis-read the "mods" information. No mod I ever heard of would allow you to "TX" and NOT Receive. That wouldn't even make sense. Probably you meant, receive only, without transmitting, which would be just fine as you don't want to transmit out of the ham band, anyway.

Ed K7AAT

286. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 19:40:10 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <uCdHd.20046$iC4.15802@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17509
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

The power supply was turned on this morning at 8 am and shut down in less
than 10 minutes. I turned it back on about 9:30 and it is still on, that's
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curious if high ESR can be an intermittent condition and if so what would
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the condition is not getting worse. I wish it would fail so I might find
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287. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 20:27:10 UTC
From: Tim Wescott <tim@wescottnospamdesign.com>
Message-ID: <10uqs8mp7ml5qc4@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17510
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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A dried out cap is not an intermittent problem, but if the supply turns
off when some threshold is reached and that threshold has lowered
because of the cap's high ESR then the actual trigger would be caused by
power line fluctuations, temperature changes, etc.

A cold solder joint would be quite intermittent, but it would show up
with board flexing and other "wiggling" kind of diagnostics.

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Tim Wescott
Wescott Design Services
http://www.wescottdesign.com

288. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 20:47:57 UTC
From: "Jerry G." <jerryg50@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <355d41F4i8iebU5@uni-berlin.de>
Source record: 17511
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Do an ESR test on the caps. Chances are you will only have a number of bad caps. Sometimes it is best to cool and heat the caps under test. I use a heatgun, and freeze spray to cool and heat them.

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Jerry G.
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289. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-18 23:07:49 UTC
From: sofie <sofie@olypen.com>
Message-ID: <10ur5o2afue2r1c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17512
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Henry:
It is your power supply and your pocket book. If you continue to run it
until it quits altogether the repair will be more involved and probably much
more expensive than just replacing electrolytics or resoldering connections.
It might not gradually get "worse" than it is now, But rather it might have
a catastrophic failure of other parts that are stressed by the high ESR
electrolytic(s) or cracked board connections.... parts like diodes,
switching transistors, integrated circuits, opto-isolator, etc, etc.
Takes your choice and pays your money.
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290. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 00:01:15 UTC
From: electricitym@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1106092875.223262.299020@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17513
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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Looking for cracked circuit board connections AND testing the
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troubleshooting advice as a result of the symptoms you posted. If you
continue to use it with the problem you reported it may fail completely
and be a bigger repair job.
Pay a little now Or pay a lot later.
electricitym

291. Re: Alinco DR 590 modifications?????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 00:38:20 UTC
From: Murray <me@erewhon.com.au>
Message-ID: <41edabf9$0$31074$5a62ac22@per-qv1-newsreader-01.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 17514

My old Alinco HT used to tune down to the aircraft
bands and Rx the AM just fine. I bought it in the US.

Murray vk4aok

stryped@hotmail.com wrote:

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> go that low. Plus one thing I read said the mods allowed you to tx but
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292. How Can You Tell if a Kenwood TS-570D Has Been Upgraded to The D(G) Model ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 07:20:37 UTC
From: Gary
Message-ID: <as1su099boalojii8cm9flm25lj5nqapd6@4ax.com>
Source record: 17515

I see a number of Kenwood TS-570D models on eBay and it usually seems like the person selling the unit (usually from an estate etc) can't tell if is the G model or has been upgraded to the G model. Is there some menu setting or some means where I could question the seller first to see if indeed it is the G model or has been upgraded to the D(G) model before placing a bid ? IIRC Kenwood originally came out with the TS-570D, then they improved the DSP and called it the TS-570D(G) model. I'm inquiring about the 160-10 meter version not the S series which I think includes 6 meters.

Thanks in advance.

73 Gary K8IQ

293. Re: How Can You Tell if a Kenwood TS-570D Has Been Upgraded to The D(G) Model ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 08:12:11 UTC
From: Sarge <sarge43@NOSPAMev1.net>
Message-ID: <10us5iq7v0s6c8c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17516

Push the BC button to turn it on. Now push and hold it in. If it chirps at you, it is the G.

294. Re: Need Icom CS-V8000 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 08:14:35 UTC
From: Sarge <sarge43@NOSPAMev1.net>
Message-ID: <10us5nad0cu730f@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17517

There is a yahoo group for the V8000 and that is in the files section for
download.

"Tom" <truckdrivingman@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:csik4vcps04$1@news.t-online.com...
> Hello all
> Unfortunately,this Software ain't available in Germany,but I need it to
> program my IC-V8000.Would someone be so kind to mail it to me?
> mailto:truckdrivingman@hotmail.com
>
> Mni tnx
> Tom
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295. TM-241 Dissassembly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 13:50:07 UTC
From: jimbo <jimbo62@spamex.com>
Message-ID: <1106142607.256149.25230@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17518

I need to replace the lithium battery in a Kenwood TM-241A. I have an exploded view that shows the battery location, but I have no clue as to how to take the thing apart. There are a few case screws, but there are also some case seam indents that look like "pry points".

Does anyone know any details regarding disassembly of this radio?
Thanks, jimbo

296. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 14:49:12 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <IruHd.40329$St.8397@fed1read03>
Source record: 17519

cabletieguy wrote:

> Please don't post photos the usenet !
>
> BTW, one can get in trouble by USING the device,
> owning one is not a crime the last time I checked.
>
> 73

That is not the FCC view of things. last comment I heard from someone that works with them: "possession is sufficient to prove guilt". Frankly, I tend to believe him.

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DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence has its limits.

297. Re: How Can You Tell if a Kenwood TS-570D Has Been Upgraded to The D(G) Model ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 15:25:04 UTC
From: Gary
Message-ID: <jqusu0del0uooo61mt5oafkkpn3vbupjbh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17520

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298. For Sale: Test Eqpt, Transmitter parts and Various Goodies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 15:55:19 UTC
From: David <n7rk@cox.net>
Message-ID: <JpvHd.19451$c%.13797@okepread05>
Source record: 17521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Here are a some items for sale. Prices do not include shipping. I will ship overseas.

Hewlett Packard HP 331A Distortion Analyzer.....$100 plus shipping
Clean working unit. No power cord.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/hp331a.JPG
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/hp331a2.JPG
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/hp331a3.JPG

General Electric TC-1 1930's Tube Tester.....$75 plus shipping
Neat art deco looking unit from late 1930's. It tests tubes from the 1920's to beyond the 1930's as it has some updated tube charts. It will test 6L6's, 6V6's, etc. It will test octal, 4, 5, 6 and 7 pin tubes. It will not test any miniature tubes. The unit works great. The front panel and case are in excellent shape. It includes instructions and tube charts.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/ge_tc12.jpg
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/ge_tc1.jpg
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/ge_tc13.jpg

Digital Precision 2440 Nixie Tube DVM.....$40 plus shipping
This unit will measure DC and AC voltage, and Resistance. This unit has been tested and works. It does not include a power cord.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/dp2440.jpg
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/dp24402.jpg

Accurate Instruments Model 158 Transistor Radio Tester.....$60 plus shipping
This unit is a Transistor Tester, Signal Generator good up to 30 MHz and Signal Tracer.
The transistor tester portion will test both leakage and gain of NPN and PNP transistors reading quality on the meter.. The combination of these three can be used singly or in combination for repairing or restoring vintage transistor radios. This unit works and is in excellent condition. It includes the test leads and the original manual.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/xstr-radio_tester.JPG
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/xstr-radio_tester3.JPG

Batch of W.W.II Crystals.....$40 plus shipping
39 Crystals. See photo for frequencies. Here is a link to the frequency conversion chart http://members.cox.net/n7rk/ft241_xtal_list.jpg
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/xtal_batch.jpg
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/xtal_batch2.jpg

Hewlett Packard HP 410C Voltmeter for Parts or Fix
It.....$20 plus shipping

Not working. It does not include a power cord or RF probe.
http://members.cox.net/radiodx3/hp410.jpg
http://members.cox.net/radiodx3/hp4102.jpg

Vintage Westinghouse Portable DC Voltmeter.....$35 plus
shipping
This meter in a heavy bakelite measures 0-150 volts and the ranges are
changed by making the appropriate connections to the meter. The ranges
are: 1, 5, 15 and 150 volts. This is a working unit in nice condition.
The instruction card on the inside cover has a date of 1942.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/west_meter2.jpg

Bud - Neutralizing Transmitting Capacitor.....$25 plus shipping
I have two of these.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/neutrcap.JPG
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/neutrcap2.JPG

485 pF Precision Variable Capacitor with Gear (Vernier)
Drive.....$20 plus shipping
Measures 15 pF min and 485 pf max. This capacitor is in excellent
condition. Nice capacitor for a receiver or a home-brew VFO project.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/verniercap.JPG

Turner VT-73 Microphone.....$20 plus shipping
Neat Brushed aluminum housing. Manufacturer is unknown. Needs a new
cartridge which you can probably get from Radio Shack to work.
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/weirdmike.jpg

Unknown Microphone.....$25 plus shipping
Manufacturer is unknown. This does work and was hooked to a Ranger I
when I got it. I saw picture of this mike in one of K2TQNï¿½s columns in QST
http://members.cox.net/radiostuff9/odd_mike3.jpg

Philips 4-65A tube with Ceramic Socket.....$35
Build something! I did check the filament for continuity and it is OK.
No other way to test. The beige background makes the tube
appear burned which it is not!
http://members.cox.net/radiodx3/amp_465a.jpg
http://members.cox.net/radiodx3/amp_465asocket.jpg

Thanks for looking.

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Dave N7RK Boatanchors Home Page:
http://members.cox.net/n7rk Phoenix, Arizona
DXCC Honor Roll *WAZ#23 - 75 Meter SSB*
ex-XE2/N7RK, N7RK/ZB2, VK2ERK, ZM0AJN, WB6NRK, WN6IWX

299. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 17:05:39 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <DrwHd.20927$iC4.978@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17522
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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300. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 17:34:58 UTC
From: Sam Goldwasser <sam@saul.cis.upenn.edu>
Message-ID: <6wu0pdnwzh.fsf@saul.cis.upenn.edu>
Source record: 17523
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

You should at least test the electrolytic caps in the startup circuit.

Since as I recall, it blows up only when applying AC power suddenly, something funny is going on during startup.

--- sam | Sci.Electronics.Repair FAQ Mirror: http://repairfaq.ece.drexel.edu/Repair | Main Table of Contents: http://repairfaq.ece.drexel.edu/REPAIR/+Lasers | Sam's Laser FAQ: http://repairfaq.ece.drexel.edu/sam/lasersam.htm | Mirror Sites: http://repairfaq.ece.drexel.edu/REPAIR/F_mirror.html

Note: These links are hopefully temporary until we can sort out the excessive traffic on Repairfaq.org.

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> >> the failed component. The way it is now it's impossible to
> > troubleshoot
> >> without shotgunning.
> >>
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> >
> > Henry:
> > Looking for cracked circuit board connections AND testing the

> > electrolytics with an ESR meter (or substituting electrolytics if you
> > do not have an ESR meter) is NOT "shotgunning".... it is real
> > troubleshooting advice as a result of the symptoms you posted. If you
> > continue to use it with the problem you reported it may fail completely
> > and be a bigger repair job.
> > Pay a little now Or pay a lot later.
> > electricitym
> >

301. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 18:22:05 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <pBxHd.36507$NC6.13734@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17524

"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
news:IruHd.40329$St.8397@fed1read03...
> cabletieguy wrote:
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> the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
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AND - you can also find citings of "merchants" who were in possession of linears with intent to sell - getting busted. So, go for it! It's a roll of the dice. You've already given your address and call. Wouldn't be surprised if they even pulled your license. The "point" is, you know they are illegal devices. You are in possession of one and attempting to sell same in contradiction to FCC Rules and Regulations. Linears you might say are like crack cocaine. Illegal to possess and sell.
Ignorance is no excuse.

L.

302. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 18:35:48 UTC
From: sofie <sofie@olypen.com>
Message-ID: <10uta649dsnvhf9@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17525
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Henry Kolesnik:
It is NOT "intermittent ESR" that is the problem, rather it is that maybe some electrolytics have developed high ESR and are operating just at or near the threshold of the circuitry operating correctly... (see the reply post from Tim Wescott).
At this point you have been given sound technical advice to check for circuit board solder connections and to suspect the electrolytics......
until you perform this important initial suggested troubleshooting there is not much more that you can do ??? Get this fixed right away before it fails completely as you have previously been cautioned.
electricitym

"Henry Kolesnik" <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:DrwHd.20927$iC4.978@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
> As of this moment it has run over 26 hours without shutting down. I've
> never seen any evidence that ESR can be an intermittent phenomena. Can
> someone please tell me how intermittent ESR comes about?

303. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 18:51:38 UTC
From: Tim Wescott <tim@wescottnospamdesign.com>
Message-ID: <10utb1d41cfnab6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17526
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Henry Kolesnik wrote:

> As of this moment it has run over 26 hours without shutting down. I've
> never seen any evidence that ESR can be an intermittent phenomena. Can
> someone please tell me how intermittent ESR comes about?
>
Who ever said ESR had to be intermittent to cause intermittent problems?

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Tim Wescott
Wescott Design Services
http://www.wescottdesign.com

304. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 19:01:46 UTC
From: electricitym@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1106161306.819234.89740@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17527
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Henry Kolesnik wrote:
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The measured ESR of an electrolytic capacitor changes with
temperature.... usually ESR decreases slightly. If the power supply
circuit is just at the threshold of operating correctly then very
slight changes in the ESR of critical capacitors will certainly affect
how the power supply operates and sometimes it can cause a catastrophic
failure of other components. Cold or cracked solder connections can
also cause similar intermittent symptoms.
The repair suggestion replies you have been getting to your original
posting are your FIRST troubleshooting and testing steps; otherwise we
are all guessing here.

305. Re: Kenwood PS-40 switching PS ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 19:03:46 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <vcyHd.36509$NC6.25230@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17528
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

<electricitym@yahoo.com> wrote in message
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Just a guess here, as I may have missed a post or two, but does the unit
shut down "completely" to where nothing can be traced through to see where
it stops? IF not, maybe try that too. I agree with the rest otherwise.

L.

306. Don't do it! Superglue solvent & MFJ vinyl coating.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 19:17:20 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3nyHd.1$PB.0@okepread01>
Source record: 17529

I was having a problem keeping my station accesories
arranged in a neat order. I figured a drop of superglue
here and there would keep things where I need them
and if I ever needed to break the glue, well, that's what
acetone is for.

I glued an item to the side of my MFJ SWR meter then
a few months later, needed to make a change. The joint
"popped" easily but I was left with unsightly residue.

I soaked the part in acetone and sure enough, the dried
superglue started to turn to rubber. I checked the part
every 5 minutes but I didn't check often enough to catch
MFJ's vinyl top coat from coming loose!

D'oh!

Now I'm off to the store to buy a nice can of black
crinkle coat spray paint.

Moral of the story - use velcro!

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73's es gd dx de Ken KG0WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

307. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 19:33:46 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <37dtu0tfrhqprrg1lgvjviteel1itv4kbo@4ax.com>
Source record: 17530

On Wed, 19 Jan 2005 13:22:05 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:

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>"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
>news:IruHd.40329$St.8397@fed1read03...
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Dick - W6CCD

308. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 19:48:20 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <ITyHd.36515$NC6.31130@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17531

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"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:37dtu0tfrhqprrg1lgvjviteel1itv4kbo@4ax.com...
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309. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 21:34:41 UTC
From: N8WWM <N8WWM@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <41eed271$1@x-privat.org>
Source record: 17532

"Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote in message
news:KbgGd.35602$NC6.8335@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net...
> "danjr" <danjr@voyager.net> wrote in message
> news:q3gGd.4550$re1.4482@fe2.columbus.rr.com...
>> "N8WWM DOUG ADAIR" <N8WWM@arrl.net> wrote in message
>> news:41e92794@news.usenetzone.com...
>>> Be LOUD and PROUD!
>>>
>>> Email me
>>>
>>> $200 firm
>>
>> Why would you, an apparent ham, sell an illegal "CB linear?" You are
>> part
>> of the never-ending problem of illegal equipment on 11 meters spilling
>> over
>> onto 10 meters. I hope you buyer plugs it in and it explodes.
>>
> May be risky business. Are you not aware that anyone caught with "illegal"
> equipment can lose "any" FCC licenses they may hold? Ignorance is not an
> excuse and they'll expect you to know better. I'd laugh my ass off if they
> come knocking on your door. You just as much as gave them your address,
> giving your call sign.
>
> L.
Whooptie shit. The Fcc doesn't have to man power to fool with me. Now go
back
to sucking truckers at the petro, sissy. (I sold the fucking thing)
hahahahaha

310. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 21:35:18 UTC
From: N8WWM <N8WWM@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <41eed296@x-privat.org>
Source record: 17533

"cabletieguy" <cabletieguy@cabletie.com> wrote in message
news:41E99CF3.3A2F3DD7@cabletie.com...
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Eat shit faggot. SOLD!

311. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 21:36:09 UTC
From: N8WWM <N8WWM@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <41eed2c9@x-privat.org>
Source record: 17535

"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
news:IruHd.40329$St.8397@fed1read03...
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Your a truckstop suck queen eric. SOLD!

312. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 21:36:56 UTC
From: N8WWM <N8WWM@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <41eed2f8@x-privat.org>
Source record: 17534

"Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote in message
news:pBxHd.36507$NC6.13734@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net...
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>
You smoke crack with the fag truck drivers Lou.

313. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 21:37:50 UTC
From: N8WWM <N8WWM@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <41eed32e@x-privat.org>
Source record: 17536

"Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote in message
news:ITyHd.36515$NC6.31130@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net...
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> "Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
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> homebrew or the "proper" use of them - strictly Amateur band use.
>
Ever jaywalk or break the speed limit? Shut the fuck up then Lou. SOLD!

314. Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 23:07:25 UTC
From: Kurt Fritsch <fhsdufh@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <NKBHd.12940$Os6.275@trnddc08>
Source record: 17537

Need a copy of operating manual for a Kenwod TW-4100A dual band radio.
Please contact me at k.fritsch2@verizon.net

315. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 23:12:55 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <m6qtu0dfpp0tkdmn025lu93qr3ik7nd5im@4ax.com>
Source record: 17538

On Wed, 19 Jan 2005 14:48:20 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:

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>"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message

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Sorry, but the "subject" line of this thread is, "CB linear for sale."
Perhaps you are so hung up on the non-legal use of amplifiers you
can't see the forest for the trees.

Dick

316. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-19 23:38:05 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <HdCHd.36891$NC6.27074@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17539

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
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AND he is offering one for sale. The tree is standing out in the open. "CB"
Linears are "illegal". You said so yourself. Amplifiers are not permitted
to be used "on the CB band". We're not talking Ham, just CB. MOST CB amps
that I am aware of - rarely go outside the CB band or if so, cover parts of
the "illegal" sub channels and into the 10 meter band. For a "CBer" to use
even if it will do 10 meters, it is "Illegal". Companies have been busted
for selling "CB LINEARS". Cut it anyway you want, they are illegal. IF a Ham
buys it and it is capable of doing 10 meters, then there should be no
problem with it IF he/she uses it FOR 10 meters. IF they too choose to go in
to 26-27 mhz, then they stand to lose their license for using a device not
authorized by the FCC for use.

L.

317. Re: TM-241 Dissassembly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 00:26:57 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <nVCHd.20892$c%.17413@okepread05>
Source record: 17540

"jimbo" <jimbo62@spamex.com> wrote in message
news:1106142607.256149.25230@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>I need to replace the lithium battery in a Kenwood TM-241A. I have an
> exploded view that shows the battery location, but I have no clue as to
> how to take the thing apart. There are a few case screws, but there are
> also some case seam indents that look like "pry points".
>
> Does anyone know any details regarding disassembly of this radio?
> Thanks, jimbo

Sounds like step-by-step instructions here:

http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=2672

73 de Glenn AA5PK

318. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 03:08:25 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <RiFHd.36894$NC6.32010@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17541

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"Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote in message
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> Using or intending to use one
>>>> on the CB band is obviously illegal.
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> AND he is offering one for sale. The tree is standing out in the open.
> "CB" Linears are "illegal". You said so yourself. Amplifiers are not
> permitted to be used "on the CB band". We're not talking Ham, just CB.
> MOST CB amps that I am aware of - rarely go outside the CB band or if so,
> cover parts of the "illegal" sub channels and into the 10 meter band. For
> a "CBer" to use even if it will do 10 meters, it is "Illegal". Companies
> have been busted for selling "CB LINEARS". Cut it anyway you want, they
> are illegal. IF a Ham buys it and it is capable of doing 10 meters, then
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> there should be no problem with it IF he/she uses it FOR 10 meters. IF
> they too choose to go in to 26-27 mhz, then they stand to lose their
> license for using a device not authorized by the FCC for use.
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In retrospect, I do believe that the linear "would" have to be proven to "not" be able to go into the "CB band", for it to be legal for Ham operation. So, a "CB" amp capable of being used in 10 meters - used by a ham, may not be as harmless as I had earlier stated (above). Of course if a ham had such a critter, they could use it and keep their mouth shut. As is the case for many linears that were/are sold new - built or in kit form, there were regulations and such to put them into operation on 10 meters. Though Hams don't necessarily have to have the amp FCC Certified, that is only to the point of it being "AMATEUR" oriented. Strictly for use in the Amateur bands. I am sure it is covered in Part 97 somewhere. I have a "CB" Linear which is parted out which for the cabinet and (hefty) transformer alone, I thought may be good for someone who may wish to build one - and I got blasted just for trying to sell those couple parts. Even E-Bay kicked it out.

L.

319. Collins knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 03:45:35 UTC
From: w9gyc@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <1106192735.762623.137490@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17542

Looking to restore S line . Need 9 knobs and 1 wing emblem.

320. Collins knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 03:46:48 UTC
From: w9gyc@earthlink.net
Message-ID: <1106192808.129942.129760@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17543

Looking to restore S line .Need 9 knobs and 1 wing emblem.

321. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 03:54:25 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <mnauu0ti88242f1ik8isjfl8b53rqatqup@4ax.com>
Source record: 17544

On Wed, 19 Jan 2005 22:08:25 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:

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If you want to read the actual regulation from the FCC -
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This basically supports what you have been saying, but there are some
limited outs for licensed radio amateurs.

Dick - W6CCD

322. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 04:07:40 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <oaGHd.36896$NC6.23382@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17545

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:mnauu0ti88242f1ik8isjfl8b53rqatqup@4ax.com...
> On Wed, 19 Jan 2005 22:08:25 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:
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> limited outs for licensed radio amateurs.
>
> Dick - W6CCD

It has been a while since I read all the parts pertaining to this area. So,
I guess we can say that we've pretty well beaten this dead horse to a pulp.
I wasn't trying to argue with you - regarding the amateur side of things, I
think we both can agree there.

L.

323. WTB: Looking for a copy of the service manual for the IFR 1500 Service Monitor.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 07:32:22 UTC
From: "kb6lue@pacbell.net" <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <1106206341.974560.213000@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17546

WTB: Looking for a copy of the service manual for the IFR 1500 Service Monitor.

324. Re: Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 14:03:15 UTC
From: STEVE BYERLY <w5sm@gt.rr.com>
Message-ID: <DSOHd.50294$Z%.5883@fe1.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 17547

TRY THIS URL http://www.w7fg.com/manuals.php?find=K&page=3
STEVE-O (W5SM)

"Kurt Fritsch" <fhsdufh@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:NKBHd.12940$Os6.275@trnddc08...
> Need a copy of operating manual for a Kenwod TW-4100A dual band radio.
> Please contact me at k.fritsch2@verizon.net
>
>

325. FA FT101EE 2 hours left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 16:02:31 UTC
From: hillbilly3302 <davesradio@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <qCQHd.105$2n.92@fe39.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 17598

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5744369350&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

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BULL SHOALES LAKE
http://www.bullshoals.org/lake.htm
AR/MO STATE LINE

326. Mystery signal on 60 Meters....tv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 16:04:53 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <FEQHd.35$7J.25@okepread04>
Source record: 17599

When I lived in Denver I heard it. When I got my FT-840
I heard it so that kinda rules out a birdie. When I got my
brand new shiny FT-857D last week I heard it, too!

It basically ruins 5.366.50. Sounds like a TV oscillator?

Visit the webpage below and see if you can identify this
months mystery signal!

http://members.cox.net/kg0wx/

73's es gd dx de Ken KG0WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

327. Re: Mystery signal on 60 Meters....tv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 17:06:17 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <eyRHd.384$7J.175@okepread04>
Source record: 17600

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:FEQHd.35$7J.25@okepread04...
> When I lived in Denver I heard it. When I got my FT-840
> I heard it so that kinda rules out a birdie. When I got my
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> List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
> VX-2R & FT-857
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Found it - it's my monitor.

Ken KG0WX

328. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 19:49:46 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10v02qqm4km423f@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17601

In article <RiFHd.36894$NC6.32010@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>,
Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:

>In retrospect, I do believe that the linear "would" have to be proven to
>"not" be able to go into the "CB band", for it to be legal for Ham
>operation. So, a "CB" amp capable of being used in 10 meters - used by a
>ham, may not be as harmless as I had earlier stated (above).

The actual rules are to be found in Title 47 Section 97.315 (the
amateur radio rules), and in Title 47 Section 95.411 (CB rules).

Briefly:

[1] Using an external power amplifier with a CB radio is a violation.
You can't do this regardless of what sort of licenses you hold.
Doing so can cause the FCC to decide to pull whatever licenses you
do have.

[2] The FCC will presume that you have used such an amplifier with a
CB radio if you have it in your possession or on your premises,
AND there is other evidence that you've transmitted on CB with
more power than is allowed by the regs.

[2a] The presumption-of-use in [2] does not apply if you hold a
license which allows you to use an external power amplifier in
another licensed radio service (e.g. amateur radio).

So... for a licensed amateur-radio operator, it would appear to me
that the simple possession of a broad-band power amplifier capable of
amplifying across the full bandwidth of the 10- and 11-meter bands is
not, by itself, an infraction. As long as the amateur never uses it
to transmit on frequencies outside his/her amateur radio privileges,
the CB-linear-amplifier rule does not apply.

The other issue is the one of manufacture and sale of such amplifiers.
In general it is *not* legal to manufacture and sell power amps which
can operate across the full 10- and 11-meter bands - this violates the
rules in 97.315, which require that external amps capable of operating
below 144 MHz be certificated for sale (and the FCC won't certificate
amps which can amplify the 11-meter band).

There are limited exceptions to this rule encoded in 97.315, for
licensed amateur-radio operators. The most significant one is part
(b)(4), which waives the requirement for certification if the
amplifier is sold *by* an amateur-radio *to* another amateur-radio
operator.

So - if you happen to own a broadband HF amplifier capable of operating with gain across the 10- and 11-meter bands, and you're a licensed amateur, you can legally sell it to another amateur, who may then use it legally as a 10-meter amp (but *not* on CB!). The amp might have been built, and originally sold to you, in violation of the law, but it appears to me that this does not forbid you to sell it to another amateur.

Even as an amateur, though, you can't just set up a production line and start churning out such amps en masse to sell to other amateurs - 97.315 says you can only build or modify one such amplifier per year.

And, to complicate things further, the FCC has proposed eliminating the certification requirements in 97.315 entirely - this proposal is out for comment at the moment, I believe. The FCC views these rules as being cumbersome and burdensome for manufacturers and legitimate owners/users of such amplifiers, and feels that the rules in Section 95 give them all the enforcement power they need to crack down on the use of such amplifiers. If I recall correctly, this is basically the position that the ARRL took when the FCC first proposed these regulations several decades ago.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

329. Kenwood DFC-230 Weirdness

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 21:17:29 UTC
From: munged@address.com
Message-ID: <1106255849.250234@cswreg.cos.agilent.com>
Source record: 17602

I've had a Kenwood digital VFO, the DFC-230 for years. Recently
I noticed (and never have before) that the PLL would momentarily
lose lock when the frequency readout transitioned from 19.9 to
20.1; e.g. 7020, 7040, 7060 etc. as the frequency control knob
was very s l o w l y turned.

Anyone other owners of the DFC-230 seen this?

73
Don K6LTS
email address in QRZ.com

330. Re: Mystery signal on 60 Meters....tv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 21:17:30 UTC
From: Panzer240 <panzer240@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns95E4AFEAEB9B5fw190a8@198.161.157.145>
Source record: 17603

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in news:eyRHd.384$7J.175
@okepread04:

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> news:FEQHd.35$7J.25@okepread04...
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Can;t hear it here ;) Gues it's time for a flat panel display !!! Santa
brought me one and belive me it made a real difference here.

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Panzer

331. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 21:58:55 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <ISVHd.37326$NC6.16242@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17604

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
news:10v02qqm4km423f@corp.supernews.com...
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> Briefly:
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> [1] Using an external power amplifier with a CB radio is a violation.
> You can't do this regardless of what sort of licenses you hold.
> Doing so can cause the FCC to decide to pull whatever licenses you
> do have.
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Agreed! I stated as much, maybe not in exact words.

> [2] The FCC will presume that you have used such an amplifier with a
> CB radio if you have it in your possession or on your premises,
> AND there is other evidence that you've transmitted on CB with
> more power than is allowed by the regs.
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Agreed again!

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> license which allows you to use an external power amplifier in
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> not, by itself, an infraction. As long as the amateur never uses it
> to transmit on frequencies outside his/her amateur radio privileges,
> the CB-linear-amplifier rule does not apply.
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As I said, "IF" they don't use it in the "CB band" - there should be no
problem (my earlier statement). I was just not sure (my retrospect
statement) that using an otherwise known CB linear would be legal even if

confined to a 10 meter band by a ham.

> The other issue is the one of manufacture and sale of such amplifiers.
> In general it is *not* legal to manufacture and sell power amps which
> can operate across the full 10- and 11-meter bands - this violates the
> rules in 97.315, which require that external amps capable of operating
> below 144 MHz be certificated for sale (and the FCC won't certificate
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Again, I agree. I alluded to that as well. Some companies used to send info
to add 10 meters - with proof of license.
But since I have no "working" linear and no plans to even bother using one
(been able to talk to world with stock power) I don't bother to keep up to
date with the rules. I refer to them only if needed - which isn't often -
but only if asked or in a discussion such as this.

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> licensed amateur-radio operators. The most significant one is part
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> then use it legally as a 10-meter amp (but *not* on CB!). The amp
> might have been built, and originally sold to you, in violation of the
> law, but it appears to me that this does not forbid you to sell it to
> another amateur.
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Agreed! However, the ad - is what got everyone to speak up. Maybe undo
attention, but well.... most hams take exception to "CB" linears. IF selling
to a ham, maybe the better choice of words would be - Linear amp - 10 meters
capable. FS to Ham only. But whatever.... it isn't any of my business how
the ad was worded as far as "selling" or to "whom". I think the thread took
off with regard to the "legality" of "CB LINEAR" which as we know for the
most part and has been pointed out - IS "Illegal".

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> and start churning out such amps en masse to sell to other amateurs -
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> 95 give them all the enforcement power they need to crack down on the
> use of such amplifiers. If I recall correctly, this is basically the
> position that the ARRL took when the FCC first proposed these

> regulations several decades ago.
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You sure about this? I could be wrong, but I could have sworn I read somewhere not too long ago that they were going to require "ALL" amps being sold - to be certified - to perhaps add more of a bite to their ban on them for the frequencies not permitted - in particular CB.

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To be honest, as I said - I've worked the world on stock power - be it the Heathkit HW101 that I used OR my Kenwood TS440S-AT. I don't do QRP which I'd like to try sometime, but if I can talk the world on 80-100 watts legally, why the hell would I want a kilowatt or other power? Part 97 states to use the least amount necessary to carry on communications. It is the challenge of it all. It is in the system - how well you make it. With any good antenna, feed line, and a decent signal from your transmitter, a linear should be the last thing you would want or need. Though it is illegal (supposedly) to talk "skip" - I know a guy who used to talk to a few countries with just 12 watts SSB on CB with a Super Scanner Beam. Proof you don't need a ton of power to do what many people ARE doing. Power only clogs up the frequencies so no one else can talk. Be it the CB band or Ham bands. I've never been and never will be - a Linear proponent.

L.

332. Mystery interference on HF. Plasma TV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-20 23:21:49 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <h2XHd.6$u57.3@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 17605

I have a mystery interference on HF, from 160m through 10m and everywhere in between. It's a broad, raspy noise that repeats about every 16 KHz from "DC to daylight" across the MF and HF spectrum. Someone suggested this might be from a plasma TV. There's no BPL around here (yet!). This is really annoying because it is strong and broad. Any suggestions?

73,
Dean K5DH

333. Re: Mystery interference on HF. Plasma TV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 00:03:57 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <41F046ED.2040207@ckradio.net>
Source record: 17606

Hi Dean
I have the same problem and tracked it down to electrical lines about 3 blocks away.
Get in you car and put your radio on AM, drive around the area till the noise gets louder.
Usually the source of the noise is at one pole but it travels down the lines for a long way.
I presume you already tried the regular stuff like shutting off all your breakers one at a time?
Neighbor's computer? Leaky cable TV, Fluorescent Lights, dimmers, loose ac plugs.
Good Luck, 73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

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334. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 00:25:22 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <goi0v0lnddn4m8billp81iiv74geh414up@4ax.com>
Source record: 17607

On Thu, 20 Jan 2005 16:58:55 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:
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>(supposedly) to talk "skip" - I know a guy who used to talk to a few
>countries with just 12 watts SSB on CB with a Super Scanner Beam. Proof you
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A short while after I first got my license (54 years ago) there was an
amateur, W6FM, who worked all countries from his car with 2-watts AM!
I have never forgotten that feat.

Dick - W6CCD

335. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 00:50:41 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <47k0v0pa7422i9kbt3bc8knhr9gj5eu7ov@4ax.com>
Source record: 17608

On Thu, 20 Jan 2005 17:25:22 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

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>>(supposedly) to talk "skip" - I know a guy who used to talk to a few
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Well, my memory isn't what it used to be. I looked him up in my 1953 log book (remember those) and his call was actually W6FMO (Frequency Modulated Oscillator.) His name was Speed. He was in Alhambra, and I was mobile on top of Mt. Wilson. Operating mobile back then was definitely an undertaking, with surplus dynamotors, etc.

Dick - W6CCD

336. Re: TM-241 Dissassembly

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 00:54:53 UTC
From: jimbo <jimbo62@spamex.com>
Message-ID: <1106268893.118653.128170@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17609

What a great web site! And the details about the lithium battery were exactly what I needed.

Thanks, jimbo

337. Re: Collins knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 01:18:35 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <qul0v09tv4k8u2e91fgcaf5tj6a5hdk702@4ax.com>
Source record: 17610

On 19 Jan 2005 19:45:35 -0800, w9gyc@earthlink.net wrote:

>Looking to restore S line . Need 9 knobs and 1 wing emblem.

Surplus Sales of Nebraska has a number of s-line knobs, knob inlays
and the winged emblem. Little pricey, but they have them...

bob
k5qwg

338. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 02:41:19 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <r0_Hd.37336$NC6.19498@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17611

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:goi0v0lnddn4m8billp81iiv74geh414up@4ax.com...
> On Thu, 20 Jan 2005 16:58:55 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:
>>Though it is illegal
>>(supposedly) to talk "skip" - I know a guy who used to talk to a few
>>countries with just 12 watts SSB on CB with a Super Scanner Beam. Proof
>>you
>>don't need a ton of power to do what many people ARE doing. Power only
>>clogs
>>up the frequencies so no one else can talk. Be it the CB band or Ham
>>bands.
>>I've never been and never will be - a Linear proponent.
>>
>>L.
>>
>
> A short while after I first got my license (54 years ago) there was an
> amateur, W6FM, who worked all countries from his car with 2-watts AM!
> I have never forgotten that feat.
>
> Dick - W6CCD

Now THAT is interesting. Just goes to show, no one needs POWER to talk!

L.

339. Yaesu FT-60R Display Polarization Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 07:24:22 UTC
From: Pete <pwsNOSPAMNOSPAM@singer.mailshell.com>
Message-ID: <1106292261.496f018391b0e0b7f8a9a5977a0507dc@teranews>
Source record: 17612

Just purchased an FT-60R. In the sunlight, it has a discoloration on the display that sometimes obscures. (Sometimes worse than other times.) With polarized sunglasses on, this problem is severely exacerbated! I went to the retailer, who examined several of these -- all had the same problem. Is there a fix for this?

340. Re: Mystery signal on 60 Meters....tv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 08:28:13 UTC
From: nana <nana@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <35bsp8F4katecU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17613

>
> http://members.cox.net/kg0wx/
>

Turn your CRT monitor off and try again.

Also, check properties and look at the scan rate. It's what, 48.3KHz ? (mine is at present) Tune up and down and you should hear it again every 48.3KHz throughout the spectrum. Or whatever your scan rate is.

Flat scren don't do this. The other solution is to move your antenas as far from the computer as possible, but with most people's luck, you'll end up closer to the neighbours computer.

Nana

341. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 10:57:05 UTC
From: The Amazing Seismo <amazingseismo@yahu.com>
Message-ID: <csqn6j019rg@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 17614

"mike" <spamme0@netscape.net> wrote
>
> Or perhaps we could let people use whatever terms/slang/language they wish
> on the public airwaves or public internet.
> I happen to like "talkin' skip". The DX is parked in my
> driveway...although I sometimes talk skip from the DX.
> mike

People can speak any way they want to, Mike. But when I am on the air, I won't talk with newbies that do not make an effort to join the ham culture.

It is okay to make a mistake while talking, it is not okay to keep talking as though one is still on CB with no intent of changing their behavior.

I too came from CB to ham radio. Before that I was an Air Force radio dispatcher and involved in commercial radio shortly thereafter. Each field requires that the operator learn the particular language for the job at hand.

I suspect that the poster that you were speaking to was merely trying to help the newbie. Not scold him.

Ed, NM2K

342. Re: newbeee bought ts2000 (mistake?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 11:03:42 UTC
From: The Amazing Seismo <amazingseismo@yahu.com>
Message-ID: <csqniq01a3d@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 17615

"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
news:g2i8u0lvgmvljq9fupv59peig80m0s0mno@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 11 Jan 2005 04:10:09 GMT, "william hoffman"
> <tram396@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
>>taking test next month (will pass)-sold almost all c.b. equiptment,over 25
>>years on c.b radio getting tired of all the crap ,have over 2000.00$ to
>>invest,read the reviews for different transievers (mostaly on eham.net)
>>the
>>ts-2000 seamed to stand out for the most part ,put a deposet on brand new
>>rig (can still get my money back)-not to troulble anyone,is this a good
>>entry level unit for a person who likes to talk skip,and experiment.i have
>>good radio knolage but not on the ham side-is this to much radio?and if so
>>what would your advise be.
>>
>>thank you for taking the time to read and or respond
>>
>>
>
> Depends on what you want to do. If you're only going for a Technician
> license, you'll be limited to 6 meters and up. About your only
> opportunity for "talking skip" will be 6 meters when it is open, and
> that will be increasingly rare as we get lower and lower in the sun
> spot cycle. If you're only going to get on the VHF/UHF FM repeaters,
> just get an FM dual bander. On the other hand, if you're going for
> your General license reasonably soon, the HF part of the 2000 will be
> ready and waiting for you.
>
> You could spend about half the money and get an Icom 706 or Yaesu 857;
> they have about the same capabilities as the TS-2000, but perhaps not
> the refinement and engineering. That might be a better way for a
> beginning ham to go, but it's your money.
>
> Most radios, especially those with a paucity of knobs and an excess of
> software menus, will be complicated to work, so there's not really a
> 'beginner's" radio out there -- even my $100 Icom T2-H handy talky is
> hell-acious-ly complicated to program and operate.
>
> Have fun!
>
> Bob
> k5qwg

I recommend a 706 in their latest iteration. It is a great little rig, not too terribly complicated, can always serve as a mobile later on and has fairly good resale value. It is more than complicated enough for a newbie to ham radio to tackle. The 2000 can wait a while.

Better yet, buy a used 706 in the most recent model. They can be found at a substantial savings. Buying the desk mic buys you nothing in sound quality improvement. The hand mic is very good.

If you pay a fair price for the used 706, chances are you will be able to get all of your money back until the next upgraded version is introduced. Assuming there is another upgrade.

Ed Cregger, NM2K

343. Re: Mystery interference on HF. Plasma TV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 11:19:51 UTC
From: "Edward A. Feustel" <efeustel@direcway.com>
Message-ID: <41f0e5eb$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 17616

"=K=5=D=H=" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
news:h2XHd.6$u57.3@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
>I have a mystery interference on HF, from 160m
> through 10m and everywhere in between. It's a
> broad, raspy noise that repeats about every 16
> KHz from "DC to daylight" across the MF and HF
> spectrum. Someone suggested this might be from
> a plasma TV. There's no BPL around here (yet!).
> This is really annoying because it is strong
> and broad. Any suggestions?
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>
>
I had the same problem. It turned out that I had an unterminated Ethernet
line connected
to a hub (not a switch). The line had been installed to use a laptop in the
living room.
When the laptop was connected, the Ethernet was terminated. When it was not,
the Ethernet
seemed to be a big antenna broadcasting wide band.

Regards,
Ed, N5EI

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http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! >100,000 Newsgroups
---= East/West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =---

344. Re: Yaesu FT-60R Display Polarization Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 12:43:51 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <bO6Id.2987$rp1.2247@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17617

"Pete" <pwsNOSPAMNOSPAM@singer.mailshell.com> wrote in message
news:1106292261.496f018391b0e0b7f8a9a5977a0507dc@teranews...
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> the display that sometimes obscures. (Sometimes worse than other
> times.) With polarized sunglasses on, this problem is severely
> exacerbated! I went to the retailer, who examined several of these --
> all had the same problem. Is there a fix for this?

The LCD displays work by polarizing the light (very simple example). When
you use the polarized sunglasses they block the already polzrized light.
The short of it is that it difficult to use the glasses with that kind of
display.

345. Re: Mystery signal on 60 Meters....tv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 12:49:45 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <JT6Id.132$PB.56@okepread01>
Source record: 17618

"nana" <nana@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:35bsp8F4katecU1@individual.net...
> >
>> http://members.cox.net/kg0wx/
>>
>
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>
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> 48.3KHz throughout the spectrum. Or whatever your scan rate is.
>
> Flat scren don't do this. The other solution is to move your antenas as
> far from the computer as possible, but with most people's luck, you'll end
> up closer to the neighbours computer.
>
> Nana

Now that's a great idea! Mine was set to 60 so I moved it to 70 and
re-adjusted the screen. Bingo! No more interference.

Yes - I realise I just moved it to another spot but it was only noticable
on 60m. On 40 it's a non factor and I generally only operate on certain
160/80m freqs. It's not there, either.

Ken

346. WTT - R75 for R7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 12:54:49 UTC
From: John Schneider <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <w37Id.2431$XB1.1482@fe10.lga>
Source record: 17619

I have an Icom IC-R75 w/UT-106 DSP shortwave receiver in like-new condition that I would like to trade for an Icom IC-R7000 VHF/UHF receiver in like condition.
The R75 will come with a copy of the manual and it has had the S-AM mod performed (works great!).

Please contact me off list if interested.

John, KB2COP
thecop@optonline.net

347. Re: Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 13:48:27 UTC
From: jimbo <jimbo62@spamex.com>
Message-ID: <1106315307.118813.296660@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17620

The w7fg site has many, many manuals available. And the site here has many, many manuals available for download free.
http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=2672

jimbo

348. Re: Kenwood DFC-230 Weirdness

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 17:33:32 UTC
From: Nobody <rock_sci@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1106328812.947959.202670@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17621

I have not seen this exact problem.

I have two DFC-230's which have exhibited various weird problems. In both cases, the solution was to add star washers between the circuit board and the mounting tabs. Over time, the "grounds" provided by the contact between the solder and the mounting tabs oxidizes and becomes high resistance. The star washers make a gas tight connection.
Once this was done, the problems went away and both units have performed flawlessly.

Tim AA6DQ

349. Newer Yaesu VX-5Rs still have images blocked ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 18:59:29 UTC
From: mryan <mryan301@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <Bd6dnfLliLq_zGzcRVn-qw@comcast.com>
Source record: 17622
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.radio-scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I heard a rumor that newer model Yaesu VX-5R radios no longer have cellular images blocked but still have cellular blocked. I had one at one point but returned it when it wouldnt receve a busienss radio system in that range I wanted to listen too (my Kenwood THF6 could do it). The range was 937 and 938 Mhz (Disneyland).

I really prefer many other features of the VX-5R and it would be great if this rumor were true. Anyone have information on this?

regards,

Mike

350. FA: Hammarlund HQ-129X Main and Bandspread Knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 19:30:07 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <3LcId.19678$IV5.10362@attbi_s54>
Source record: 17623
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

FA: HQ-129X Main and Bandspread Tuning knobs. These are originals and correct for restoration.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5744998569

Ends Sunday Jan-23-05 17:50:50 PST (1/24/05 01:50:50 UTC)

Thanks for your time

351. Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 22:37:13 UTC
From: thebigbiker@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <259623f9.0501211437.1b7e49a8@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello fellow motorists & ham radio operators.

Here is a piece of legislation that is of interest to both of our communities. It is House Bill 1045 that has been passed by the House Judiciary Committee as of yesterday (1/20).

The Definition of "Radar Jamming Device" is pretty broad.

Here is is below:

(2) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "RADAR JAMMING DEVICE"MEANS ANY ACTIVE OR PASSIVE DEVICE, INSTRUMENT, MECHANISM, OR EQUIPMENT THAT IS DESIGNED OR INTENDED TO INTERFERE WITH, DISRUPT, OR SCRAMBLE THE RADAR OR LASER THAT IS USED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES AND PEACE OFFICERS TO MEASURE THE SPEED OF MOTOR VEHICLES. "RADAR JAMMING DEVICE" INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO DEVICES COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS "JAMMERS" OR "SCRAMBLERS".

Passive device can be interpreted pretty broadly especially used in conjunction with the word "disrupt". A solid black car without its front tag could be a passive device that would jam laser signals as defined from part 2. How about a radar detector ? Usage of a radar detector would basically cause you to slow down and interfere with a LEO's chance to extract revenue from you since when he measures your speed, you are going the limit. Sounds far fetched ? Laws are known to be liberally (sic) interpreted in the gov't favor.

For the Ham Radio community. Think about, you are driving down the road, ragchewing with someone on the 2 meter. You happen to drive by a CSP speed trap or even better yet, Fairplay PD speed trap. The officer did not get a speed on you but notices the array of antennas on your vehicle. He decides to pull you over and do a little inquiry. As defined in section 3, your 2 meter rig is confiscated by the officer. Well, guess what, you get spend some money to get your rig back if you get it back. If you do, what kind of condition will it be in. They would have no incentive to take care of the property while in their "care".

Here is Section 3.

(3) RADAR JAMMING DEVICES ARE SUBJECT TO SEIZURE BY ANY PEACE OFFICER AND MAY BE CONFISCATED AND DESTROYED BY ORDER OF THE COURT IN WHICH A VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION IS CHARGED.

This is bad legislation.

Please contact your "representative" or senator at
http://www.leg.state.co.us

352. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 23:33:35 UTC
From: "James C. Reeves" <jcnospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <brWdnd6LK8TTDGzcRVn-2w@comcast.com>
Source record: 17626
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You missed the "...designed or intended to..." part. So your example of a black car without it's front tag is neither designed or intended to jam laser signals. It's just a car with it's front tag missing (which probably is illegal all by itself)

Additionally, a radar detector does not jam or scramble radar signals either...it only tells the occupant that there there. So that doesn't apply.

A HAM radio rig also does not fall into the category of "designed or intended" either. Even if it did scramble the radar signal, it's purpose is not "designed or intended" to do so, so doesn't fall into that category.

The code reads clearly to me. Hopefully the cop that is applying the law has better comprehension as to what the law says than you do!

"The Big Biker" <thebigbiker@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:259623f9.0501211437.1b7e49a8@posting.google.com...
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-21 23:35:51 UTC
From: "Mel A. Nomah" <Hightower@cosmos.net>
Message-ID: <rlgId.2033$r27.1884@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Key phrase here is "EQUIPMENT THAT IS DESIGNED OR INTENDED TO INTERFERE
WITH, DISRUPT, OR SCRAMBLE"

None of your paranoid ramblings are "DESIGNED OR INTENDED", thus there is no
case.

Similarly, a 2M radio is not a jamming device and would not be confiscated.

Perhaps you need protection from one of these

--->
http://molelog.molehill.org/blox/HowStuffWorks/Crap/TinfoilHat.writeback

M.A.N.
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"I have never made but one prayer to God, a very short one: "O Lord,
make my enemies ridiculous." And God granted it."
- Voltaire

354. Reference check

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 00:03:07 UTC
From: sslone_star@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1106352187.483917.275840@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17627

Anyone have any feedback on RadioActive out of Az. ?
http://www.radioactiveradios.com/
Is he blowing smoke or is his shit the real deal ?

TIA

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 00:39:42 UTC
From: Tony VE6MVP <tony@REMOVEve6mvp.com>
Message-ID: <2583v0h3lcpkfnvhojrgs3t7psb7egvpg2@4ax.com>
Source record: 17628
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 21 Jan 2005 18:33:35 -0500, "James C. Reeves"
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Except that at least two provinces don't have a front license plate.

Tony

356. Re: Reference check

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 00:44:15 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10v38evsfu7un8e@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17629

In article <1106352187.483917.275840@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
<sslone_star@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Anyone have any feedback on RadioActive out of Az. ?
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Well, he's selling a bunch of amps which are "illegal for use on 11
meters" but which appear to be _capable_ of being used on 11 meters
(and are pretty clearly _intended_ to be used in that fashion).

He's also selling "export radios".

Doesn't look at all legal to me. The FCC frowns on (forbids) the sale
of linear amps capable of 11-meter operation, even if they are
described as "export-only" products.

It'll be interesting to see whether this guy manages to avoid the kind
of multi-thousand-dollar fine that the FCC is levying on another
dealer who got caught selling Palomar CB linears (Paladen
Communications, last October).

Now, whether Radioactive Radios is describing the stuff he is selling
with technical accuracy, I have no idea.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

357. Re: Reference check

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 00:51:48 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <PuhId.37675$NC6.2937@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17630

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
news:10v38evsfu7un8e@corp.supernews.com...
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> Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
> Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
> I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
> boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

The feds busted a couple companies recently for selling Export radios and
such. I hope he has a nice big piggy bank full of money for the long haul.
Sooner or later, he will go down and when he does, it's going to cost him.
Will they never learn?

L.

358. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 02:35:41 UTC
From: "Daniel J. Stern" <dastern@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.4.58.0501212135200.5928@alumni.engin.umich.edu>
Source record: 17631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 22 Jan 2005, Tony VE6MVP wrote:

> Except that at least two provinces don't have a front license plate.

...but Colorado does, and that's where the law is proposed. What's your point?

359. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 02:44:04 UTC
From: kingfish <spam_trap_void@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <U5jId.1500$rc4.945@fe07.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 17632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

the best way to combat technology is with technology.

that's what's happened to radar and laser. Time for law enforcement to come up with new technology, not a new law.

that's what happens when the hunter gets captured by the game.

360. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 02:48:52 UTC
From: Voice of freedom <VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa>
Message-ID: <Xns95E5C9B38CB0DVoiceFreedomfreedomn@206.124.0.13>
Source record: 17634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"kingfish" <spam_trap_void@yahoo.com> wrote :

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Not even. This country is rapidly becoming a totalitarian police state, and
for what? It won't make us safer, all it will do is allow the government to
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A Voice Of Freedom in the
United States of America

361. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 02:48:57 UTC
From: "Dave C." <mdupre@sff.net>
Message-ID: <35dt8pF4jjbjmU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"kingfish" <spam_trap_void@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:U5jId.1500$rc4.945@fe07.usenetserver.com...
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> that's what's happened to radar and laser. Time for law enforcement to
> come up with new technology, not a new law.
>
> that's what happens when the hunter gets captured by the game.

The cops already have all the technology they need. Those cruisers they
drive are plenty strong enough to mow down all the speed limit signs. -Dave

362. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 03:05:13 UTC
From: tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <VI2dndaB-750X2zcRVn-3A@comcast.com>
Source record: 17635
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <brWdnd6LK8TTDGzcRVn-2w@comcast.com>, James C. Reeves wrote:
> You missed the "...designed or intended to..." part. So your example of a
> black car without it's front tag is neither designed or intended to jam
> laser signals. It's just a car with it's front tag missing (which probably
> is illegal all by itself)

The problem with intent, is that it is an interpetation initially made on the spot by the officer. I am sure you'll be able to argue successfully in court at a cost in dollars and time that some device or some object or lack there of in/on your vehicle wasn't there with design or intent to defeat a police taxation device.

> Additionally, a radar detector does not jam or scramble radar signals
> either...it only tells the occupant that there there. So that doesn't
> apply.

Passive devices don't scramble or jam. A radar detector is a passive device. It listens, it does not broadcast. (if designed correctly) It's about how one interpets the legislation, which is the OP's point.

363. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 03:08:11 UTC
From: tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <VI2dndGB-74GXmzcRVn-3A@comcast.com>
Source record: 17636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <rlgId.2033$r27.1884@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>, Mel A. Nomah wrote:
> Key phrase here is "EQUIPMENT THAT IS DESIGNED OR INTENDED TO INTERFERE
> WITH, DISRUPT, OR SCRAMBLE"
>
> None of your paranoid ramblings are "DESIGNED OR INTENDED", thus there is no
> case.

And yet we have all these cases where people who weren't drug dealers
lost the cash they were carrying because an officer felt it might be drug
money.

364. Eimac 3-500Z Data Sheets available - FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 04:01:18 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <10v3jt4m41c6i41@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

View individual data sheets and save the ones you want or download a single zip file that contains all 8 sheets. Tech specs, application notes, and a dual 3-500Z amp schematic are included.

1. http://www.ad5th.com/3-500Z.html

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

365. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 04:04:48 UTC
From: "James C. Reeves" <jcnospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <tvCdneiFx8F8TWzcRVn-tQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 17638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Brent P" <tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:VI2dndaB-750X2zcRVn-3A@comcast.com...
> In article <brWdnd6LK8TTDGzcRVn-2w@comcast.com>, James C. Reeves wrote:
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> device. It listens, it does not broadcast. (if designed correctly) It's
> about how one interpets the legislation, which is the OP's point.
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Nothing to interpret. A radar detector is not "designed or intended" to
"scramble" radar signals. Neither is a missing tag. The wording is as
clear as it can be. It seems to me that the problem here is not
"interpretation", but "comprehension".

366. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 04:38:37 UTC
From: tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <25udnRh0QdhQRWzcRVn-sA@comcast.com>
Source record: 17639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> clear as it can be. It seems to me that the problem here is not
> "interpretation", but "comprehension".

INTENDED TO INTERFERE WITH, DISRUPT, OR SCRAMBLE

One could argue the radar detector does interfere with police usage of
the device. Take out the words PASSIVE and INTERFERE WITH and the worries
go away.

367. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 05:28:34 UTC
From: Tony VE6MVP <tony@REMOVEve6mvp.com>
Message-ID: <1vo3v0dikte46imgvh8k2m8s21689et5ut@4ax.com>
Source record: 17640
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 21 Jan 2005 21:35:41 -0500, "Daniel J. Stern"
<dastern@127.0.0.1> wrote:

>> Except that at least two provinces don't have a front license plate.
>
>...but Colorado does, and that's where the law is proposed. What's your
>point?

My point being, umm, I dunno now. Oh yeah, missing a front license
plate isn't illegal in Alberta and Quebec.

Thus that nice reflective surface for the laser to work doesn't exist
for us.

Trouble is I've gotten stopped at checkpoints, at the same location
three consecutive nights while in British Columbia, just because I
didn't have a front license plate. They'd take one look while walking
to my vehicle and tell me to pull over while they checked my papers.

Tony

368. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 05:53:58 UTC
From: Cmd Buzz Corey <us@this.net>
Message-ID: <45KdnTElINn7dmzcRVn-og@gbronline.com>
Source record: 17641
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Voice of freedom wrote:

> "kingfish" <spam_trap_void@yahoo.com> wrote :
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>>the best way to combat technology is with technology.
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>>that's what's happened to radar and laser. Time for law enforcement to
>>come up with new technology, not a new law.
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> Not even. This country is rapidly becoming a totalitarian police state, and
> for what? It won't make us safer, all it will do is allow the government to
> fleece us like sheep for bucks, because we went 5 MPH over the speed limit.
>

So why are you going 5 mph over the speed limit?

369. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 08:50:50 UTC
From: Bob Lutz <no-email@no_spam_please.com>
Message-ID: <pan.2005.01.22.08.50.48.774701@blutz>
Source record: 17642
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 21 Jan 2005 22:53:58 -0700, Cmd Buzz Corey wrote:

> So why are you going 5 mph over the speed limit?

So that there is a minimum of impact when I am ran over by traffic doing
10+ or worse.

Dunno how it is where you are, but thats pretty much what a lot of people
do.

370. FS - BIRD DRY DUMMY LOAD 150 W, 52 OHM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 12:51:06 UTC
From: dialcover@webtv.net
Message-ID: <26459-41F24C3A-569@storefull-3254.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 17643

UNDER ONE OF A KIND ON WEBSITE.

CHECK MY WEBSITE: www.dialcover.com
Bill Turner, excuse caps, short answers, stroke.
Business SASE, each order a copy of The Pocket Resource Guide.

371. VX-2R or VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 14:58:03 UTC
From: __frank__ <__frank__@despammed.com>
Message-ID: <20050122145803235 3@mynewsgate.net>
Source record: 17644

I should to make a choice between these two nice radios.

I would go for VX-5R (because it's only about 50$ much than VX-2R).

Which one do you suggest? Is it 50 MHz so important on these kind of radio?

Thanks

Inviato da www.mynewsgate.net

372. FA: ATLAS 210X SERIES MOBILE BRACKET>CHEEP! SUNDAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:13:11 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050122101311.13985.00000115@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17646

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5744474109
This is my entire list on Ebay.
You may want to check others while you're there :-)
Please add HTTP in front of the address below as AOL frowns on HOT links :-(
://cgi6.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewListedItems&userid=myradioroom&sort=
3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
Thanks es 73..........RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

373. FA: ATLAS 210X SERIES MOBILE BRACKET>CHEEP! SUNDAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:13:14 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050122101314.13985.00000116@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17645

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5744474109
This is my entire list on Ebay.
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Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

374. FA: GOLD-LINE 1042A 5-POSITION COAXIAL SWITCH>Sunday!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:14:18 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050122101418.13985.00000117@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17647

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5744474075
This is my entire list on Ebay.
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HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

375. FA: $9.99 HARD LEATHER STORAGE CASE for SIMPSON 260, ETC NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:15:17 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050122101517.13985.00000119@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17398

Many nice clear pics.
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5744474063
This is my entire list on Ebay.
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Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

376. FA: Almost Free>NEW HUSTLER RM-80S 1KW 80MTR MOBILE ANT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:16:39 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050122101639.13985.00000121@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17399

Many nice clear pics.
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5744474055
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HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

377. FA: $9.99 NICE VINTAGE TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:17:23 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050122101723.13985.00000123@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17400

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5744473999
This is my entire list on Ebay.
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Please add HTTP in front of the address below as AOL frowns on HOT links :-(
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Web-Page URL>
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378. Re: VX-2R or VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:32:43 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <wmuId.252$PB.64@okepread01>
Source record: 17401

"__frank__" <__frank__@despammed.com> wrote in message
news:200501221458032353@mynewsgate.net...
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> Which one do you suggest? Is it 50 MHz so important on these kind of
> radio?
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> Thanks
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> Inviato da www.mynewsgate.net

I've owned a VX-1R then a VX-5R then a VX-7R(b) and now a
VX-2R. I'm happiest with the VX-2R. Here are my reasons:

1) Size
2) Batteries for the VX-2R can be had on Ebay for $3.00
3) Built in rapid charger
4) FAR better HF recieve
5) More memories
6) Spectrum Sweep mode

My experience with the VX series on 6 meters is they all are
terrible unless you hook up an external antenna or some huge
whip. IMHO a 6 meter HT is not practical due to antenna
limitations.

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73's es gd dx de Ken KG0WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

379. Re: VX-2R or VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 15:54:06 UTC
From: "Jim, N2VX" <ZZZjim_cronin@juno.comZZZ>
Message-ID: <jit4v09c8qdnfnq1dvcf5oi7pgn4od03fu@4ax.com>
Source record: 17402

On Sat, 22 Jan 2005 09:32:43 -0600, "Ken Bessler"
<kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote:

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>terrible unless you hook up an external antenna or some huge
>whip. IMHO a 6 meter HT is not practical due to antenna
>limitations.

Both are good. Go for the VX2 if you can live with the lower output
power. Otherwise take the VX5. I use a VX2 for cross band repeat
and it is a fine radio. The ability to use cheap batteries is a +.

73,
Jim

380. Re: Reference check

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 16:55:41 UTC
From: Wheelin <sslone_star@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1106412941.282848.257520@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17403

I`m not concerned with the FCC bullshit,they come and they go and they never catch'em all.
What I`m after is possibly someone thats done buisness with him and or has first hand knowledge of his "whackpack" tuneing.For $260 that General Lee he has listed is a killer deal,set up the way it is.
Run with a 10K it should be sweeeeeeet !!
With all the tweak shops out there half-assing their P/T specials on cheap meters and users thinking their large and in charge when in fact their shit aint SHIT !!.

381. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 17:26:53 UTC
From: Cmd Buzz Corey <us@this.net>
Message-ID: <jJmdnb2nq_P_EG_cRVn-iA@gbronline.com>
Source record: 17404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bob Lutz wrote:

> On Fri, 21 Jan 2005 22:53:58 -0700, Cmd Buzz Corey wrote:
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> So that there is a minimum of impact when I am ran over by traffic doing
> 10+ or worse.
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> Dunno how it is where you are, but thats pretty much what a lot of people
> do.
>
If they all drove over a cliff would you follow?

382. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 17:56:16 UTC
From: Voice of freedom <VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa>
Message-ID: <Xns95E66F67B5524VoiceFreedomfreedomn@206.124.0.13>
Source record: 17405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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>> government to fleece us like sheep for bucks, because we went 5 MPH
>> over the speed limit.
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> So why are you going 5 mph over the speed limit?

'Cause I'm a big time crimimal, you moron. Studies have found that people
tend to go the best speed for the road they're on anyway, there don't even
need to be speed limits. Speed limits are a totalitarian way of raking in
bucks by fleecing people.

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A Voice Of Freedom in the
United States of America

383. FA: RadioShack PRO-96 Digital Trunking Scanner Radio - Like New!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 20:24:17 UTC
From: Ivory Kid <ivorykid@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <DDyId.41715$St.8334@fed1read03>
Source record: 17406
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

Like new RadioShack PRO-96 Digital Trunking Scanner Radio. Latest firmware.
Take a look!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5746223496

384. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 20:30:35 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <aIyId.30244$SK6.3306@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"The Big Biker" <thebigbiker@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:259623f9.0501211437.1b7e49a8@posting.google.com...
> Hello fellow motorists & ham radio operators.
>
> Here is a piece of legislation that is of interest to both of our
> communities. It is House Bill 1045 that has been passed by the House
> Judiciary Committee as of yesterday (1/20).
>
> The Definition of "Radar Jamming Device" is pretty broad.
>
> Here is is below:
>
> (2) FOR PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "RADAR JAMMING DEVICE"MEANS ANY
> ACTIVE OR PASSIVE DEVICE, INSTRUMENT, MECHANISM, OR EQUIPMENT THAT IS
> DESIGNED OR INTENDED TO INTERFERE WITH, DISRUPT, OR SCRAMBLE THE RADAR
> OR LASER THAT IS USED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES AND PEACE OFFICERS
> TO MEASURE THE SPEED OF MOTOR VEHICLES. "RADAR JAMMING DEVICE"
> INCLUDES BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO DEVICES COMMONLY REFERRED TO AS
> "JAMMERS" OR "SCRAMBLERS".
>
> Passive device can be interpreted pretty broadly especially used in
> conjunction with the word "disrupt". A solid black car without its
> front tag could be a passive device that would jam laser signals as
> defined from part 2. How about a radar detector ? Usage of a radar
> detector would basically cause you to slow down and interfere with a
> LEO's chance to extract revenue from you since when he measures your
> speed, you are going the limit. Sounds far fetched ? Laws are known to
> be liberally (sic) interpreted in the gov't favor.
>
> For the Ham Radio community. Think about, you are driving down the
> road, ragchewing with someone on the 2 meter. You happen to drive by a
> CSP speed trap or even better yet, Fairplay PD speed trap. The officer
> did not get a speed on you but notices the array of antennas on your
> vehicle. He decides to pull you over and do a little inquiry. As
> defined in section 3, your 2 meter rig is confiscated by the officer.
> Well, guess what, you get spend some money to get your rig back if you
> get it back. If you do, what kind of condition will it be in. They
> would have no incentive to take care of the property while in their
> "care".
>
> Here is Section 3.
>
> (3) RADAR JAMMING DEVICES ARE SUBJECT TO SEIZURE BY ANY PEACE OFFICER

> AND MAY BE CONFISCATED AND DESTROYED BY ORDER OF THE COURT IN WHICH A
> VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION IS CHARGED.
>
> This is bad legislation.
>
> Please contact your "representative" or senator at
> http://www.leg.state.co.us

Yep,

And if the sonuvabitch confiscates equipment that happens to be purchased with DOD funds and assigned to me as part of an agency I am involved in, then I will merely contact USAF CID and make that hick cop think his a$$ was fried to a crisp by the time they get thru with him! Most of these cops think "Ah'm th' law 'roun' h'yar, boy,and what ah says goes. So you just hand over that CB reddio thar before I slap you in jail thar, you heah, boy?"

As to seizing Amateur or other radio equipment I am licensed to use, I would use the existing laws to not only
retrieve the equipment, but sue to recover ALL monies/expenses incurred in the act--probably causing the stupid cop to lose his job. And to quote a famous Warner Bros cartoon, "He don' know me vewwy well, do he!". LOL!

I sue the state and the cop if it were the last thing I ever did!!! Hang the expense--which I believe I would recover anyway. Hey, I am retired and can expend whatever time it takes! GRRRRRRRRR!

J

385. Trade: Bird 100H for 1000H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 21:09:26 UTC
From: ae4en <ae4en@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <1106428166.268777.92370@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17408

Got a brand new Bird 100H 100 watt 2-30 MHZ element that I would like
to trade for a Bird 1000H 1000 watt 2-30 Mhz element. I'll throw in $20
to boot.

386. Re: Eimac 3-500Z Data Sheets available - FREE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 21:14:38 UTC
From: Ottar <ok_nothere@online.no>
Message-ID: <41f2c244@news.broadpark.no>
Source record: 17409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Charlie wrote:

>
> View individual data sheets and save the ones you want or download a
> single zip file that contains all 8 sheets. Tech specs, application notes,
> and a dual 3-500Z amp schematic are included.
>
> 1. http://www.ad5th.com/3-500Z.html
>
>
>

To cut&paste try http://www.kvindesland.no/la9iha/pa/3-500z.html

73 de ottar, la9iha

387. UNIDEN DEBUTS APCO 25 CAPABLE DIGITAL SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 21:31:22 UTC
From: Omega <2121@insightbb.com>
Message-ID: <KCzId.17568$P04.11756@attbi_s03>
Source record: 17410
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

UNIDEN DEBUTS APCO 25 CAPABLE DIGITAL SCANNER AT CES

New Handheld Model Includes Advanced Scanner Technology

In an Ultra-Compact Design

LAS VEGAS, Nevada, January 6, 2005 - Uniden America Corporation, a leading manufacturer of wireless consumer electronics, will introduce a new handheld digital scanner, the Bearcat BCD396T, at the Consumer Electronics Show (CES), January 6-9, 2005, at the Las Vegas Convention Center in booth #14414. The BCD396T offers APCO 25 digital capability, allowing users to monitor the activities and signals of city and government service departments, utilizing advanced scanner technology in an all new compact, handheld design.

Featuring APCO 25 capability, Uniden's BCD396T is poised to improve interoperability between large cities currently using the digital systems and those smaller municipalities that still operate on analog systems. Uniden's BCD396T will not permit users to monitor encrypted signals from national and local security organizations.

The Bearcat BCD396T also offers Close CallT RF Capture Technology, Dynamic Memory Management, Fire Tone-Out as well as 5,500 channels and a frequency range of 25MHz to 1300MHz, excluding cellular. This new model is slated to hit shelves in late summer 2005.

"With the BCD396T, we listened to our consumers and have incorporated their feedback on features they wanted, into a high-quality product that meets the demands of both professionals, such as law enforcement officials, and scanner enthusiasts," said Paul Opitz, Uniden Product Manager. "For example, we have eliminated the proprietary battery pack and removed the need for an add-in board for APCO 25, reduced the size of the model, and added a backlit keypad."

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Uniden also introduces additional scanner offerings, including the BC246T TrunkTracker III as well as NASCAR®-branded models such as the SC230, BC72XLT, and BC92XLT.

http://www.uniden.com/press/Apco25Scanner.pdf

http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/scanners/1396.html

http://www.grove-ent.com/radiorumors.html

Pricing is listed at $895, but that will change. I like the flexible memory and channelization. And the built in Frequency Counter/react tuning. And using NiMh batteries.

388. FA: Trac-Key Morse code paddle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 22:17:03 UTC
From: Joe <joencNOSPAM@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <h6k5v05mg74a3oarn8f2ae3tengvt3169n@4ax.com>
Source record: 17412

For auction on eBay: Trac-Key Morse code paddle

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5745250181

389. FA: Heathkit HD-15 Phone Patch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 22:17:12 UTC
From: Joe <joencNOSPAM@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <27k5v0d6fthe88k0sas3qbtt5j1p1eqnpt@4ax.com>
Source record: 17411

For auction on ebay: Heathkit HD-15 Phone Patch:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5745250178

390. FA: AEA Automatic Electrionic Morse Code Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 22:17:21 UTC
From: Joe <joencNOSPAM@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <b7k5v0tfl7jg6ormq2l9ui2vn01qt6kl64@4ax.com>
Source record: 17413

For auction on eBay: AEA Automatic Electrionic Morse Code Keyer:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5745250108

391. FS: Bendix King VHF portable w/ charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-22 23:02:11 UTC
From: mlk <mcguyver@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <TXAId.11047$zr4.205@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 17414
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS: Bendix King Model # EPH5991 A, SN# 127571. Good battery, no programming adapter but comes with good antenna and rapid/trickle charger. Best reasonable offer. Also for sale, RS pro83 scanner, like new with antenna, manual and clip. $80 plus shipping

--
Mitch

392. Re: Bendix King VHF portable w/ charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 01:26:46 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <10v5vao4e1rrd95@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17415
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Why are you posting a special railroad FM radio on the aviation pages?\

Jim

"mlk" <mcguyver@cfl.rr.com> wrote in message
news:TXAId.11047$zr4.205@tornado.tampabay.rr.com...
> FS: Bendix King Model # EPH5991 A, SN# 127571. Good battery, no
> programming
> adapter but comes with good antenna and rapid/trickle charger. Best
> reasonable offer. Also for sale, RS pro83 scanner, like new with antenna,
> manual and clip. $80 plus shipping
>
> --
> Mitch
>
>

393. Re: Newer Yaesu VX-5Rs still have images blocked ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 01:58:15 UTC
From: DR RASTIS FAF00FNIK <FAF00FNIK@FAF00FNIK.ORG.org>
Message-ID: <XwDId.14274$5R.4637@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17416
Cross-posted to: alt.binaries.radio-scanner,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"mryan" <mryan301@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:Bd6dnfLliLq_zGzcRVn-qw@comcast.com...
> I heard a rumor that newer model Yaesu VX-5R radios no longer have
cellular
> images blocked but still have cellular blocked. I had one at one point but
> returned it when it wouldnt receve a busienss radio system in that range I
> wanted to listen too (my Kenwood THF6 could do it). The range was 937 and
> 938 Mhz (Disneyland).
>
> I really prefer many other features of the VX-5R and it would be great if
> this rumor were true. Anyone have information on this?
>
> regards,
>
> Mike
>
>
Thats how Yay-Hoo designs radios! the image rejection is SO POOR they have
to block the images too hahahaha.
Do yourself a favor, get a REAL RCVR and forget YAY-HOO. Even the little
Radio-Shack PRO-83 (at$119) runs circles around the VX-5
is triple conversion and the first IF is over 250Mhz.
Yaesu makes junk, they will continue to dump shitty radios on hams as long
as were dumb enough to keep buying their garbage.
Your Kenwood TH-F6 is a lot more radio for the money, Most of the Yaesu
radios are built with a ($) in mind. Most of their VHF/UHF stuff is
pure crapolla, the FT-90R is a joke, the FT-7100 is a joke of a RCVR, the
FT-8100 was so intermittant it's useless. The FT-100 was a toad and the
replacement FT-100D is STILL full of bugs.
Look for the "Colored Dots" at the end of the package, it indicates which
recalls the radio has had installed (how many times it went back to the
factory before you even bought it).
look up Yaesu on www.eham.com and read all about them.
It's simple......a yellow taxi painted blue was still a taxi, a Yaesu with a
new name/model number is still a cheap piece of shit.

394. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 03:04:15 UTC
From: Laura Bush murdered her boy friend <xeton2001@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1106449455.026521.163600@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Stop the quibbling. You're just a sick pedal-phile who doesn't want to
be caught breaking the law. How many people have you murdered so far
with your speeding?

395. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 03:17:38 UTC
From: Cmd Buzz Corey <us@this.net>
Message-ID: <2r6dnYzw04WigW7cRVn-3A@gbronline.com>
Source record: 17419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Laura Bush murdered her boy friend and Ted Kennedy in a drunken stupor
drove his car off a bridge and on purpose left a young woman to drown wrote:

> Stop the quibbling. You're just a sick pedal-phile who doesn't want to
> be caught breaking the law. How many people have you murdered so far
> with your speeding?
>

Go back to your political groupies dearie, this technical stuff is way
over your little bleached blonde head.

396. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 03:28:51 UTC
From: "James C. Reeves" <jcnospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <d9adnWd57pRphG7cRVn-tA@comcast.com>
Source record: 17418
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Brent P" <tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:25udnRh0QdhQRWzcRVn-sA@comcast.com...
> In article <tvCdneiFx8F8TWzcRVn-tQ@comcast.com>, James C. Reeves wrote:
>
>> Nothing to interpret. A radar detector is not "designed or intended" to
>> "scramble" radar signals. Neither is a missing tag. The wording is as
>> clear as it can be. It seems to me that the problem here is not
>> "interpretation", but "comprehension".
>
> INTENDED TO INTERFERE WITH, DISRUPT, OR SCRAMBLE
>
> One could argue the radar detector does interfere with police usage of
> the device. Take out the words PASSIVE and INTERFERE WITH and the worries
> go away.
>
>

One can argue anything...usually at $300 an hour tough.

397. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 05:28:18 UTC
From: tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <mfidnbgCP71vqG7cRVn-1w@comcast.com>
Source record: 17420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <d9adnWd57pRphG7cRVn-tA@comcast.com>, James C. Reeves wrote:

> One can argue anything...usually at $300 an hour tough.

That cop just takes the radar detector. The citizen pays the $300 an hour
to argue it wasn't passively interfering.

398. FA: HQ-129X Main and Bandspread Tuning knobs.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 05:31:40 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <0FGId.23332$OF5.14380@attbi_s52>
Source record: 17421

FA: HQ-129X Main and Bandspread Tuning knobs. These are originals and correct for restoration.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5744998569

Ends Sunday Jan-23-05 17:50:50 PST (1/24/05 01:50:50 UTC)

Thanks for your time

399. Re: Collins knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 07:09:50 UTC
From: k9sqg@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050123020950.11154.00000175@mb-m18.aol.com>
Source record: 17422

The Collins Radio Association, NOT the Collins Collectors' Association, has knobs at prices substantially lower than Surplus Sales of Nebraska. And CRA folks are a lot nicer than CCA too. The knobs are top quality. Then again, nobody ever accused SSN as having a price on anything that was below the competition...

400. Re: Advice on 2 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 08:11:24 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <M_IId.71788$w62.56034@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17423

How is that HRO500 doing? Did you get it running?

Pete

"jimbo" <jimbo62@spamex.com> wrote in message
news:1105477143.516197.98260@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> My 10 year old Kenwood TM-241A mobile seems to have quit transmitting
> the PL tone, or it doesn't transmit the tone indicated. Works fine on
> simplex and receives OK via repeater, but I cannot get a signal through
> a repeater.
>
> Anyway, it is probably not worth the cost of repair, so I am in the
> market for a new 2 meter mobile. Does anyone have any advice? Either
> good or bad experience with a current model. I have heard that the
> Kenwood TM-271A has had problems. Any confirmation? How about the Icom
> 2100H?
>
> Thanks, jimbo
>

401. JVC GZ-3 camera connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 08:54:49 UTC
From: Ray di Tutto <ray@o-matic.com>
Message-ID: <Xns95E764F6B3772rayomaticcom@212.35.34.213>
Source record: 17424

Hi,

A friend gave me a JVC GZ-S3 camera and I want to use it for ATV.

This camera has a 10-pin connector to its power supply and VCR.
Unfortunately, I don't have any of the original units, so I cannot do
anything with the camera.

I want to homebrew a power supply or adapt one of the units I already have
and use the video signal for my ATV xmitter.

Does someone have some data about the GZ-S3 connector wiring?

This camera is a nice unit, with expensive optics, it was state-of-the art
back in the '80s. I hate the idea of ripping it away for parts.

73

Angel HB9SLV

402. JVC GZ-S3 camera connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 08:57:30 UTC
From: Angel Vilaseca <avilaseca@bluewin.ch>
Message-ID: <Xns95E7656AB9890rayomaticcom@212.35.34.213>
Source record: 17425

Hi,

A friend gave me a JVC GZ-S3 camera and I want to use it for ATV.

This camera has a 10-pin connector to its power supply and VCR.
Unfortunately, I don't have any of the original units, so I cannot do
anything with the camera.

I want to homebrew a power supply or adapt one of the units I already have
and use the video signal for my ATV xmitter.

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Angel HB9SLV

403. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 09:59:24 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <1106474364.799140.253850@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Daniel J. Stern wrote:
> On Sat, 22 Jan 2005, Tony VE6MVP wrote:
>
> > Except that at least two provinces don't have a front license
plate.
>
> ...but Colorado does, and that's where the law is proposed. What's
your
> point?

Pennsylvania, the fifth most populous state in the U.S. is another
one-tag state so a PA driver is in "trouble" when he passes thru CO??
That's the point.

Beyond that assume some ham with a vehicle that looks like a porcupine
or a mobile antenna farm gets pulled over in CO and the cop sees a heap
of frederally licensed radios in the vehicle and confiscates the whole
pile on the spot thru sheer technical ignorance on his part.
Remind me to stay the hell outta CO . .

w3rv

404. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 15:33:22 UTC
From: Kathy Lee <KC8QJP@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <8sg7v05rtfnq34kbv2qkiruf8shevrcgok@4ax.com>
Source record: 17427

On Sat, 15 Jan 2005 21:38:30 GMT, "danjr"
<danjr@voyager.net> wrote:

>"N8WWM DOUG ADAIR" <N8WWM@arrl.net> wrote in message
>news:41e92794@news.usenetzone.com...
>> Be LOUD and PROUD!
>>
>> Email me
>>
>> $200 firm
>
>Why would you, an apparent ham, sell an illegal "CB linear?" You are part
>of the never-ending problem of illegal equipment on 11 meters spilling over
>onto 10 meters. I hope you buyer plugs it in and it explodes.
>
>
Why don't you just shut the fuck up asshole. No
one cares what you think.

____
Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
More than 120,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

405. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 15:39:08 UTC
From: Kathy Lee <KC8QJP@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <r6h7v0te0tfdiol8s4kqegkv0lkk4q2k8a@4ax.com>
Source record: 17428

IOn Sat, 15 Jan 2005 16:45:07 -0500, "Lou"
<lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:

>"danjr" <danjr@voyager.net> wrote in message
>news:q3gGd.4550$re1.4482@fe2.columbus.rr.com...
>> "N8WWM DOUG ADAIR" <N8WWM@arrl.net> wrote in message
>> news:41e92794@news.usenetzone.com...
>>> Be LOUD and PROUD!
>>>
>>> Email me
>>>
>>> $200 firm
>>
>> Why would you, an apparent ham, sell an illegal "CB linear?" You are part
>> of the never-ending problem of illegal equipment on 11 meters spilling
>> over
>> onto 10 meters. I hope you buyer plugs it in and it explodes.
>>
>May be risky business. Are you not aware that anyone caught with "illegal"
>equipment can lose "any" FCC licenses they may hold? Ignorance is not an
>excuse and they'll expect you to know better. I'd laugh my ass off if they
>come knocking on your door. You just as much as gave them your address,
>giving your call sign.
>
>L.
>
I'll laugh my ass off when the all powerful N8WWM
slaps the living shit out of you at Dayton punk.

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More than 120,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

406. FS: Bking VHF portable & PRO-83

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 17:16:07 UTC
From: mlk <mcguyver@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <rZQId.11179$zr4.1266@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 17429

FS: Bendix King Model # EPH5991 A, SN# 127571. Good battery, no programming adapter but comes with good antenna and rapid/trickle charger. Best reasonable offer. Also for sale, RS pro83 scanner, like new with antenna, manual and clip. $90 shipped lower 48

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Mitch

407. Cheap replac. of DC Adapter for VX-2R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 20:08:50 UTC
From: __frank__ <__frank__@despammed.com>
Message-ID: <20050123200850235 3@mynewsgate.net>
Source record: 17430

On ebay can I find a cheap replacement of the DC Adapter for VX-2R:

http://www.mega-kom.de/eshop/product_info.php/products_id/11621

Thanks in advance

Inviato da www.mynewsgate.net

408. Re: Cheap replac. of DC Adapter for VX-2R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 22:11:22 UTC
From: RH <robert.hurd4@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <eiVId.19258$Os6.14860@trnddc08>
Source record: 17431

I wouldn't. I bought a RS adapter that was the right voltage
and amperage rated. It toasted the VX-2R. Yaesu, in a display
of infinite mercy, still repaired it under warranty.

regards
rob

__frank__ wrote:
> On ebay can I find a cheap replacement of the DC Adapter for VX-2R:
>
> http://www.mega-kom.de/eshop/product_info.php/products_id/11621
>
> Thanks in advance
>
> Inviato da www.mynewsgate.net

409. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 23:02:53 UTC
From: "James C. Reeves" <jcnospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <odidnVbPBtyAsGncRVn-hQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 17432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Brent P" <tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:mfidnbgCP71vqG7cRVn-1w@comcast.com...
> In article <d9adnWd57pRphG7cRVn-tA@comcast.com>, James C. Reeves wrote:
>
>> One can argue anything...usually at $300 an hour tough.
>
> That cop just takes the radar detector. The citizen pays the $300 an hour
> to argue it wasn't passively interfering.
>
>

If he gets a lawyer it will cost him $300 an hour, plus court costs. Well, maybe $200 an hour. It will be cheaper to buy a new radar detector.

I can't see that happening though. I guess only time will tell if it happens or not.

410. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 23:37:49 UTC
From: Cmd Buzz Corey <us@that.net>
Message-ID: <E_ednUsVjNS0qmncRVn-pA@gbronline.com>
Source record: 17433
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

kelly@dvol.com wrote:

> Daniel J. Stern wrote:
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>>On Sat, 22 Jan 2005, Tony VE6MVP wrote:
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>>>Except that at least two provinces don't have a front license
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> plate.
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>>...but Colorado does, and that's where the law is proposed. What's
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> your
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>>point?
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>
> Pennsylvania, the fifth most populous state in the U.S. is another
> one-tag state so a PA driver is in "trouble" when he passes thru CO??
> That's the point.

No, if your state does not require a front plate, then other states that
do, honor your states one tag law. It ain't rocket surgery.

411. Re: MOTOROLA HT1250 VHF w/accys for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 23:53:42 UTC
From: Panthersvolfd <panthersfirerescue@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <dbe25b897a92671ae11736df725d31ad@localhost.talkaboutradio.com>
Source record: 17434

Please send address for payment and if you acept postal money order

412. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 23:54:03 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <eKWId.175$ud3.133@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17435

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:47k0v0pa7422i9kbt3bc8knhr9gj5eu7ov@4ax.com...
> On Thu, 20 Jan 2005 17:25:22 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
>
>>On Thu, 20 Jan 2005 16:58:55 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:
>>>Though it is illegal
>>>(supposedly) to talk "skip" - I know a guy who used to talk to a few
>>>countries with just 12 watts SSB on CB with a Super Scanner Beam. Proof
>>>you
>>>don't need a ton of power to do what many people ARE doing. Power only
>>>clogs
>>>up the frequencies so no one else can talk. Be it the CB band or Ham
>>>bands.
>>>I've never been and never will be - a Linear proponent.
>>>
>>>L.
>>>
>>
>>A short while after I first got my license (54 years ago) there was an
>>amateur, W6FM, who worked all countries from his car with 2-watts AM!
>>I have never forgotten that feat.
>>
>>Dick - W6CCD
>
> Well, my memory isn't what it used to be. I looked him up in my 1953
> log book (remember those) and his call was actually W6FMO (Frequency
> Modulated Oscillator.) His name was Speed. He was in Alhambra, and I
> was mobile on top of Mt. Wilson. Operating mobile back then was
> definitely an undertaking, with surplus dynamotors, etc.
>
> Dick - W6CCD

Ever get "bit" by one of those dynamotors? :)

73

K4KWH

413. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-23 23:58:31 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <pOWId.229$ud3.163@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17436

"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
news:IruHd.40329$St.8397@fed1read03...
> cabletieguy wrote:
>
>> Please don't post photos the usenet !
>>
>> BTW, one can get in trouble by USING the device,
>> owning one is not a crime the last time I checked.
>>
>> 73
> That is not the FCC view of things. last comment I heard from someone that
> works with them: "possession is sufficient to prove guilt". Frankly, I
> tend
> to believe him.
> --
> DE N7ZZT
> Eric Oyen
> Phoenix, Arizona
> e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
> the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
> has its limits.

Actually, this *may* be an imposter trying to stir up trouble for the actual
holder of the callsign posted. There's a war of words going on over on
rec.radio.cb and, perhaps, this is just an effort to get others in trouble
for posting a "CB" amp for sale. I don't know that, but it could be.

J

414. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 00:03:12 UTC
From: "Daniel J. Stern" <dastern@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <Pine.GSO.4.58.0501231902050.10421@alumni.engin.umich.edu>
Source record: 17437
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 23 Jan 2005, Cmd Buzz Corey wrote:

> if your state does not require a front plate, then other states that do,
> honor your states one tag law. It ain't rocket surgery.

Surely isn't. Or if you're *that* worried about it, get a front plate for your car in your one-plate state. I did that in Michigan (cost all of $5) on the theory that it would avoid problems when travelling to Ontario, but subsequent experience taught me I didn't have any problem driving Michigan cars with one OR two plates in Ontario.

415. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 00:04:03 UTC
From: "James C. Reeves" <jcnospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <wcadne7P17zvpmncRVn-uA@comcast.com>
Source record: 17438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Cmd Buzz Corey" <us@that.net> wrote in message
news:E_ednUsVjNS0qmncRVn-pA@gbronline.com...
> kelly@dvol.com wrote:
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>
> No, if your state does not require a front plate, then other states that
> do, honor your states one tag law. It ain't rocket surgery.
>

Apparently to some participating in this thread, it is! This is really,
REALLY simple, you're right! I'm amazed at some of the posts on this one.
Simple comprehension lost?

416. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 00:37:01 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <8pg8v0dhnjrjc5vhiom48ncr3gbl53ud79@4ax.com>
Source record: 17439

On Sun, 23 Jan 2005 18:54:03 -0500, "Jerry" <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
wrote:

>> Well, my memory isn't what it used to be. I looked him up in my 1953
>> log book (remember those) and his call was actually W6FMO (Frequency
>> Modulated Oscillator.) His name was Speed. He was in Alhambra, and I
>> was mobile on top of Mt. Wilson. Operating mobile back then was
>> definitely an undertaking, with surplus dynamotors, etc.
>>
>> Dick - W6CCD
>
>
>Ever get "bit" by one of those dynamotors? :)
>
>73
>
>K4KWH
>

Oh yes. I think I have been "bit" by most everything producing high
voltage since I became a ham. Of course newer equipment, like
linears, protect those of us prone to stick our fingers in things.

I ran a PE-103 in my 1937 Chevrolet coupe. It had a 30-amp generator,
and the PE-103 would suck the life out of the 6-volt battery if the
engine wasn't running. Even then you had to be careful.

Dick - W6CCD

417. FA: Rare Dual Band Hand Held - Standard C228C 2 Meters and 220 Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 03:15:17 UTC
From: tjd@rogers.canada
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-KuLsPcRHiwWj@localhost>
Source record: 17440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings:

I have up for auction a beautiful Standard C228 2 meter AND 220 Mhz
HT.

Please visit:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5746542193

Thanks,

Tedd, VE3TJD

418. Linear info reqd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 08:29:24 UTC
From: "Dutchm@n" <h@ns.co.za>
Message-ID: <R_KdnXOSsdajL2ncRVn-vQ@is.co.za>
Source record: 17441

I would like some info please:

1. Can anyone direct me to a supplier of D310050 final transistors used in the Transworld TW1000A or do they have reliable equivalents?

2. This TW1000A came with the Datron PS1000SWA 28V supply which also has an auxiliary output that appears to be 14,5V unloaded What is the current capability on that output as I cannot find specs on the www.

3. Would also like to know if there are other linears available today that run on 28V DC.

Your help will be much appreciated,
ZS6KR

419. Re: JVC GZ-3 camera connector

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 12:21:44 UTC
From: Dr Dave <wvdave1st@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sL5Jd.9815$CI6.201@trnddc06>
Source record: 17442

10 Pin Pinout Diagram
http://www.bratsatv.org/atv_10pin.html

Baltimore Radio Amateur Television Society
ATV TECHICAL MENU
http://www.bratsatv.org/atv.html

"Ray di Tutto" <ray@o-matic.com> wrote in message
news:Xns95E764F6B3772rayomaticcom@212.35.34.213...
> Hi,
>
> A friend gave me a JVC GZ-S3 camera and I want to use it for ATV.
>
> This camera has a 10-pin connector to its power supply and VCR.
> Unfortunately, I don't have any of the original units, so I cannot do
> anything with the camera.
>
> I want to homebrew a power supply or adapt one of the units I already have
> and use the video signal for my ATV xmitter.
>
> Does someone have some data about the GZ-S3 connector wiring?
>
> This camera is a nice unit, with expensive optics, it was state-of-the art
> back in the '80s. I hate the idea of ripping it away for parts.
>
>
> 73
>
> Angel HB9SLV

Checked by AVG anti-virus system (http://www.grisoft.com).
Version: 6.0.841 / Virus Database: 572 - Release Date: 1/21/2005

420. FA: General Radio Corporation 723-C Vacuum Tube Fork Item# 3869498374

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 13:41:39 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <nW6Jd.683$4K3.220245@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 17443

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=3869498374

421. Re: Advice on 2 Meter Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 14:04:37 UTC
From: jimbo <jimbo62@spamex.com>
Message-ID: <1106575477.080665.157330@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17444

Pete KE9OA wrote:
> How is that HRO500 doing? Did you get it running?
>
> Pete

Say what? You must have me confused with someone else.

jimbo

422. want Schematic: Lunar 2m30-160P

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 14:49:43 UTC
From: HK <kennjd@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <T4SdnbPrsegjl2jcRVn-2g@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17445

I need an owners manual and/or schematic for a Lunar 2m amp.

Model 2m30-200P or the 2m30-160P

I can send an SASE or receive it email (adobe)

Thanks, Ken, WB9YCJ

KENNJD AT ADELPHIA DOT NET

423. WTB: Galaxy V 9 mhz filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 15:07:22 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <Ka8Jd.79914$w62.33837@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17446

Looking for a good 9 mhz filter for the Galaxy V transceiver. Advise of condition (must be good) and price. Can pay via Pay Pal. WS�E, Joe

424. Re: want Schematic: Lunar 2m30-160P

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 17:54:56 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrncvadjh.24ad.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 17447

On Mon, 24 Jan 2005 06:49:43 -0800, HK wrote:
> I need an owners manual and/or schematic for a Lunar 2m amp.
> Model 2m30-200P or the 2m30-160P
> I can send an SASE or receive it email (adobe)
> Thanks, Ken, WB9YCJ
> KENNJD AT ADELPHIA DOT NET

So, why do you munge your address in the body of the message,
when it appears correctly, in all its glory, in your headers?

It's been shown that the spammers who harvest email addy's
off usenet scrape the From: addresses, but collect few of the
addresses in the body.

Using Google groups

http://groups.google.co.uk/advanced_group_search?hl=en

look through nane (news.admin.net-abuse.email) , using the
search terms:

reply-to: from: harvest

that should drop you into (MANY) discussion threads of where
folks (Spam Fighters) have seen (through "testing") the heaviest
harvesting come from.

Makes sense if you understand how reading news from a news
server works...

Jonesy

425. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 18:59:58 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <35kutcF4o3up0U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17448
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

Icom 02AT with wall wart.
Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery $ 65

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have severa Scsii hard drives, and a Scsii CD changer,
and an IBM PS2 8565 for parts. No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net
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426. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 20:13:21 UTC
From: Xeton2001IsAMoron.20.dwpj65@spamgourmet.com
Message-ID: <1106597601.968560.173720@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17449
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Care to try again, this time with some intelligence in your post?

Oops, I forgot, that's something you can't include since you don't possess it.

How was your weekend, loser?

427. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 22:04:47 UTC
From: Xeton2001IsAMoron.20.dwpj65@spamgourmet.com
Message-ID: <1106604287.191967.326180@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.autos.driving,co.general,boulder.general,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

5,325, but after the first couple of hundred it's hard to keep score.

How many people has Tubby Kennedy murdered by drinking and driving
without a license?

428. FS Icom IC-T90A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-24 22:26:53 UTC
From: cgeoc@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1106605613.330813.125350@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17450

For sale:

ICOM IC-T90A
Triband
Original lithium battery pack
Wall charger
Original antenna w/extension for 6M
Strap
Belt clip

Like new
US$ 250 or B.O.

429. Want INFO on a PROTOTYPE GONSET

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 00:28:46 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <41f59346$1_1@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 17452

I have what I believe to be a Gonset Prototype, that was never put into production.

It appears to be 6M transceiver of the kind to have separate receiver, and separate transmitter.

It has a built in DC vibrator supply. It looks like it also worked from an external AC supply (see the 12 contact Jones plug jack on the back). However, maybe it is a combination DC and AC supply. If so, then the same two SS diodes work as rectiifiers in both operations.

I don't have the schematic. However the component chassis may have some relationship to chassis that were part of other units. I am trying to figure out the Jones plug connections; here again, maybe there is some similarity to some actual production models.

I have looked at about 12 - 15 schematics. I saw no separate AC supply. Some had combination AC and DC supplies, and they also used 12 contact Jones plugs (as my set does). So maybe I'm wrong, maybe this has a combination supply. In each
schematic that showed the wiring for a jones plug, the 110 V AC went to pins 5 & 8. If I did that, the (working side of the) switch on the front would short them. The toggle switch on the front is a 2 pole single throw. One side of the toggle swirch is not working.

The best I can figure out on the Jones plug is:
1 To the non-working side of the toggle switch.
2 Pin number 2 on the 4 prong vibrator
3 Pin number 4 on the vibrator
4 No connection
5 To the working side of the switch
6 To the transformer
7 Chassis ground
8 Other terminal of the working switch
9 Transformer
10 Chassis ground
11 Other terminal of the non-working side of the switch
12 Pin 1 of the vibrator

And here are some pics:

http://www.muchstuff.com/gonpro.htm

What I am looking for is either an expert on Gonset, or maybe some one who worked at Gonset who can give me some more info than I have admitted to above.

Gene WB6SZS

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430. WTB: Certain old Transformer Catalogs (Copies?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 00:31:16 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <41f593dc$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 17453

Here are a some transformer manufacturers of whom I would like some
catalogs, or at least the information on the unknown item.

Super Electric Products Corporation, Jersey City.
I have a choke 466-X-4

Osborne Transformer Co.?
High Voltage Transformer "Type 5962"

Franklin Transformers
Seems like I have a couple of Franklins.

Peerless Transformers
I have several of these.

I know the last two have some listings in my "Master Catalogs" but I still
would like a little info than what is found there.

Eugene Rippen WB6SZS
105 Donnington Ave.
Auburn, CA 95603

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431. WTB: NATIONAL Speaker NTS-3B Flip foot

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 00:33:07 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <41f5944a$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 17454

I would like to buy a National, Blue, NTS-3B Flip foot speaker.
Matches NC-190, NC-140 & NC-270

Eugene Rippen, WB6SZS

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432. FS: YEASU Microphone MD-1cb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 00:35:59 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <41f594f7_1@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 17455

YAESU MD-1c8 microphone in original box. Looks like new.
$70 includes shipping to continental USA.

http://www.foothill.net/~soundval/YMD/YMD1C8-A.JPG
http://www.foothill.net/~soundval/YMD/YMD1C8-B.JPG
http://www.foothill.net/~soundval/YMD/YMD1C8-C.JPG

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433. FA: Kenwood TS-520 80-10 meter transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 02:12:57 UTC
From: BH <radioguyzz@aagbronline.com>
Message-ID: <MMCdnQlaW8yzMmjcRVn-2A@gbronline.com>
Source record: 17456

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5745848993

434. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 02:35:39 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <%fiJd.4119$rv.4030@fed1read03>
Source record: 17457

Lou wrote:
>
> AND - you can also find citings of "merchants" who were in possession of
> linears with intent to sell - getting busted. So, go for it! It's a roll
> of the dice. You've already given your address and call. Wouldn't be
> surprised if they even pulled your license. The "point" is, you know they
> are illegal devices. You are in possession of one and attempting to sell
> same in contradiction to FCC Rules and Regulations. Linears you might say
> are like crack cocaine. Illegal to possess and sell.
> Ignorance is no excuse.
>
> L.
I think you were replying to the previous poster in the thread....

--
DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
has its limits.

435. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 02:49:40 UTC
From: Lou <lf08357@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <iwiJd.38627$NC6.17951@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 17458

"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
news:%fiJd.4119$rv.4030@fed1read03...
> Lou wrote:
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> --
> DE N7ZZT
> Eric Oyen
> Phoenix, Arizona
> e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
> the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
> has its limits.

Eh, maybe, though wasn't trying to. But, as far as I'm concerned, I thought
this thread died!

L.

436. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 03:02:53 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <xFiJd.4120$rv.2948@fed1read03>
Source record: 17459

N8WWM wrote:

>
> "N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
> news:IruHd.40329$St.8397@fed1read03...
>> cabletieguy wrote:
>>
>>> Please don't post photos the usenet !
>>>
>>> BTW, one can get in trouble by USING the device,
>>> owning one is not a crime the last time I checked.
>>>
>>> 73
>> That is not the FCC view of things. last comment I heard from someone
>> that works with them: "possession is sufficient to prove guilt". Frankly,
>> I tend
>> to believe him.
>>
> Your a truckstop suck queen eric. SOLD!
Contributing to the ever growling lawlessness, eh smartass?

--
DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
has its limits.

437. FA:Motorola Saber hirose adapters, "D" stamp, KVL key loader, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 03:32:10 UTC
From: "R. Belcher" <randy.belcher@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <_4jJd.13027$ef6.272@trnddc07>
Source record: 17460
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hey all, have some Saber/Systems Saber Hirose adapters on ebay, great for surveillance stuff and they have "D" stamp for use with KVL key loader!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3869407503&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

Thanks,
rb

438. AGE OF ICOM 725 HF RIG ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 06:52:45 UTC
From: Radio Man <puns@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <11mJd.23$2i4.9@trnddc01>
Source record: 17461

I have an IC-725 with the serial# 24711
How do i convert this to the month & year?

439. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 07:28:52 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <UymJd.4147$rv.3817@fed1read03>
Source record: 17462

Jerry wrote:
>
> Actually, this *may* be an imposter trying to stir up trouble for the
> actual
> holder of the callsign posted. There's a war of words going on over on
> rec.radio.cb and, perhaps, this is just an effort to get others in trouble
> for posting a "CB" amp for sale. I don't know that, but it could be.
>
>
> J
That may be true, however, given recent circumstances (and statements) lead me to think otherwise. It is true that a "war of words" exists here (and on several other related usenet groups). However, it seems to me that these people that are continuing this flamwar are just arguing to be arguing (and dragging the rest of us into their petty little squabbles in the process).

However, I only commented to 1 particular post in this thread regarding the fcc and their particular policy with regard to non-type accepted equipment. as for others making of-color/snide comments with regards to characters (such as mine), they get what they deserve in the way of a response.

meanwhile, I think this thread has diverged from the original point.

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DE N7ZZT
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440. Re: Mystery interference on HF. Plasma TV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 07:31:30 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <mBmJd.4148$rv.1149@fed1read03>
Source record: 17463

=K=5=D=H= wrote:

> I have a mystery interference on HF, from 160m
> through 10m and everywhere in between. It's a
> broad, raspy noise that repeats about every 16
> KHz from "DC to daylight" across the MF and HF
> spectrum. Someone suggested this might be from
> a plasma TV. There's no BPL around here (yet!).
> This is really annoying because it is strong
> and broad. Any suggestions?
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH

sounds more like a switching supply to me (they are found in everything from computer power supplies to cheap tv sets these days).

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DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
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441. Re: Mystery interference on HF. Plasma TV?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 07:48:17 UTC
From: nana <nana@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <35mbudF4bkennU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17464

"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
news:mBmJd.4148$rv.1149@fed1read03...
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>> and broad. Any suggestions?
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>> 73,
>> Dean K5DH
stupidity is that intelligence
> has its limits.

Your Television system has a line oscillator rate of 15725 Hz. It is most likely that you are receiving interference from a nearby TV set. Try turning off the TV, or wait until the wee hours when the neighbours have turned off theirs too.

Yep, it's annoying alright. I answered a question similar to this a week ago, however, it related to computer monitors. Mine is presently running at 43.1KHz. If it is a problem, I can go into Properties, change the rate and shift the interference to another part of the band.

Nana

442. FA: $9.99 YAESU MH-27 A8J DTMF HAND MICROPHONE-LN,BOX>FT-2500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:21:45 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102145.14897.00000143@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17465

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5745851254
This is my entire list on Ebay.
You may want to check others while you're there :-)
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3&page=1&rows=25&since=14&rdir=0
Thanks es 73.....RICH-WA2RQY RLUCCH2098@aol.com
Cheep Manuals for sale @>>
http://www.myradioroom.com/manualsales.html
Web-Page URL>
HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

443. FA: $9.99 TWO(2) USED 6JS6C RF OUTPUT TUBES>Tested-Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:22:53 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102253.14897.00000144@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17466

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5745851293
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444. FA: $9.99 TWO(2) BRAND-NEW 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES-China>Nice Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:23:57 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102357.14897.00000146@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17467

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5745851324
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445. FA: $10.50 HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK, NEW-9-1/2">NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:24:57 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102457.14897.00000148@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17468

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5745851348
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446. FA: $9.99 HEATHKIT HP-13 MOBILE DC POWER SUPPLY>MINT INSIDE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:26:10 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102610.14897.00000150@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17469

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5745851367
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447. FA: $9.99 BEAUTIFUL AZDEN PCS-2800 10MTR FM MOBILE TRANSCEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:27:07 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102707.14897.00000152@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17470

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5745851400
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HTTP://members.aol.com/rlucch2098/index.html

448. FA: $9.99 B&W AP-10A(?) PORTABLE ANTENNA-4 COILS ONLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:28:21 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102821.14897.00000155@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17472

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
5745851411
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449. FA: $9.99 21 HARRIS HR 9136 TRANSISTORS w/HEATSINK>RCA 40410 TYPE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:29:24 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125102924.14897.00000157@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17471

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3868895724
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450. FA: $9.99 12 MOTOROLA 2N5238 & RAYTHEON 2N1132 TRANSISTORS>GOLD:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:30:22 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125103022.14897.00000158@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17473

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3868895732
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451. FA: $9.99 "TONS" of 54 EUROPEAN STYLE AC PLUGS/ ADAPTERS>Need'em?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:31:23 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050125103123.14897.00000160@mb-m21.aol.com>
Source record: 17474

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
3868896080
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452. FA: HP 438A POWER METER (OPTION 2) WITH SENSOR AND CABLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 15:58:48 UTC
From: RPK <rpkalb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <I%tJd.25368$8W4.9048@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17475

For auction is a nice HP 438 power meter complete with 8481A sensor and cable.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=73164&item=3868638972&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

453. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 16:04:02 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <x1uJd.9216$ud3.7581@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17476

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
>>
>
> Oh yes. I think I have been "bit" by most everything producing high
> voltage since I became a ham. Of course newer equipment, like
> linears, protect those of us prone to stick our fingers in things.

I had a Lettine 240 in a '67 Chevrolet with a DM 35 dyno (807 final). Did around 50 watts or so. Not only would it almost dim the headlights OUT at night, if you left your filaments on by accident, it would kill the battery in 30 minutes. Been there, done that!! LOL.

In those days, if some had told me that one day, you could have an all-band transceiver with 100 watts that was the size of some CB sets, I'd have told him he was nuts! To me, that is so COOL! I used to not think about lugging a Viking transmitter upstairs, but now it is oh, so NICE; you can practically put yer radio in yer pocket!! OF course, then I was about 19 years old!! Full of vim and vig-ah (with respect to President Kennedy ;)). Nowadays, I can still lug a Viking, but it shorrrrrrrre ain't no fun!

73

Jerry
>
> I ran a PE-103 in my 1937 Chevrolet coupe. It had a 30-amp generator,
> and the PE-103 would suck the life out of the 6-volt battery if the
> engine wasn't running. Even then you had to be careful.
>
> Dick - W6CCD

BTW, I still have that original DM35 dyno that was in my Chevy + a few spares. I used to visit the hamfests and, if I saw a Dyno for a buck or so, I'd pick it up. Sometimes as low as 50 cents. I still have 3 of them sitting in the furnace room--couple still in the cosmolene. One day, I'll tell you about the "dynomotor dance"! LOL!

454. Re: Collins knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 16:35:47 UTC
From: Jerry Oxendine K4KWH <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <r9tcv0t52r3483b491oja2dib6g1iod120@4ax.com>
Source record: 17477

On 19 Jan 2005 19:45:35 -0800, w9gyc@earthlink.net
wrote:

>Looking to restore S line . Need 9 knobs and 1 wing emblem.
>
I like to bob on knobs, especially big black ones.

_____
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455. Re: Mystery signal on 60 Meters....tv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 16:38:51 UTC
From: Jerry Oxendine K4KWH <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <gdtcv05j040b6e9471sdgj3fm30r6sgcea@4ax.com>
Source record: 17478

My anal pyramid butt plug creartes birdies on 20
meters but it feels so good in my ass I don't
care.

On Thu, 20 Jan 2005 10:04:53 -0600, "Ken Bessler"

<kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote:

>When I lived in Denver I heard it. When I got my FT-840
>I heard it so that kinda rules out a birdie. When I got my
>brand new shiny FT-857D last week I heard it, too!
>
>It basically ruins 5.366.50. Sounds like a TV oscillator?
>
>Visit the webpage below and see if you can identify this
>months mystery signal!
>
>http://members.cox.net/kg0wx/
>
>73's es gd dx de Ken KG0WX
>Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
>List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
>VX-2R & FT-857
>

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456. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 16:42:30 UTC
From: Jerry Oxendine K4KWH <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <omtcv0h7citppve71qqhj78b5miccnr7gl@4ax.com>
Source record: 17479

On Wed, 19 Jan 2005 12:33:46 -0700, Dick
<LeadWinger> wrote:

>On Wed, 19 Jan 2005 13:22:05 -0500, "Lou" <lf08357@Yahoo.Com> wrote:
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>>"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
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>>> cabletieguy wrote:
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>>>> Please don't post photos the usenet !
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>>>> BTW, one can get in trouble by USING the device,
>>>> owning one is not a crime the last time I checked.
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>>> Eric Oyen
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>>> has its limits.
>>
>>AND - you can also find citings of "merchants" who were in possession of
>>linears with intent to sell - getting busted. So, go for it! It's a roll of
>>the dice. You've already given your address and call. Wouldn't be surprised
>>if they even pulled your license. The "point" is, you know they are illegal
>>devices. You are in possession of one and attempting to sell same in
>>contradiction to FCC Rules and Regulations. Linears you might say are like
>>crack cocaine. Illegal to possess and sell.
>>Ignorance is no excuse.
>>
>>L.
>
>It depends upon how the linear is to be used. There is nothing wrong
>with a licensed amateur radio operator owning a linear or even
>building one from scratch as long as it is to be used on the amateur
>radio bands (in this case, 10-meters.) Using or intending to use one
>on the CB band is obviously illegal. Without having a valid amateur

>license in my possession, I wouldn't touch one with a ten-foot pole.
>
>Dick - W6CCD

>
I stuffed a 4 foot pole up my ass and LOVED
IT!!

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457. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 16:46:43 UTC
From: Jerry Oxendine K4KWH <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <pttcv0967hks6vu4dhu4q5vcf1t0fvksmj@4ax.com>
Source record: 17480

On Sun, 23 Jan 2005 18:58:31 -0500, "Jerry"
<joxendi@bellsouth.net> wrote:

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>"N7ZZT - Eric Oyen" <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
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>
>
>J
>
I forgot to add I gave a big buck nigger a blow
job at the truck stop. He even let me talk on his
CB.

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458. Re: CB linear for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 16:53:52 UTC
From: Jerry Oxendine K4KWH <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3bucv0dbofv07tc5dstj4fc7nhq0r97nhl@4ax.com>
Source record: 17481

On Sat, 15 Jan 2005 08:17:49 -0500, "N8WWM DOUG
ADAIR" <N8WWM@arrl.net> wrote:

>Be LOUD and PROUD!
>
>Email me
>
>$200 firm
>
>
I use one of those as a driver for my Dave made
amp. I squash all the mud ducks on channel 17.

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459. FS: Drake UV-3 FM Transceiver.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-25 22:28:46 UTC
From: David Black <dblack4@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <dblack4-9F3F30.14274625012005@news1.west.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17482

Forsale:

Drake UV-3 FM Transceiver

$225.00

See Url for more details/pics. Thanks!

http://home.earthlink.net/~dblack4/Drakeuv3.html

P.S. this is not an auction but I'll list it on Ebay if it does not sell.

David
dblack4@earthlink.net

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David Black <dblack4@earthlink.net>

460. Re: AGE OF ICOM 725 HF RIG ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 00:59:23 UTC
From: "Gary P. Fiber" <g.fiber@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <3lqdv01ml0j1t5vgk0e5ffr4s7sko5ntpe@4ax.com>
Source record: 17483

On Tue, 25 Jan 2005 06:52:45 GMT, "Radio Man" <puns@verizon.net>
wrote:

>I have an IC-725 with the serial# 24711
>How do i convert this to the month & year?
>
you don't Icom's serial numbers do not depict the month and year.The
serial number is issued on succession of units produced. You have the
26711 IC-725 produced. Numbers under 1000 were / are prototype units
in the time frame the IC-725 was introduced.

Gary k8IZ

461. HAVE YOU HEARD THE GOOD NEWS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 01:19:18 UTC
From: google_groups_web@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1106702358.453849.167560@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17484

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this life has ended?

Some people believe that belonging to a local church, temple, mosque or synagogue will get them to Heaven.

Others believe that water baptism, obeying the ten commandments or just being a good person will get them to Heaven.

There are many other beliefs as well, but the good news about God's way to Heaven is found in the Holy Bible.

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our sins(misdeeds). He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for our sins. After Jesus was placed in a tomb He rose from the dead three days later as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us that Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept Him as their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him in Heaven where there is no more death, sorrow, sickness and pain.

The Bible says, "For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord." (Romans 6:23)

This verse in the Bible says, "For ALL HAVE SINNED, and come short of the glory of God." (Romans 3:23)

This verse says, "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this: While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Romans 5:8)

In this passage the Bible clearly explains how simple it is to be saved and on your way to Heaven, "For if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)

You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if you will open your heart to Jesus and pray the following prayer:

Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have a home in Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a sinner.
I believe You love me and want to save me. I believe that You bled and died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead. Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace. Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

Salvation is not a reward but a gift. The Bible says it this way, "For it is by GRACE you have been SAVED, through FAITH and this not from yourselves, it is the GIFT of God." (Ephesians 2:8)

Nothing in the world is more important than your eternal destiny.

The Bible says, "In Him(Jesus) we have redemption through His blood, the forgiveness of sins..." (Ephesians 1:7)

If you have not yet made a decision to be saved, please do so now before it is too late. The reason why it is so important to be saved now is because you do not know exactly when you will die. You may die prematurely in a traffic accident, terrorist attack or some other way before you get another chance to be saved.

The Bible tells us that we will spend eternity in Heaven or a place of eternal torment called Hell. It would be terrible to die and go to Hell when all you have to do is accept Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Saviour.

Some people that have already made Jesus Christ their Lord and Saviour worry about losing their salvation. The Bible teaches Christians that we can never lose our salvation no matter what happens.

The Bible says it this way, "My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have one who speaks to the Father in our defense Jesus Christ, the Righteous One."

Yes my friend, Jesus Christ is able to save you and keep you saved.

Please tell your family and friends, thanks!

Have a great day!
Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi

1. http://www.biblegateway.com << Free Online Bible
2. http://www.free-hoster.com/goodnews << Passion of the Christ
3. http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm << Beware Of Cults
4. http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm << About Hell
5. http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html << Is Jesus God?

462. Re: AGE OF ICOM 725 HF RIG ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 02:55:11 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrncve1kf.29op.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 17485

On Wed, 26 Jan 2005 00:59:23 GMT, Gary P Fiber wrote:
> On Tue, 25 Jan 2005 06:52:45 GMT, "Radio Man" <puns@verizon.net>
> wrote:
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>>I have an IC-725 with the serial# 24711
>>How do i convert this to the month & year?
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> you don't Icom's serial numbers do not depict the month and year.The
> serial number is issued on succession of units produced. You have the
> 26711 IC-725 produced. Numbers under 1000 were / are prototype units
> in the time frame the IC-725 was introduced.
>
> Gary k8IZ

Open'er up and read off the date codes of the various IC's.
A month or so past the most recent date code ought to put
you in the ballpark. Too, you might find a QA stamp on
one of the pc boards.

Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

463. FA: Original (not reproductions) Collins Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 02:58:01 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <TGDJd.85799$Wo.29356@lakeread08>
Source record: 17486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

These are original Collins manuals - not reproductions. Most in very good to excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

464. RELAY ICOM IC-761

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 16:05:28 UTC
From: shale32@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <utffv093svlov4jl2t4grh2ip5o1vc3nsm@4ax.com>
Source record: 17487

I'm looking for a relay for my '761. It's the reed relay on the PA
connector board... UMP-12905Y. A Canadian source for this or an
equivalent unit would be most appreciated.
Thanks... Scott VE1AFN.

465. FA: HP 438A POWER METER (OPTION 2) WITH SENSOR AN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 16:53:56 UTC
From: RPK <rpkalb@msn.com>
Message-ID: <PSPJd.97241$zy6.94607@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17488

For auction is a nice HP 438 power meter complete with 8481A sensor and cable.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=73164&item=3868638972&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

466. Radio Data Code Manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 18:18:56 UTC
From: Dave <dave.harper@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1106763536.808799.148880@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Can anyone recommend a good source (aka cheap) to get the Radio Data
Code Manual by Klingenfuss (or an equivalent book)? Or better yet,
does anyone have a used copy they'd like to sell?
Thanks in advance!
Dave

467. wanted Mike/cable for AZDEN PCS3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-26 21:04:23 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0501261100010.17392@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 17490

I have a coil cord mike cable that came with the AZDEN PCS3000
which I bought new way back years ago. The cable however is
intermitent, sometimes it works ok many times it dont.
If anyone has an old PCS3000 in a closet somewhere and no longer
used, I would pay a small amount just to get the Mike and cable
plug.
Kokomo Joe (email addr is valid)

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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468. WTB Knob for the IC-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 00:51:07 UTC
From: Zeca Peixoto <shaluiaj@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <41F83B17.9458BECD@yahoo.com>
Source record: 17491

looking for the KNOB of the power on/off for the ic-735
Tnx
Shalui

469. Re: WTB Knob for the IC-735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 03:05:18 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <fgmgv0hcj0pmqs1hhkscnfnvfflchboteh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17492

On Thu, 27 Jan 2005 00:51:07 GMT, Zeca Peixoto <shaluiaj@yahoo.com>
wrote:

>looking for the KNOB of the power on/off for the ic-735
>Tnx
>Shalui

It's more of a horizontal chrome metal bar, not a knob.

Bob
k5qwg

470. Re: AGE OF ICOM 725 HF RIG ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 03:11:22 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <qpmgv0dseb7n1sqcct2iehgd8325q5tupf@4ax.com>
Source record: 17493

On Tue, 25 Jan 2005 06:52:45 GMT, "Radio Man" <puns@verizon.net>
wrote:

>I have an IC-725 with the serial# 24711
>How do i convert this to the month & year?
>

FWIW, the 725 reviewed in the March 1990 QST has a serial number of
02826. So yours is probably later than that.

bob
k5qwg

471. Midland 70-0375C commercial 6 meter rig??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 16:33:27 UTC
From: denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <10vi5uemfk7p77c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17494

Hi all...
I have recently accquired a Midland 70-0375C 100 watt 42-50 mhz trunk mount transciever with control head, mounting bracket, power cord, speaker and mic...
but no interface cable...
How available are the interface cables?? Can anything else be used in place of them??
Can these be reprogrammed to work on the ham bands??
If anyone is looking for one of these, let me know..thanks..

472. Re: Midland 70-0375C commercial 6 meter rig??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 17:52:16 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95EB64A22309Espectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 17495

"denton" <denton@oregontrail.net> wrote in
news:10vi5uemfk7p77c@corp.supernews.com:

> Hi all...
> I have recently accquired a Midland 70-0375C 100 watt 42-50 mhz trunk
> mount transciever with control head, mounting bracket, power cord,
> speaker and mic...
> but no interface cable...
> How available are the interface cables?? Can anything else be used in
> place of them??
> Can these be reprogrammed to work on the ham bands??
> If anyone is looking for one of these, let me know..thanks..
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I "Think" I recall that model can be programmed and Tuned to the 6M Ham band, but the tuning process can be a bit tricky unless you have the service manual. The Interface cable should be accessable from any commercial dealer that sells Midland LMR radios. It should also be fairly cheap as the cheap version of the Interface cable is nothing more than computer type flat ribbon cable (26 conductor) with cheap plastic crimp/mash type connectors on each end.

Ed

473. Ham Shack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 21:25:15 UTC
From: C <d@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <ctbn0g$80a$1@kermit.esat.net>
Source record: 17496

Hi,

Would anybody know a website that would give ideas on how to set up a radio shack??Also what is the best type of mast to obtain to position the antennas on a rotator + to gradually add on antennas along the mast below each other..Thanks for looking!

Chris

474. FS: 2m amp, radius, mitrek etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 21:35:36 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <ctbn5i$2ob3$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 17348

Some stuff I'm getting rid of:

http://tekstuff.freespace.com/

No pop-ups, java or other BS

475. Re: Mystery signal on 60 Meters....tv?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 21:39:47 UTC
From: Dave Bushong <db@9y.com>
Message-ID: <ZqmdneFtcb45wmTcRVn-1w@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17497

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Whenever I see losers here impersonating someone else, I feel sad.
Fortunately for the hobby, the impersonators aren't usually hams, and
they are usually underachievers who disappear after a while. They
live in the basement of their divorced mothers' house (until age 40).

For reprisal to me, I'll probably get a few forged postings claiming
to be me. That is why this, and every future posting I do in r.r.a.*
groups, will be PGP signed. If it ain't, it ain't from me.

Jerry Oxendine K4KWH wrote:
> My anal pyramid butt plug creartes birdies on 20
> meters but it feels so good in my ass I don't
> care.
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> On Thu, 20 Jan 2005 10:04:53 -0600, "Ken Bessler"
>
> <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote:
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>>When I lived in Denver I heard it. When I got my FT-840
>>I heard it so that kinda rules out a birdie. When I got my
>>brand new shiny FT-857D last week I heard it, too!
>>
>>It basically ruins 5.366.50. Sounds like a TV oscillator?
>>
>>Visit the webpage below and see if you can identify this
>>months mystery signal!
>>
>>http://members.cox.net/kg0wx/
>>
>>73's es gd dx de Ken KG0WX
>>Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
>>List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
>>VX-2R & FT-857
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> Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
> More than 120,000 groups
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> Unlimited download
> http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

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476. oops! FS: 2m amp, radius good link

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 21:50:48 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <ctbnsd$2ota$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 17349

Some stuff I'm getting rid of:

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com/

No pop-ups, java or other BS required.

477. Re: HAVE YOU HEARD THE GOOD NEWS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-27 22:32:12 UTC
From: Dave Bushong <db@9y.com>
Message-ID: <zNydnZkIt4Bt9mTcRVn-vw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17350

I hate you. I normally listen to peoples' belief in their own religion,
but when you jam it down my throat, you become one of those people that
Jesus denounced for stumbling one of those "little ones".

You ass hole.

google_groups_web@yahoo.com wrote:
> Good News!
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> Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this life has ended?
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> synagogue will get them to Heaven.
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> Others believe that water baptism, obeying the ten commandments or just
> being a good person will get them to Heaven.
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> There are many other beliefs as well, but the good news about God's way
> to Heaven is found in the Holy Bible.
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> The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of
> Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our sins(misdeeds). He
> was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman
> named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then
> sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death
> penalty for our sins. After Jesus was placed in a tomb He rose from the
> dead three days later as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us
> that Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept Him as
> their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him in Heaven where there
> is no more death, sorrow, sickness and pain.
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> The Bible says, "For the wages of sin is death, but the gift of God is
> eternal life through Christ Jesus our Lord." (Romans 6:23)
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> This verse in the Bible says, "For ALL HAVE SINNED, and come short of
> the glory of God." (Romans 3:23)
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> This verse says, "But God demonstrates his own love for us in this:
> While we were still sinners, Christ died for us." (Romans 5:8)
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> In this passage the Bible clearly explains how simple it is to be saved
> and on your way to Heaven, "For if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus
> is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead,
> you WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)
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> You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if you will open
> your heart to Jesus and pray the following prayer:
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> Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have a home in
> Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a sinner.
> I believe You love me and want to save me. I believe that You bled and
> died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. I believe that You
> rose from the dead. Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and
> be my Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for forgiving me
> and saving me through Your merciful grace. Amen.
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> You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed God to save
> you. Welcome to the family of God.
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> Salvation is not a reward but a gift. The Bible says it this way, "For
> it is by GRACE you have been SAVED, through FAITH and this not from
> yourselves, it is the GIFT of God." (Ephesians 2:8)
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> Nothing in the world is more important than your eternal destiny.
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> The Bible says, "In Him(Jesus) we have redemption through His blood,
> the forgiveness of sins..." (Ephesians 1:7)
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> If you have not yet made a decision to be saved, please do so now
> before it is too late. The reason why it is so important to be saved
> now is because you do not know exactly when you will die. You may die
> prematurely in a traffic accident, terrorist attack or some other way
> before you get another chance to be saved.
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> The Bible tells us that we will spend eternity in Heaven or a place of
> eternal torment called Hell. It would be terrible to die and go to Hell
> when all you have to do is accept Jesus Christ as your personal Lord
> and Saviour.
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> worry about losing their salvation. The Bible teaches Christians that
> we can never lose our salvation no matter what happens.
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> The Bible says it this way, "My dear children, I write this to you so
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> to the Father in our defense Jesus Christ, the Righteous One."
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> Yes my friend, Jesus Christ is able to save you and keep you saved.
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> Please tell your family and friends, thanks!
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> Have a great day!
> Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi
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> 1. http://www.biblegateway.com << Free Online Bible
> 2. http://www.free-hoster.com/goodnews << Passion of the Christ
> 3. http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm << Beware Of Cults
> 4. http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm << About Hell
> 5. http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html << Is Jesus God?
>

478. Re: Radio Data Code Manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 00:49:58 UTC
From: Brian Short <bshort4@cox.net>
Message-ID: <bshort4-1FC3DF.17495827012005@news.central.cox.net>
Source record: 17351
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <1106763536.808799.148880@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
"Dave" <dave.harper@gmail.com> wrote:

> Can anyone recommend a good source (aka cheap) to get the Radio Data
> Code Manual by Klingenfuss (or an equivalent book)? Or better yet,
> does anyone have a used copy they'd like to sell?
> Thanks in advance!
> Dave

Some libraries will arrange inter-library loans at no cost.

Here, at the Tempe Public Library, each patron may have
up to 3 such requests active at a time.

Sometimes, there is a small charge if they have to go out
of state (Arizona) or whatever.

479. trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 01:39:17 UTC
From: Eric Patterson <ericp@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <9JgKd.1396$Yd7.1388@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17352

I recently replaced the battery on my FT-470, which has a telescopic antenna. Recently, I have been having trouble accessing local repeaters. My repeater shift is set to .6 MHZ on 2 meters and 5 MHZ on 440. Is this the correct repeater shift? If so, what are some other things I could check for? I am living on the center floor of a 3-story apartment complex and can hear the repeaters ok. This problem did not occur when I lived out in Gresham. My apartment complex in Gresham had 3 stories and I lived on the center floor just like I do now. I can hear repeaters ok, but I can't transmit to them. Thanks in advance for any recommendations.

Eric Patterson, Kb7vfr, Beaverton, Or.

480. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 03:12:29 UTC
From: John <noaddress@noaddress.invalid>
Message-ID: <1sednem9Euk4MGTcRVn-vg@comcast.com>
Source record: 17353

"Eric Patterson" <ericp@teleport.com> wrote in message
news:9JgKd.1396$Yd7.1388@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
>I recently replaced the battery on my FT-470, which has a telescopic
> antenna. Recently, I have been having trouble accessing local repeaters.
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> hear the repeaters ok. This problem did not occur when I lived out in
> Gresham. My apartment complex in Gresham had 3 stories and I lived on the
> center floor just like I do now. I can hear repeaters ok, but I can't
> transmit to them. Thanks in advance for any recommendations.
>
> Eric Patterson, Kb7vfr, Beaverton, Or.
>
>
Do the repeaters require a sub-audible tone (PL) to access them?
If they do, you need to program your radio to transmit the proper
tone. In the 146 mhz band the shift is -0.6 mhz. In the 147 mhz
band the shift is +0.6 mhz. 5 mhz is the correct shift for the 440 mhz
band but it could be + or - depending on the local band plan. If the
repeater output is above 446 mhz it would be a - shift. If the repeater
output is below 445 mhz it would be a + shift.

John wa3tsw

481. Re: HAVE YOU HEARD THE GOOD NEWS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 14:45:43 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <ctdj6n$rl6$2@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 17354

Dave Bushong wrote:

> I hate you. I normally listen to peoples' belief in their own religion,
> but when you jam it down my throat, you become one of those people that
> Jesus denounced for stumbling one of those "little ones".
>
> You ass hole.

Don't hold back, Dave. Let him know how you really feel!

Good reply, though!

> google_groups_web@yahoo.com wrote:
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>> Good News!

<rest snipped>

- Mike KB3EIA -

482. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 15:13:46 UTC
From: derswede@aol.comspam.com
Message-ID: <20050128101346.14053.00000268@mb-m19.aol.com>
Source record: 17355

>I recently replaced the battery on my >FT-470, which has a telescopic
>antenna. Recently, I have been having >trouble accessing local repeaters.

Eric....do you have the right tones programmed? This would prevent you from accessing a repeater. Check to see if the "T" is showing up on the display. Also, check to see if you're on low power or hi. Also, if the battery is the lower voltage unit (7,2V), you're outputting only around 2W of power...the 12V cellpak is needed for 5W.

>My repeater shift is set to .6 MHZ on 2 meters and 5 MHZ on 440.

Yup...that is correct for <<most>> repeaters, tho you should check. Also, make sure that your offset is in the right direction (+/- is set right). I had a -470 for years...good solid HT. One caveat...I did have the internal antenna connection crack and separate....could "barely" hear a repeater but could not hit it. Bit of solder and a piece of flex wire & I was back in business. Worth checking, esp. with the telescopic antenna, which puts more stress on the connector. I was using an ANLI telescopic when mine failed.

Of course, this may be the rig's way of saying "time to get on HF, so get the code out of the way!" QRP would be easy from the 2nd floor, if you have a nearby tree for an end fed wire (my std. hotel setup).

>Eric Patterson, Kb7vfr, Beaverton, Or.

Hope this helps!
A

483. FA: Motorola Radius P110's UHF 4-Watt-Chargers-Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 15:54:08 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <BetKd.3369$5t.1156@fed1read07>
Source record: 17356
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola Radius P110's UHF 4-Watt-Chargers-Extras

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3869245859&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

484. FA: Pair of Motorola CP200 UHF 4-watt Portables-Chargers-Nice Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 15:57:36 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <QhtKd.3370$5t.678@fed1read07>
Source record: 17357
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Pair of Motorola CP200 UHF 4-watt Portables-Chargers-Nice Condition

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3869252673&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

485. FA: Motorola "Bench Test Equipment" - Code Synthesizer II - Digital & Analog Multi-Formats -No Reserve - Like New !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 16:12:37 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <WvtKd.3371$5t.1681@fed1read07>
Source record: 17358
Cross-posted to: alt.video.equipment.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: Motorola "Bench Test Equipment" - Code Synthesizer II - Digital & Analog Formats -No Reserve - Like New !

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3869259001&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

486. FA: Motorola Visar Series 800 Mhz Portable w/Charger & Remote / Speaker Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 16:25:43 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <cltKd.3372$5t.922@fed1read07>
Source record: 17359
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola Visar Series 800 MHz Portable w/Charger & Remote / Speaker Mic

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3869782898&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

487. FA: Motorola HT1000 UHF 403-470 MHz Portable Radio w/Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 16:29:01 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <iLtKd.3373$5t.1472@fed1read07>
Source record: 17360
Cross-posted to: alt.video.equipment.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola HT1000 UHF 403-470 MHz Portable Radio w/Charger

488. FA: Motorola MTX838, MTX9000, MTX8000 Portable Radios - Lot Sale Cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 16:32:04 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <9OtKd.3374$5t.1635@fed1read07>
Source record: 17361
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: Motorola MTX838, MTX9000, MTX8000 Portable Radios - Lot Sale Cheap!

489. FA: Motorola HT1250 ls+(Plus) - Portable Radio-Late Model w/Voice Storage & Passport Options

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 16:37:13 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <_StKd.3375$5t.3122@fed1read07>
Source record: 17362
Cross-posted to:
alt.audio.equipment,alt.video.equipment.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: Motorola HT1250 ls+(Plus) - Portable Radio-Late Model w/Voice Storage & Passport Options

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3870222225&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

490. Trade ALL for Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 17:11:08 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <odskv0le7e4dqoqgf1mse4ukgakikm7gae@4ax.com>
Source record: 17363

Uniden BC250D MINT - No Card - All accessories
Uniden BC780 xlt In the Box with all - Image Mod done
Relm 200 Mobile Scanner - Alpha,PC software,Great Shape
Pro-43 - Excellent with custom case - 800 mod and beep mode done
Pro-2006 with LED Mods done (e-mail for more info)
Optoelectronics Scout 40 - Excellent shape also

Looking for an Internet ready laptop with all docs , disk , etc.

All these are in great 100% working order.

Please no junk , looking for an equal trade for value.

Thanks, Scan Da Bands

491. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 17:23:55 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrncvkt9b.1so3.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 17364

On Fri, 28 Jan 2005 01:39:17 GMT, Eric Patterson wrote:

> I recently replaced the battery on my FT-470, which has a telescopic
> antenna. Recently, I have been having trouble accessing local repeaters.

Did you have to open the case to replace this battery (I know not
the FT-470), and did you have to unscrew the telescopic antenna
(and speaker) leads to get the case out of the away of the battery
replacement? And, did you (or whoever) overlook the antenna's
re-attachment?

Not that I've ever pulled a bonehead stunt like that..... HI!HI!

73
Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

492. Re: HAVE YOU HEARD THE GOOD NEWS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 17:30:13 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrncvktl5.1so3.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 17365

On Thu, 27 Jan 2005 17:32:12 -0500, Dave Bushong wrote:

> I hate you. I normally listen to peoples' belief in their own religion,
> but when you jam it down my throat, you become one of those people that
> Jesus denounced for stumbling one of those "little ones".
> You ass hole.

And, I'm not particularly fond of you -- nor of any of the other
clueless among us that reply to Write-Only Spammers. They are
NEVER going to read your followup.

And, especially maddening are the Super Clueless that quote the
entire damn original spam.

493. FA: Last Day - Original Collins Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 19:17:54 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <BdwKd.98662$Wo.78104@lakeread08>
Source record: 17366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

These are original Collins manuals - not reproductions. Most in very good to excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

494. New Hunting reality show

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-28 23:30:50 UTC
From: thruthewoods32@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1106955050.032918.169730@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17367

Have you heard about this new hunting reality TV show that's seeking participants? It's called "Hunting for Bambi" and it's like Fear Factor meets Girls Gone Wild. 6 guys get to hunt 12 naked women in the woods with paintball guns. Sounds like it should be a new Olympic sport if you ask me! Definitely better than hunting deer. lol! Go to www.huntingforbambi.com if you're interested in signing up.

495. JRC Japan Radio Corporation and new ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 02:01:10 UTC
From: Manfred Lange <ANTISPAM___ml@fan.net>
Message-ID: <g0e4p1e8j9wf$.10iihhdp1pwl9$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 17368

Does anyone know if JRC is going to develop new radio equipment for ham usage? Are they still active on this subject?

The last receiver I found on their website is the NRD-545, the last transceiver probably the JST-245.

What comes next from this high-tech company for ham operators?

73, Manfred, DK3UD
Hamburg / Germany

496. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 02:16:03 UTC
From: Eric Patterson <ericp@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <DICKd.1569$S3.924@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17369

John and others:
Thanks for the advice. I checked in an online repeater directory and most of the repeaters I tried to access do not require a tone. As for checking the tones and repeater shift, I can't do that on my own because I am visually impaired and am not able to see the display. Even though I am only putting out 2.3 watts, that shouldn't be the problem because I have used that same power output to access repeaters in Gresham, Salem, and Medford. Do you have any other recommendations?

Eric
"John" <noaddress@noaddress.invalid> wrote in message
news:1sednem9Euk4MGTcRVn-vg@comcast.com...
>
> "Eric Patterson" <ericp@teleport.com> wrote in message
> news:9JgKd.1396$Yd7.1388@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> >I recently replaced the battery on my FT-470, which has a telescopic
> > antenna. Recently, I have been having trouble accessing local
repeaters.
> > My repeater shift is set to .6 MHZ on 2 meters and 5 MHZ on 440. Is
this
> > the correct repeater shift? If so, what are some other things I could
> > check
> > for? I am living on the center floor of a 3-story apartment complex and
> > can
> > hear the repeaters ok. This problem did not occur when I lived out in
> > Gresham. My apartment complex in Gresham had 3 stories and I lived on
the
> > center floor just like I do now. I can hear repeaters ok, but I can't
> > transmit to them. Thanks in advance for any recommendations.
> >
> > Eric Patterson, Kb7vfr, Beaverton, Or.
> >
> >
> Do the repeaters require a sub-audible tone (PL) to access them?
> If they do, you need to program your radio to transmit the proper
> tone. In the 146 mhz band the shift is -0.6 mhz. In the 147 mhz
> band the shift is +0.6 mhz. 5 mhz is the correct shift for the 440 mhz
> band but it could be + or - depending on the local band plan. If the
> repeater output is above 446 mhz it would be a - shift. If the repeater
> output is below 445 mhz it would be a + shift.
>
> John wa3tsw
>
>

497. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 02:59:19 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ctulv0t56kqihbi74nii7b04nla0dj03tk@4ax.com>
Source record: 17370

Give us a list of 3 or 4 repeaters you are trying to access, and we
might be able to give better advice.

Dick - W6CCD

On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 02:16:03 GMT, "Eric Patterson"
<ericp@teleport.com> wrote:

>John and others:
> Thanks for the advice. I checked in an online repeater directory and
>most of the repeaters I tried to access do not require a tone. As for
>checking the tones and repeater shift, I can't do that on my own because I
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>only putting out 2.3 watts, that shouldn't be the problem because I have
>used that same power output to access repeaters in Gresham, Salem, and
>Medford. Do you have any other recommendations?

498. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 03:16:30 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <3ivlv092874kvbgpt2g4m2si6t8odfck8f@4ax.com>
Source record: 17371

I had to remind myself where Beaverton is. I was thinking it was in
the Portland area. Now that I see it is close to the coast in
southern Oregon, I would really doubt that you will have much luck
accessing a repeater with an HT. I have traveled and camped for years
along the Oregon coast when we lived in Eugene, and most of the time I
had great difficulty accessing more than one noisy repeater. And that
was with a 5/8-wave on the top of a 37' aluminum motorhome. I think
you are expecting too much from an HT. You might be able to hit the
146.61 machine in Coquille, or the 146.92 in Myrtle Point. The Coos
Bay repeaters all require a P/L tone.

Dick - W6CCD

On Fri, 28 Jan 2005 19:59:19 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

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>might be able to give better advice.
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>Dick - W6CCD
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>>am visually impaired and am not able to see the display. Even though I am
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>>used that same power output to access repeaters in Gresham, Salem, and
>>Medford. Do you have any other recommendations?

499. Re: want Schematic: Lunar 2m30-160P

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 04:35:24 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.communicate
Message-ID: <20050128233524.15433.00000324@mb-m02.aol.com>
Source record: 17372

<< On Mon, 24 Jan 2005 06:49:43 -0800, HK wrote:
> I need an owners manual and/or schematic for a Lunar 2m amp.
> Model 2m30-200P or the 2m30-160P
> I can send an SASE or receive it email (adobe) >>

Ken-

I purchased a simple 2M Lunar preamp back in the 80s. Out of curiosity I dug it out to see if it was like the one you are looking for. I see that yours is probably a combination pre-amp/power amp, not just a simple preamp, according to the data sheets I have.

There was no manual, just some mimeographed pages that apply to both the VHF and UHF versions.

The person that was listed on the literature, was Louis N. Anciaux, WB6NMT. From www.qrz.com, I found that he is now KG6UH/3F3XUG. His E-Mail address was listed at 3F3XUG as kg6uh at hotmail dot com. At KG6UH, it was kg6uh at arrl dot net.

I gather that Louis may have been associated with Lunar while in the US Navy stationed at San Diego. I didn't find out what happened to Lunar, but they may have merged with Linear Measurements in San Diego, which also acquired Non Linear Systems (NLS). Neither currently makes products like the Lunar amplifiers, as far as I can tell. Perhaps Louis could shed some light on a source for the information you are looking for.

73, Fred, K4DII

500. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 04:40:06 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <GsEKd.735$cl1.78@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17373

I think I can get Eric hooked up with someone
who can help get him going over there in Beaverton.

Sent him an email ...

Beaverton is a western suburb of Portland.

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli
"Eric Patterson" <ericp@teleport.com> wrote in message
news:9JgKd.1396$Yd7.1388@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
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> center floor just like I do now. I can hear repeaters ok, but I can't
> transmit to them. Thanks in advance for any recommendations.
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501. FS Alinco DR-605TQ Dual Band Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 04:43:53 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <7wEKd.7603$PB.2897@okepread01>
Source record: 17374

I have for sale an Alinco DR-605TQ Dual Band 2meter/440 Transceiver. It is like new with less than 10 hours use. It comes with the original box, mic, mobile mount, power cord and all that was in the box when new except the manual. I can not find it. The manual is available on the internet for downloading.
See at: http://home.ec.rr.com/w4ymi/Docs/dr605ins.pdf
Price is $265 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

502. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 05:02:44 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <h36mv0d73iqhmhtu26dljl5uu282315m3n@4ax.com>
Source record: 17375

On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 04:40:06 GMT, "Hank Oredson"
<horedson@earthlink.net> wrote:

>I think I can get Eric hooked up with someone
>who can help get him going over there in Beaverton.
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>Sent him an email ...
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>Beaverton is a western suburb of Portland.

There are actually two Beavertons in Oregon. One in Coos County and
the other in Washington County. You are probably right that he is in
the one off the 210 in Washington County. My map program threw me a
curve on that one.

503. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 05:08:19 UTC
From: CJ <null@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <vSEKd.4195$G31.1948@okepread05>
Source record: 17376

I used to see radar absorbant material advertised at a store. If I remember correctly it was just iron particles that were supposed to deflect radar energy away from the sending unit. You'd mix it with your paint and spray it on your car, that would count as "passive" method of avoiding detection. Of course that kind of material, should it work, would only buy the driver a second or so, since material like that only accounts for around a 10% reduction in radar signature on an aerodynamic vehicle. The box you drive to work every day probably wouldn't even benefit.

Just a thought.

"Brent P" <tetraethylleadREMOVETHIS@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:VI2dndaB-750X2zcRVn-3A@comcast.com...
> In article <brWdnd6LK8TTDGzcRVn-2w@comcast.com>, James C. Reeves wrote:
>> You missed the "...designed or intended to..." part. So your example of
>> a
>> black car without it's front tag is neither designed or intended to jam
>> laser signals. It's just a car with it's front tag missing (which
>> probably
>> is illegal all by itself)
>
> The problem with intent, is that it is an interpetation initially made on
> the spot by the officer. I am sure you'll be able to argue successfully
> in court at a cost in dollars and time that some device or some object or
> lack there of in/on your vehicle wasn't there with design or intent to
> defeat a police taxation device.
>
>> Additionally, a radar detector does not jam or scramble radar signals
>> either...it only tells the occupant that there there. So that doesn't
>> apply.
>
> Passive devices don't scramble or jam. A radar detector is a passive
> device. It listens, it does not broadcast. (if designed correctly) It's
> about how one interpets the legislation, which is the OP's point.
>
>

504. ICOM IC-2710 Crossband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 05:25:29 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ib242hv.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com>
Source record: 17377

Has anyone successfully used the ICOM IC-2710 dual-band transceiver as a crossband repeater - received signal coming in on, say, 440 MHz on Band 1 automatically triggers the transmission on 146 MHz on Band 2?

The manual goes into length about doing this when the operator pushes the PTT but that's not what I want.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

505. Re: ICOM IC-2710 Crossband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 05:36:34 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <10vm8729ja9uk72@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17378

> Has anyone successfully used the ICOM IC-2710 dual-band transceiver
> as a crossband repeater - received signal coming in on, say, 440 MHz
> on Band 1 automatically triggers the transmission on 146 MHz on Band
> 2?

http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=1908

As with most rigs which have a crossband repeat function, you'll
probably to use some sort of manual method to ensure that the radio
IDs itself legally (once per ten minutes), with your callsign, on each
of the bands on which it is transmitting.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

506. Re: ICOM IC-2710 Crossband

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 05:51:53 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ib25ahy.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com>
Source record: 17379

On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 05:36:34 -0000, Dave Platt wrote:

>http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=1908

Thanks, Dave. I'll try it out.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

507. Please Help! BYTEK S15-F Multiprogrammer...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 06:52:30 UTC
From: Scott Goss <scott.goss@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <nscmv052utc03caapa8opdbj4scpf8ddg8@4ax.com>
Source record: 17380

I have a BYTEK S15-F Multiprogrammer, but cannot find a source for manuals/software. Does anyone know where these can be downloaded, or does anyone have originals they could copy for me? I'd really appreciate it and I would be more than willing to paypal you a few bucks for your trouble.

Please use scott.goss <at> earthlink.net if replying as I don't check this group all the time.

Thanks, Scott

508. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 08:38:46 UTC
From: nana <nana@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <3610d2F4t09riU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17381

The old Mazda RX7, low, flat, used to have a very small RF signature - until the headlights popped up. Sorry, but you can't paint them black.

Nana
"CJ" <null@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:vSEKd.4195$G31.1948@okepread05...
>I used to see radar absorbant material advertised at a store. If I remember
>correctly it was just iron particles that were supposed to deflect radar
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509. FA Transmatch parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 16:45:16 UTC
From: Dave Edwards <kd2e@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <UcydnaLblaGAkmDcRVn-hA@comcast.com>
Source record: 17397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

See them here.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfromZR7QQfrppZ50QQfsooZ1QQfsopZ1QQsassZkd2e4ajqQQsofindtypeZ15QQsojsZ0

510. Re: Please Help! BYTEK S15-F Multiprogrammer... - 4e_1_b.jpg (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 16:53:17 UTC
From: Scott Goss <scott.goss@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <93gnv055b3lhc4kv9vcof5bcdf74lip6rc@4ax.com>
Source record: 17382

Here's a pic in case it helps:

-Scott

On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 06:52:30 GMT, Scott Goss
<scott.goss@earthlink.net> wrote:

>I have a BYTEK S15-F Multiprogrammer, but cannot find a source for
>manuals/software. Does anyone know where these can be downloaded, or
>does anyone have originals they could copy for me? I'd really
>appreciate it and I would be more than willing to paypal you a few
>bucks for your trouble.
>
>Please use scott.goss <at> earthlink.net if replying as I don't check
>this group all the time.
>
>Thanks, Scott

511. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 17:32:47 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <3NPKd.898$Nn1.803@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17383

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:h36mv0d73iqhmhtu26dljl5uu282315m3n@4ax.com...
> On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 04:40:06 GMT, "Hank Oredson"
> <horedson@earthlink.net> wrote:
>
>>I think I can get Eric hooked up with someone
>>who can help get him going over there in Beaverton.
>>
>>Sent him an email ...
>>
>>Beaverton is a western suburb of Portland.
>
> There are actually two Beavertons in Oregon. One in Coos County and
> the other in Washington County. You are probably right that he is in
> the one off the 210 in Washington County. My map program threw me a
> curve on that one.

It was the "... lived out in Gresham ..." that was the clue,
that's also greater Portland area.

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

512. · · · Have You Heard The Good News? · · ·

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 17:47:09 UTC
From: Google_Usenet_USA@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107020829.162580.13120@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17384

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513. Linear hookup?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 18:42:22 UTC
From: "Fred Maxwell"
Message-ID: <84mnv0tpcoq15cfsgjo4a3qlve8r54l1dq@4ax.com>
Source record: 17385

How do I key a SB200 from a TS 440 Kenwood?

Thanks!
WA4PAV
fcm2nospam@ix.netcom.com

514. Re: Linear hookup?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 19:30:15 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <bvRKd.133$n72.122@fed1read03>
Source record: 17386

The manual should show the connection

On my Kenwoods i made up a cable that plugs into the rear panel REMOTE
CONNECTOR -- gives T/R function as well as a pin for ALC

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Caveat Lector

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515. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 22:05:28 UTC
From: Eric Patterson <ericp@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <IMTKd.3072$lx.123@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17387

Here's a point of clarification:
Beaverton is a suburb of Portland, Or and is located in Washington County.
Gresham is also part of Portland, but is on the other side of town. Here
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I hope this helps.

Eric

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:3ivlv092874kvbgpt2g4m2si6t8odfck8f@4ax.com...
> I had to remind myself where Beaverton is. I was thinking it was in
> the Portland area. Now that I see it is close to the coast in
> southern Oregon, I would really doubt that you will have much luck
> accessing a repeater with an HT. I have traveled and camped for years
> along the Oregon coast when we lived in Eugene, and most of the time I
> had great difficulty accessing more than one noisy repeater. And that
> was with a 5/8-wave on the top of a 37' aluminum motorhome. I think
> you are expecting too much from an HT. You might be able to hit the
> 146.61 machine in Coquille, or the 146.92 in Myrtle Point. The Coos
> Bay repeaters all require a P/L tone.
>
> Dick - W6CCD
>
> On Fri, 28 Jan 2005 19:59:19 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
>
> >Give us a list of 3 or 4 repeaters you are trying to access, and we
> >might be able to give better advice.
> >
> >Dick - W6CCD
> >
> >
> >On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 02:16:03 GMT, "Eric Patterson"
> ><ericp@teleport.com> wrote:
> >
> >>John and others:
> >> Thanks for the advice. I checked in an online repeater directory
and
> >>most of the repeaters I tried to access do not require a tone. As for
> >>checking the tones and repeater shift, I can't do that on my own because
I
> >>am visually impaired and am not able to see the display. Even though I
am
> >>only putting out 2.3 watts, that shouldn't be the problem because I have
> >>used that same power output to access repeaters in Gresham, Salem, and
> >>Medford. Do you have any other recommendations?

>

516. ICOM 751for parts..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-29 22:44:05 UTC
From: Rich Colwell - WA3QKX <rrc2@pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <VkUKd.1121$UB6.242@trnddc01>
Source record: 17388

I am looking for a ICOM751 for parts.

The parts I am looking for are the parts on the display board

B-706B42459

OR

UPD549C

If you have any or want to sell a broken ICOM751 contact me at rrc2@pitt.edu

Rich
WA3QKX

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 00:20:45 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <eq9ov01c312v8r3oqbc00fusel4lui1irc@4ax.com>
Source record: 17389

OK. I did a search out 50 miles from Portland using the 2005 version
of TravelPlus from ARRL. I don't see any 145.38 repeaters in that
area. I do see a 147.38 in Cedar Mill which is an open repeater.

The only 145.27 repeater within that 50-mile radius is in Forest
Grove, but it has a P/L of 107.2. Hope this helps.

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Date: 2005-01-30 03:43:14 UTC
From: Google_Usenet_USA@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107056594.443236.135170@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17390

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519. Re: Need to build control box for Alliance Tenna Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 05:04:42 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <a4qov05ium54bkqge22htsn7v3sseasugr@4ax.com>
Source record: 17391

On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 20:36:13 -0600, the.other.george@dont-email-me.com
wrote:

>I bought a house out in the boonies and I can only get tv from the
>antenna, unless I spend a fortune on satellite. I dont watch it much
>so the antenna is fine. The antenna has an Alliance Tenna Rotor on
>the pole, but the control box is gone. I'd like to build a simple
>control. I was told the motor needs 24volts, but is it AC or DC, and
>how do I reverse it?. I know I wont have the pointer, so I will have
>to go outside to see which way it is pointing, but as long as I can
>move it. Does anyone have a schematic for this, and also know what
>numbered wire screws do what on the rotor?
>
>The other option is to buy a used control and there are some on Ebay.
>The only problem is how do I know which one will work with my rotor.
>Obviously it would have to be an Alliance brand, but beyond that, are
>they all the same (other than appearance), or do I need a certain one
>to match my rotor?
>
>Thanks to all
>
>The Other George (NOT Bush)

Mine is not for sale on eBay, but I have a control box that I used
with my rotor (which is now lost).

The control box says: Alliance Tenna Rotor. Model U-100, I just
tested it and it works. It has four wires at the bottom. It has
been modified so it rotates across the north and has to be reversed
from the south, in other words, you can swing past north going between
east and west, but if you go to the south, it stops at south and has
to go all the way around to get back to the south. It was an easy
change, but I had to constantly swing between north east and north
west.

write me at my call at towncorp dot net.

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Buck
N4PGW

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 08:01:48 UTC
From: Google_Usenet_USA@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107072108.035191.165820@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17392

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Date: 2005-01-30 08:05:59 UTC
From: Graywolf <graywolf@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <EC0Ld.19620$5I1.16376@fe03.lga>
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Alliance made several models of rotors differing in their mechanism for indicating direction. However, the motor requirements are virtually identical. You will find two motor windings with a common connection. The motor is powered with 24 volts 60 Hz but in TWO PHASES. The second phase is supplied by placing a non-polar electrolytic capacitor in series with the transformer output. Using a center-off single-pole double-throw switch, you can control the rotor direction.

Connect the common connection of the two motor windings to one transformer lead. Connect each of the two winding leads to the switch connections. Connect the switch common to the other transformer lead. Then connect a 100 uF to 200 uF 50-volt non-polar electrolytic capacitor between the switch connections. [If you cannot find a non-polar electrolytic of the correct value, two conventional electrolytic capacitors with their cathodes (negative leads) connected together will work, using the two anode (positive) leads as the non-polar capacitor.]

In the "off" position, obviously the rotor will not turn. In either of the "on" positions, the transformer voltage will be directly connected to one motor winding and the other motor winding will be connected in series with the capacitor to the transformer voltage. One position will provide clockwise rotation and the other will provide counter-clockwise rotation.

This will turn the antenna. It's crude, but it works. You will need to know which model of rotor you have to develop an indicator circuit if you wish to go further.

73, Barry WA4VZQ ornitzNO@SPAMtricon.net

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The Bible tells us that we will spend eternity in Heaven or a place of eternal torment called Hell. It would be terrible to die and go to Hell when all you have to do is accept Jesus Christ as your personal Lord and Saviour.

Some people that have already made Jesus Christ their Lord and Saviour worry about losing their salvation. The Bible teaches Christians that we can never lose our salvation no matter what happens.

The Bible says it this way, "My dear children, I write this to you so that you will not sin. But if anybody does sin, we have one who speaks to the Father in our defense Jesus Christ, the Righteous One." (1John 2:1)

Yes my friend, Jesus Christ is able to save you and keep you saved.

Please tell your family and friends, thanks!

Have a great day!
Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi

1. http://www.biblegateway.com << Free Online Bible
2. http://www.tbn.org/index.php/8/1.html << Free Online Movies
3. http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm << Beware Of Cults
4. http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm << About Hell
5. http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html << Is Jesus God?

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523. Re: Need to build control box for Alliance Tenna Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 15:29:30 UTC
From: Richard Heindel <rheindel@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <u37Ld.65998$re1.56786@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17395

the.other.george@dont-email-me.com wrote:
> The other option is to buy a used control and there are some on Ebay.
> The only problem is how do I know which one will work with my rotor.
> Obviously it would have to be an Alliance brand, but beyond that, are
> they all the same (other than appearance), or do I need a certain one
> to match my rotor?
>
> Thanks to all

If you email me I can send you the service manual pages for the U98
rotor. You probably have a U100 and this should help you out.

73
Richard WB8KRN

524. Key line question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 16:18:30 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <10vq2aurv6tljdc@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17396
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Using an ICOM 746 Pro with an AL-80B amp. According to their respective manuals the AL-80B sources +12vdc at 100mA and the 746Pro can sink a max of +16vdc at 500mA.

QUESTION:
Do I need an amplifier keying buffer according to the above specs? My research shows primarily these devices are for new rigs keying older amps. The Icom site recommends an interface for "all non-Icom amplifiers" but in the case of the above specs it appears to me there is already a 4 volt and a 400mA "buffer" of sorts. The demands of the 80B are well inside the capabilities of the 746 Pro. Right?

I'm not trying to save $50 or so but if the specs are right I don't need it. My rig is new and I have about 300 qsos so far which amount to at least 1000+ successful amp keying events.

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

525. Re: Trade ALL for Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 17:31:48 UTC
From: Larry Weil <kc1ih@mac.com>
Message-ID: <kc1ih-14C52B.12314830012005@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17298

In article <odskv0le7e4dqoqgf1mse4ukgakikm7gae@4ax.com>,
Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net> wrote:

> Uniden BC250D MINT - No Card - All accessories
> Uniden BC780 xlt In the Box with all - Image Mod done
> Relm 200 Mobile Scanner - Alpha,PC software,Great Shape
> Pro-43 - Excellent with custom case - 800 mod and beep mode done
> Pro-2006 with LED Mods done (e-mail for more info)
> Optoelectronics Scout 40 - Excellent shape also

None of this is amateur radio equipment. You'de be better off posting
this to rec.radio.scanner.

73 de KC1IH

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Larry Weil
Lake Wobegone, NH

526. · · · Have You Heard The Good News? · · ·

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 18:44:17 UTC
From: Google_Usenet_USA@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107110657.073130.188470@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17299

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527. For Sale: Radio Shack 21-524

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 20:23:27 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1107116607.884020.275360@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17300

For Sale: Radio Shack "SWR/Power Tester". HF. 2000/200/20 watt
settings. Average AND P.E.P power settings. Almost MINT! Comes with
jumber. $19.95 and I'll pay for the shipping.
First e-mail gets it!

73, Bill - WA8MEA - ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
REALLY COOL STUFF at: http://qth.com/dwm

528. FS: Bearcat, Icom & Motorola

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 20:29:27 UTC
From: CommCtr1 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <HsbLd.119780$w62.29136@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17301
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Radio Equipment for sale.

2-Uniden Bearcat BC780XLT base/mobile Trunk TrackerIII scanners. $215.00 each plus shipping.
Both units are in very good condition and complete with boxes, manuals, brackets, and power supplies.

1-Icom R1 Communications receiver. This unit is in MINT condition. Complete as new .100mhz-1.3 ghz NO GAPS $175.00 plus shipping.
1-Uniden President HR2510 10/11 meter all mode mobile radio. Shows some mobile use, but a very nice unit. $165.00 plus shipping.
1- Motorola MT1000 LB 30-36mhz portable, 99 channel, with standard charger. $375.00 plus shipping.

If interested please email off group.

Lou
pottsladd13@yahoo.com

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 20:34:55 UTC
From: Google_Usenet_USA@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107117295.508911.93190@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17302

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530. Re:(One 780 is SOLD) Bearcat, Icom & Motorola

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 21:15:52 UTC
From: CommCtr1 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <c8cLd.43473$8u5.22992@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17303
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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531. FA TR DIP METER WAVEMETER MAPLIN PRECISION GOLD,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 22:46:18 UTC
From: "old.pc" <old.pc@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <_sdLd.1252$q22.599@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 17304
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

DIP METER WAVEMETER ++ MAPLIN PRECISION GOLD

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5748363228&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

532. FA YAESU remote antenna switch FAS-1-4R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 22:46:30 UTC
From: "old.pc" <old.pc@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <atdLd.1253$q22.3@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 17305
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

YAESU remote antenna switch FAS-1-4R

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5748343914&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

533. FA 250TH Eimac Tubes NIB/NOS a pair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 23:27:50 UTC
From: Audiomatic <harry@harrystraub.com>
Message-ID: <1107127670.616217.167720@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17306

I have two new in box(BRAND NEW), Eimac 250th Transmitter triodes. One
in a sealed box, the other only opened for photos. These are up for
auction.
Here is the link:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5748228100&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
email me if you have questions.
Thanks for looking
Harry Straub

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 23:56:19 UTC
From: Google_Usenet_USA@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107129379.956773.198700@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17308

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535. Kenwood 440 & SB 200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-30 23:56:31 UTC
From: "Fred Maxwell"
Message-ID: <2nsqv0pe9ba05r987n824uvimv2u9eg9jc@4ax.com>
Source record: 17307

If anyone has this combination, I need the jumper made up to key my
linear.

Three years ago a strtoke left me with little use of my left hand, so
I can not make it up. Of course I expect to pay for time & materials.

Thanks so much

Fred
WA4PAV

fcm2@ nospamix.netcom.com

I am a teacher, and can not get news groups at school, so please
e-mail.

Thanks... Fred

536. Re: ICOM 751for parts..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 02:17:02 UTC
From: W8KZW <w8kzw@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <10vr5fu3koe7281@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17309

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... and I am looking for the "door" / panel in the back ... I think it
covers the area where the power supply would be.

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"Rich Colwell - WA3QKX" <rrc2@pitt.edu> wrote in message
news:VkUKd.1121$UB6.242@trnddc01...
> I am looking for a ICOM751 for parts.
>
> The parts I am looking for are the parts on the display board
>
> B-706B42459
>
> OR
>
> UPD549C
>
> If you have any or want to sell a broken ICOM751 contact me at
rrc2@pitt.edu
>
> Rich
> WA3QKX
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537. Icom IC-24AT problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 02:51:51 UTC
From: Jeff L <jlco01@excite.com>
Message-ID: <q27rv05blcdutnj6m9ut45vpkkvq6gabp9@4ax.com>
Source record: 17310

Howdy,

I ham buddy of mine just discovered his trusty old IC-24AT has very low power output - probably 25 miliwatts or so. Anybody have any info as to what the fix might be? (yeah, I know, replace the finals...) Before he junks it he's hoping it might be a switching diode or something simple. Or does anyone know the repair rates at Icom?

Thanks,

Jeff

538. Re: FA: Motorola MTX838, MTX9000, MTX8000 Portable Radios - Lot Sale Cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 05:30:06 UTC
From: gallad2000@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1107149406.200333.242830@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17311
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

!Lou wrote:
> FA: Motorola MTX838, MTX9000, MTX8000 Portable Radios - Lot Sale
Cheap!
Hello
Please let me know how many you have and where you located
Thanks
Gallad

539. Kenwood TH-78A Back-up Battary Replacement Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 08:49:00 UTC
From: Kevin & Natalia Mitchell <sparc@internet.co.nz>
Message-ID: <41fdeb7a$1@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 17312

Hi All,

My TH-78A has decided it requires a new back-up battery. At this stage I have not opened the radio to see what is required, but if anyone has any information, advise on the task before I start on it, this would be of great help.

Regards

Kevin, ZL1KFM

sparc (at) internet (dot) co (dot) nz
(one way to help prevent spam etc)

540. need explanations with 2-way radios please (Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 14:03:11 UTC
From: noname <willnotwork@sorry.com>
Message-ID: <iUqLd.41025$Rw4.663731@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 17313

Hi
I'm in the market for a pair of 2 way radios. I did a lot of reading, but it getting complicated
I have a few questions please:
remember please I'm Canadian.

1- does one needs a license for using a FRS only radio?
2- since I'm in Canada, would buying a GRMS capable radio make sense?
3- if it makes sense (GRMS), what is the benefit over regular FRS
4-do one needs a license for GRMS radios?
5-what happen if you don't have a license for your radio?
6-is there a good website on the net that explains all this for newbies, and I'm also looking for reviews? what are the good one to buy?

TIA
stef,Montreal.

541. Re: need explanations with 2-way radios please (Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 14:35:34 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <XmrLd.4402$bu.155@fed1read06>
Source record: 17314

Stef -- see URL:

http://www.rac.ca/opsinfo/frs.htm
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Caveat Lector

"noname" <willnotwork@sorry.com> wrote in message
news:iUqLd.41025$Rw4.663731@weber.videotron.net...
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> and
> I'm also looking for reviews? what are the good one to buy?
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> TIA
> stef,Montreal.
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>

542. FA: Radio Shack Model 100 laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 15:05:47 UTC
From: rs2atmink@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107183370.898119.147920@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17315

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5161567068&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

Radio Shack (Tandy) Model 100 Portable Computer

The original laptop, this computer runs on 4 AA bateries. No power supply included.

This auction includes:

- a bar code wand-style reader that works with the Model 100

- the modem / telephone jack cable for the built-in 300 baud modem

- a good copy of the original user manual in a binder

- 2 pocket sized reference guides (original from Tandy): the Tandy 200 application quick reference guide and the Tandy 200 BASIC reference guide.

543. FA: Radio Shack Model 100 laptop computer ++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 15:10:52 UTC
From: rs2atmink@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107184252.305694.60260@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17316

Radio Shack (Tandy) Model 100 Portable Computer

The original laptop, this computer runs on 4 AA bateries. No power
supply included.

This auction includes:

- a bar code wand-style reader that works with the Model 100

- the modem / telephone jack cable for the built-in 300 baud modem

- a good copy of the original user manual in a binder

- 2 pocket sized reference guides (original from Tandy): the Tandy 200
application quick reference guide and the Tandy 200 BASIC reference
guide.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5161567068&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

544. Equipment forsale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 17:14:19 UTC
From: Carl Walthall <w16857@motorola.com>
Message-ID: <ctlp1v$d1c$1@newshost.mot.com>
Source record: 17317
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have the following radio equipment for sale:

1: Panther 625P GP625HSX 136-174 MHz VHF Comnet Ericsson HT with smart desktop charger. Currently programmed for 2 meter ham band, purchaser will need to get programming. There are no scratches on the radio, in like new condition. Specs on radio can be found at this site http://www.vicmobile.com/products/macom/625p.html

$250.00 OBO plus shipping.

2: RF Applications 3KW digital watt meter in like new condition.

$150.00 OBO plus shipping.

3: Yeasu FT-857B HF/VHF/UHF 100, 50, 20 watt output with seperation kit. Missing original control head cables, I use it with the separation kit cables. ATAS 100 Screw driver antenna and four place magnetic mobile mount. There are some scratches created while installing in car, and some glue on the bottom of the head unit. But everything is in prefix working order. The ATAS 100 screw driver antenna was removed when the mobile was parked and spent very little time, outside so it is in very good condition.

$575.00 OBO plus shipping

I can be reached at n8cdw@direcway.com

Thanks Carl

545. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 17:59:01 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3679v5F4vk1k8U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17318
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

Icom 02AT with wall wart.
Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery $ 65

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Scsii CD changer,
and an IBM PS2 8565 for parts. No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

546. Re: need explanations with 2-way radios please (Canada)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 19:58:43 UTC
From: noname <willnotwork@sorry.com>
Message-ID: <i7wLd.41445$Rw4.752978@weber.videotron.net>
Source record: 17319

thank you sir , that's a hec of a good link ....
stef.

"Caveat Lector" <CL@barahmas.com> wrote in message
news:XmrLd.4402$bu.155@fed1read06...
> Stef -- see URL:
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> http://www.rac.ca/opsinfo/frs.htm
> --
> Caveat Lector
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> "noname" <willnotwork@sorry.com> wrote in message
> news:iUqLd.41025$Rw4.663731@weber.videotron.net...
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> > I'm also looking for reviews? what are the good one to buy?
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> > TIA
> > stef,Montreal.
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547. giant ham radio swap meet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 20:03:55 UTC
From: ebidd@webtv.net
Message-ID: <17034-41FE8F2B-52@storefull-3335.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 17320

held once a month on last saturday of every month.free admission.free parking.restrooms.food concession stand.held in northrup grumman parking lot south east corner of aviation blvd. and marine ave. in manhatan beach.take 405 fwy to rosecrans off ramp..tons of electronics:: surplus,computers,software,hard drives,memory cards,cases,cables,connectors,parts,components,wire,shrink tubing,ham radios,shortwave radios,cb radios,hi fi,antique radios/hi fi,tubes,ic's,transistors,audio,speakers,video,tools,soldering equipment,test equipment,laboratory equipment,power supplies,chargers,batteries,experimenter projects/parts/components,anything electronic.worth the drive tell your friends & co workers.for directions see THE W6TRW ARC SWAPMEET address: http://www.w6trw.com/swapmeet/w6trw_arc_swapmeet.htm

548. Re: 1 780 & MT1000 SOLD Bearcat, Icom & Motorola

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 22:39:51 UTC
From: CommCtr1 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <XsyLd.126431$w62.49983@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17321
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

MT1000 & 1 of the 780's is sold.

thnx

549. Looking for a ICOM 751 for partsI am looking for a ICOM751 for parts.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 22:44:18 UTC
From: Rich Colwell - WA3QKX <rrc2@pitt.edu>
Message-ID: <6xyLd.607$bF4.19@trnddc04>
Source record: 17322

I am looking for a ICOM751 for parts.

The parts I am looking for are the parts on the display board

B-706B42459

OR

UPD549C

If you have any or want to sell a broken ICOM751 contact me at rrc2@pitt.edu

Rich
WA3QKX

550. FS : Motorola MTS 2000 Model 11 SMARTNET Radio's.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-01-31 23:38:35 UTC
From: alandeletethisdevlin@bigREMOVEpond.com
Message-ID: <41febd7b.8041621@news-server>
Source record: 17323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gidday All,
I have FORSALE a quantity of used Motorola MTS 2000
FLASHport Radio's, Model II with 14 character Alphanumeric Display.

$US200 plus Postage get's one !!!

The Model number is H01RDF9PW1BN, type RDUA with H38 - Smart Zone
operation. It covers the entire 403-470 mhz segment, delivers
from 1-5 watts, and has both 12.5 Khz and 25 kHz channel capability.
It has Simplex, Repeater and Trunking Channels programmed because it
was decommisssioned from a superceded working Trunking Network. This
radio powers up OK with NO errors & transmits OK on
"open" TX channels. The LCD Menu's change/respond OK too. All radios
are supplied with a fully charged Battery but sadly there are NO
antenna's available.......non were supplied when I acquired them.
I have LIMITED number of Charger Station/Cradles for "first in"
Buyers...but Buyers will still need to supply +13.8 volts DC as the
240 volt supplies I have here are of no use in the USA !!
SHIPPING : whatever our Aussie Post Office charges but expected to be
around $US12 for Economy AIRMAIL to the USA, slightly more to Europe.
PAYMENT : $US Greenbacks are fine... PAYPAL is fine...
Cashiers Cheque & WUMO are also OK too but an extra $US10 Fee applies
to cover Bank Charges at my end. Sorry about that.

NOTE : Although this is an R series Radio with a Maximum Specified
frequency of 470 Mhz... I have discovered these Radios have some 477
Mhz Channels installed. UHF CB Repeater Channels 1-8 and Simplex 40
are programmed !!! TX proves it on a Frequency Counter.

All responses/questions to my Email Address - don't forget to remove
the ANTISPAM bits !!

Alan Devlin.

RF RESALE... where Honesty & Integrity are paramount !
Melbourne, Australia.

WEB PAGE URL http://www.users.bigpond.com/alandevlin/index.html

551. FA: Original Drake and Collins Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 01:14:11 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <zJALd.108070$Wo.13318@lakeread08>
Source record: 17324
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in very good to excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

552. FA: ICOM IC-718 AMATEUR TRANSCEIVER w/DSP OPTION-MIC-LQQK!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 06:15:43 UTC
From: Narri Org <NarriSurplus@narri.org>
Message-ID: <j8FLd.26933$xt.8679@fed1read07>
Source record: 17325
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: ICOM IC-718 AMATEUR TRANSCEIVER w/DSP OPTION-MIC-LQQK!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5748725765&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

553. FA: RME DB-22A, HEATHKIT Active Antenna, Vintage CDR HAM-M BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 15:17:23 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <45NLd.6406$8E4.6389@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17326

Many nice clear pics.
All items are real inexpensive.
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
You may want to check others while you're there :-)

554. FA: Spkr mike>Icom IC-o2at, 5 POPULAR FT-243 xtals>Much more!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 15:19:00 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <B6NLd.6407$qF4.254@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17327

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555. Re: Kenwood TH-78A Back-up Battary Replacement Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 15:52:15 UTC
From: th78_guy <th78_guy@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <41FFA5AD.F1C0E6CF@nospam.com>
Source record: 17328

Hi Kevin,

Easy to do.

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/th78a/

d/l the manual if you need it no cost.

come on over.
73 th78guy

Kevin & Natalia Mitchell wrote:

> Hi All,
>
> My TH-78A has decided it requires a new back-up battery. At this stage I
> have not opened the radio to see what is required, but if anyone has any
> information, advise on the task before I start on it, this would be of great
> help.
>
> Regards
>
> Kevin, ZL1KFM
>
> sparc (at) internet (dot) co (dot) nz
> (one way to help prevent spam etc)

556. FA: 65-EA TNC & 26-EA SPLICE COAXIAL CONNECTORS-GOLD PLATED-LOT-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 16:19:36 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <u_NLd.16307$0u.9118@fed1read04>
Source record: 17329
Cross-posted to: alt.video.equipment.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: 65-EA TNC & 26-EA SPLICE COAXIAL CONNECTORS-GOLD PLATED-LOT-NR

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3871440620&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

557. Re: Battery source...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 19:26:31 UTC
From: TW <kilocycles**@**yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <tqlvv05f3o9mi032acgegj6skdlhfb1rph@4ax.com>
Source record: 17330

On 7 Jan 2005 20:28:16 -0800, thehixs@earthlink.net wrote:

>After a hiatus of several years, my wife and I are getting out our
>radios and dusting them off. I have a Yaesu FT-530, and she has a
>Kenwood TH79A. They both need new batteries. After doing a web search
>today I found a lot of sources. Can someone please suggest a good,
>reputable, easy to work with company to buy my replacement batteries
>from. Any help would be greatly appreciated.
>
>Rob Hix

Check and see if you have a Batteries Plus store near you...
<www.batteriesplus.com> for a locator. If they don't stock a
replacement, their techs can rebuild your pack. I've used them a few
times.

558. Re: Help with Kenwood TS-820 VFO stability problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 19:30:50 UTC
From: TW <kilocycles**@**yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <c4mvv055bjq8j2cjm73u5t5mc2aas7p4hg@4ax.com>
Source record: 17331

On Wed, 12 Jan 2005 00:40:32 -0500, "Photoman"
<photoman28@hotmail.com> wrote:

>I just got my 820 out of retirement after at least 14 years. It has the
>digital display and IF output on the back but is labeled TS-820, not TS-820S
>and I'm not sure why... anyway when I turned it on the display came up
>garbage (99__.9) while using both the internal and external VFOs. Finally
>(after 20 minutes) the frequency appeared correct but would jump around
>while tuning. By the noise level I could tell that it was actually changing
>frequency, and not a display problem. More time passed and it seemed to be
>correcting itself even more but while tuning it would go from (for example)
>3599 to 3700 skipping the 3600-3699 completely. I'm not sure that this was a
>frequency error or readout error but since the noise level did not change I
>am thinking it was a freq. display problem. I took off the top and bottom
>covers and tightened all the available screws in and around the VFO area as
>well as circuit boards. More time passed and finally, after maybe 2 hours
>everything was fine.
>
>I then turned it off, went to a meeting and when I returned and again turned
>the rig on the instability started again. It wasn't as radical as before but
>like before it seemed to correct itself after about 45 minutes. After
>another 15 minutes I tuned it up and the transmitter worked fine as did the
>receiver.
>
>I know this is an old radio but I love it and can load it into a barbed wire
>fence if I want to and it doesn't mind. I have the external VFO, station
>monitor, and external speaker and it has always worked flawlessly.
>
>If anyone has a suggestion I sure would appreciate it.
>73,
>Ken
>
>
You might check out Richard Measures' page at <http://www.somis.org/>.
He has written some magazine articles on the 820 and it's various
maladies.

559. FA" Wavetek/Schlumberger 4031D Service Monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 19:34:24 UTC
From: dozertx1@aol.com
Message-ID: <20050201143424.08440.00000431@mb-m06.aol.com>
Source record: 17332

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3871333272&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

560. Re: FA: ICOM IC-718 AMATEUR TRANSCEIVER w/DSP OPTION-MIC-LQQK!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 23:03:35 UTC
From: Nick <nroslo@houston.rr.com>
Message-ID: <42000AC7.E793C3D6@houston.rr.com>
Source record: 17333
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

What for a cash sale right now?

nick.

561. Sound Effects Libraries For Sale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-01 23:11:24 UTC
From: musicevents@biznet.net
Message-ID: <1107299484.377244.261660@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17334

These are the libraries I have:

-The Sound Ideas Hana Barbera Collection (4 CDs + 51 Page Book Of
Track
Listings) $50 http://www.sound-ideas.com/pdf/hb.pdf

-The Sound Ideas General 6000 Sound Effects Library (40 CDs +
Complete
Book of Track Listings) - $150 http://www.sound-ideas.com/pdf/6000.pdf

-The Sound Ideas BBC Sound Effects Library (40 CDs + Complete Book of

Track Listings) - $150 http://www.sound-ideas.com/pdf/bbc1-40.pdf

-The Hollywood Edge Premiere Edition Vol. 1-4 Sound Effects Library
(50
CDs + Complete Book of Track Listings) - $175 www.hollywoodedge.com
(you have to download a 5.5 meg file to view track listings)

-The Hollywood Edge CITI TRAX Sound Effects Library (10 CDs +
Complete
Book of Track Listings) - $50 www.hollywoodedge.com
(you have to download a 5.5 meg file to view track listings)

-The Video Helper Production Music/Sound Effects Library (19 CDs +
Track Listings) - $80
http://www.videohelper.com/frontdoor/library/onlinecatalog.cfm

I will cut a good deal if you are interested in more than one set.
Thanks!

562. Re: Colorado HB1045 - Ban Radar/Laser Jammers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 03:55:38 UTC
From: CJ <null@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <gaYLd.6326$G31.3623@okepread05>
Source record: 17335

Heh, okay here's another idea...Weld up the front of your car (including around the windows) so you don't have any flat surfaces that would redirect energy back at it's source, and drive with night-vision goggles...at night. Of course there is no depth-perception with those things, but you can't have everything!

-Or-

The simplest method to defeat radar is to destroy it. How about an aluminum model rocket with a J motor and a anti-radiation sensor? Just hope the poe-poe isn't using the hand-held!

CJ

563. FA:(Correction) 91-TOTAL-"GOLD"TNC" MALE CONNECTORS & SPLICES-NO RESVE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 04:55:31 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <r4ZLd.27462$xt.24053@fed1read07>
Source record: 17336
Cross-posted to: alt.video.equipment.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

FA:(Correction) 91-TOTAL-"GOLD"TNC" MALE CONNECTORS & SPLICES-NO RESVE!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3871588622&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

564. Re: Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 11:28:38 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <93e101dhp0q6masuggsi4sk884ft8ssq1a@4ax.com>
Source record: 17337

On Wed, 02 Feb 2005 03:18:41 -0600, the.other.george@dont-email-me.com
wrote:

>Did Radio Shack (the store) start out selling Ham Equipment and stuff?
>Based on their name I sort of suspect that.
>
>I know they used to carry a decent stock of parts, but now they just
>sell lots of toys and a few overpriced useful home electronic items.
>
From their web page at
<http://www.radioshackcorporation.com/about/history.html>

The First RadioShack Store
Two years later and half a continent away, two brothers, Theodore and
Milton Deutschmann, opened a one-store retail and mail-order operation
in the heart of downtown Boston. They chose the name, "RadioShack,"
which was a term for the small, wooden structure that housed a ship's
radio equipment. The Deutschmanns thought the name was appropriate for
a store that would supply the needs of radio officers aboard ships, as
well as "ham" radio operators.

Beginning in 1921, RadioShack would grow to a handful of stores
clustered in the Northeast, and become a leading electronics
mail-order distributor to hobbyists. This is how it would remain until
the company and a young Texan named Charles Tandy crossed paths four
decades later.
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It would seem that the focus was on radio operators from the very
start, professional as well as amateurs, as you suspected from the
name.

It has changed somewhat since then.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

565. Re: Need to build control box for Alliance Tenna Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 13:15:13 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <4200d2ad_5@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 17338

Regarding position sensing: not that simple! The controller decides (mechanically) when rotation is complete. When you move the knob on the controller, one part of the dial is under spring tension and a solenoid that is controlled by a contact in the rotor itself allows the dial tension to be released one "notch" at a time. When the two parts of the dial again line up (meaning rotor is now in the direction you pointed), power to the rotor is turned off. I suggest you try to find an old control box, and make sure that the dial spring is not broken.

73, K8AC

<the.other.george@dont-email-me.com> wrote in message news:op61019qfscjbv499o6ubvpk9ao5dd8i77@4ax.com...
> Hi Barry
>
> Thanks for the info. I had originally thought there was a DC and it
> was reversed by polarity. This is a more unusual setup, at least from
> what I am familiar with. I find it hard to figure out how that
> capacitor causes the reversal, but as long as it works. If I am
> correct, this tells me that one wire is forward, on reverse and one
> common (ground). That leaves the 4th. Let me guess, that one
> controls the indicator position, and I would guess thru some sort of
> resistance variation ???? The rest and what you explained makes
> sense.
>
> I recall trying to find some of those non-polarized caps for a speaker
> crossover setup. Not easy to find. I never know about using two
> standard caps in that manner.
>
> PS. How would I determine which is the common wire? I would assume
> the other two dont matter, it either turns one way or the other. The
> 4th, I am not sure how that one would be determined.
> George
>
>

566. Re: Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 16:09:11 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <HW6Md.27525$xt.2967@fed1read07>
Source record: 17339

Radio Shack History can be viewed at URL:

http://www.radioshackcorporation.com/about/history.html

Stores sell what people buy and electronic hobbyists items are in low
demand.
Many independent Electronic parts stores have closed up.

For Electronic Parts dealers see URL:
http://ac6v.com/components.htm
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Caveat Lector (Reader Beware)

<the.other.george@dont-email-me.com> wrote in message
news:7f610114a45oja6alsj6e3j14ocjsrfnhv@4ax.com...
> Did Radio Shack (the store) start out selling Ham Equipment and stuff?
> Based on their name I sort of suspect that.
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> sell lots of toys and a few overpriced useful home electronic items.
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> George

567. Re: Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 16:54:00 UTC
From: dougmc@frenzy.com
Message-ID: <IA7Md.410$uA.27@fe1.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 17340

In article <7f610114a45oja6alsj6e3j14ocjsrfnhv@4ax.com>,
<the.other.george@dont-email-me.com> wrote:

| Did Radio Shack (the store) start out selling Ham Equipment and stuff?
| Based on their name I sort of suspect that.

Yes. And they stopped selling ham radio stuff not too long ago.

| I know they used to carry a decent stock of parts, but now they just
| sell lots of toys and a few overpriced useful home electronic items.

They sell what people want. Or they go out of business.

To be fair, they do still sell quite a few radios -- GPSs, stereos,
cell phones, satellite receivers, walkie talkies, R/C toys, CBs,
scanners, etc.

The last RS catalog I read (2004?) still listed some ham radios and
antennas and such, so maybe they do still carry some, but it's all
special order now unless it's also useful for CBs (which they still
carry a few of.)

Looking at the web site, I can't find any of the HTs or mobile units I
recall seeing in the catalog, but they still sell a few ham-only items
items -- paddles, a 2m amplifier, a TNC, DSP filter, code practice
units, SWR analyzer, tuners ...

(Ok, a few of those might be useful to a CBer, but you get the idea --
they're not totally out of ham radio yet.)

But even so, `You've got questions? We've got cell phones!' and
`You've got questions? We've got dumb looks!' still applies for most
of the people that work in the stores. Which isn't surprising -- if
they knew more about electronics, they'd probably not be in what's
basically a retail sales job.

--
Doug McLaren, dougmc@frenzy.com
Seen on a Bumper sticker: "FISH TREMBLE AT THE MENTION OF MY NAME!"

568. Re: Key line question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 17:41:48 UTC
From: Jim Phelps <Jim.Phelps@mi.com>
Message-ID: <ctr2rc$9e8$03$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 17341
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:10vq2aurv6tljdc@news.supernews.com...
> Using an ICOM 746 Pro with an AL-80B amp. According to their respective
> manuals the AL-80B sources +12vdc at 100mA and the 746Pro can sink a max
> of
> +16vdc at 500mA.
>
> QUESTION:
> Do I need an amplifier keying buffer according to the above specs? My
> research shows primarily these devices are for new rigs keying older amps.
> The Icom site recommends an interface for "all non-Icom amplifiers" but in
> the case of the above specs it appears to me there is already a 4 volt and
> a
> 400mA "buffer" of sorts. The demands of the 80B are well inside the
> capabilities of the 746 Pro. Right?
>
> I'm not trying to save $50 or so but if the specs are right I don't need
> it.
> My rig is new and I have about 300 qsos so far which amount to at least
> 1000+ successful amp keying events.
>
> --
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
> Live Blues Music
> www.492acousticblues.com
>

You're an Extra and need to ask this? Come on, I've only (previously) held
a Tech Plus and know that 12V is less than 16V and 100ma is less than 500ma!
Man, when I go to take my elements I just may go straight to element 4 -
just for fun!

569. Re: Key line question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 18:35:41 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <11027cioej1f925@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17342
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi Jim and thanks for the reply. It is more than just a numbers thing. The ICOM website says to use a buffer if you are using a "non-Icom linear". They don't bother to specify which non-Icom amps need a buffer . Obviously the specs for each certain ly indicate no need. I have had some hams email me saying to use a buffer "just in case". I suppose it couldn't hurt.

Good luck on the license upgrades... 73 / DX

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"Jim Phelps" <Jim.Phelps@mi.com> wrote in message
news:ctr2rc$9e8$03$1@news.t-online.com...
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> "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
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> 500ma! Man, when I go to take my elements I just may go straight to
> element 4 - just for fun!
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570. Re: Key line question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 19:24:46 UTC
From: Jim Phelps <Jim.Phelps@mi.com>
Message-ID: <ctr8tg$ll8$03$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 17343
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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news:11027cioej1f925@news.supernews.com...
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> me saying to use a buffer "just in case". I suppose it couldn't hurt.
>
> Good luck on the license upgrades... 73 / DX
>
>

It shouldn't take more than a couple of dollars in parts to build you own if you feel it's necessary. All you really need is a 12 volt relay. In the Icom 756 Pro III manual it says to use a larger relay if these parameters are exceeded (pg. 17).

I (in a former job), was a MARS director for one of the largest USAF bases in the US (employment wise it was the largest and the sixth largest employer in the state, Damn, I miss DARA and the Xenia groups). We used commercial solid state rigs (in our case TS-440's) to excite Rockwell linears. We didn't have any troubles operating at much higher (and closer to the max) voltages and sink currents. I also miss the HyGain Discoverer73 we put up. 3 elements on 40 meters (well, just outside the band) and 1.5 kw PEP. We were heard where ever we wanted to be.

571. bug fucker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 20:05:14 UTC
From: KC8QJP <KathleenLee@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <kic201phq8srtd70p6fbk6567nr86g97ii@4ax.com>
Source record: 17344
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

this guy is hung compared to my N8WWM
> http://www.atlasperovic.com/contents/3.htm

Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
More than 120,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

572. Re: bug fucker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 21:24:36 UTC
From: steveo crusher <steveocrusher@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1107379476.660318.29800@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17345
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Leave it to mopeydopey to know where to find pictures like that. A keyclown is a keyclown, always impotent and gay.

573. Navico AMR-1000 Poblem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 22:27:43 UTC
From: "Russell W. Barnes" <"russell dot barnes"@huttonrow>
Message-ID: <pOadnbgL9evWyZzfRVnyvw@brightview.com>
Source record: 17347
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

I have a Navico AMR-1000 2 Metre transceiver with a strange fault. I cannot use the set to transmit, change freq. or illuminate the LCD display. In other words, none of the panel controls work. Whenever the mic is removed from the 8-pin socket, all is OK! However, when the mic is removed and the display is set to 'channel' rather than frequency, the set starts scanning through the band as soon as the mic is replaced.

It is NOT the mic or cable!

I checked out all mic and PTT, and the up/dn selector switches. With the mic completely removed from the set and a 10K resistor is connected to the mic pins at the set socket, it all goes faulty again. It is when a mic impedance or equivalent is connected to the set that things go awry; all switch-buttons are working normally.

The only thing to link the mic and the other functions is the control processor, as a sniff of the mic is connected to the processor (HD4074608) via a pad consisting of a 10K and 47 K resistor (toneburst output, generated in the processor and fed to the mic - acting as a speaker - so it can be heard when the PTT is operated). The fault is intermittent(ish) as all is OK for a short time whenever I open the set up and remove the 16-way plug linking the front panel to the main set, and replace it afterwards. I have checked all connections and not found any dry joints.

I am rather hoping it is not the processor which is faulty! Have any Navico users experienced a problem like this - and discovered what was doing it? All info appreciated.

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Regds,

Russell W. B.
http://www.huttonrow.co.uk

Please replace appropriate text with punctuation to reply!

574. Re: Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-02 22:28:00 UTC
From: Martin <cresident41@swfla.rr.com>
Message-ID: <QtcMd.17264$Q72.7812@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 17346

"Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net> wrote in message
news:93e101dhp0q6masuggsi4sk884ft8ssq1a@4ax.com...
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> From their web page at
> <http://www.radioshackcorporation.com/about/history.html>
>
> The First RadioShack Store
> Two years later and half a continent away, two brothers, Theodore and
> Milton Deutschmann, opened a one-store retail and mail-order operation
> in the heart of downtown Boston. They chose the name, "RadioShack,"
> which was a term for the small, wooden structure that housed a ship's
> radio equipment. The Deutschmanns thought the name was appropriate for
> a store that would supply the needs of radio officers aboard ships, as
> well as "ham" radio operators.
>
> Beginning in 1921, RadioShack would grow to a handful of stores
> clustered in the Northeast, and become a leading electronics
> mail-order distributor to hobbyists. This is how it would remain until
> the company and a young Texan named Charles Tandy crossed paths four
> decades later.
> ***
>
> It would seem that the focus was on radio operators from the very
> start, professional as well as amateurs, as you suspected from the
> name.
>

The Radio Shack that I knew was a store on Central Ave in Newark NJ which sprung up sometime in the mid 1920s. I don't think it was connected with the Deutschmann group. It seemed to carry mostly surplus. I started my electronic junque box there in 1929. I still have some of that stuff, including a gridleak I just found. (What's a gridleak you say?)

Marty K1FHR

575. FA Stridsberg 4 port Multicoupler, with latest "m" mod done by factory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 00:39:01 UTC
From: Kg6vxt <kg6vxt@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <cks201tb5d565grv60v1ejuspk4ojc36nt@4ax.com>
Source record: 17249

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5749134637&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

576. Re: Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 00:43:00 UTC
From: Topaz305RK <k7sam@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <qKKdnWFRY9BO75zfRVn-gg@vnet-inc.com>
Source record: 17248

Electrons - of course.

577. Re: Ham Shack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 02:47:16 UTC
From: Dan <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <UggMd.7529$lx.7059@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17251

"C" <d@iolfree.ie> wrote in message news:ctbn0g$80a$1@kermit.esat.net...
> Hi,
>
> Would anybody know a website that would give ideas on how to set up a
> radio shack??Also what is the best type of mast to obtain to position the
> antennas on a rotator + to gradually add on antennas along the mast below
> each other..Thanks for looking!
>
> Chris
>

Sounds like you need a tower Chris.

The way you set up a 'hamshack' is to put a radio on the desk, table, bench, floor, chair, etc. Wire it up to the mains, and antenna, etc. Use it till you get ready to change it and keep this up till you either give up Ham Radio or die.

Dan/W4NTI

578. Re: bug fucker ..chip still working? hardyharharhar!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 04:25:17 UTC
From: Ray Norshine <raynorshine@overcast.comm>
Message-ID: <NIhMd.5103$SY3.4873@fe04.lga>
Source record: 17250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

"steveo crusher" <steveocrusher@yahoo.com> wrote in
news:1107379476.660318.29800@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com:

> Leave it to mopeydopey to know where to find pictures like that. A
> keyclown is a keyclown, always impotent and gay.
>

-- ----- January 6, 2003

Toledo Amateur Radio Club
7234 Latcha Road
Perrysburg, OH 43551
Attn: Trustee John C. Lagger, AA8XS

RE: Warning Notice--Amateur Repeater W8RZM

Dear Mr. Lagger:

Our records indicate that you are the trustee for the above repeater system. Enclosed are recordings of violations on the repeater by N8WWM. The transmissions continued for a considerable time and there was no evidence of a control operator.

Since you are the trustee for the repeater, it is important for you to understand that you are responsible for its proper operation. The decision to operate a repeater is a totally voluntarily one. Repeaters are a convenience in the Amateur Radio Service, not a necessity. A repeater is a station just like any other station; and under Section 97.205 of the Commission's rules, all stations must have a licensee and control operator. Under Sections 97.103(a) and 97.105, control operators must ensure the immediate proper operation of a station, regardless of the type of station control. Furthermore, "automatic" control does not mean "unattended" operation. Unattended operation is not authorized under the rules.

The repeater licensee/trustee is responsible for all recurring violations and violations that are not inadvertent, just as a licensee is responsible for a base station HF station operation in the licensee's home. You must prevent recurring and deliberate violations on the repeater by locking rule violators out, using tones, warning users, limiting its operation, or taking whatever steps necessary commensurate with your responsibility as the licensee of the station. If you are unable to do so, then you must shut down your station.

If you are unwilling or unable to prevent violations on the W8RZM repeater, then your operator and station license will be subject to enforcement action by the Commission. Such action may include monetary forfeiture, operator license suspension or station license revocation.

<chuckle> :))

579. Re: Need to build control box for Alliance Tenna Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 05:05:24 UTC
From: Graywolf <graywolf@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <SliMd.6063$RZ5.1118@fe03.lga>
Source record: 17252

George,
<the.other.george@dont-email-me.com> wrote in message
news:op61019qfscjbv499o6ubvpk9ao5dd8i77@4ax.com...
>
> Thanks for the info. I had originally thought there was a DC and it
> was reversed by polarity. This is a more unusual setup, at least from
> what I am familiar with. I find it hard to figure out how that
> capacitor causes the reversal, but as long as it works. If I am
> correct, this tells me that one wire is forward, on reverse and one
> common (ground). That leaves the 4th. Let me guess, that one
> controls the indicator position, and I would guess thru some sort of
> resistance variation ???? The rest and what you explained makes
> sense.

The capacitor, in series with one winding changes the AC phase
of the applied winding voltage. Remember I said it was a two-
phase motor.

The indicator function is not always that simple. Alliance
made one rotor where the control box had its own synchronous
motor that turned the same speed as the rotor. You turned the
knob to the desired azimuth which closed the internal switch.
The switch was opened when the position of the motor in the
control box matched the azimuth setting. However, occasionally
the two motors would get out of sync with each other. Turning
the knob to first one end of its range, letting the internal
motor stop, and then turning the knob to the other end of its
range and waiting for the internal motor to stop would
synchronize the two. This worked by having one of the two
motors reach its mechanical stop while the other still turned.

Another version used a rheostat winding in the rotor unit that
supplied a meter in the control box. This is a special AC
meter and one which is not easy to duplicate. Yet another
version used a switch inside the rotor that was attached to a
gear such that the switch was momentarily closed every few
degrees. In the control box, there was a solenoid that pulled
a ratchet that drove the indicator mechanism. The indictor
jumped in rather coarse steps and clicked loudly.

Probably the most modern system Alliance made used a five-wire
cable. The rotor had a much higher resistance internal
potentiometer than the older models. It was fed from DC and
drove a null-balance circuit. The control box had a matching
potentiometer, and the motor direction and the starting and

stopping was controlled by whether the resistances matched each other.

> I recall trying to find some of those non-polarized caps for a speaker
> crossover setup. Not easy to find. I never know about using two
> standard caps in that manner.

Non-polar electrolytics are two aluminum foil sheets coated with the anodic oxide film wound together with a small moist separator in between. Unlike conventional electrolytic capacitors, they cannot be reformed and they do not heal. Hooking two conventional electrolytics like I suggested forms the same capacitor but it is physically larger.

Send me your email address and I will send you two articles on electrolytic capacitors you might find useful. Take out the NO SPAM in the address below to email me.

> PS. How would I determine which is the common wire? I would assume
> the other two don't matter, it either turns one way or the other. The
> 4th, I am not sure how that one would be determined.

Get out the venerable old ohmmeter. The motor windings have a moderate resistance, although I don't remember the value (and very old Alliance units used much finer wire too). You should find approximately the same resistance from one wire to two other ones. This is the common connection. To verify, the resistance between these two other wires should be double this resistance. Between common and the indicator wire, you may measure anything from a few ohms to an open circuit depending on which model is installed.

Back in the 1960's, the ARRL did some tests on antenna rotors. When installed with the external thrust bearing bracket, the Alliance rotor was found to be almost as strong and far more rugged than the much larger ham rotors. The article was in QST sometime between 1965 and 1967.

73, Barry WA4VZQ ornitzNO@SPAMtricon.net

580. Need Motorola Alert Monitor info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 06:09:46 UTC
From: "R. Belcher" <randy.belcher@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <KejMd.2014$uc.513@trnddc04>
Source record: 17253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Hey, have a '78 model Alert Monitor, M03CNB1102B
VHF unit, silver front with black case, reset/alert/mon functions.

Questions:
Original battery type, location, voltage?
Frequency range? Will it do 146.000MHz?
Is it possible to turn down the volume on the alert tone?

Need schematic, tuning and recrystal instruction.

Any help appreciated,
thanks,
rb

581. Re: Navico AMR-1000 Poblem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 06:14:40 UTC
From: Brian Reay <brian.reay@bigfoot.com>
Message-ID: <36dtqbF4vjfusU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"Russell W. Barnes" <russell dot barnes @ huttonrow dot co dot uk> wrote in
message news:pOadnbgL9evWyZzfRVnyvw@brightview.com...
> The only thing to link the mic and the other functions is the control
> processor, as a sniff of the mic is connected to the processor (HD4074608)
> via a pad consisting of a 10K and 47 K resistor (toneburst output,
> generated in the processor and fed to the mic - acting as a speaker - so
> it can be heard when the PTT is operated). The fault is intermittent(ish)
> as all is OK for a short time whenever I open the set up and remove the
> 16-way plug linking the front panel to the main set, and replace it
> afterwards. I have checked all connections and not found any dry joints.
>
> I am rather hoping it is not the processor which is faulty! Have any
> Navico users experienced a problem like this - and discovered what was
> doing it? All info appreciated.
>

I'd suspect a break in the ground circuit between the front panel and main
ciruitry or in the uP area. As you've checked joints etc, maybe a cracked
PCB track?

Navico still exist but under a the name Simrad and are still in the
Broadstairs area. I'd be surprised if they have anyone who remembers this
set you can talk to but they may be able to supply a circuit.

73

Brian

582. Re: Navico AMR-1000 Poblem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 07:51:37 UTC
From: "Russell W. Barnes" <"russell dot barnes"@huttonrow>
Message-ID: <_o6dnX9ex9dhSpzfRVnysA@brightview.com>
Source record: 17255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"Brian Reay" <brian.reay@(spamstopper)bigfoot.com> wrote in message
news:36dtqbF4vjfusU1@individual.net...
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> "Russell W. Barnes" <russell dot barnes @ huttonrow dot co dot uk> wrote
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> set you can talk to but they may be able to supply a circuit.
>
> 73
>
> Brian
>

Hi Brian, and thanks for the info.

I have a cct and some information, but not a complete svce manual. I shall certainly keep looking for broken tracks, etc! I have seen SIMRAD's website, and Emailed them about a mounting bracket for this particular set - no rely yet... :o(

The head is joined to the set by a ribbon-cable which is designed to be twisted to allow up-side-down fitting of the head. It might be intermittent as well, as might be the IDC plug to which the ribbon is connected.

Tnx once agn,
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73's,

Russell W. B.
http://www.huttonrow.co.uk

Please replace appropriate text with punctuation to reply!

583. Re: bug fucker ..chip still working? hardyharharhar!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 12:11:18 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050203071118.093$uA@newsreader.com>
Source record: 17256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Ray Norshine <raynorshine@overcast.comm> wrote:
> "steveo crusher" <steveocrusher@yahoo.com> wrote in
> news:1107379476.660318.29800@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com:
>
> > Leave it to mopeydopey to know where to find pictures like that. A
> > keyclown is a keyclown, always impotent and gay.
> >
>
> ---
> -- ----- January 6, 2003
>
> Toledo Amateur Radio Club
> 7234 Latcha Road
> Perrysburg, OH 43551
> Attn: Trustee John C. Lagger, AA8XS
>
> RE: Warning Notice--Amateur Repeater W8RZM
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> Dear Mr. Lagger:
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> Our records indicate that you are the trustee for the above repeater
> system. Enclosed are recordings of violations on the repeater by N8WWM.
> The transmissions continued for a considerable time and there was no
> evidence of a control operator.
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> Since you are the trustee for the repeater, it is important for you to
> understand that you are responsible for its proper operation. The
> decision to operate a repeater is a totally voluntarily one. Repeaters
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> unable to do so, then you must shut down your station.
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> repeater, then your operator and station license will be subject to
> enforcement action by the Commission. Such action may include monetary
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> <chuckle> :))
>
Yep, that's dogie allright..oh and:

Defendant having been convicted of the offense o�f Nonsupport
of Dependents, in violation of Revised Code Sect�ion
2919.21(A)(2), a felony of the 4TH degree.
Probation as ordered by this Court on April 11, �1997 is
ordered continued with the following added condi�tions: 1)
Seek and maintain gainful employment; 2) Defenda�nt to seek
mental health counseling; 3) Execute wage withho�lding
agreement.
Defendant ordered to pay the costs of prosecutio�n including
any fees associated with the appointment of coun�sel. It is
further ordered that the defendant pay any super�vision fees
associated with being granted probation. Payment� of
financial obligations shall be prioritized as re�stitution,
supervision fees, court costs, fines, and assign�ed counsel
fees.
JUDGE JAMES D. JENSEN
PARTY : D1 - ADAIR DOUGLAS W
12/5/2000 1 Title : EVT:JE FILE/JOUR $ THRU9/2�3/03
SENTENCE C-184-502
PARTY : D1 - ADAIR DOUGLAS W
3/15/2002 1 Title : COMMUNITY CONTROL TERMINAT�ED
terminated unsuccesfully
PARTY : D1 - ADAIR DOUGLAS W

584. <<HELP>> Need info from someones memory that is better than mine!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 17:48:14 UTC
From: WØCBF <w0cbf@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1107452894.658394.172440@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17257

Back in the mid 70's Motorola made a console that would fit between the driver and passenger seat. It was made of a black plastic and the main use was to mount a rig on the front causing the face of the rig to face the top of the car at a slight angle for easy viewing and the rear of the rig would fit over the seat. It also contained a place for an internal speaker and a center console area that would open for storage or could be used for writing if closed.

Does anyone remember these or might know where I could find one???

I tried eBay already and have never seen them listed.

Thanks
Chuck
WØCBF

585. Re: Need to build control box for Alliance Tenna Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-03 19:10:16 UTC
From: dragracer <ohio_dragracer@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1107457815.996163.83480@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17258

Maybe you ought to check out "FTA" reciever on the web..several
sites...but be carefull there are some scam sites out there...

Graywolf wrote:
> George,
> <the.other.george@dont-email-me.com> wrote in message
> news:op61019qfscjbv499o6ubvpk9ao5dd8i77@4ax.com...
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> 73, Barry WA4VZQ ornitzNO@SPAMtricon.net

586. FA: YASEU G-800SDX ROTATOR (YAESU ROTOR)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 00:02:34 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <lse501tnv9ua3o0la152cqsl131df9b01s@4ax.com>
Source record: 17259

FA: YASEU G-800SDX ROTATOR (YAESU ROTOR)

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5749337473

587. FA: Collins and Drake Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 01:01:26 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <FPzMd.74$2p.68@lakeread08>
Source record: 17260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Most in very good to excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

588. Re: Kenwood TH-78A Back-up Battary Replacement Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 01:27:50 UTC
From: Kevin & Natalia <sparc_man@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4202caa0@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 17261

Thanks for the info, looked at every download, and could not see the info on
how to do the back-up bat change.
Must be looking in the wrong place. Sorry

Regards

Kev.

"th78_guy" <th78_guy@nospam.com> wrote in message
news:41FFA5AD.F1C0E6CF@nospam.com...
> Hi Kevin,
>
> Easy to do.
>
> http://groups.yahoo.com/group/th78a/
>
> d/l the manual if you need it no cost.
>
> come on over.
> 73 th78guy
>
>
>
>
> Kevin & Natalia Mitchell wrote:
>
> > Hi All,
> >
> > My TH-78A has decided it requires a new back-up battery. At this stage I
> > have not opened the radio to see what is required, but if anyone has any
> > information, advise on the task before I start on it, this would be of
great
> > help.
> >
> > Regards
> >
> > Kevin, ZL1KFM
> >
> > sparc (at) internet (dot) co (dot) nz
> > (one way to help prevent spam etc)
>

589. Re: Need Motorola Alert Monitor info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 01:41:41 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c6c72b0c8bb4f769896bd@localhost>
Source record: 17262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

In article <KejMd.2014$uc.513@trnddc04>, randy.belcher@verizon.net
says...

> Hey, have a '78 model Alert Monitor, M03CNB1102B
> VHF unit, silver front with black case, reset/alert/mon functions.
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> Questions:
> Original battery type, location, voltage?
> Frequency range? Will it do 146.000MHz?
> Is it possible to turn down the volume on the alert tone?

In sequence:

Unknown. Best to adapt it to an external 12VDC supply.

Possibly. The VHF alert monitors were spec'd to bottom out at
150MHz. It may be possible to take one lower by increasing the value of
the padding capacitors across the receiver's oscillator and multiplier
coils. It is possible that it may go lower on its own. Never know until
you try.

> Need schematic, tuning and recrystal instruction.

That could be difficult. The manual for this receiver was Motorola
part #68-81048A55. This P/N comes up as no longer in the database, which
means that it is no longer available from Motorola (considering the age
of the unit, and Motorola's feverish desire to gain profit at any cost,
I'm not surprised).

You should check in with the gang at Batlabs
(http://batboard.batlabs.com). They may be of further assistance.

Happy hunting.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

590. Need help with IC 207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 02:04:17 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <BKAMd.9114$S3.3271@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17263

I just purchased an Icom 207H dual band mobile
and while it seems to have good sensitivity I have
noticed several minor problems with it and if anyone
can help I would be really appreciative.

1) The squelch needs to be turned all the way past 12 O'Clock
in order to squelch out normal noise that would probably be
knocked down at 9 or 10 O'clock with any other rig, at that
point it begins to reduce RF input, so I need to either find a
way to strengthen the squelch or eliminate the RF reduction
feature that is engaged when the squelch is placed beyond
the 12 O'Clock position.

2) The audio when transmitting is a bit low unless hold the mic
up to mouth at about an 1". That is unusual for an Icom, usually
one must back off the mic due to the hot audio, I need to find out
how to increase the deviation slightly.

If anyone can help I will make it worth your while!!!!!!

Thanks,
Patrick
W4PHM

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Patrick H. Mason M.S. OHST, EMT-I

591. Yaesu FT-5100 Lamp Replacement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 03:04:24 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <4202E638.5050306@netscape.net>
Source record: 17264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

My Yaesu FT-5100 went dark.
Seems odd that all three lamps should have gone bad at once??
Yes, I know about the key sequence to adjust brightness. I'd been
running it very dim. It's in the shack, so vibration shouldn't be
an issue.

I did some quick math and decided that you can have almost a watt
dissipated in the brightness control transistor. Is that a weak link?

Can someone supply dimensions for the required replacements?
Available info indicates they're inside the cover for the LCD
and very difficult to get at. Would be nice to have the bulbs
in hand at the start. Scan of the picture from the service manual
showing lamp locations would also be helpful.

Anybody got experience replacing the incandescents with leds? I'd much
rather apply an extra led or two if I didn't have to disassemble the
lcd. Doesn't have to be pretty, just readable.

Suggestions?
Thanks, mike

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Return address is VALID.
Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
http://nm7u.tripod.com/homepage/te.html
Wanted, 12.1" LCD for Gateway Solo 5300. Samsung LT121SU-121
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

592. Re: Yaesu FT-5100 Lamp Replacement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 03:14:47 UTC
From: Jay Urish <spam@this-sucks.com>
Message-ID: <04q501h6agn9vvflltjn5e91a6q6mc6dft@4ax.com>
Source record: 17265

On Thu, 03 Feb 2005 19:04:24 -0800, mike <spamme0@netscape.net> wrote:

Consider this a "Me too"

I have a 5100 that needs to be re-lamped. No way in hell am I gonna
use incandescant bulbs.

I'm looking a a digikey or some other part number for suitible
replacements.

I know guys have done this...

If I can get the right numbers, I will write up the mod and get it
posted every where.

thanks,
Jay W5GM
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>rather apply an extra led or two if I didn't have to disassemble the
>lcd. Doesn't have to be pretty, just readable.
>
>Suggestions?
>Thanks, mike

593. Stock jumper positions on a Yaesu Ft-5200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 03:15:46 UTC
From: Jay Urish <spam@this-sucks.com>
Message-ID: <i9q5019vsd4dslh66jq9dauuro0ts1embh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17266

I'm looking for the default jumper configuration for a Yaesu FT-5200.

Any help would be appreciated.

Jay W5GM

594. FA: MOTOROLA CDM-1550 VHF MOBILE RADIO, NEW IN BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 03:26:03 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <6qq5011gb5dl4kj2jqgnpesu13o0s8k9nl@4ax.com>
Source record: 17267

FA: MOTOROLA CDM-1550 VHF MOBILE RADIO, NEW IN BOX
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5749429751&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

595. Re: Kenwood TH-78A Back-up Battary Replacement Help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 05:54:54 UTC
From: th78_guy <th78guy@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <42030E2C.ED818588@nospam.com>
Source record: 17268

hi,

Just follow the instructions for me-1 installation, you open up the case
the same way to replace the lithium battery.
It is soldered in place so try to get one with tabs on it,
avoid soldering to the battery directly.

Please use a static wrist strap and static workstation pad
when you are working on this radio, the cmos circuits can
get damaged from static.

One thing to watch out for is the small chip resistors on
the top encoder board, they can break off if you are not
careful.

73 th78guy

Kevin wrote:

> Thanks for the info, looked at every download, and could not see the info on
> how to do the back-up bat change.
> Must be looking in the wrong place. Sorry
>
> Regards
>
> Kev.
>
> "th78_guy" <th78_guy@nospam.com> wrote in message
> news:41FFA5AD.F1C0E6CF@nospam.com...
> > Hi Kevin,
> >
> > Easy to do.
> >
> > http://groups.yahoo.com/group/th78a/
> >
> > d/l the manual if you need it no cost.
> >
> > come on over.
> > 73 th78guy
> >
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> >
> > Kevin & Natalia Mitchell wrote:
> >
> > > Hi All,

> > >
> > > My TH-78A has decided it requires a new back-up battery. At this stage I
> > > have not opened the radio to see what is required, but if anyone has any
> > > information, advise on the task before I start on it, this would be of
> great
> > > help.
> > >
> > > Regards
> > >
> > > Kevin, ZL1KFM
> > >
> > > sparc (at) internet (dot) co (dot) nz
> > > (one way to help prevent spam etc)
> >

596. Re: Need help with IC 207H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 06:58:01 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <110677p3gfgcab6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17269

In article <BKAMd.9114$S3.3271@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>,
Patrick <JimmyK@mindspring.com> wrote:

>If anyone can help I will make it worth your while!!!!!!

Can't help directly, except to say that www.mods.dk has a downloadable
copy of the IC-207 workshop manual available. With that I have no
doubt that you can find the deviation adjustment, and may be able to
find the solution to your squelch issues.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

597. Re: Yaesu FT-5100 Lamp Replacement?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 08:07:21 UTC
From: Markus L <uo9oew@lnubb.pbz>
Message-ID: <Q2GMd.6$wA2.440@ns2.gip.net>
Source record: 17270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"mike" <spamme0@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:4202E638.5050306@netscape.net...
> My Yaesu FT-5100 went dark.
> Seems odd that all three lamps should have gone bad at once??
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> rather apply an extra led or two if I didn't have to disassemble the
> lcd. Doesn't have to be pretty, just readable.
>
> Suggestions?
> Thanks, mike

Have successfully replaced 2 lamps some years ago. Bought them at
www.conrad.com, part # 727091. 6-12V 20-40mA, 3.1mm diam, 6.5mm long. The
job took me more than an hour, but it can be done without being an expert in
micro-surgery.

Markus

598. FA: J-Com automatic notch filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 13:07:22 UTC
From: "Karl Geng, N1DL" <n1dl@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <IqydnQTUBPgh6Z7fRVn-oQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 17271

Automatic notch filter for heterodyne elimination on audio output - 12V DC required.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=1502&item=5749259589&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

599. Kenwood 820S TX/RX Relay question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 16:38:41 UTC
From: Photoman <photomanxaa@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ja2dndm8puyVOJ7fRVn-gg@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17272

My old TS-820S takes forever to drop back to receive after transmitting. I'm sure it is the relay but I need a little info.

First is the relay on the on the "RELAY UNIT, X543-1190-00" the relay in question? Sound like a stupid question but I've been into a 830 before and it has two relays in it.

Secondly, is the relay in a socket?

I have found that Mouser carries a replacement relay (part #526R1617D512)which I will order if the original relay is soldered in, if not I will try to clean the relay in the radio. I will probably order one anyway to have as a spare or in case I mess up the original in the cleaning process.

I appreciate any info you may offer.

email
ken@Xarea-net.com (without the X)

Thanks a lot,
Ken
KC4IH

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Have your doctor check your blood sugar at least once a year.

600. FA: Motorola TEK 7A DC/RF Alignment Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 17:22:04 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <lpb7019j79luag5b3gvnpdg1omfr6qq263@4ax.com>
Source record: 17273

FA: Motorola TEK 7A DC/RF Alignment Meter
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3872169166

601. Re: Kenwood 820S TX/RX Relay question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 18:29:21 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <5aPMd.4$5L3.1@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 17274

Ken,

This may be a dumb question on my part, but are you
sure it's a relay problem and not something wrong
with the VOX circuitry? Does this delay happen in
PTT operation?

It could be dirty relay contacts that have carbon
buildup. Before replacing the relay, try cleaning
the contacts. Might save you some expense.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <ja2dndm8puyVOJ7fRVn-gg@adelphia.com>, photomanxaa@hotmail.com
says...
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>anyway to have as a spare or in case I mess up the original in the clean
>ing
>process.
>
>I appreciate any info you may offer.
>
>email
>ken@Xarea-net.com (without the X)
>
>Thanks a lot,
>Ken

>KC4IH
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>--
>Have your doctor check your blood sugar at least once a year.
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>

602. Re: <<HELP>> Need info from someones memory that is better than mine!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-04 22:10:45 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95F3904D8C684spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 17275

> Back in the mid 70's Motorola made a console that would fit between the
> driver and passenger seat. It was made of a black plastic and the main
> use was to mount a rig on the front causing the face of the rig to face
> the top of the car at a slight angle for easy viewing and the rear of
> the rig would fit over the seat. It also contained a place for an
> internal speaker and a center console area that would open for storage
> or could be used for writing if closed.
>
> Does anyone remember these or might know where I could find one???
>

You might go join the Yahoo groups "LMR" (Land Mobile Radio) and post
this question there. That is a discussion group for Mobile Radio
Maintenance professionals and many there go back a long ways.

Ed K7AAT

603. Looking for Kenwood TS930

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 03:57:21 UTC
From: Kirk Mohror <kmohror@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <u5-dnf0Op96E2ZnfRVn-sQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 17276
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for a dead TS930 that has a good power supply or someone
willing to sell thier parts from a dead one.
Also, is there a Kenwood reflector anymore?

Thanks,
Kirk Mohror
K7EKM
kmohror at comcast dot net

604. Re: Midland 70-0375C commercial 6 meter rig??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 04:08:06 UTC
From: CWB <cboone@nospam.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <GEXMd.9996$uL5.8777@fe2.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 17277

The cable you need is a regular PC style IDE cable....just get one long enough! and make sure you maintain Pin 1 to Pin 1...I MAY have a spare control cable lying around....but if you get the correct IDC connectors and flat ribbon cable, you can make your own.....

As for programming them on 6mtr, yes they can...the radio needs to be retuned (RX Front end especially) but I have 2 of them on 6 already...(I did them over 10 years ago....found the info from Midland LMR factory guys I bribed :)
Programming requires the 70-1080 handheld programmer (about $400) OR the software AND the 70-1308 interface (about 60-100 bucks aftermarket)

Chris
WB5ITT

"denton" <denton@oregontrail.net> wrote in message
news:10vi5uemfk7p77c@corp.supernews.com...
> Hi all...
> I have recently accquired a Midland 70-0375C 100 watt 42-50 mhz trunk
mount
> transciever with control head, mounting bracket, power cord, speaker and
> mic...
> but no interface cable...
> How available are the interface cables?? Can anything else be used in
place
> of them??
> Can these be reprogrammed to work on the ham bands??
> If anyone is looking for one of these, let me know..thanks..
>
>

605. Difference between TS-950SD and TS-950SDX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 10:35:35 UTC
From: Barry-N1QWA <luminosity@madriver.com>
Message-ID: <1107599735.690294.32380@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17278

Anyone know the upgrades/changes/improvements, Kenwood made between the two transceivers?

606. Re: Difference between TS-950SD and TS-950SDX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 11:16:57 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <4204AB29.5000207@cableone.net>
Source record: 17279

The DSP-10 digital signal processor is built in on the ts-950 and is optional accessory on the 950-sd. I have the SD with the DSP-10 essentially making it a 950.

Butch Magee KF5DE

Barry-N1QWA wrote:
> Anyone know the upgrades/changes/improvements, Kenwood made between the
> two transceivers?
>

607. FS - Icom R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:05:15 UTC
From: John Schneider <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ji5Nd.12005$ga3.6704@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17280

I have for sale (pre-ebay) a beautiful Icom R7100 (USA version = cell blocked). I would rate this as a 9/10. It works flawlessly and is guaranteed to not be DOA. I have never opened the radio but the previous owner has and I believe a discriminator tap has been added (a female F" connector has been installed through the rear panel)although I have never used this feature.

I will ship the radio with the AC cord and a CD containing a .pdf of both the operator and service manuals.

$500.00 + shipping

Please contact me off list if interested. I hope to have pic.'s available by the end of the week, but if you need reassurance, my ebay ID is NPDXO.

Thanks...
John, thecop@optonline.net

608. FA: VINTAGE UNGAR #270 DE-SOLDERING KIT COMPLETE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:09:20 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ur5Nd.6418$Bb6.1522@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17282

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

609. FA: VINTAGE RME DB-22A RF AMPLIFIER & PRESELECTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:09:51 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Zr5Nd.6419$xB5.4229@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17281

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

610. FA: VINTAGE NEW ARGONNE AR-405 2" VERNIER DRIVE DIAL w/BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:10:25 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <us5Nd.6420$Fg5.3473@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17283

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

611. FA: $10-TOKYO HY-POWER SPEAKER MICROPHONE>ICOMS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:11:22 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nt5Nd.6421$Hf6.5223@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17285

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

612. FA: $12-ORIGINAL VINTAGE CDE HAM-M ROTOR CONTROL BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:11:59 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Yt5Nd.6422$wf6.1084@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17284

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Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

613. FA: FIVE(5) MOST POPULAR FT-243 HAM-BAND CRYSTALS>BEST EVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:12:32 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <uu5Nd.6423$2g6.4514@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17286

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can use:-)
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http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

614. FA: BEAUTIFUL HEATHKIT HD-1424-A ACTIVE ANTENNA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:13:03 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Zu5Nd.6424$wf6.115@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17287

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GL..
Rich WA2RQY

615. FA: $10-J.H. BUNNELL MAINLINE 15-B BRASS TELEGRAPH SOUNDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 15:14:09 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_v5Nd.6425$Ie6.5368@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17288

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http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
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Rich WA2RQY

616. TH-F6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 16:52:07 UTC
From: CWB <cboone@nospam.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <XQ6Nd.13852$uL5.4262@fe2.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 17289
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for one.....reasonably priced..in GOOD or MINT condition...no
junkers!

Contact directly in email at my address on QRZ.com
or via this address with the nospam removed.

Chris
WB5ITT

617. Re: Difference between TS-950SD and TS-950SDX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 18:14:28 UTC
From: John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <42050D02.7060302@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17290

Butch wrote:
> The DSP-10 digital signal processor is built in on the ts-950 and is
> optional accessory on the 950-sd. I have the SD with the DSP-10
> essentially making it a 950.
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> Butch Magee KF5DE
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> Barry-N1QWA wrote:
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>> Anyone know the upgrades/changes/improvements, Kenwood made between the
>> two transceivers?
>>

I think you have that backwards. The SD model was the same as the base 950S with the DSP installed. The SDX was a later version. There was a QST review of the SDX that concentrated on the differences. Ones I remember are DSP installed with some more functions, different types of final transistors (bipolar vs FET I think), some additional memory functions. I believe the consensus was that the SDX was a better receiver but the S/SD is a cleaner transmitter.
73 John

618. FS: Kenwood TS-520SE WITH EXTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 18:30:41 UTC
From: Daniel W4ADT <danielw4adt@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <Rh8Nd.272$Xk6.246@fe61.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 17291
Cross-posted to: atl.forsale,ga.forsale,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

FOR SALE OR TRADE KENWOOD TS-520SE MORE!
I have very nice TS-520SE for sale ... looks and works great. I have Copy of the Manual and I have the ORIGINAL Box! Rig comes with MC-50 mic,Also a mint Kenwood DG-5 Frequency Display! As you know they are very hard to find! It will make your TS520S or SE a different radio. MANY Pictures are available on request.
73 Daniel W4ADT
$375.00 + shipping. MIGHT consider trades.
678-758-1298

619. (",) NEAT MOVIE FLICK ! (it starts up quickly)(awesome introduction)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 19:00:46 UTC
From: AttWireless_ATTW@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107630046.927950.94430@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17292

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http://www.tbn.org/films/videos/To_Hell_And_Back.ram

620. (",) NEAT MOVIE FLICK ! (it starts up quickly)(awesome introduction)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 20:34:27 UTC
From: AttWireless_ATTW@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107635667.422303.158020@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17293

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621. 7800 10K dollars. record breaking price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 20:57:51 UTC
From: hugo.drax@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1107637071.433025.42160@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17294

is this the most expensive HAM radio? It seems ICOM keeps rasing the bar and I guess hams just keep plunking down the cash. I guess lucky for them 98 percent of ham radio operators are retired folks with plenty of disposable income. Most of the young folks are tinkering with Microprocessors,networking equipment and linux.

622. FA: Last Day - Original Drake and Collins Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 21:54:55 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <NgbNd.10298$2p.6213@lakeread08>
Source record: 17295
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in very good to excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

623. (",) NEAT MOVIE FLICK ! (it starts up quickly)(awesome introduction)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 22:08:02 UTC
From: AttWireless_ATTW@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107641282.411856.101250@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17296

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624. Have you joined?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 22:27:35 UTC
From: Goetz <goetz@goetz-von.com>
Message-ID: <cu3h8nmed1@titan.btinternet.com>
Source record: 17297

The PMR / Amateur Radio forum at http://www.euronium.de/phpbb2/index.php now has just under 500 members.

Why not join? Its free and is funded entirely by Radio Amateurs for Radio Amateurs with no pop up ads or commercial backing.

Support your fellow Amateur. You may be able to help someone or someone help you.

G&#65533;etz.

625. General Radio Bridge 650-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 23:14:25 UTC
From: Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo>
Message-ID: <Xns95F4A538ABF5AMama@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 17148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

I just dug an old General Radio Bridge 650-A out of the shed. It needs cleaning up & refurbing. Anyone have any idea what it might be worth if I wanted to sell it?

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- Mama Bear

626. (",) NEAT MOVIE FLICK ! (it starts up quickly)(awesome introduction)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-05 23:41:34 UTC
From: AttWireless_ATTW@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107646894.131602.205000@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17149

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627. Re: Kenwood 820S TX/RX Relay question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 00:38:32 UTC
From: kenwood_dude <kd@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <42056706.B9398BBD@nospam.com>
Source record: 17150

hi

agree with dean, also come on over the the kenwood group
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TS-520_820_530_830/
lots of good info and many members.

73 kenwood dude

Photoman wrote:

> My old TS-820S takes forever to drop back to receive after transmitting. I'm
> sure it is the relay but I need a little info.
>
> First is the relay on the on the "RELAY UNIT, X543-1190-00" the relay in
> question? Sound like a stupid question but I've been into a 830 before and
> it has two relays in it.
>
> Secondly, is the relay in a socket?
>
> I have found that Mouser carries a replacement relay (part
> #526R1617D512)which I will order if the original relay is soldered in, if
> not I will try to clean the relay in the radio. I will probably order one
> anyway to have as a spare or in case I mess up the original in the cleaning
> process.
>
> I appreciate any info you may offer.
>
> email
> ken@Xarea-net.com (without the X)
>
> Thanks a lot,
> Ken
> KC4IH
>
> --
> Have your doctor check your blood sugar at least once a year.

628. Re: 7800 10K dollars. record breaking price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 00:49:21 UTC
From: Jim Phelps <Jim.Phelps@mi.com>
Message-ID: <cu3p0v$u7n$05$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 17151

<hugo.drax@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1107637071.433025.42160@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> is this the most expensive HAM radio? It seems ICOM keeps rasing the
> bar and I guess hams just keep plunking down the cash. I guess lucky
> for them 98 percent of ham radio operators are retired folks with
> plenty of disposable income. Most of the young folks are tinkering with
> Microprocessors,networking equipment and linux.
>

I'm still waiting to see the price on the Yaseu monster that'll be
competition for the IC-7800.

Your generalization on the age and income of ham ops is outside of reality.
Ham radio offers a unique benefit that no computer network or operating
system can give. Join a ham club and become involved. Involved in your
community and local disaster preparedness team. The most fun and
fulfillment I've ever had as a Ham is working those events. Try that with a
network gaming session.

FWIW, I am an IT professional... Been working with computers about as long
as I have with radios, 28 years.

629. (",) NEAT MOVIE FLICK ! (it starts up quickly)(awesome introduction)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 01:15:06 UTC
From: AttWireless_ATTW@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107652506.299155.154890@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17152

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630. (",) NEAT MOVIE FLICK ! (it starts up quickly)(awesome introduction)...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 02:48:35 UTC
From: AttWireless_ATTW@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107658115.955281.197130@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17153

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631. MT1000/HT600/P200/MX, etc Rapid Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 04:07:41 UTC
From: "R. Belcher" <randy.belcher@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <hKgNd.5480$uc.1657@trnddc05>
Source record: 17154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hey all,

Have for sale some very good condition chargers for subject radios.

Have approx. 20 of them, looking for a lot offer or trade on any radios that will do 144MHz and above, accys, church PA/stage gear, etc.
thanks!
Randy

632. FA: COLLINS MILITARY ANTENNA TUNER / WATTMETER / SPEAKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 04:20:25 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <1o6b01tumj9qqhgcsvhqbc6shnc978bq4f@4ax.com>
Source record: 17155

FA: COLLINS MILITARY ANTENNA TUNER / WATTMETER / SPEAKER
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5749876196

633. Re: General Radio Bridge 650-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 07:02:11 UTC
From: Jim Adney <jadney@vwtype3.org>
Message-ID: <16gb01ts250g1r5oido3k51r5tvgstpvor@4ax.com>
Source record: 17156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

On Sat, 05 Feb 2005 17:14:25 -0600 Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo>
wrote:

>I just dug an old General Radio Bridge 650-A out of the shed. It needs
>cleaning up & refurbing. Anyone have any idea what it might be worth if I
>wanted to sell it?

Would that be a 1650A?

Otherwise, it's something REALLY old.

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Jim Adney jadney@vwtype3.org
Madison, WI 53711 USA
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634. Re: 7800 10K dollars. record breaking price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 13:52:28 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <l18c01p6uupsaenh7lmlr5q49qgdog450f@4ax.com>
Source record: 17157

On 5 Feb 2005 12:57:51 -0800, hugo.drax@gmail.com wrote:

>is this the most expensive HAM radio? It seems ICOM keeps rasing the
>bar and I guess hams just keep plunking down the cash. I guess lucky
>for them 98 percent of ham radio operators are retired folks with
>plenty of disposable income. Most of the young folks are tinkering with
>Microprocessors,networking equipment and linux.

Really. I'm retired, but don't seem to have lots of disposable
income. And if I did decide to dispose of $10K it wouldn't be for a
radio, especially an ICOM. Down payment on a new Corvette maybe...but
not a radio.

635. FA: Last Day - Original Collins and Drake Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 15:45:55 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <UYqNd.16628$2p.7557@lakeread08>
Source record: 17158
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in very good to excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

636. Re: 7800 10K dollars. record breaking price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 17:39:48 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <4clc01136a5ltbgfjjhfmd2137h7m97aja@4ax.com>
Source record: 17159

On Sun, 06 Feb 2005 06:52:28 -0700, Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
wrote:

>On 5 Feb 2005 12:57:51 -0800, hugo.drax@gmail.com wrote:
>
>>is this the most expensive HAM radio? It seems ICOM keeps rasing the
>>bar and I guess hams just keep plunking down the cash. I guess lucky
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>income. And if I did decide to dispose of $10K it wouldn't be for a
>radio, especially an ICOM. Down payment on a new Corvette maybe...but
>not a radio.

They weren't ham operators, but a couple won a large lottery here.
They invested all their after-tax winnings into tax-free municipal
bonds and now draw a monthly interest income of over $200,000. To
people like that, buying that $10,000 icom would be like you or I
buying it for $100. It would just about be pocket change.

Oh, well, that's life.

:)

Buck
N4PGW

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

637. NEED RECOMMENDATION (L.A. AREA) 4 MOTOROLA MX PROGRAMMING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 19:00:08 UTC
From: David Hildebrand <dunkirk@ispwest.com>
Message-ID: <cu5pfp0b5s@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 17160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a few old Motorola MX-series (VHF & UHF) radios I would like to have re-programmed by someone (in or near the Los Angeles area) with such capabilities (and who's also affordable to an amateur of modest means). Any help/referrals would be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

...Dave, N6BHU

638. Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 19:36:17 UTC
From: Good_News_For_You_All@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107718577.623322.120260@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17161

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this life has ended?

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds). He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for our sins.

After Jesus died He rose from the dead three days later as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us that Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept Him as their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him in Heaven where there is no more death, sorrow, sickness and pain.

The Holy Bible very clearly explains how simple it is to be saved and on your way to Heaven, "For if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)

You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if you will open your heart to Jesus and pray the following prayer:

Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have a home in Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a sinner. I believe You love me and want to save me. I believe that You bled and died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead. Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace. Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

Have a great day!
Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi

1. http://www.biblegateway.com << Free Online Bible
2. http://www.tbn.org/index.php/8/1.html << Free Online Movies
3. http://www.worshipmusic.com/0310263670.html << The Passion Of The Christ
4. http://www.gieson.com/Library/projects/animations/walk/index.html << Animation
5. http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm << Beware Of Cults
6. http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm << About Hell
7. http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html << Is Jesus God?

639. FA: TUF-TUG FALL PROTECTION HARNESS W/ WIRE ROPE GRAB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 19:40:24 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <2lsc015pvt9aom3ln62dgb7cf3ebnorhk5@4ax.com>
Source record: 17162

FA: TUF-TUG FALL PROTECTION HARNESS W/ WIRE ROPE GRAB
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3872589682

640. FA: MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MICROPHONE (SPECTRA) - NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 19:43:52 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <irsc011j64pb752r8mcasqv7js1jfmn6v1@4ax.com>
Source record: 17163

FA: MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MICROPHONE (SPECTRA) - NEW
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5749985284

641. Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 22:01:42 UTC
From: Good_News_For_You_All@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107727302.778522.171780@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17164

Good News!

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1. http://www.biblegateway.com << Free Online Bible
2. http://www.tbn.org/index.php/8/1.html << Free Online Movies
3. http://www.worshipmusic.com/0310263670.html << The Passion Of The Christ
4. http://www.gieson.com/Library/projects/animations/walk/index.html << Animation
5. http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm << Beware Of Cults
6. http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm << About Hell
7. http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html << Is Jesus God?

642. FA: MOTOROLA 3-PIECE SURVEILLANCE KIT FOR PORTABLE RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 22:18:29 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <ht5d019esi7fak206jj44tu4j7jh4d1uh7@4ax.com>
Source record: 17165

FA: MOTOROLA 3-PIECE SURVEILLANCE KIT FOR PORTABLE RADIO
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5750016893

643. Re: General Radio Bridge 650-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 22:55:21 UTC
From: Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo>
Message-ID: <Xns95F5A1FE24662Mama@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 17166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

Jim Adney <jadney@vwtype3.org> wrote :

> On Sat, 05 Feb 2005 17:14:25 -0600 Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo>
> wrote:
>
>>I just dug an old General Radio Bridge 650-A out of the shed. It needs
>>cleaning up & refurbing. Anyone have any idea what it might be worth if I
>>wanted to sell it?
>
> Would that be a 1650A?
>
> Otherwise, it's something REALLY old.

No: http://lakewoodcolorado.net/MrsM/General%20Radio%20bridge.JPG
How old is that?

--
- Mama Bear

644. Re: General Radio Bridge 650-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-06 23:28:05 UTC
From: Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo>
Message-ID: <Xns95F5A78AB2862Mama@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 17167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo> wrote :

> Jim Adney <jadney@vwtype3.org> wrote :
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>
> No: http://lakewoodcolorado.net/MrsM/General%20Radio%20bridge.JPG
> How old is that?
>

Hmm, just did a little search, it seems it's vintage 1934.
http://www-2.cs.cmu.edu/~ram/electro/gr/history.pdf
Rare?

--
- Mama Bear

645. Re: Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 00:51:09 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <KWyNd.25364$3W3.16655@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17168

"Doug McLaren" <dougmc@frenzy.com> wrote in message
news:IA7Md.410$uA.27@fe1.texas.rr.com...
> In article <7f610114a45oja6alsj6e3j14ocjsrfnhv@4ax.com>,
> <the.other.george@dont-email-me.com> wrote:
>
> | Did Radio Shack (the store) start out selling Ham Equipment and stuff?

Wasn't there also something called "Allied Radio Shack" years ago? Or am I
confused?

Jerry

646. Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 01:19:01 UTC
From: Good_News_For_You_All@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107739141.871361.82590@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17169

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647. Re: General Radio Bridge 650-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 01:20:43 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95F5B0875C0B3spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 17170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc

Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo> wrote in
news:Xns95F4A538ABF5AMama@216.196.97.142:

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> if I wanted to sell it?
>
>

One sold on Canadian E-Bay last month for about $12.00 Canadian. You
can see it at:

http://cgi.ebay.ca/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=3284&item=
5746299543&rd=1

Ed

648. Re:Allied Radio & Radio Shack (Was Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 01:32:40 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <YyzNd.29363$xt.25504@fed1read07>
Source record: 17171

"Jerry" <joxendi@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:KWyNd.25364$3W3.16655@bignews4.bellsouth.net...
>
> "Doug McLaren" <dougmc@frenzy.com> wrote in message
> news:IA7Md.410$uA.27@fe1.texas.rr.com...
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>> | Did Radio Shack (the store) start out selling Ham Equipment and stuff?
>
> Wasn't there also something called "Allied Radio Shack" years ago? Or am I
> confused?
>
> Jerry
>
>
You are not confused
From URL:http://www.qsl.net/kb7rgg/

"Allied Radio (now known as Allied Electronics) is a company with a long eight decade history. It was founded in Chicago, IL. in 1928. Its purpose was to distribute radio parts for Columbia Radio Corp. By 1932, Allied was selling electronic parts by catalog. Storefront sales operations were established with the goal of selling to amateur radio operators and electronics experimenters. During WWII, Allied devoted itself to the war effort by handling government contracts and high-priority industrial needs. This was Allied's first real experience in industrial electronics. After the war, Allied continued to sell to the consumer and industrial markets. Sometime around 1962, Allied Electronics was created as a subsidiary of Allied Radio. In 1971, Allied was acquired by Tandy (now Radio Shack Corp.) and moved its headquarters to Fort Worth, Texas. Around 1981, Spartan Manufacturing acquired the company. In 1997, Avnet took over ownership. In 1999, Allied Electronics was acquired by Electrocomponents plc of the United Kingdom. Allied Electronics continues to sell electronic components by catalog and Internet ordering."

I have a catalog here titled Allied Radio Shack - 1971

I don't recall seeing an Allied Radio Shack catalog after the 1971 date

But Allied Electronics is live and well see URL:

http://www.alliedelec.com/AlliedHistory.asp

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Caveat Lector (Reader Beware)
Help The New Hams
Someone Helped You
Or did You Forget That ?

649. FA: ICOM IC-R3 WIDEBAND AUDIO/VIDEO RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 01:48:30 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <97id01hfrfhntb9v92v82nfnd1kqt8m6oe@4ax.com>
Source record: 17172

FA: ICOM IC-R3 WIDEBAND AUDIO/VIDEO RECEIVER
WITH MANY EXTRAS!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5750050841

650. Re: Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 02:17:25 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <qrjd01tts1ktjhq81ejo6k9phe3d5bc7hq@4ax.com>
Source record: 17173

On Sun, 6 Feb 2005 19:51:09 -0500, "Jerry" <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
wrote:

>
>"Doug McLaren" <dougmc@frenzy.com> wrote in message
>news:IA7Md.410$uA.27@fe1.texas.rr.com...
>> In article <7f610114a45oja6alsj6e3j14ocjsrfnhv@4ax.com>,
>> <the.other.george@dont-email-me.com> wrote:
>>
>> | Did Radio Shack (the store) start out selling Ham Equipment and stuff?
>
>Wasn't there also something called "Allied Radio Shack" years ago? Or am I
>confused?
>
>Jerry

Allied Radio, now Allied Electronics, was never part of Tandy or Radio
Shack. http://www.alliedelec.com/AlliedHistory.asp

Dick

651. Re: Allied Radio & Radio Shack (Was Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 02:23:52 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <23kd011i94u61i4nbj37k4b4pkkil4iikg@4ax.com>
Source record: 17174

On Sun, 6 Feb 2005 17:32:40 -0800, "Caveat Lector" <CL@barahmas.com>
wrote:

>You are not confused
>From URL:http://www.qsl.net/kb7rgg/
>
>"Allied Radio (now known as Allied Electronics) is a company with a long
>eight decade history. It was founded in Chicago, IL. in 1928. Its purpose
>was to distribute radio parts for Columbia Radio Corp. By 1932, Allied was
>selling electronic parts by catalog. Storefront sales operations were
>established with the goal of selling to amateur radio operators and
>electronics experimenters. During WWII, Allied devoted itself to the war
>effort by handling government contracts and high-priority industrial needs.
>This was Allied's first real experience in industrial electronics. After the
>war, Allied continued to sell to the consumer and industrial markets.
>Sometime around 1962, Allied Electronics was created as a subsidiary of
>Allied Radio. In 1971, Allied was acquired by Tandy (now Radio Shack Corp.)
>and moved its headquarters to Fort Worth, Texas. Around 1981, Spartan
>Manufacturing acquired the company. In 1997, Avnet took over ownership. In
>1999, Allied Electronics was acquired by Electrocomponents plc of the United
>Kingdom. Allied Electronics continues to sell electronic components by
>catalog and Internet ordering."

Hmmm. That's interesting. I just posted that Allied was never part
of Tandy. Funny they don't mention anything about it in their history
even though they do mention being acquired by Electrocomponents in
1999. I guess the move to Fort Worth should have been a clue.

Dick

652. Re:Allied Radio & Radio Shack (Was Did Radio Shack start out selling ham stuff?)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 02:27:41 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95F5BBE15C634spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 17175

>
> But Allied Electronics is live and well see URL:
>
> http://www.alliedelec.com/AlliedHistory.asp

And I would add, its an excellent source for parts. If I could only have one catalog, it would probably be theirs.

Ed K7AAT

653. tri band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 02:40:34 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <DBANd.3421$dN1.1249@fe11.lga>
Source record: 17176

Looking for a tri band mobile prefer Kenwood.. 2/220/440

E-mail me strook@optonline.net

654. tri band mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 02:41:49 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <iCANd.3422$zP1.2260@fe11.lga>
Source record: 17177

Looking for a tri band mobile prefer Kenwood.. 2/220/440

E-mail me strook@optonline.net

655. Re: General Radio Bridge 650-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 02:51:37 UTC
From: Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo>
Message-ID: <Xns95F5CA0D76488Mama@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 17178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote :

> Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo> wrote in
> news:Xns95F4A538ABF5AMama@216.196.97.142:
>
>> I just dug an old General Radio Bridge 650-A out of the shed. It needs
>> cleaning up & refurbing. Anyone have any idea what it might be worth
>> if I wanted to sell it?
>>
>>
>
>
> One sold on Canadian E-Bay last month for about $12.00 Canadian. You
> can see it at:
>
> http://cgi.ebay.ca/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=3284&item=
> 5746299543&rd=1

Jeez, I'm jealous, what a bargain. How cool.

Mine is a dirty beat up old piece of junk. I might be able to get it back to being clean enough to use, at least. It just has 1 broken banana jack. I suppose I could clean it up and at least use it here, it probably works.

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- Mama Bear

656. Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 03:06:51 UTC
From: Good_News_For_You_All@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107745611.793400.107260@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17179

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657. WTB Icom 821H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 03:18:38 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <i6BNd.2648$oO.927@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17180

I am looking for an Icom 821H in good condition,
I will pay top dollar if in good condition and especially
am looking for one with the tone squelch board already
installed but if it does not have one, no problem.

Please let me know if you have one or know anyone
that does and is willing to part with it.

Many thanks,

Patrick H. Mason
W4PHM
Jimmyk@mindspring.com

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Patrick H. Mason M.S. OHST, EMT-I

658. FA: Hallicrafters and Drake Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 03:29:38 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <OfBNd.21333$2p.17419@lakeread08>
Source record: 17181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in very good or excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

659. Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 04:51:15 UTC
From: Good_News_For_You_All@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107751875.769818.186540@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17182

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660. Re: Kenwood 820S TX/RX Relay question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 05:07:26 UTC
From: Photoman <photomanxaa@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dP6dnZtoBdXgapvfRVn-3g@adelphia.com>
Source record: 17183

Thanks guys. I cleaned the relay today and the rig is working perfectly. I suggest using a 1/4" X 2" strip of brown paper bag paper to do the cleaning along with a quality contact cleaner solution. The relay is the large one in the center of the bottom of the radio located, as you would expect, on the relay board or unit as Kenwood calls it. It is easy to remove and re-insert into the socket. If you try this be careful, the relay is delicate.

Thanks again,
Ken

"Photoman" <photomanxaa@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:ja2dndm8puyVOJ7fRVn-gg@adelphia.com...
> My old TS-820S takes forever to drop back to receive after transmitting.
> I'm sure it is the relay but I need a little info.
>
> First is the relay on the on the "RELAY UNIT, X543-1190-00" the relay in
> question? Sound like a stupid question but I've been into a 830 before and
> it has two relays in it.
>
> Secondly, is the relay in a socket?
>
> I have found that Mouser carries a replacement relay (part
> #526R1617D512)which I will order if the original relay is soldered in, if
> not I will try to clean the relay in the radio. I will probably order one
> anyway to have as a spare or in case I mess up the original in the
> cleaning process.
>
> I appreciate any info you may offer.
>
> email
> ken@Xarea-net.com (without the X)
>
> Thanks a lot,
> Ken
> KC4IH
>
> --
> Have your doctor check your blood sugar at least once a year.
>

661. Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 06:35:41 UTC
From: Good_News_For_You_All@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107758140.977678.156070@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17184

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662. Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 08:20:03 UTC
From: Good_News_For_You_All@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107764403.452615.203050@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17185

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663. Wanted: 10 Mtr Vertical For Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 10:22:03 UTC
From: Radio Man <puns@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <fjHNd.12508$uc.8079@trnddc02>
Source record: 17186

Where can i purchase a 10 mtr vertical ant with
a bnc connector at the base?

664. For Sale : Watkins Johnson documentation.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 14:52:24 UTC
From: Percom <percom@planet.nl>
Message-ID: <cu80cm$3c7$1@reader10.wxs.nl>
Source record: 17188

VHF series receiver 480A Instruction manual EURO 17,95

Receiver 487A-(X) Instruction manual EURO 13,95

(exclusive shipment)

665. For Sale : RCA documentation.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 14:53:03 UTC
From: Percom <percom@planet.nl>
Message-ID: <cu80cn$3c7$2@reader10.wxs.nl>
Source record: 17187

General purpose communications receiver AR-88D Instructions EURO 10,95

Direct reading Loran receiving equipment LR-8803 Instructions handbook EURO 16,95

(exclusive shipment)

666. Motorola channel element question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 16:18:49 UTC
From: skavanagh72nospam@yahoo.ca
Message-ID: <5249fb3f.0502070818.6d3dc825@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I am trying to use a local oscillator board from an old Motorola UHF FM radio as part of a microwave construction project. I need to know the input impedance of the multiplier chain so I can design a new crystal oscillator/buffer. The original crystal frequency is in the 18 MHz region but the input coils on the board tune at around 54 MHz so obviously there is a tripler inside the channel element.

Does anyone understand how Motorola did these things ? The original channel element is a TLN 8968A - anyone got a schematic ?

73,
Steve VE3SMA

667. : : : Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven :

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 20:45:56 UTC
From: Good_News_12000@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107809155.972684.13110@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17190

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this life has ended?

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds). He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for our sins.

After Jesus died He rose from the dead three days later as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us that Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept Him as their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him in Heaven where there is no more death, sorrow, sickness and pain.

The Holy Bible very clearly explains how simple it is to be saved and on your way to Heaven, "For if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)

You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if you will open your heart to Jesus and pray the following prayer:

Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have a home in Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a sinner. I believe You love me and want to save me. I believe that You bled and died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead. Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace. Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

Have a great day!
Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi

Free Online Bible
http://www.biblegateway.com

Free Online Movies
http://www.tbn.org/index.php/8/1.html

Animation
http://www.gieson.com/Library/projects/animations/walk/index.html

The Passion Of The Christ
http://www.worshipmusic.com/0310263670.html

Beware Of Cults
http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm

About Hell
http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm

Is Jesus God?
http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html

668. Help Please On ICOM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 20:52:08 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <4207D4F8.A014E913@erols.com>
Source record: 17191

Have a very old ICOM 230 (circa 1970s) in very clean shape. 10 watts,
30 khz spread. But no schematic. If anyone out there can tell me where
the deviation pot is located it would be most appreciated.

There are four horizontal panels inside the top cover and assume the pot
is located within one of these panels. Thanks.
73 Murray, K3BEQ

Please reply: mgreen@erols.com and/or group.

669. FA - Icom R7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 20:56:46 UTC
From: thecop <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <AJQNd.8690$Jp6.7390@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17192

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5750209396

670. : : : Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven :

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-07 23:04:20 UTC
From: Good_News_12000@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107817460.833285.318390@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17193

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671. Need Schematic Kenwood KPS12 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 01:31:40 UTC
From: gpfudd@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <6h5g01lvgfblb0sn0894kvcp5hk0rt3qv5@4ax.com>
Source record: 17194

Looking for a schematic for this power supply. Will pay for xeroxing
and postage or, possibly you could scan and send in a file.

Thanks...Steve...W7AZF
gpfudd@yahoo.com

672. Firewall interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 01:51:07 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <u16g0157i86r7h37lfe721dfrggd4g1ctk@4ax.com>
Source record: 17195

I have a CompUSA cable router/firewall. It is causing RFI about
14.335 and various other places throughout the ham bands.

I tried wrapping it in aluminum foil. Someone suggested I try
wrapping my network wires in a toroid, but I haven't tried that yet.
It is a 100 base T switch with a 10 base T Internet connection.

Thanks for the suggestions.

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

673. Re: Firewall interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 02:06:24 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <110g7l0k7e2454c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17196

>I have a CompUSA cable router/firewall. It is causing RFI about
>14.335 and various other places throughout the ham bands.
>
>I tried wrapping it in aluminum foil.

I assume that didn't help? If so, it suggests that the primary path
of interference may be conducted (through the network cables and/or
the power line) rather than directly radiated from the enclosure.

> Someone suggested I try
>wrapping my network wires in a toroid, but I haven't tried that yet.
>It is a 100 base T switch with a 10 base T Internet connection.
>
>Thanks for the suggestions.

I agree, try wrapping the network cables through a ferrite toroid
several times. Keep the toroid as close as possible to the case, so
as to minimize the amount of exposed wire between the case and the
toroid.

Try the same thing with the power wire. Toroids are your friends.

Try seeing if the interference occurs even when the network cables are
not connected i.e. when the router is receiving power but isn't
connected to any of the networks. I've seen at least one device which
wasn't bad when first powered up, but as soon as a network cable was
attached it started to radiate interference on the 2-meter band which
was strong enough to peg my HT's crude S-meter from 15 feet away.

You may find that your only good choice is to return the router to the
store, and buy a different brand. It's possible that the one you
bought isn't actually complying with the FCC Part 15 radiated and
conducted emission limits... and even if it is, it's clearly radiating
enough to be a problem for you.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

674. Re: Firewall interference

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 02:48:01 UTC
From: Danage <gone@invalid.com>
Message-ID: <36qni7F55ib4mU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17197

"Buck" <iam@this.site> wrote in message
news:u16g0157i86r7h37lfe721dfrggd4g1ctk@4ax.com...
> I have a CompUSA cable router/firewall. It is causing RFI about
> 14.335 and various other places throughout the ham bands.
>
> I tried wrapping it in aluminum foil. Someone suggested I try
> wrapping my network wires in a toroid, but I haven't tried that yet.
> It is a 100 base T switch with a 10 base T Internet connection.
>
> Thanks for the suggestions.
>

14.335 MHz?

Al starts working about 2-5 MHz, copper a little lower. Steel is far better
at lower frequencys.

Get some clamp-on ferrites for all the cables they are about 3/4 by 3/4 by 2
inches plastic case that snaps shut, and has a big ferrite piece inside it
two C sections that clampon the cable.

675. Re: Wanted: 10 Mtr Vertical For Handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 09:16:01 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrnd0h0nh.1ck.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 17198

In article <fjHNd.12508$uc.8079@trnddc02>, Radio Man wrote:
> Where can i purchase a 10 mtr vertical ant with
> a bnc connector at the base?

Azden sold one for their 10m FM HTs. They still exist, but not in the US.

Geoff.

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Geoffrey S. Mendelson, Jerusalem, Israel gsm@mendelson.com N3OWJ/4X1GM
IL Voice: 972-544-608-069 IL Fax: 972-2-648-1443 U.S. Voice: 1-215-821-1838

676. Wanted Icom ic-251a Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 11:03:22 UTC
From: Greg <gkm@deakin.edu.au.removethisbit>
Message-ID: <42089c7f$0$18880$5a62ac22@per-qv1-newsreader-01.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 17199

Hi, I'm looking for an icom ic-251a service manual
If you can help email me gkm@deakin.edu.au thanks in advance.
Greg VK3JIY

677. FA: $9.99 VINTAGE E.F. JOHNSON HAM RADIO PHONE PATCH>Neat item:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:06:20 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MB4Od.638$%C6.77@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17200

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

678. FA: $9.99 TWO(2) BRAND-NEW 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES-China>Nice Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:06:49 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dC4Od.639$ID6.68@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17202

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

679. FA: $9.99 SIX(6) VINTAGE PANEL METERS all USA MADE>Builder Alert!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:07:19 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HC4Od.640$rx6.414@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17201

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

680. FA: SIMPSON model 276 OSCILLOSCOPE CALIBRATOR>LIKE-NEW>BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:07:53 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <cD4Od.641$_B6.163@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17203

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

681. FA: $9.99 REGENCY DYNAMIC CB HAND MICROPHONE, WORKS & REAL NICE:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:08:37 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <VD4Od.643$fF6.588@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17204

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

682. FA: $9.99 OMEGA-T TE7-01 ANTENNA NOISE BRIDGE, LIKE-NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:09:10 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qE4Od.644$uu6.390@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17205

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

683. FA: Antique $9.99 J.H. BUNNELL MAINLINE 15-B BRASS TELEGRAPH SOUNDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:09:45 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ZE4Od.645$Ty6.105@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17206

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

684. FA: NEW HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK, NEW-9-1/2">NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:10:22 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <yF4Od.646$yD6.53@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17207

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685. FA: CENTURY FC-1 "FAST CHECK" TUBE TESTER>By Precision,NICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:10:52 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0G4Od.647$HG6.157@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17208

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686. FA: 31 VINTAGE JAPANESE TRANSISTORS>2SB22-2SB75-2SB172-ETC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:11:24 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vG4Od.648$FD6.349@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17209

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can use:-)
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http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

687. FA: $9.99 15 BAGS(5+lbs) of SMALL PARTS FOR BUILDERS,>AMAZING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 15:11:51 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XG4Od.649$oH6.425@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17210

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

688. Re: NEED RECOMMENDATION (L.A. AREA) 4 MOTOROLA MX PROGRAMMING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 20:09:18 UTC
From: giantcake <radio@telcoproject.com>
Message-ID: <1107893358.574330.262630@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17211
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Dave,

www.oceanviewcom.com

There is also a yahoo group called: Motorola R-1801

Regards,

-Steve/WA6OXN

689. Alinco DR-130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 21:43:10 UTC
From: W8KZW <w8kzw@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <110iclkjn19ed67@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Anyone know how to put one of these in simplex mode without manually setting offset to "0"?

I've seen some chatter on this in the past, but I don't recall seeing the fix.

Thanks!

Jeff

690. Thank You DF6NA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-08 22:56:32 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <420943A0.EB37204A@erols.com>
Source record: 17213

I recently put out a request for some tech data on a very old
2 meter ICOM 230 (Circa 1970s) VHF Xceiver, not really expecting a
reply. To my surprise I received a copy of the entire manual and
schematic from DF6NA including the location of the deviation pot I
requested.

I guess that is what this newsgroup is all about. Thank you again
DF6NA. (Reply previously sent directly to his Email address.)

73 Murray, K3BEQ

691. © © © Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven © 1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 00:38:49 UTC
From: Good_News_12002@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107909529.442086.151670@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17214

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this life has ended?

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds). He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for our sins.

After Jesus died He rose from the dead three days later as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us that Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept Him as their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him in Heaven where there is no more death, sorrow, sickness and pain.

The Holy Bible very clearly explains how simple it is to be saved and on your way to Heaven, "For if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)

You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if you will open your heart to Jesus and pray the following prayer:

Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have a home in Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a sinner. I believe You love me and want to save me. I believe that You bled and died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead. Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace. Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed
God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

Have a great day!
Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi

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http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm

About Hell
http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm

Is Jesus God?
http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html

692. FA:Optimod 9100A/1 Mint Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 03:01:28 UTC
From: Ken <gold@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <42098A64.80805@nucleus.com>
Source record: 17215

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Up for auction, an as new Optimod 9100A/1 processor
They don't come better than this, fully serviced,
recapped,manual,optional NTSC Monitor roll off filter, ready to go.
See and bid at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=3781727196
Thanks for l@@king
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 03:20:20 UTC
From: Good_News_12002@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107919220.719775.320000@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17216

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this
life has ended?

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth
in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and
died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds).
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virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life
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Amen.

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http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html

694. ICOM IC-2100h dead microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 04:23:29 UTC
From: ab288@valleynet.on.ca
Message-ID: <b86ea36e.0502082023.4b12f009@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17217

Has anyone had this mic problem (HM98s) with their IC-2100h radio?
The mic lights up and the red indicator on the mic lights when PTT is
actuated
but the mic does not communicate with the radio. Functions , DTMF ,
PTT,audio, dont work for days at a time then all is well again without
having done anything
to the radio. The radio lives indoors on a power supply, has had very
little
transmitting time. There is no indication on the bar graph output
power level display indicating that PTT has been pressed. I did a CPU
reset. Nothing. I dont think its the mic itself because I tried a mic
from another working radio and still no response. Taking the mic from
this unit and trying it on the other working radio, it works fine.
The function buttons on the radio itself all work fine. The lock is
not engaged on the radio or the mic.

Bryan
WA2DRK

695. Re: Icom IC-2100H mic problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 04:31:17 UTC
From: ab288@valleynet.on.ca
Message-ID: <1107923477.285143.208090@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17218

I too am having this mic problem (HM98s) with my IC-2100h radio.
The mic lights up and the red indicator on the mic lights when PTT is
actuated
but the mic does not communicate with the radio. Functions , DTMF ,
PTT,audio, dont work for days at a time then all is well again without
having done anything
to the radio. The radio lives indoors on a power supply, has had very
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transmitting time. There is no indication on the bar graph output power
level display indicating that PTT has been pressed. I did a CPU reset.
Nothing. I dont think its the mic itself because I tried a mic from
another working radio and still no response. Taking the mic from this
unit and trying it on the other working radio, it works fine. The
function buttons on the radio itself all work fine. The lock is not
engaged on the radio or the mic.

Has anybody resolved this since it was posted in 2002?
Bryan

Mike wrote:
> Just recently, my HS-98 microphone has ceased working. If I plug it
in, the
> key pad lights up, but nothing works, and everytime a button or PTT
is
> pushed, the red light lights up on the mic. Should I send it in and
have it
> repaired, or should I spend the $90 to get a new one? Or does
somebody have
> fix for my mic. Any help would be graetfully appreciated.
> 73's
> Mike
> KC2JGA
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> --
> From the desk of KC2JGA

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 05:28:09 UTC
From: Good_News_12002@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107926889.377296.312440@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17219

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697. Yaesu/Vertex VX-150 won't xmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 14:46:16 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <cud7nounf3@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 17220

My wife and I got a pair of VX-150 about 3 weeks back. I've been using mine heavily, while she has only used hers maybe a dozen times. Mine stopped transmitting Tuesday afternoon; hers stopped last night. Both are in good shape otherwise: receive fine.

Anyone else seen this sort of failure in a VX-150?

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Mike Andrews, KE5DMQ
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

698. ICOM 756 Programming?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 18:45:53 UTC
From: munged@address.com
Message-ID: <1107974753.119801@cswreg.cos.agilent.com>
Source record: 17221

Is there any Windows software available for programming the
Icom 756 Pro2/3 thru the CV-I port? RT Systems says they're
not offering anything and has no future plans.

73 Don K6LTS
email in QRZ.com

699. Service manual for Yaesu FT-290R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 19:06:50 UTC
From: Rami Vainio <rami.vainio.maps@on.eunet.fi>
Message-ID: <hbtOd.534$P66.182@reader1.news.jippii.net>
Source record: 17222
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi, I'm looking for service manual to old Yaesu FT-290R 2m multimode radio. Especially I'm interested of tuning intructions (schematics and user manual can found easily, but nothing else).

Ramppa

PS. remove no spam from email address...

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Rami Vainio OH2LIY
EMAIL : ramppa.maps@on.iki.fi
PHONE : +358 40 505 8085

700. Re: Yaesu/Vertex VX-150 won't xmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 21:55:13 UTC
From: danjr <danjr@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <5FvOd.17338$XY5.9659@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17223

"Mike Andrews" <mikea@mikea.ath.cx> wrote in message
news:cud7nounf3@puck.litech.org...
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> mine heavily, while she has only used hers maybe a dozen times. Mine
> stopped transmitting Tuesday afternoon; hers stopped last night. Both
> are in good shape otherwise: receive fine.
>
> Anyone else seen this sort of failure in a VX-150?

I have two of these rigs and use and abuse them daily. They're built tough and I have never had any trouble at all with them. Have owned them over a year. I know a couple other people who have them and have not experienced any problems either.

I'd call up Yaesu tech support at 1-714-827-7600. Anytime I have had to deal with them has been positive, and had to send them a rig a couple times and got a very quick turnaround.

Dan

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 22:01:57 UTC
From: Good_News_12004@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107986517.012137.264870@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17224

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this
life has ended?

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in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and
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blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for
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penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead.
Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my
Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for
forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace.
Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed
God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

If you decide to wait till later you may die before you get
another chance to be saved because none of us knows
exactly when we will die.

Have a great day!
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702. Re: Service manual for Yaesu FT-290R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 22:08:32 UTC
From: Larry Gagnon <lagagnon@fakeuniserve.com>
Message-ID: <pan.2005.02.09.22.08.32.462462@fakeuniserve.com>
Source record: 17225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 09 Feb 2005 21:06:50 +0200, Rami Vainio wrote:

> Hi, I'm looking for service manual to old Yaesu FT-290R 2m multimode
> radio. Especially I'm interested of tuning intructions (schematics and
> user manual can found easily, but nothing else).

Try here:

http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html

Larry VE7EA

703. Alinco ALR-206T Owner's Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 22:12:55 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <110l2n6ri6toi92@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17226

I have come by an Alinco ALR-206T that I want to put on the test bench, refurbish, and give to one of the new hams that is going through my class. Unfortunately, it came without an owner's manual, and while I could probably figure it out given enough time, a newbie is going to be SOL trying to get it to fire up.

Does anybody have the pertinent sections out of that manual that they could scan and send to me (jim@rstengineering.com) or copy and put in an envelope (RST Engineering 13993 Downwind Ct. Grass Valley CA 95945) . I'll be happy to remit copy and postage charges.

It also needs a power connector. The power connector looks like an old-fashioned "cheater cord" type of connector with two pins inside of a rectangular housing about a quarter of an inch high by half an inch wide, with a small keyway molded into the bottom edge of the housing. Anybody got a source for these puppies?

Jim
WX6RST
www.rstengineering.com/hamradio

704. Re: UNIDEN DEBUTS APCO 25 CAPABLE DIGITAL SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 22:55:59 UTC
From: Luddite <a2k@ripco.com>
Message-ID: <cue4dv$65j$1@e250.ripco.com>
Source record: 17227
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

> The Bearcat BCD396T also offers Close CallT RF Capture Technology, Dynamic
> Memory Management, Fire Tone-Out as well as 5,500 channels and a frequency
> range of 25MHz to 1300MHz, excluding cellular. This new model is slated to
> hit shelves in late summer 2005.

> "With the BCD396T, we listened to our consumers and have incorporated their
> feedback on features they wanted, into a high-quality product that meets the
> demands of both professionals, such as law enforcement officials, and

what about a front end that does not overload in urban areas?

705. Re: Service manual for Yaesu FT-290R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 23:13:05 UTC
From: Highland Ham <abcgm0csz.kn6whxyz@abcntlworldxyz.com>
Message-ID: <5OwOd.7008$Z%2.4675@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 17228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Try here:
>
> http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html
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Tnx Larry , An excellent site with loads of useful info.

Frank GM0CSZ / KN6WH

706. Re: NMO mount reinforcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-09 23:34:33 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <cue6m9kkp1@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 17229
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

k0hb@earthlink.net wrote:
> I have a 3/4-inch NMO mount on the top of one of my vehicles. The
> antenna is starting to tilt toward the rear (maybe I drive too fast)
> due to the thin metal in the trucks' roof. Has anyone found a solution
> to this problem?

Put a plate under the roof, if you're willing to remove the headliner,
or on top of the roof, if you're not, to stiffen that area. I think that
under would be better for multiple reasons, and you've got to get into the
headliner anyway to deal with the cable, don't you? You shouldn't need a
lot of plate -- say 6" square or 6"x12", with the long axis oriented
front-to-back. The NMO mounting nut may be enough, or you may want to use a
couple of fasteners to keep the plate straight.

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Mike Andrews, KE5DMQ
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

707. Re: © © © Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven © 1005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 00:12:35 UTC
From: Greg <gkm@deakin.edu.au.removethisbit>
Message-ID: <420aa6f7$0$1439$5a62ac22@per-qv1-newsreader-01.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 17231

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I'm so over hearing about jesus/god fucken shit. For fuck sake GROW up
get a root, have kids and die, and at some point get a fucken life and
stop wasting bandwidth posting this FUCKEN RUBBISH

Good_News_12004@yahoo.com wrote:

> Good News!
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> Amen.
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> You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed
> God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.
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> If you decide to wait till later you may die before you get
> another chance to be saved because none of us knows
> exactly when we will die.
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> Have a great day!
> Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi
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> Beware Of Cults
> http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm
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>
> About Hell
> http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm
>
>

> Is Jesus God?
> http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html
>

708. Re: NMO mount reinforcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 00:13:36 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95F8A52D6C51Dspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 17230
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>> I have a 3/4-inch NMO mount on the top of one of my vehicles. The
>> antenna is starting to tilt toward the rear (maybe I drive too fast)
>> due to the thin metal in the trucks' roof. Has anyone found a
>> solution to this problem?

Temporarily you could loosen the NMO mount ring and look to see if the two tabs which fit UNDER the roof metal are aimed forward and rear. If so, you could simply turn the assembly 90 degrees so that the two tabs now fit under the roof hole right and left side. This is assuming that the tilt was due to the bending of the front to rear part of the hole, but left and right side of the hole still being flat.

Ultimately, some kind of added thin steel plating under the roof hole would be the only thing I can think of at the moment. I've seen some plating added to the top side, which worked, but looked like heck.

Ed K7AAT

709. © © © Good News! -- Jesus Christ Went To The Cross So You Can Go To Heaven © 1005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 00:27:23 UTC
From: Good_News_12004@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1107995243.549486.157080@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17232

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this
life has ended?

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth
in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and
died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds).
He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a
virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life
for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless
blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for
our sins.

After Jesus died He rose from the dead three days later
as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us that
Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept
Him as their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him
in Heaven where there is no more death, sorrow, sickness
and pain.

The Holy Bible very clearly explains how simple it is
to be saved and on your way to Heaven, "For if you
confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe
in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you
WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)

You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if
you will open your heart to Jesus and pray the following
prayer:

Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have
a home in Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a
sinner. I believe You love me and want to save me. I
believe that You bled and died on the cross to pay the
penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead.
Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my
Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for
forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace.
Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed
God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

If you decide to wait till later you may die before you get
another chance to be saved because none of us knows
exactly when we will die.

Have a great day!
Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi

Free Online Bible
http://www.biblegateway.com

Free Online Movies
http://www.tbn.org/index.php/8/1.html

Animation
http://www.gieson.com/Library/projects/animations/walk/index.html

The Passion Of The Christ
http://www.worshipmusic.com/0310263670.html

Beware Of Cults
http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm

About Hell
http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm

Is Jesus God?
http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html

710. FA: Original Hallicrafters and Drake Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 00:37:48 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <N0yOd.32448$2p.28696@lakeread08>
Source record: 17233
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in very good or excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

711. Re: NMO mount reinforcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 00:45:22 UTC
From: Lloyd <mrlloyd@salesboywinner.org>
Message-ID: <cueape$n6m$0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 17234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<k0hb@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:1107986227.367228.22340@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>I have a 3/4-inch NMO mount on the top of one of my vehicles. The
> antenna is starting to tilt toward the rear (maybe I drive too fast)
> due to the thin metal in the trucks' roof. Has anyone found a solution
> to this problem?
>
> 73, de Hans, K0HB

Loosen the NMO mount rig. Straighten the antenna but dont
retighten yet. Squeeze a liberal amount of J& B weld into the
hole. Retighten the NMO ring. A simple fix that works every
time.

73,

Lloyd

712. Tools

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 00:49:52 UTC
From: Popcorn Lover <popcorn@N0T-SPAM.COM>
Message-ID: <Xns95F8B5661EB38popcornN0TSPAMCOM@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 17235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,alt.audio.equipment

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Tools_How-To/

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- Popcorn Lover
If you love popcorn too, there are no popcorn groups on usenet but
there IS one in Yahoo Groups:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Popcorn_Lovers
The internet's first-ever-in-the-world popcorn group!
Share the word on making great popcorn - come join us!

713. Tools

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 00:53:39 UTC
From: Popcorn Lover <popcorn@N0T-SPAM.COM>
Message-ID: <Xns95F8B60A83882popcornN0TSPAMCOM@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 17236
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.misc,sci.electronics.repair,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace,alt.electronics.manufacture.circuitboard,sci.electronics.basics,sci.electronics.design

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Tools_How-To/

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- Popcorn Lover
If you love popcorn too, there are no popcorn groups on usenet but
there IS one in Yahoo Groups:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Popcorn_Lovers
The internet's first-ever-in-the-world popcorn group!
Share the word on making great popcorn - come join us!

714. FA: MOTOROLA CDM-1550 VHF MOBILE RADIO, NEW IN BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 01:02:37 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <blcl01p1t55rm1bps3m37ucii19m6ic0va@4ax.com>
Source record: 17237

FA: MOTOROLA CDM-1550 VHF MOBILE RADIO, NEW IN BOX
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5749429751&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

715. Re: UNIDEN DEBUTS APCO 25 CAPABLE DIGITAL SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 01:42:11 UTC
From: Brian <victhedog@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <5uel015kh92jhrhtki7n6684fblas44p88@4ax.com>
Source record: 17238
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

On Wed, 9 Feb 2005 22:55:59 +0000 (UTC), Luddite <a2k@ripco.com>

wrote:

move out of the getto you will not have that problem

>
>> The Bearcat BCD396T also offers Close CallT RF Capture Technology, Dynamic
>> Memory Management, Fire Tone-Out as well as 5,500 channels and a frequency
>> range of 25MHz to 1300MHz, excluding cellular. This new model is slated to
>> hit shelves in late summer 2005.
>
>> "With the BCD396T, we listened to our consumers and have incorporated their
>> feedback on features they wanted, into a high-quality product that meets the
>> demands of both professionals, such as law enforcement officials, and
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>what about a front end that does not overload in urban areas?
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716. FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 02:19:09 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108001949.141362.164700@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17239

I have obtained a mass quantity of high quality "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters, unused. I have over two dozen, most in the original package. You can clip off the cell phone plug, and add your own. Rat Shack wants eight bucks for theirs. Mine are FREE. (Limit two, please. $4.95 shipping and handling for one. $6.95 S&H for two.) Email me via tinytenna@hotmail.com (Photo at QTH.com. Just put my call in the search engine.)

73, Bill -WA8MEA
REALLY NEAT STUFF!! Visit - http://qth.com/dwm

717. Re: UNIDEN DEBUTS APCO 25 CAPABLE DIGITAL SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 02:54:58 UTC
From: Luddite <a2k@ripco.com>
Message-ID: <cueie2psa1@e250.ripco.com>
Source record: 17240
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

In alt.radio.scanner Brian <victhedog@hotmail.com> wrote:
> On Wed, 9 Feb 2005 22:55:59 +0000 (UTC), Luddite <a2k@ripco.com>

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go and hump your masters leg
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>>> range of 25MHz to 1300MHz, excluding cellular. This new model is slated to
>>> hit shelves in late summer 2005.
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>>> "With the BCD396T, we listened to our consumers and have incorporated their
>>> feedback on features they wanted, into a high-quality product that meets the
>>> demands of both professionals, such as law enforcement officials, and
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>>what about a front end that does not overload in urban areas?
>>

718. FA: National NC-183D RCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 03:52:18 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@esedona.net>
Message-ID: <GTAOd.102$hj3.7214@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 17241

For a National NC-183D Rcvr please see

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5749812635

73's Mark NU6X

719. Re: Alinco ALR-206T Owner's Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 04:07:58 UTC
From: danjr <danjr@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <y6BOd.17482$XY5.12950@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17242

> Does anybody have the pertinent sections out of
> that manual that they could scan and send to me
> (jim@rstengineering.com) or copy and put in an
> envelope (RST Engineering 13993 Downwind
> Ct. Grass Valley CA 95945) . I'll be happy to
> remit copy and postage charges.

There's a manual online at Mods.dk. It's 635-k zipped:
http://www.mods.dk/downloadmanual.php?File=ALR-206_Instruction_manual.zip

In case that link gets chopped, here's a smaller one:
http://tinyurl.com/3qdob

> It also needs a power connector. The power connector
> looks like an old-fashioned "cheater cord" type of
> connector with two pins inside of a rectangular housing
> about a quarter of an inch high by half an inch wide,
> with a small keyway molded into the bottom edge of the
> housing. Anybody got a source for these puppies?

You might try All Electronics ... they have a large supply of connectors and other miscellaneous surplus electronic goodies. If you can't find what you're looking for on their web site, call them up or email them and request a free catalog. The inventory in the catalog changes every few months, so you might find something there.

http://www.allelectronics.com/

73
Dan

720. Re: Alinco DR-130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 04:23:49 UTC
From: danjr <danjr@voyager.net>
Message-ID: <plBOd.17485$XY5.2070@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 17243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

"W8KZW" <w8kzw@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:110iclkjn19ed67@corp.supernews.com...
> Anyone know how to put one of these in simplex mode without manually
setting
> offset to "0"?
>

I've run across those and that's the only way I found to set it. The manual
is available online through Mods.dk, but I quickly scanned through it and
didn't see anything helpful about this.

ftp://kricka.no-ip.info/manuals1/alinco/DR-130_330_430Manual@6464.pdf

73
Dan

721. Re: UNIDEN DEBUTS APCO 25 CAPABLE DIGITAL SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 14:04:28 UTC
From: BDK <kingratatatboy@buckeye-express.com>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c7533f746323e6998972f@news.buckeye-express.com>
Source record: 17244
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

In article <cueie2psa1@e250.ripco.com>, a2k@ripco.com says...
> In alt.radio.scanner Brian <victhedog@hotmail.com> wrote:
> > On Wed, 9 Feb 2005 22:55:59 +0000 (UTC), Luddite <a2k@ripco.com>
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> >>> demands of both professionals, such as law enforcement officials, and
> >>
> >>
> >>what about a front end that does not overload in urban areas?
> >>
>
>

Now THAT would be a miracle!!

How long did it take Uniden to finally stop using awful battery packs in
their handhelds? I'll be dead by the time they get a handheld that has
really decent RF performance.

BDK

722. Henry Amps RIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 17:46:22 UTC
From: Chuck K8CPA <k8cpachuck@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <4f7n01d5j2m5i16jug52adltsqqddsctfh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17245

Hi Guys,

I heard the news via the internet... and it's true. Henry amps are no more...:

Here's the e-mail from Mr. Henry Himself:

From: "Ted Henry" <henryradio@earthlink.net>
To: "Chuck Adkins (K8CPA)" <**********@comcast.net>
Subject: Re: Lost your Lease?
Date: Thursday, February 10, 2005 12:23 PM

There were about 15 reasons why we stopped - the primary reason was that the business has lost money for a number of years. The loss of the lease was about 5th down on the many reasons it made no sense to continue the business.

Thanks for your interest.

Ted Shannon Henry

Ted Shannon
HENRY RADIO, INC.
2050 South Bundy Drive Suite 285
Los Angeles, CA 90025

henryradio@earthlink.net
www.henryradio.com
eBay Store: http://stores.ebay.com/Henry-Radio

310-820-1234 ext 310
310-826-7790 FAX

----- Original Message -----
From: Chuck Adkins (K8CPA)
To: henryradio@earthlink.net
Sent: Thursday, February 10, 2005 8:52 AM
Subject: Lost your Lease?

Hi Guys,

why not just find another building? and Continue on?

Makes no sense to stop.

-Chuck K8CPA

723. kenwood DSP 100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-10 21:52:40 UTC
From: An-Tony <ann.rNOSPAMap@tiscali.it>
Message-ID: <IIQOd.26634$QG6.462015@twister2.libero.it>
Source record: 17246

Hi, guys.
I'm looking for a DSP 100 for my kenwood rig.
Can you help me?
I'm in Italy.
Send info's in email, please.
Thank you.
Tony

724. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 03:25:21 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <372mt3F57j5b6U1@individual.net>
Source record: 17247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

Icom 02AT with wall wart.
Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery $ 65

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Scsii CD changer.
No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

725. Re: NMO mount reinforcement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 04:41:10 UTC
From: Ronnie C <rc@ronniescorg.net>
Message-ID: <cuhcvsfho0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 17098
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<k0hb@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:1107986227.367228.22340@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>I have a 3/4-inch NMO mount on the top of one of my vehicles. The
> antenna is starting to tilt toward the rear (maybe I drive too fast)
> due to the thin metal in the trucks' roof. Has anyone found a solution
> to this problem?
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> 73, de Hans, K0HB
>

You would think Hans would say Thank You for the replies but
dont count on it, typical Hans.

726. Re: FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 05:55:43 UTC
From: qro_dude <qro@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <420C48DC.6FFE5728@nospam.com>
Source record: 17099

I hope you get a MASS Quantity (about a million)
emails to fill up your mailbox.

You got eight of these made in china crap and you want
five bucks to ship it ?
Walmart has them w/o shipping.

73

ars_wa8mea@netzero.com wrote:

> I have obtained a mass quantity of high quality "CellularOne" 12 volt
> cig. lighter adapters, unused. I have over two dozen, most in the
> original package. You can clip off the cell phone plug, and add your
> own. Rat Shack wants eight bucks for theirs. Mine are FREE. (Limit two,
> please. $4.95 shipping and handling for one. $6.95 S&H for two.) Email
> me via tinytenna@hotmail.com (Photo at QTH.com. Just put my call in
> the search engine.)
>
> 73, Bill -WA8MEA
> REALLY NEAT STUFF!! Visit - http://qth.com/dwm

727. WTB "Ultimate" Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 07:09:49 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <9hmo01pi5b8kutealnelbh5idh8djdpose@4ax.com>
Source record: 17100

I am looking for a heavily modded Pro-2006. As many of the Bill Cheek mods the better. LED , Analog s-meter , 232 interface , etc. If you have one you want to sell please contact me , I have many scanners to trade or will listen to your price. MUST be in 100% working order. Thanks , Tom

728. WTB "Ultimate" Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 07:10:12 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <iimo019s9gu31dgcd71dobdc184i13gg0d@4ax.com>
Source record: 17101

I am looking for a heavily modded Pro-2006. As many of the Bill Cheek mods the better. LED , Analog s-meter , 232 interface , etc. If you have one you want to sell please contact me , I have many scanners to trade or will listen to your price. MUST be in 100% working order. Thanks , Tom

729. Easy HT mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 13:08:10 UTC
From: ttrrkk@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1108127290.509731.147850@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17102

At my job we use motorola HTs on UHF (400MHz+) using DPL/DCS
squelching. Sometime in the next few months we'll migrate to different
motorolas on VHF (150MHz+) using PL/CTCSS.

I'm a ham, but a somewhat inexperienced one.. I was wondering if y'all
could direct me toward a few dual or tri band HTs that would be easily
modified to tx those freqs, preferrably with the DPL/DCS capability
(since I think most radios come with PL/CTCSS), but if you know of one
that is super easy and only does PL, that would be great, too.
Comments on performance (ie intermod) are appreciated, too.

I've hunted around on mod sites and have come up with a couple of icoms
and a few alincos that appear easy enough to mod.. But, I wanted some
opinions from y'all.

There's probably no need to post the mod, I'll find it on the
internet.. Unless you want to make it easy on me and link to it. :-)

TIA! 73,

kc5rsv
thomas

730. WTB Colliins KWS-1 fan & plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 14:27:05 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Zg3Pd.46386$iC4.45766@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17103
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.hf

A nearby ham with a Collins KWS-1 who doesn't have Internet wnats to buy a
fan CPN 541 2293 004 and an Amohenol female 15 pin rectangular plug CPN 372
1081 00 also known as P102 the control cable plug. Any tips appreciated,
I'll pass along any info provided.
tnx

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73
Hank WD5JFR

731. FA: TUF-TUG FALL PROTECTION HARNESS W/ WIRE ROPE GRAB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 15:30:17 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7sjp0154jqn9r81jee4g975uksqqeiehak@4ax.com>
Source record: 17104

FA: TUF-TUG FALL PROTECTION HARNESS W/ WIRE ROPE GRAB
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3872589682

732. FA: MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MICROPHONE (SPECTRA) - NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 15:30:42 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <0tjp01dnjeu92b8ttgruiv4nc7n0jo91ll@4ax.com>
Source record: 17105

FA: MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MICROPHONE (SPECTRA) - NEW
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5749985284

733. Re: FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 15:50:06 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108137006.393228.318250@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17106

WAAAAAAAAAAAHHHHHHHHHHHHH!!!!!

Then they are more than welcome to go to WalMart. Surprise! Not every town has a WalMart and $4.95 is NOT excessive if you've priced ANY of the package carriers lately.

(Just another cheap SWL who thinks he's a ham.....)

Bill

734. Re: Easy HT mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 17:04:29 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <9vop01hbhvk4mhcniu9hi2dc77d88ifh3o@4ax.com>
Source record: 17107

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>squelching. Sometime in the next few months we'll migrate to different
>motorolas on VHF (150MHz+) using PL/CTCSS.
>
>I'm a ham, but a somewhat inexperienced one.. I was wondering if y'all
>could direct me toward a few dual or tri band HTs that would be easily
>modified to tx those freqs, preferrably with the DPL/DCS capability
>(since I think most radios come with PL/CTCSS), but if you know of one
>that is super easy and only does PL, that would be great, too.
>Comments on performance (ie intermod) are appreciated, too.

Thomas,

Did I get this correct? You want to modify an amateur radio so it
operates on a commercial band?

What you are doing is setting yourself up for a $10,000-$20,000 fine
and possible suspension or loss of your amateur license. Regardless
of technology, it is against the law to use non-type accepted
equipment on services requiring type accepted equipment.

You can read about some of the penalties imposed by the FCC on the
internet. I think the ARRL has quite a few reports.

You can get HT's and mobiles that will monitor the frequencies you
want to use if you like.

If you want to operate those frequencies, you might check with the
source from which your company is buying rigs and tell them that you
would like one that you can use as well but have a small budget. They
may find a used one for you that they can program for both your
company use and amateur use.

Good luck,

And... stay out of trouble, ok?

73
Buck
N4PGW

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

735. Re: Easy HT mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 17:48:53 UTC
From: ttrrkk@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1108144133.520255.190020@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17108

Buck,

Thanks for the reply. I'm actually working outside of the US right now, where the FCC doesn't care and no one else around here seems to. I met another HAM here who's doing the same thing (with an IC-V8) and really there is no one here to complain. Rest assured, I wouldn't care if I were in the states.. And, when I get back to the states if I don't leave the radio for someone else I'll not be operating it out of ham bands. :-)

Have a good one!

73,

thomas

736. FA: National NC-188 & Speaker $41

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 18:05:01 UTC
From: Eugene Rippen <soundval@foothill.net>
Message-ID: <420cf464$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 17109

Working condition National NC-188 and matching speaker going for $41 right
now.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5750483846

-----== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com - Unlimited-Uncensored-Secure Usenet News==----
http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+ Newsgroups
----= East and West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =----

737. Some radio/electronics stuff for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 18:25:49 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <cuitgp$29iu$2@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 17110
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Some stuff I'm getting rid of:

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com/

738. Re: Yaesu/Vertex VX-150 won't xmit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 18:56:30 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <cuiv4usbj1@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 17111

danjr <danjr@voyager.net> wrote:
> "Mike Andrews" <mikea@mikea.ath.cx> wrote in message
> news:cud7nounf3@puck.litech.org...
> > My wife and I got a pair of VX-150 about 3 weeks back. I've been using
> > mine heavily, while she has only used hers maybe a dozen times. Mine
> > stopped transmitting Tuesday afternoon; hers stopped last night. Both
> > are in good shape otherwise: receive fine.
> >
> > Anyone else seen this sort of failure in a VX-150?

> I have two of these rigs and use and abuse them daily. They're built tough
> and I have never had any trouble at all with them. Have owned them over a
> year. I know a couple other people who have them and have not experienced
> any problems either.

> I'd call up Yaesu tech support at 1-714-827-7600. Anytime I have had to
> deal with them has been positive, and had to send them a rig a couple times
> and got a very quick turnaround.

I ran some tests yesterday, and then called the number above and had a
nice chat with the guy who took the call. Since each will talk to the
other in simplex mode (in tone squelch mode as well as out), but both
fail to open any of the local repeaters, it's pretty obvious that they
are transmitting on-frequency and that the RF power out just isn't
enough to do the job with the repeaters, which indicates that both HTs
have had the final fail. That was my conclusion before the call, and
the Vertex guy thinks it probably is correct.

They're in the mail now, and the turnaround is 5-7 business days. *sigh*

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Mike Andrews, W5EGO
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

739. Re: UNIDEN DEBUTS APCO 25 CAPABLE DIGITAL SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-11 23:15:48 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <E0bPd.194500$w62.163296@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17112
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner

Unfortunately, many of the scanners have been not so hot.....if it wasn't a case of front end overload, it was a case of reciprocal mixing as a result of the poor phase noise from the synthesizers. The Regency MX7000 was an example of a poorly executed receiver. The Yaesu VR5000 is a joke.....I hooked it up to one of my RF generators (Boonton 103D), and this receiver was driven into RF clipping at only 50mV. At a 20mV RF level, I could hear the signal at plus or minus 150kHz. For the record, the generator has a phase noise characteristic of -140dBc @ 10kHz offset. Low noise unit, suitable for avionics applications. The Icom R100 and the AOR2002 weren't bad units.....these radios used a passive doubly-balanced diode ring mixer, but unfortunately, their synthesizers' performance left a bit to be desired.
The Motorola radios seem to have the best front ends, at least in this country. There are some overseas suppliers that make good equipment, but unfortunately, these units are aimed at the land mobile community.
I did pick up the BC896, and for a cheap radio, it isn't bad. They appear to have added another 30dB of gain to the AM I.F. strip, so at least, airband performance is better.
Oh, and intermod isn't a problem limited to ghetto areas. It depends on how well the radio was designed.

Pete

"BDK" <kingratatatboy@buckeye-express.com> wrote in message news:MPG.1c7533f746323e6998972f@news.buckeye-express.com...
> In article <cueie2psa1@e250.ripco.com>, a2k@ripco.com says...
>> In alt.radio.scanner Brian <victhedog@hotmail.com> wrote:
>> > On Wed, 9 Feb 2005 22:55:59 +0000 (UTC), Luddite <a2k@ripco.com>
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>>
>> > wrote:
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>>
>> > move out of the getto you will not have that problem
>>
>> go and hump your masters leg
>> >>
>> >>> The Bearcat BCD396T also offers Close CallT RF Capture Technology,
>> >>> Dynamic
>> >>> Memory Management, Fire Tone-Out as well as 5,500 channels and a
>> >>> frequency
>> >>> range of 25MHz to 1300MHz, excluding cellular. This new model is
>> >>> slated to

>> >>> hit shelves in late summer 2005.
>> >>
>> >>> "With the BCD396T, we listened to our consumers and have incorporated
>> >>> their
>> >>> feedback on features they wanted, into a high-quality product that
>> >>> meets the
>> >>> demands of both professionals, such as law enforcement officials, and
>> >>
>> >>
>> >>what about a front end that does not overload in urban areas?
>> >>
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>>
>
> Now THAT would be a miracle!!
>
> How long did it take Uniden to finally stop using awful battery packs in
> their handhelds? I'll be dead by the time they get a handheld that has
> really decent RF performance.
>
> BDK

740. ts520s & ts180s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 00:23:22 UTC
From: carl wesser <wesser@hiwaay.net>
Message-ID: <110qj40ggao8dc6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17113

a young man came into my business with these 2 Kenwood units..I don't know
if they work as there are no power cords..
he wants to trade them in on about$150 worth of CB base antenna & coax.
where might I be able to sell them fairly fast.?? they weigh quite a lot.
thank you in advance
Carl / Dee
Hollywood, Alabama
wesser@ hiwaay.net
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741. Re: ts520s & ts180s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 01:09:11 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <cujkcomdc1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 17114

First thing I would do is check to make sure there are serial numbers on them. If there are, it might not be a bad idea to run them through your local police department (the serial numbers).

As for recovering the money, that should be fairly simple. I would give you a minimum of $200 for the pair in as is condition, and I'm sure there are folks who would give more than that.

"carl wesser" <wesser@hiwaay.net> wrote in message news:110qj40ggao8dc6@corp.supernews.com...
> a young man came into my business with these 2 Kenwood units..I don't know
> if they work as there are no power cords..
> he wants to trade them in on about$150 worth of CB base antenna & coax.
> where might I be able to sell them fairly fast.?? they weigh quite a lot.
> thank you in advance
> Carl / Dee
> Hollywood, Alabama
> wesser@ hiwaay.net
> ffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffff
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>

742. Re: Easy HT mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 01:21:39 UTC
From: Time <123@456.com>
Message-ID: <gulq01tj6denn4p02ra0ltqln310r1hsl3@4ax.com>
Source record: 17115

On Fri, 11 Feb 2005 12:04:29 -0500, Buck <iam@this.site> wrote:

>What you are doing is setting yourself up for a $10,000-$20,000 fine
>and possible suspension or loss of your amateur license. Regardless
>of technology, it is against the law to use non-type accepted
>equipment on services requiring type accepted equipment.

I've worked for a major radio company & about 95% of the ham radios
that came in for repair have been taken out of band.
(No, we never did the mods)
But I do have to say, these guys take them out of band & try to run
them at full power for long periods & invariably fry the PAs!
Goodbye warranty & hello expensive bill.
You'd be better off in the long run either buying a commercial radio,
or something like an Icom M88 (programmable free channels and
ctcss).

743. Re: Easy HT mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 03:12:45 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c77140a77dcb2ca9896c5@localhost>
Source record: 17116

In article <1108127290.509731.147850@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
ttrrkk@gmail.com says...

> At my job we use motorola HTs on UHF (400MHz+) using DPL/DCS
> squelching. Sometime in the next few months we'll migrate to different
> motorolas on VHF (150MHz+) using PL/CTCSS.
>
> I'm a ham, but a somewhat inexperienced one.. I was wondering if y'all
> could direct me toward a few dual or tri band HTs that would be easily
> modified to tx those freqs, preferrably with the DPL/DCS capability
> (since I think most radios come with PL/CTCSS), but if you know of one
> that is super easy and only does PL, that would be great, too.
> Comments on performance (ie intermod) are appreciated, too.

<snippety>

You really don't want to do that if you plan to transmit with
them, at least if they're amateur-only transceivers.

The reason can be summed up in two words: Type Acceptance. In
order to be legally usable on frequencies other than amateur radio, a
transceiver must be type accepted by the FCC for the radio service it's
made for.

This means that the manufacturer of the equipment submits their
design details to the FCC, and the feds then say 'yea' or 'nay' on
whether said design is found to be acceptable for the specific radio
service in question. Amateur radio transceivers do not require type
acceptance because of the non-commercial nature of the service.

Using a non-type accepted radio on frequencies outside those it
was designed for will get you deep trouble should you get caught. The
feds have already made this very clear in the form of the recent
crackdowns on truck stops and CB dealers selling illegal linear
amplifiers, and CB radios modified to go into the amateur 10-meter band.

Now, with all that said: It is perfectly acceptable to buy a
commercial type-accepted radio, and program amateur frequencies into it
(assuming you have the appropriate amateur radio license). God only
knows how many hams have done this already, myself included. In fact,
conversion of commercial gear to amateur service is a specialty of mine.

> There's probably no need to post the mod, I'll find it on the
> internet.. Unless you want to make it easy on me and link to it. :-)

Do you really want to risk both your amateur license and that of
the commercial service you're trying to talk to? Yes, both of them WOULD

be put at risk by use of a non type accepted radio.

If you must do what you describe, get a commercial transceiver and stick ham frequencies in it. The other way around is just not a good idea.

73 de KC7GR

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped with surreal ports?"

744. Re: ts520s & ts180s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 05:35:45 UTC
From: Raymond Sirois <rsirois@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <ij5r019a8qrm0vu2acr4nt1qmdpfo3hvve@4ax.com>
Source record: 17117

On Fri, 11 Feb 2005 16:23:22 -0800, "carl wesser" <wesser@hiwaay.net>
wrote:

>a young man came into my business with these 2 Kenwood units..I don't know
>if they work as there are no power cords..
> he wants to trade them in on about$150 worth of CB base antenna & coax.
> where might I be able to sell them fairly fast.?? they weigh quite a lot.
> thank you in advance
> Carl / Dee
>Hollywood, Alabama
> wesser@ hiwaay.net
> ffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffff
>

Heh heh... "they weigh quite a lot." That's right. So you think
you're gonna sell them by the pound?

I'll tell you right now. They aren't worth crap if they don't work.
I'm assuming that you don't have the expertise to test these units out
yourself, or you'd know that a working TS-520 would go anywhere from
$150 and up depending on condition and buyer's desire to own one. I
certainly hope that as a businessman you haven't bought these without
having them looked at by someone with some degree of expertise in this
kind of equipment. If you DID, then I've got a whole box of "working"
radios here I'd like to unload on you!

Raymond Sirois
SysOp: The Lost Chord BBS
607-733-5745
telnet://thelostchord.dns2go.com:6000

745. Re: FA - Icom 7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 11:55:49 UTC
From: John Schneider <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JbmPd.5634$bs6.390@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17118

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5750209396

I have taken much better photo.'s but cannot upload to the auction.

Please email direct and I will send them to you.

John, thecop@optonline.net

746. Re: ICOM 756 Programming?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 14:06:29 UTC
From: Dennis Kaylor <k4oxg@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <F3oPd.29285$pc5.15746@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 17119

the only thing i have found is TRX manager and it will only allow you to
program the memories
the rigs running under CIV where never intended to be computer
programmed like the VHF/UHF rigs that use a programming cable such as
the IC2100 or V8000 where you can set the TX freq Rx freq PL tone and such
TRX Manager isnt nearly that slick
good luck

munged@address.com wrote:
> Is there any Windows software available for programming the
> Icom 756 Pro2/3 thru the CV-I port? RT Systems says they're
> not offering anything and has no future plans.
>
> 73 Don K6LTS
> email in QRZ.com
>

747. FA - Icom R7100, two days left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 14:36:40 UTC
From: John Schneider <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xyoPd.5642$RZ.5499@fe12.lga>
Source record: 17120

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5750209396&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

MUCH better pic.'s available, just ask.

thecop@optonline.net

748. FA: No Bids>VINTAGE E.F. JOHNSON HAM RADIO PHONE PATCH Neat item:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:43:13 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <7CpPd.8708$C_5.1622@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17122

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

749. FA: Big $10>TWO(2) BRAND-NEW 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES-China Nice Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:43:55 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <NCpPd.8709$T_5.1527@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17121

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

750. FA: $10>SIX(6) VINTAGE PANEL METERS all USA MADE Builder Alert!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:44:40 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <uDpPd.8710$x%5.836@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17123

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

751. FA: CHEEP>SIMPSON model 276 OSCILLOSCOPE CALIBRATOR LIKE-NEW BOX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:45:26 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <cEpPd.8711$Oy5.7041@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17124

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

752. FA: $10>Sunday OMEGA-T TE7-01 ANTENNA NOISE BRIDGE, LIKE-NEW HANDY:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:46:14 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <YEpPd.8712$Cu5.2757@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17125

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

753. FA: LAST CALL>J.H. BUNNELL MAINLINE 15-B BRASS TELEGRAPH SOUNDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:46:49 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vFpPd.8713$y16.1893@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17127

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

754. FA:BIG HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK, NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:47:31 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9GpPd.8714$O16.851@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17126

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

755. FA: CENTURY FC-1 "FAST CHECK" TUBE TESTER>Sunday!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:48:13 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <PGpPd.8715$RQ5.5741@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17128

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

756. FA: 31 VINTAGE JAPANESE TRANSISTORS 2SB22-2SB75-2SB172-ETC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:48:48 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mHpPd.8716$aX5.6696@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17129

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

757. FA: 15 BAGS(5+lbs) of SMALL PARTS FOR BUILDERS BIG $10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 15:49:26 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <YHpPd.8717$d_5.7089@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17130

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http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

758. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 16:10:53 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <30qPd.8730$Gj6.3801@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17131
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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test
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759. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 17:22:13 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <culejfijp1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 17132
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good deals!
http://tekstuff.freespaces.com/

760. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 17:41:53 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <culfa5ith1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 17133

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com/

761. Re: ts520s & ts180s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 17:47:46 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <87gs01takfis5dvfkm9j5pg23ivps3ne6s@4ax.com>
Source record: 17134

On Fri, 11 Feb 2005 16:23:22 -0800, "carl wesser" <wesser@hiwaay.net>
wrote:

>a young man came into my business with these 2 Kenwood units..I don't know
>if they work as there are no power cords..
> he wants to trade them in on about$150 worth of CB base antenna & coax.
> where might I be able to sell them fairly fast.?? they weigh quite a lot.
> thank you in advance
> Carl / Dee
>Hollywood, Alabama
> wesser@ hiwaay.net
> ffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffffff
>

Check out eBay. There are a lot of rigs for sale 'for parts only' or
'technician special'. You might be surprised what they are worth
non-working.

As someone else pointed out, check out the S/Ns with the police.
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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

762. JESUS CHRIST WENT TO THE CROSS SO YOU CAN GO TO HEAVEN - The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds). He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for our sins.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 18:11:58 UTC
From: Evangelist_2005@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108231918.373369.14180@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17135

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this life has ended?

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds). He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for our sins.

After Jesus died He rose from the dead three days later as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us that Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept Him as their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him in Heaven where there is no more death, sorrow, sickness and pain.

The Holy Bible very clearly explains how simple it is to be saved and on your way to Heaven, "For if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)

You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if you will open your heart to Jesus and pray the following prayer:

Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have a home in Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a sinner. I believe You love me and want to save me. I believe that You bled and died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead. Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace. Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed
God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

If you decide to wait till later you may die before you get
another chance to be saved because none of us knows
exactly when we will die.

Have a great day!
Internet Evangelist R.L. Grossi

Free Online Bible
http://www.biblegateway.com

Free Online Movies
http://www.tbn.org/index.php/8/1.html

Animation
http://www.gieson.com/Library/projects/animations/walk/index.html

The Passion Of The Christ
http://www.worshipmusic.com/0310263670.html

Beware Of Cults
http://www.carm.org/cults/cultlist.htm

About Hell
http://www.equip.org/free/DH198.htm

Is Jesus God?
http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html

763. vor, altimeter, 100 feet of carbon fiber cloth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 18:52:34 UTC
From: y020181sailboat@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1108234354.903450.164700@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space

trying to get rid of..... tried selling at ebay ....yours for
free....... pay for shipping

vor, altimeter, 100 feet of carbon fiber cloth

the cloth is new and the vor and altimeter is 10 years old.....

email y020181sailb...@yahoo.com(no spam)

google: vacation rentals maui retreat

no spam

764. FA: National NC-183D ending soon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 19:05:33 UTC
From: Mark Mumaw <nu6x@esedona.net>
Message-ID: <RrsPd.24$Ap1.5972@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 17137

See http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5749812635

73's Mark NU6X

765. Successor to Icom IC-706MkIIG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 19:09:31 UTC
From: NotMe <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <3772jaF4uhmpmU1@individual.net>
Source record: 17138

Here is a scan of an article in a French amateur radio mag.:

ftp://ftp.yehudi.ca/ham-radio/ic-7000.pdf
(not my site, and it's often slow)

As I interpret the French text, the new rig is a little smaller than the 706, has a color screen, clock, voice recorder, larger backlit pushbuttons, and 508 memories. IF DSP and PBT provide improved noise blanking and eliminate the need for accessory filters. A microphone with 10 buttons is included as standard equipment. UHF output is now approx. 35W.

I have found no official announcement of this rig anywhere, but Icom France is reported as saying that the IC-7000 will be available starting in 2Q, 2005. No price is mentioned.

Perhaps it will be at Dayton.

Alan NV8A

766. Re: 7800 10K dollars. record breaking price

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 19:10:34 UTC
From: hugo.drax@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1108235434.336721.326340@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17139

From: bart <n...@here.com> - Find messages by this author
Date: Mon, 07 Feb 2005 07:29:44 GMT
Local: Sun, Feb 6 2005 11:29 pm
Subject: Re: 7800 10K dollars. record breaking price
Reply | Reply to Author | Forward | Print | Individual Message | Show original | Report Abuse

Note: The author of this message requested that it not be archived.
This message will be removed from Groups in 1 day (Feb 13, 11:29 pm).

On Sun, 6 Feb 2005 01:49:21 +0100, "Jim Phelps" <Jim.Phe...@mi.com>
wrote:

><<snip>
>Your generalization on the age and income of ham ops is outside of
reality.
>Ham radio offers a unique benefit that no computer network or
operating
>system can give. Join a ham club and become involved. Involved in
your
>community and local disaster preparedness team. The most fun and
>fulfillment I've ever had as a Ham is working those events. Try that
with a
>network gaming session.

Disaster preparedness? Hams? LOL! I was involved in a backcountry
avalanche years ago & could only get one ham repeater in the area,
when I announced that I had an emergency ,the folks on the repeater
suddenly went silent (no help or response)!
A few years later I joined (temporarily) a ham emerg/disaster
group..I didn't stick around long because of the infighting/language
issues..a bunch of uncoordinated clowns with the physical , social and
mental charcteristics of water filled balloons!

heh that is funny, I heard this happens.

767. Re: Successor to Icom IC-706MkIIG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 19:35:59 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <lhms011rt44karef09ua1sfsga3afs65j8@4ax.com>
Source record: 17140

On Sat, 12 Feb 2005 14:09:31 -0500, NotMe <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:

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>(not my site, and it's often slow)
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>in 2Q, 2005. No price is mentioned.
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>
>Alan NV8A

It appears that they improved the menu function too.

It looks good. I hope it works as well as the 706.

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

768. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 19:36:40 UTC
From: Eric Patterson <ericp@teleport.com>
Message-ID: <cVsPd.10389$oO.3632@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17141

Hi all. I will send you an update on the issues I have had accessing repeaters. Last Wednesday, I took my HT with me to the local amateur radio club. When the meeting was over, I had another radio operator check out my HT. Here's what we found:
1. The radio is transmitting ok. I was standing in the parking lot while he was in his vehicle. I was able to use my HT to call him.
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Eric
"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:eq9ov01c312v8r3oqbc00fusel4lui1irc@4ax.com...
> OK. I did a search out 50 miles from Portland using the 2005 version
> of TravelPlus from ARRL. I don't see any 145.38 repeaters in that
> area. I do see a 147.38 in Cedar Mill which is an open repeater.
>
> The only 145.27 repeater within that 50-mile radius is in Forest
> Grove, but it has a P/L of 107.2. Hope this helps.
>
> Dick - W6CCD
>
> On Sat, 29 Jan 2005 22:05:28 GMT, "Eric Patterson"
> <ericp@teleport.com> wrote:
>
> >Here's a point of clarification:
> >Beaverton is a suburb of Portland, Or and is located in Washington
County.
> >Gresham is also part of Portland, but is on the other side of town. Here
> >are a couple of the repeaters I am trying to access are 145.27 and
147.38.
> >I hope this helps.
> >
> >Eric
>

769. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 19:56:36 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <UbtPd.30705$xt.632@fed1read07>
Source record: 17142

Well point one:
When you listen the frequency dial should read the output frequency
When you transmit, the display should read the input frequency
Make sure the offset shift is proper -- up or down, + or -

Point two. Some repeaters are "alligators" big mouth, little ears so to speak. Thus easy to hear, difficult to get enough signal into the repeater to key it up. I have a repeater here that is 40dB over S9, but I can't raise it (90 miles away) it is way up in altitude on a Mt top.

Point three: Some repeaters are designated open -- meaning they are open to all hams -- but they might require PL. Many here in So Calif are that way.

Point four. While at the Ham meeting -- see if another Ham can raise the repeater with their HT

Point five -- connect your HT to an outdoor antenna -- a rubber duck is a lousy antenna.

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Caveat Lector (Reader Beware)
Help The New Hams
Someone Helped You
Or did You Forget That ?

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770. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 20:25:47 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <fDtPd.10602$oO.5261@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17143

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have
> any recommendations? Thanks again.
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It may be that you are expecting too much trasnmitt range out of the HT. Make sure the radio is on its highest power output. Then get next to someone that can access a repeater with his HT and see if you can. Some 2 meter repeaters shift up .6 and some shift down .6 MHz.

If the ground is level or close to it you should be able to talk about 3 miles to a mobile unit on a direct frequency. YOu need to measuer the output power. If you do not have a meter maybe you can get your hands on a 1/2 watt resistor from about 40 to 60 ohms. Put that on the rig instead of the antenna. One lead to the center of the BNC connector and the other to the outer part of the connector. The resistor should get very hot in 20 seconds or less. If it does not get hot then you may have a bad final stage in the HT.

771. Re: Successor to Icom IC-706MkIIG?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 21:08:03 UTC
From: Keith V <kavan@neb.rr.com>
Message-ID: <TeuPd.14236$w75.10113@twister.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 17145

Another link: http://www.flm.se/pcc/Icom%20ic7000.pdf

Van

"NotMe" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote in message
news:3772jaF4uhmpmU1@individual.net...
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> in 2Q, 2005. No price is mentioned.
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>
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772. FA: Last Day Hallicarafters and Drake Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 21:10:26 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <iguPd.38651$2p.16836@lakeread08>
Source record: 17144
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in very good or excellent condition.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

773. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 21:20:28 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <4kss01h8agqj9t5nnn0657d5ijgcuiean4@4ax.com>
Source record: 17146

On Sat, 12 Feb 2005 20:25:47 GMT, "Ralph Mowery"
<rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote:

>It may be that you are expecting too much trasnmitt range out of the HT.
>Make sure the radio is on its highest power output. Then get next to
>someone that can access a repeater with his HT and see if you can.

I agree. It will save you a lot of time and wondering, if you just
stand next to another ham and try both HT's. If he can, but you can't
access, then start looking at your HT. If neither of you can, then
you need to change the game plan and realize that you are trying to do
something that can't be done with an HT.

Dick

774. Re: trouble accessing repeaters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 21:31:25 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <k4ts01t582hnnq14bkusmjh929qb7958dh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17147

On Sat, 12 Feb 2005 19:36:40 GMT, "Eric Patterson"
<ericp@teleport.com> wrote:

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>meters. I don't think the problem has anything to do with tones because the
>problem occurs when trying to access open repeaters. Does anyone else have
>any recommendations? Thanks again.
>
Try getting a better antenna than the stock rubber duck.

A 1/4 wave is necessary around here for reliable operation during PS
events.

If you know the physical location of the repeater, try from very
close.

Also, on repeaters with tone, make sure you have set your rig
correctly. BTW, open repeater usually means that it is available for
all, and it still may have a tone.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

775. Re: FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-12 22:20:56 UTC
From: qro_dude <qro_dude@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <420E8146.5144C3AD@hotmail.com>
Source record: 17048

So if we stop by your qth, appointment in advance,
you will hand one to me free like your ad reads ?

qro

ars_wa8mea@netzero.com wrote:

> WAAAAAAAAAAAHHHHHHHHHHHHH!!!!!
>
> Then they are more than welcome to go to WalMart. Surprise! Not every
> town has a WalMart and $4.95 is NOT excessive if you've priced ANY of
> the package carriers lately.
>
> (Just another cheap SWL who thinks he's a ham.....)
>
> Bill

776. Re: vor, altimeter, 100 feet of carbon fiber cloth

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 00:58:36 UTC
From: john_g <john_g@cibolo.com>
Message-ID: <1108256316.353813.172450@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17049
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space

I have some use for the cloth. Please contact me by emailing this
address without spaces and @ substituted at jg (at) c ib
ol o.com

John Griessen
Austin TX

777. Re: General Radio Bridge 650-A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 01:46:09 UTC
From: Winfield Hill <hill_a@t_rowland-dotties-harvard-dot.s-edu>
Message-ID: <cumbh101loq@drn.newsguy.com>
Source record: 17050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

Ed wrote...
>
> Mama Bear wrote ...
>
>> I just dug an old General Radio Bridge 650-A out of the shed.
>> It needs cleaning up & refurbing. Anyone have any idea what
>> it might be worth if I wanted to sell it?
>
> One sold on Canadian E-Bay last month for about $12.00 Canadian.
> You can see it at:
> http://cgi.ebay.ca/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5746299543

Well, $29 US, $35.85 Canadian, actually, if anyone's counting.
Selling it in cleaned up, refurbished and tested form, along
with a 5-day right-of-return could raise the price.

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Thanks,
- Win

778. FA: Daiwa 2-meter amplifier model LA-2035R (No Reserve!)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 13:44:51 UTC
From: Alan <alan257@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1108302291.512424.22310@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17051

Daiwa 2-meter amplifier model LA-2035R

You are bidding on a Daiwa 2-meter amplifier model LA-2035R. It operates in SSB, CW, and FM mode. Input power is 1-4 W. Output power is more than 30 W. This unit is designed to operate with a handheld transceiver. It has a pre-amplifier for the receiver. The original instruction manual is included. It has been tested and works as advertised.

SPECIFICATIONS
Model LA-2035R
Frequency 144~148 MHz
PreAmp Gain 15dB
Input Power 1~5W
Output Power 3W in 30W out

Power Consumption 13.8V DC/2.8A Max.
Dimensions(mm) 100Wx35Hx140D
Access. Wt. with RX 550g

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751456719&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

779. FA: COLLINS MILITARY ANTENNA TUNER / WATTMETER / SPEAKER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 15:29:24 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <iisu019kd89att3s9volljo0lvb0b5og6l@4ax.com>
Source record: 17052

FA: COLLINS MILITARY ANTENNA TUNER / WATTMETER / SPEAKER
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5749876196

780. FA: TUF-TUG FALL PROTECTION HARNESS W/ WIRE ROPE GRAB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 15:30:49 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <6lsu011lohhdi08o6hn73nefdslgf62kkc@4ax.com>
Source record: 17054

FA: TUF-TUG FALL PROTECTION HARNESS W/ WIRE ROPE GRAB
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3872589682

781. FA: MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MICROPHONE (SPECTRA) - NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 15:31:22 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <8msu01do4pa35lg69mfc8k39v3ie5dphrk@4ax.com>
Source record: 17053

FA: MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MICROPHONE (SPECTRA) - NEW
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5749985284

782. Re: FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 16:37:19 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108312639.626646.197370@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17055

I sure will! Just let me know when you're coming!

73, Bill - WA8MEA

783. Re: FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 16:40:04 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108312804.927327.282690@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17056

In fact, I'd probably give you ALL of them since you sound like a poverty case, and maybe I can help you help yourself. You can take the time to put your own little plugs on them, and sell them as mobile adapters for shortwave radios.

Sound cool to you????

73, Bill - WA8MEA

784. For Sale: Yaesu FT-840 w/ 60 meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 16:42:38 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <9ae88a70.0502130842.22cf416c@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17057

For Sale: Yaesu FT-840 w/ 60 meters. BEAUTIFUL condx. 2 direct digital synthesizers and rotary encoder. General coverage receiver tunes .1-30 MHz in 10 Hz steps. 12 dB attenuator. Die-cast RF power amp w/ thermally switched fan. 100 watts. IF shift, reverse CW, dual VFOs, 100 memories, attenuator, noise blanker, meter, scan modes and speech processor. 9.5x3.7x7 inches. Comes with the MH-31B8 hand mic and a DC cable, original box, manual. 100 Memories, LCD Display, Noise Blanker, Adjustable RF Power, squelch. $395 plus $14.95 towards shipping and insurance. We can accept Visa & Mastercard thru my radio biz. First e-mail gets it! ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
73, Bill - WA8MEA
COOL STUFF! Check out - http://qth.com/dwm

785. Re: FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

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Date: 2005-02-13 16:56:24 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108313784.299209.111280@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17058

Heaven forbid any ham should make a few pennies off of any sale.......

If only these anti-capitalists would spend their "valuable" time going after "Big Oil"......instead of the neighborhood ham who's trying to clean out his friggin' basement!

Sheesh.......

73, Bill - WA8MEA

(Sorry for the thread, folks. But this jerk just hit a nerve with me that's been building up inside of me for a LONG time. The way a lot of these guys bitch, there won't be a ham store left in this country within the next decade. You'll be like this "qro dude"....getting his Chinese ham gear from WALMART AMATEUR RADIO, INC.!!!!!!!!!)

786. Re: FREE "CellularOne" 12 volt cig. lighter adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 17:54:40 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <jt4v011q5moc14jjupa1d6q6lbd4h63c12@4ax.com>
Source record: 17059

On 13 Feb 2005 08:56:24 -0800, ars_wa8mea@netzero.com wrote:

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>that's been building up inside of me for a LONG time. The way a lot of
>these guys bitch, there won't be a ham store left in this country
>within the next decade. You'll be like this "qro dude"....getting his
>Chinese ham gear from WALMART AMATEUR RADIO, INC.!!!!!!!!!)

True with many other kinds of specialized products as well. You will
end up having zero local advice, zero local support, and have to wait
for every item to be shipped.

And, if you look at total cost, the local dealer is not always much
more expensive, and if you factor in shipping, maybe even less.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

787. FT-920 master oscillator adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 18:49:42 UTC
From: BJ <rajohngm@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <ajNPd.35042$Th1.2211@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 17060

I'm looking for the location of the potentiometer to adjust the master oscillator on the FT-920. The rig is slightly off frequency.
Tnx, Bob AA8X

788. Re: FT-920 master oscillator adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 20:34:36 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <wROPd.1011$SO.945@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17061

You should be able to download the service manual here:

http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html

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789. Ham Radio Forums, Picture Galleries, Photo Classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 21:32:29 UTC
From: Eric <k4sci@hamradioforums.com>
Message-ID: <1108330349.820639.246880@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17062

Hello fellow Hams,

I just started a new website, http://www.hamradioforums.com with Radio Forums, !0 megs of picture gallery space per user, and photo classifieds. It's all free, and I invite you to visit, and join.

Running vBulletin 3.0.6, Photopost 4.86, and Photo Classifieds 2.1 on a dedicated server with redundant internet connections. It's FAST! Give it a look, you need not join to post in the forums, but a quick one minute sigh up is required to use the classifieds. Give it a try!

http://www.hamradioforums.com - k4sci

790. Free Terminal Node Controller (TNC) To Good Home

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 21:46:57 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <110vimgordj110c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17063
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.misc

I've got an MFJ 1270B TNC-2 that I will probably never use. It is free to a good home. You can pick it up at Sierra College in Rocklin CA, at Sierra College in Grass Valley CA, or you can send me a self-addressed stamped box with enough postage on it for a 2- pound package that will hold something about the size of a regular box of Cheerios.

Email me if you want it; it is into the trash on Wednesday, the 16th of February.

Jim

791. Re: Key line question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-13 22:11:01 UTC
From: John <jwh_fla@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <UfQPd.49412$2p.18515@lakeread08>
Source record: 17064
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Restraint in the face of an insult. You must be a good person no matter what grade license you hold. I'm impressed...

73 de John, ks4xn

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:11027cioej1f925@news.supernews.com...
> Hi Jim and thanks for the reply. It is more than just a numbers thing. The
> ICOM website says to use a buffer if you are using a "non-Icom linear".
> They don't bother to specify which non-Icom amps need a buffer . Obviously
> the specs for each certain ly indicate no need. I have had some hams email
> me saying to use a buffer "just in case". I suppose it couldn't hurt.
>
> Good luck on the license upgrades... 73 / DX
>
> --
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
> Live Blues Music
> www.492acousticblues.com
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> "Jim Phelps" <Jim.Phelps@mi.com> wrote in message
> news:ctr2rc$9e8$03$1@news.t-online.com...
>>
>> "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
>> news:10vq2aurv6tljdc@news.supernews.com...
>>> Using an ICOM 746 Pro with an AL-80B amp. According to their respective
>>> manuals the AL-80B sources +12vdc at 100mA and the 746Pro can sink a max
>>> of
>>> +16vdc at 500mA.
>>>
>>> QUESTION:
>>> Do I need an amplifier keying buffer according to the above specs? My
>>> research shows primarily these devices are for new rigs keying older
>>> amps.
>>> The Icom site recommends an interface for "all non-Icom amplifiers" but
>>> in
>>> the case of the above specs it appears to me there is already a 4 volt
>>> and a

>>> 400mA "buffer" of sorts. The demands of the 80B are well inside the
>>> capabilities of the 746 Pro. Right?
>>>
>>> I'm not trying to save $50 or so but if the specs are right I don't need
>>> it.
>>> My rig is new and I have about 300 qsos so far which amount to at least
>>> 1000+ successful amp keying events.
>>>
>>> --
>>>
>>> Charlie
>>> Ham Radio - AD5TH
>>> www.ad5th.com
>>> Live Blues Music
>>> www.492acousticblues.com
>>>
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>>
>> You're an Extra and need to ask this? Come on, I've only (previously)
>> held a Tech Plus and know that 12V is less than 16V and 100ma is less
>> than 500ma! Man, when I go to take my elements I just may go straight to
>> element 4 - just for fun!
>>
>
>

792. The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 00:17:29 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <110vrhc5msu0l4e@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17065
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Raised my M2 Horizontal Loop antenna from 20ft above ground to 45ft above ground and picked up a full S-unit (s7 to s8) at a receiving station 70 miles away. Mode was SSB and frequency was 144.200 mhz. Also my receiving ability was enhanced dramatically....

The HIGHER the BETTER !!!!

Photos and tech info on the M2 HO Loop antenna at the site listed below....

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

793. FA Nye Viking 3KW Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 00:49:51 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <AuSPd.615$k7.399@bignews2.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17066

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5751688828

794. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 01:51:18 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <luTPd.8673$Ps.7054@okepread06>
Source record: 17067
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:110vrhc5msu0l4e@news.supernews.com...
> The HIGHER the BETTER !!!!

That's always been the rule on VHF/UHF.

73 de Glenn AA5PK

795. FA Kenwood TS-700A 2M All Mode Transeiver SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 02:16:33 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <FQTPd.9617$sh.6527@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17068

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751700517

796. FA Kenwood TS-700A 2M All Mode SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 02:22:05 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <RVTPd.9620$sh.1062@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17069

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751700517

797. UnIdEn Bc250 DeEeEeE FoR AuCtIoN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 03:46:55 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <ll701118q4qp847qe9cga5qpiglacu2oef@4ax.com>
Source record: 17070

UnIdEn Bc250 DeEeEeE FoR AuCtIoN

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751720314

798. FA Wells Gardner RAO-3 Shortwave Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 05:25:22 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <FBWPd.9753$sh.5729@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17071

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751700982

799. FA Drake W-4 Watt Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 05:29:02 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <6FWPd.9765$sh.1061@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 17072

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5750874717

800. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 07:17:15 UTC
From: David 01 <ifiwantspam@illask.org>
Message-ID: <1110k49lgbo3obb@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17073
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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801. 756 pro V 1000 mp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 09:55:04 UTC
From: Denis O' Flynn <ei6hb@eircom.net>
Message-ID: <Gz_Pd.47458$Z14.33041@news.indigo.ie>
Source record: 17074

Thinking of upgrading my station from a Kenwood 850 SAT. Rigs I am looking at are the 1000 MP IV or the 756 PRO.

Any pros or cons a person should be looking out for?

any advice appreciated

de Denis EI6HB
ei6hb at eircom dot net

802. FS GU-84B AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 11:19:58 UTC
From: Chris NI4L <ni4l@charter.net>
Message-ID: <4210895E.6010208@charter.net>
Source record: 17081

GU-84B Homebrew amp. 90% finished have ALL componets to finish plus MUCH more. This was a project i started a few years ago and my current situation requires me to down-size and get rid of some things.As you can see from the page listed i have choose to use only the best in this amp. This will have to be a pick up only amp as it is way to heavy to even think about shipping.Bring a pick up or van you will need it! I will fill it up for you.Will give you all the paperwork Everything will come with this to complete it. Would like 1000.00 Might consider partial trade. Have way more invested in this Amp but need to move it on to a new Home. :) If you have ever tried to find all the parts for a HB amp then you know what i mean! Give me a shout i am sure we can work out a deal of some sort.Thanks for looking. http://www.nd2x.net/NI4L.html

Chris NI4L

803. Wanted To Buy: DSSS Spread Spectrum Radio Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 11:28:45 UTC
From: "S. Clark" <s_clark@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <qq2111pa6h59br9h8eafdaobe0k0qd2doo@4ax.com>
Source record: 17079

Hello,

Looking to buy a DSSS spread spectrum radio modem.

click link for example:

http://www.imagi-vision.com/GinaDSSS.jpg

Please E-Mail:

stephanclark001@yahoo.com

Thank you.

804. WTB: New or Used - DSSS Spread Spectrum Radio Modem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 12:15:18 UTC
From: "S. Clark" <s_clark@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <7i51115rv1u54u1l13c6hvovd5fn43khf0@4ax.com>
Source record: 17082

Hello,

Looking to buy a DSSS spread spectrum radio modem.

NEW or USED

900MHz or 2.4GHz

click link for example:

http://www.imagi-vision.com/GinaDSSS.jpg

Please E-Mail:

stephanclark001@yahoo.com

Thank you.

805. IC-706 and noise level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 13:53:21 UTC
From: Zibs <zabarnick@udri.udayton.edu>
Message-ID: <1108389201.149645.229180@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17080

I recently purchased a second hand Icom IC-706 transceiver (original version, not MkII or MkIIG) after a long absence from amateur radio. I have noticed that I hear a lot of noise with my doublet at 20 feet. In particular, when I turn the preamp on, the noise level is S9 on all HF bands. Is this normal for this rig? With the preamp off, the noise level is usually down near S1-3. I know the S-meter is not well calibrated in the IC-706, but has anyone observed this behavior? Obviously, this makes the preamp useless, as only stronger signals are above the noise level.

Thanks.

Steve, KI8AA

806. Re: IC-706 and noise level

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 14:47:47 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <nS2Qd.116$VI5.103@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17078

I HAD a mark 2G, notice I said HAD. It seems icom never learned
how to make a decent noise blanker. I have had several ICOMS and it seems
they all had sucky noise blankers. I don't know about the HIGH end ICOMs as
I could never afford those. I do know that I am much more satisfied with my
FT-897 and FT-817 rigs.

WB7FFI

"Zibs" <zabarnick@udri.udayton.edu> wrote in message
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807. FS: GR1225 Repeater VHF 16 Channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 15:20:18 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <bdg1119ado9f0me32fo67aecgiid6rkr46@4ax.com>
Source record: 17075

FS: GR1225 Repeater VHF 16 Channel
Looks Beautiful GR1225 VHF Repeater 45Watts
In GR cabinet everything except duplexer.
Was : 795.00 without shipping
Now : 775.00 Including Shipping and insurance.
Works great.
ritchi50@optonline.net

808. Re: 756 pro V 1000 mp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 15:26:09 UTC
From: Francis Pinson <F6BLP@free.fr>
Message-ID: <4210c317$0$9507$636a15ce@news.free.fr>
Source record: 17076

http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/4635

Vy 73 es DX

Frank **F6BLP**

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809. Re: Free Terminal Node Controller (TNC) To Good Home

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 15:28:42 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <1111gt6juvv0f5a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17077
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.aviation.misc

It's gone. Sorry.

Jim

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810. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 16:47:52 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <8el111trj1vusslu9digm50nej3u9fm4v7@4ax.com>
Source record: 17084
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 14 Feb 2005 02:17:15 -0500, "David 01"
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One can also have a problem with height if the get so high as to key
multiple repeaters on a common frequency. While this is more commonly
a problem with aeronautical mobile stations, it also happens around
here for stations on hills between several repeaters or whose beams
line up with more than one repeater.

Buck

Buck
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For what it's worth.

811. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 17:40:12 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <ufo1111ofiufae2bfq9j4phinr8dnug72i@4ax.com>
Source record: 17083
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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I keyed up a repeater in Boston from the summit of Mt. Monadnock
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

812. FA: Z-11 Auto tuner and balun

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 20:24:51 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <nO7Qd.555$9J5.418@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17085

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5751900870&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

813. FA: VX7-R plus acc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 20:30:11 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <nT7Qd.566$9J5.325@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17086

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5751917161&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

814. Tektronix P6243 1GHz probe - external PSU?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 20:45:18 UTC
From: peter@dv.ath.cx
Message-ID: <e3258616.0502141245.5770889@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17087

Hi there,
there is a P6243 oscilloscope probe on eBay:

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=3874238523&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:UK:1

(If that hyperlink dont work its item number 3874238523)

This looks ideal for what I want but it says it needs a TekProbe port.
I sure dont have one of them. I'm guessing this only supplies
power/recognition of the probe.

Does any one know if its poss to power one of these probes externally
and use on a non-Tektronix scope?

Cheers,
PeteP

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815. Ameritron ARB-704 Photos and Schematics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 20:51:49 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <11123rns68sej6d@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 17088
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I installed this key line buffer today and photographed it inside and out. I scanned the schematic (which has component values) and posted everything on the following web page. Images and schematic are also available as a zipped download of about 1.3M.

1. http://www.ad5th.com/ARB-704.html

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

816. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-14 23:42:34 UTC
From: David 01 <ifiwantspam@illask.org>
Message-ID: <1112drg4llojlf8@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17089
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Yeah, I experienced that too in 1991 on top of Mt Mitchell, NC, 6685 ft.
back when few repeaters used tone squelch. 5 watts and I made several people
angry in the southern states.

817. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 00:22:00 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <4uf211t06uqimq6tf079t27b2dipjip58a@4ax.com>
Source record: 17090
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 14 Feb 2005 18:42:34 -0500, "David 01"
<ifiwantspam@illask.org> wrote:

>"Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net> wrote in message
>news:ufo1111ofiufae2bfq9j4phinr8dnug72i@4ax.com...
>> >
>> I have run into this when hiking, and operating from various summits.
>> I keyed up a repeater in Boston from the summit of Mt. Monadnock
>> (southern NH) and also got a repeater on the same frequency in CT.
>>
>> Happy trails,
>> Gary (net.yogi.bear)

>Yeah, I experienced that too in 1991 on top of Mt Mitchell, NC, 6685 ft.
>back when few repeaters used tone squelch. 5 watts and I made several people
>angry in the southern states.
>
No one really angry, but a few people in Boston were confused when
they only heard my side of the conversation with the ham in CT,
although there was no other traffic on the Boston repeater. Only the
Boston repeater has tone, the other one doesn't.

I have also seen some areas deal with tone added for intermod control
by having all of the repeaters in the area (coastal Maine for example)
use the same CTSCC tone. This simplified things for hams with older
equipment.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

818. FA: MFJ-949E DELUXE VERSA TUNER II - Ham Radio Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 00:35:06 UTC
From: Richard <r4@tgbs4thra.com>
Message-ID: <140220051935065588%r4@tgbs4thra.com>
Source record: 17091
Cross-posted to: alt.marketplace.online.ebay,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5752038810

819. 3-500Z Eimac Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 01:33:42 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42115176.77638E16@erols.com>
Source record: 17092

A year or so ago I put out a message that I had a pair of Eimac 3-500Z tubes that were new, but have been sitting in a box for 35 years. Asked a few questions and received a few replies.

Pleased to report that the tubes were finally fired up and are working fine. They are dated 1970. Filaments were warmed up for a day and voltages applied by a rheostat, slowly.

About 20 years ago I paid $50 apiece and simply let them sit. I have a Kenwood TL-922A amp so now I have some backup tubes.

Just a follow-up to a message sent a long time ago.

73 Murray, K3BEQ

820. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 02:05:33 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <NNcQd.8786$Ps.3659@okepread06>
Source record: 17093
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"David 01" <ifiwantspam@illask.org> wrote in message
news:1110k49lgbo3obb@corp.supernews.com...
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> "Glenn" <aa5pk@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:luTPd.8673$Ps.7054@okepread06...
>> "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
> news:110vrhc5msu0l4e@news.supernews.com...
>> > The HIGHER the BETTER !!!!
>>
>> That's always been the rule on VHF/UHF.
>>
>> 73 de Glenn AA5PK
>>
> UNLESS you're working through repeaters and live in the valleys of a
> mountainous area. Then you're working bounces and if you get too high (high
> off the ground, but not as high as the hilltops around you), you can get up
> out of the signal.

He did say he was operating SSB.

821. Re: 756 pro V 1000 mp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 02:12:51 UTC
From: pfriedmanNoSpam <p.paulfriedmanNoSpam@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <c4ydndrQOfw5x4zfRVn-rw@comcast.com>
Source record: 17094

"Denis O' Flynn" <ei6hb@eircom.net> wrote in message
news:Gz_Pd.47458$Z14.33041@news.indigo.ie...
> Thinking of upgrading my station from a Kenwood 850 SAT. Rigs I am looking
> at are the 1000 MP IV or the 756 PRO.
>
> Any pros or cons a person should be looking out for?
>
> any advice appreciated
>
> de Denis EI6HB
> ei6hb at eircom dot net
>

FWIW, I have both (note: the Pro, not the II or 3). You can read the specs elsewhere and the reviews in various places. My personal comments are:

I have them sitting side-by-side -- both feeding the same amp and antennas. It is just as easy to power up one as the other. My fingers almost always go for the Mark V. Partially this simply ergonomics. The VFOs, for example, are smoother on the Mark V, all the buttons and knobs are bigger (and I have big, fat fingers). The Mark V has a better receiver -- which is most noticeable on the lower bands.
Negatives on the Mark V:
keyclicks (much improved since I added the Inrad "fix").
If you don't work CW, doesn't matter
needs filters for extra cost (semi-related: the inrad narrow roofing filter helps quite a bit on crowded bands)
no 6m without an expensive transverter which is a semi-pain to use.
I have the transverter, but almost always use the Pro for 6m
Menu system from the 1970s. the good news is that these are set and forget functions
No bandscope -- which I find quite useful on quiet bands (read 6m)
needs special power supply, so more money when it needs repair
big, heavy

Negatives on the Pro:
100w versus 200w.
Receiver not as good
I think the Mark V's antenna tuner is better, but I seldom use either internal tuner
No Class A option

All that said, the Pro is quite a bit cheaper once you figure in the cost of the extra filters for the mark V

Paul AB0SI

822. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 02:37:27 UTC
From: David 01 <ifiwantspam@illask.org>
Message-ID: <1112o3am817s7c2@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 17095
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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(high
> > off the ground, but not as high as the hilltops around you), you can get
up
> > out of the signal.
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> He did say he was operating SSB.
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>

Yes he did and you just made a broad statement concerning VHF/UHF. That was
the statement I commented about.
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823. Recommendations for a used VHF/UHF base radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 02:52:28 UTC
From: "Bruce W.1" <sorry@noDirectEmail.com>
Message-ID: <MtdQd.7607$ng6.7291@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 17096
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Can anyone make a recommendation for a used rock solid reliable
dual-band base radio?

You see, I like my radios to last forever. And when they do break for
them to be repairable (repair cost not exceeding the value of the radio).

Did Ten-Tek ever make a VHF/UHF radio?

Thanks for your help.

Bruce AF8F

824. Tait T-500 Channel Expansion. 2 to 8, 16 100????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 08:30:15 UTC
From: Kevin & Natalia Mitchell <sparc@internet.co.nz>
Message-ID: <4211acea@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 17097

Hello All,

I have a Tait T-500 UHF transceiver, which is a standard 2 channel machine.
These are good and cheap radios and work very well on Ham bands.

I understand that there was a conversion mod that replaced the diode matrix
with a eprom board, to give from 8 to 100 channels.

Now because these radio are now a little old, I am searching for any
information on building or getting one of these boards.
If anyone could help, please address a message to myself.

Regards

Kevin, ZL1KFM

825. Tait 2020 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 13:32:37 UTC
From: David <richardson_computers@bigpond.com>
Message-ID: <VRmQd.162368$K7.127004@news-server.bigpond.net.au>
Source record: 16998

Does any one know where I can get a copy of the software to program a TAIT 2020 UHF radio. Also need a wiring diagram to connect the PC to the tait mic input

Thanks

David

826. FS: 48' free standing Rohn HDBX tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 14:33:24 UTC
From: wf3h@ptd.net
Message-ID: <421207f9.71472090@usenet.ptd.net>
Source record: 16999

48' free standing Rohn HDBX heavy duty tower. It has 6 sections eight feet in length. Includes thrust bearing at top. Tower is in great shape, and is down. Includes new nuts and bolts as well as legs for mounting in concrete. PLEASE NOTE MY EMAIL: WF3H@COMCAST.NET. Tower is located in S. E. PA. Asking $450 OBO you pay shipping. You can check my bio at QRZ.COM

Bob/WF3H
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to see who "wf3h" is, go to "qrz.com"
and enter 'wf3h' in the field

827. Re: Recommendations for a used VHF/UHF base radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 14:57:35 UTC
From: "Odd Erling N. Eriksen" <odderi@pvv.org>
Message-ID: <cut2kv$tn3$1@orkan.itea.ntnu.no>
Source record: 17000
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Bruce W.1 wrote:
> Can anyone make a recommendation for a used rock solid reliable
> dual-band base radio?

-My club (LA1K) still has an Yaesu FT-726R which sees occasional use.
Never managed to destroy the thing, despite several serious attempts from
club members.

Of course, minor repairs have been undertaken - a few caps have been
replaced, and the T/RX-switching modified to suit our PA and preamps.

Through-hole components used inside - no smd. :)

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73 de LB1LF

Odd Erling, ARK

Famous last words #4: Trust me, I know what I'm doing!

828. FA: SIX(6) VINTAGE NOS OCTAL RADIO TUBES in BOXES-A Deal:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:02:32 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mioQd.329$IZ6.96@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17001
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

829. FA: MINT DRAKE TV-300-HP TVI HIGH PASS FILTER in BOX,1950's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:04:10 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <UjoQd.341$Y37.253@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17002
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Rich WA2RQY

830. FA: VINTAGE BRANDES +SUPERIOR HEADPHONES-2K OHMS-NICE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:05:25 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <3loQd.342$q47.305@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17004
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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Rich WA2RQY

831. FA: ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A VU METER & KNOBS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:06:31 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <5moQd.344$R57.180@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17003
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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GL..
Rich WA2RQY

832. FA: ONE ea. EIMAC & RCA 4-65A RF POWER OUTPUT TUBES DISPLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:07:09 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HmoQd.345$uV6.7@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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Rich WA2RQY

833. FA: ASTATIC 10-DA DYNAMIC HI-Z MICROPHONE HEAD, NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:07:56 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pnoQd.346$h37.46@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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834. FA: 2- VINTAGE W.M. WELCH TELEPHONE ASSEMBLY TEACHING AIDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:08:40 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <6ooQd.347$xU6.220@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

835. FA: 18 VINTAGE RAYTHEON 2N404 TRANSISTORS marked USAF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:09:23 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MooQd.348$B77.88@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

836. FA: 12 VINTAGE GE 2N489 GERMANIUM TRANSISTORS OLD-NR:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:10:33 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <SpoQd.349$bU6.25@fe08.lga>
Source record: 17009
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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Rich WA2RQY

837. Re: Recommendations for a used VHF/UHF base radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:12:55 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <XjoQd.31627$xt.970@fed1read07>
Source record: 17010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur

Sure do like my Kenwood TS-790A
All mode, Satellite capable, can accept 1.2 GHz module

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Caveat Lector (Reader Beware)
Help The New Hams
Someone Helped You
Or did You Forget That ?

"Bruce W.1" <sorry@noDirectEmail.com> wrote in message
news:MtdQd.7607$ng6.7291@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com...
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> base radio?
>
> You see, I like my radios to last forever. And when they do break for
> them to be repairable (repair cost not exceeding the value of the radio).
>
> Did Ten-Tek ever make a VHF/UHF radio?
>
> Thanks for your help.
>
> Bruce AF8F

838. FA: Old Equipment and Radio Parts On eBay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:16:43 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <vnoQd.2292$h06.395817@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 17011

Lionel J-36 BUG Semi-Automatic Key CW Morse Vibroplex
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751675520

VTVM Tube Voltmeter 0 - 1 mA Weston Meter 12AX7 Rare
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3874977538

Vintage Western Electric 194W Headphones - Circa 1917
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511897847

Vintage FADA FAD Andrea Radio Variable Condenser
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511908093

Vintage Crosley Type D Condenser Old Radio Part
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511905242

Brandes Superior Matched Tone Headphones - No Strap
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511900849

839. Re: Z-11 Auto tuner and balun

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:35:25 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <1FoQd.2902$VI5.2860@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17012

Sold!
"John Franklin" <jpfrank@peoplepc.com> wrote in message
news:nO7Qd.555$9J5.418@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5751900870&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1
>

840. Re: VX7-R plus acc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:35:41 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <hFoQd.2904$VI5.2468@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17013

Sold!
"John Franklin" <jpfrank@peoplepc.com> wrote in message
news:nT7Qd.566$9J5.325@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5751917161&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1
>

841. Re: 12 VINTAGE GE 2N489 GERMANIUM TRANSISTORS OLD-NR:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 15:47:27 UTC
From: Robert Hawk <rhawk@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <jQoQd.75963$JF2.43711@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 17014
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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> GL..
> Rich WA2RQY
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We all know where Ebay is. Who needs 8 individual post's..

842. Yaesu FT-416 manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 21:20:18 UTC
From: nwrailscan <corpcoastfan@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1108502418.640507.307320@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17015

Hi all,

Just purchased a Yaesu FT-416 handheld, however the previous owner no longer has the original manual to go along with it. Did a search on the web but turned up very little. Wondering if anyone knows where I could possibly find a copy of this manual, maybe in .pdf format, available online, and preferrably without spending a bundle?

Does anyone have access to one for photocopy, scan, etc? Are there any similar radios whos manuals may suffice (816, 415?)

Thanks, and 73!
Shane

843. Questions on Yaesu VX-150, IC-2100H, MFJ-4225MV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 22:01:08 UTC
From: Trainman52 <rlevownj@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2as411lkd1tesl8b7do1br6ar2c8fb5m74@4ax.com>
Source record: 17016
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Took the test on Saturday, got my call sign today. EXCELLENT service
from Larkfield ARC, Huntington, N.Y.

Now comes the moment of truth. Thanks to Gary for his recommendation
of a VX-150 handheld. At some point in the future, I would also like
to get a mobile to use at home. I've looked at the Astron VS35M as
well as the MFJ-4225MV. The latter looks a little smaller and a lot
lighter. Does it have enough power to run the IC-2100H without a
problem? Are there any issues with this ps that I should be aware of?
Does the supply have to be connected to a ground rod or cold water
pipe? There are really none available where I will be setting up my
"shack". The outlet that I will be plugging it into is a 3 prong
outlet.

I plan to get the VX-150 with the E-DC-6 cable which appears will
allow me to run it off of a power supply (which may be a down the road
purchase). Does the dry cell pack accomodate NiMH batteries? I have
several sets from my digital camera along with a charger. Any other
recommendations here?

Is it worth getting the Yaesu combo mike/speaker?

Lastly, any recommendations on a reliable mail order dealer? I've
been looking at HRO and they appear to get some pretty positive
feedback.

Sorry if I've been rambling, but I'm kind of excited. I thought that
I would be waiting several weeks for the call sign.

Thanks and 73

Rich
KC2NUQ

844. FA: Original E.F. Johnson Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-15 23:13:45 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <NmvQd.35672$Vg3.13810@lakeread05>
Source record: 17017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original E. F. Johnson manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

845. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 01:07:24 UTC
From: zzzpk_pkearn_class_a@multi_band_cb_is_here.eircom.es.it.net
Message-ID: <42129ca4.18135383@news.iol.ie>
Source record: 17018
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Glenn" <aa5pk@hotmail.com> wrote:

: "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:110vrhc5msu0l4e@news.supernews.com...
: > The HIGHER the BETTER !!!!
:
: That's always been the rule on VHF/UHF.

yes..but its a bummer when the FAA/NASA call around :-)

846. Re: Recommendations for a used VHF/UHF base radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 02:11:07 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <1aa511hn2q1na9fpt6thg5dbi3vfv1aont@4ax.com>
Source record: 17019

On Tue, 15 Feb 2005 02:52:28 GMT, "Bruce W.1"
<sorry@noDirectEmail.com> wrote:

>Can anyone make a recommendation for a used rock solid reliable
>dual-band base radio?
>
>You see, I like my radios to last forever. And when they do break for
>them to be repairable (repair cost not exceeding the value of the radio).

Manufacturers are required to keep parts for only seven years after
ceasing production on a model -- while many parts are replaceable,
things like tuning encoders and and illuminated displays are generally
proprietary, and hard to replace once the manufacturer stops making
them.

>
>Did Ten-Tek ever make a VHF/UHF radio?

Ten Tec currently offers a 2-meter FM/data transceiver kit with a
30-watt amp; nothing for UHF, though. See their web site for details.

bob
k5qwg

>
>Thanks for your help.
>
>Bruce AF8F

847. Re: 756 pro V 1000 mp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 03:11:12 UTC
From: SteveJ <SJ@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <yfGdnVeuTvVJJI_fRVn-pA@comcast.com>
Source record: 17020
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

My main concern is how long will the display last, without this the rig is useless. It might be hard to beat the older rigs as some after 10 years you can still see where your at.

"pfriedmanNoSpam" wrote in message
news:c4ydndrQOfw5x4zfRVn-rw@comcast.com...
> "Denis O' Flynn" wrote in message
> news:Gz_Pd.47458$Z14.33041@news.indigo.ie...
>> Thinking of upgrading my station from a Kenwood 850 SAT. Rigs I am
>> looking at are the 1000 MP IV or the 756 PRO.
>>
>> Any pros or cons a person should be looking out for?
>>
>> any advice appreciated
>>
>> de Denis EI6HB
>> ei6hb at eircom dot net
>>
>
> FWIW, I have both (note: the Pro, not the II or 3). You can read the specs
> elsewhere and the reviews in various places. My personal comments are:
>
> I have them sitting side-by-side -- both feeding the same amp and
> antennas. It is just as easy to power up one as the other. My fingers
> almost always go for the Mark V. Partially this simply ergonomics. The
> VFOs, for example, are smoother on the Mark V, all the buttons and knobs
> are bigger (and I have big, fat fingers). The Mark V has a better
> receiver -- which is most noticeable on the lower bands.
> Negatives on the Mark V:
> keyclicks (much improved since I added the Inrad "fix").
> If you don't work CW, doesn't matter
> needs filters for extra cost (semi-related: the inrad narrow roofing
> filter helps quite a bit on crowded bands)
> no 6m without an expensive transverter which is a semi-pain to use.
> I have the transverter, but almost always use the Pro for 6m
> Menu system from the 1970s. the good news is that these are set
> and forget functions
> No bandscope -- which I find quite useful on quiet bands (read 6m)
> needs special power supply, so more money when it needs repair
> big, heavy
>
> Negatives on the Pro:
> 100w versus 200w.

> Receiver not as good
> I think the Mark V's antenna tuner is better, but I seldom use
> either internal tuner
> No Class A option
>
>
> All that said, the Pro is quite a bit cheaper once you figure in the cost
> of the extra filters for the mark V
>
> Paul AB0SI
>

848. Re: Questions on Yaesu VX-150, IC-2100H, MFJ-4225MV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 03:48:56 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <cuufr8$76l$1@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 17021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Trainman52 <rlevownj@optonline.net> wrote:
> Took the test on Saturday, got my call sign today. EXCELLENT service
> from Larkfield ARC, Huntington, N.Y.

Congratulations, and welcome to something I started in 1962 and then
let lie fallow for 42 years. I got my General in January, after my
Novice (WN5EGO) expired in 1963. Something about college and a war.

> Now comes the moment of truth. Thanks to Gary for his recommendation
> of a VX-150 handheld. At some point in the future, I would also like
> to get a mobile to use at home. I've looked at the Astron VS35M as
> well as the MFJ-4225MV. The latter looks a little smaller and a lot
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January. Both are now back at Vertex for service, and both show the same
symptoms: low RF levels at the antenna. They failed the same day, which
is suspicious. Until they died, they worked *just* *fine*, and they were
really easy to program and to use. I really do think that we just got a
pair with burn-in problems: she had keyed hers up maybe two dozen times,
max.

> Lastly, any recommendations on a reliable mail order dealer? I've
> been looking at HRO and they appear to get some pretty positive
> feedback.

We got ours from GigaParts.com; good, fast service.

> Sorry if I've been rambling, but I'm kind of excited. I thought that
> I would be waiting several weeks for the call sign.

They're pretty darned fast about getting new licenses and license upgrades
in: I passed the Extra exam last Thursday, and the upgrade is already in
the FCC database. Wheeeeee!

> Rich
> KC2NUQ

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Mike Andrews, W5EGO 5 wpm Extra, but working on getting faster
mikea@mikea.ath.cx

Tired old sysadmin

849. FA - Kenwood homebrew split VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 05:09:31 UTC
From: thecop <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <CDAQd.23022$Rz7.15787@fe09.lga>
Source record: 17022

I used this on my TS-820S:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5752479305

850. Re: Questions on Yaesu VX-150, IC-2100H, MFJ-4225MV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 05:15:42 UTC
From: Howard <mensch90249@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <fbk511d1bc6bbh8d8oeaainbc6kql71p9v@4ax.com>
Source record: 17023

On Tue, 15 Feb 2005 22:01:08 GMT, Trainman52 <rlevownj@optonline.net>
wrote:

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>Is it worth getting the Yaesu combo mike/speaker?
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>
>Thanks and 73
>
>Rich
>KC2NUQ

Rich,
Congratulations on the license! Will try to answer your questions:

1) Power Supply - go with the Astron, they are well built and the 35
amp model you are looking at will be more than enough for powering a
dual band mobile unit in the home. In general I think you should
avoid MFJ, some of their products are good but it is a gamble and I've
found their customer support to be lacking. Seldom do you hear of

folks having problems with Astron power supplies though.

2) Yaesu and accessories - you'll find that folks have allegiances to manufacturers (the big 3 being Kenwood, Icom & Yaesu) much like some folks swear by GM and others at it. I don't think you'll be unhappy with your choice, though I do suggest that if at all possible you view this (and other) radios in person and see if you are comfortable with the layout of the controls and also read the manuals on programming to see which ones seem more intuitive to you. If you don't have a local dealer you may wish to check out a local ham club and get the chance to meet others in the hobby and actually play with some different radios. A speaker mic can come in handy, but is not necessary up front and there are non-OEM models that you may like more than the Yaesu offerings and they are typically easier on the budget.

3) "AA" Pack & batery type - Wouldn't recommend rechargeables in an "AA" case though as they only give 1.2 volts and that may not provide sufficient voltage for the radio - others more familiar with this consideration will hopefully offer their input on this. Also, check out the radio manual (many are online) and see what it says about minimum voltage requirements. You may be just fine, I'm just not "expert" enough on this to give you a definite answer.

4) Dealers - I've mail ordered from AES and they have shipped promptly. Have also dealt with HRO, in person, and have had good service. Best to see which offers the best pricing and buy there.

I hope this helps to answer some of your questions, welcome to amateur radio!

Howard
KE6MAK

851. FA - Drake high pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 05:18:32 UTC
From: thecop <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <3MAQd.23027$xG7.8052@fe09.lga>
Source record: 17024

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852. IC-2100H HM-133S MIC Compatibility Issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 06:32:55 UTC
From: Paul <kn6ph@charter.net>
Message-ID: <Xns95FEE453FB18Akn6ph@69.28.186.121>
Source record: 17025

Hello,

I picked up an HM-133S MIC on eBay and the vendor stated that it works with my IC-2100H. Although the LED on the MIC comes on I can not command the radio. I tried unlocking the MIC (FN+16) but no dice -- any suggestions/thoughts?

Thanks!

-Paul, KN6PH

853. Standard HX245U(EA) UHF FM tranceiver electric scheme and user manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 08:33:42 UTC
From: lorenzo.simoncello@inwind.it
Message-ID: <c852e904.0502160033.1cf26b5d@posting.google.com>
Source record: 17026

From: lorenzo.simoncello@inwind.it (Lorenzo Simoncello)
Hallo! I've got a Standard Model HX245U(EA) UHF FM tranceiver.
Marantz Japan Inc. (Made in Japan)
My tranceiver has broken down and I'd like to try reparing it.
Has anyone the user manual, the electric scheme or some other usefull
information), please?
May you send me by email?
Unfortunately now it's very difficult to receive information directly
from Vertex Standard or Marantz aboout this old tranceiver.

Thanks and King Regards from Italy

Lorenzo Simoncello, IW3HER

lorenzo.simoncello at inwind dot it

854. Re: Yaesu FT-416 manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 12:15:39 UTC
From: fuse19@aol.com
Message-ID: <1108556139.694291.317410@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17027

nwrailscan wrote:
> Hi all,
>
> Just purchased a Yaesu FT-416 handheld, however the previous owner no
> longer has the original manual to go along with it. Did a search on
> the web but turned up very little. Wondering if anyone knows where I
> could possibly find a copy of this manual, maybe in .pdf format,
> available online, and preferrably without spending a bundle?
>
> Does anyone have access to one for photocopy, scan, etc? Are there
any
> similar radios whos manuals may suffice (816, 415?)
>
> Thanks, and 73!
> Shane

855. Re: Yaesu FT-416 manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 12:26:53 UTC
From: fuse19@aol.com
Message-ID: <1108556813.889205.311400@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17028

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> > Shane

from W7FG Vintage Manuals
402731 West 2155 Drive
Bartlesville, Oklahoma 74006
Telephone: 918-333-3754
Order Line: 800-807-6146

856. FA: VTVM Tube Voltmeter 0 - 1 mA Weston Meter 12AX7 Rare Item# 3874977538

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 14:15:36 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <cAIQd.1133$Sd.281500@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 17029

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=3874977538

857. FS: GR1225 UHF Repeater 16 channel, 45 watt repeater. It is in excellent condition.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 19:06:21 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <8d67111auef7s7imrvsfns3vtp1c6nv99b@4ax.com>
Source record: 17030

FS: GR1225 UHF Repeater 16 channel, 45 watt repeater. It is in
excellent condition.
Like NEW GR1225 UHF Repeater High Power
In GR cabinet everything including Celwave 6 cavity duplexer and the
duplexer looks new!!
Will not be dead on arrival!!

Price: 875.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

858. Re: Questions on Yaesu VX-150, IC-2100H, MFJ-4225MV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 22:06:17 UTC
From: Trainman52 <rlevownj@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nug7115c17k60u0939tus5s0j02o2kp4om@4ax.com>
Source record: 17031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks Mike,

Strangely enough, I still have my first QSL card. Dated 1960. I was 8 years old then and a "backseat operator". My father was active from around 1960 until 1976. He wanted me to become a ham, but the code always put me off. So, here we are 45 years later, 2 years from retirement and ready to "yak".

BTW - I ordered the VX-150 from Gigaworks today along with a few accessories. Nothing elaborate. I'll be looking for more advice as I progress.

Unfortunately, the local club here meets on a Thursday at 8:00 PM which is my bedtime. I do tech support for a living at generally get up at 4:15. Once I retire, I expect to get more involved locally.

Thanks again,

Rich

On Wed, 16 Feb 2005 03:48:56 +0000 (UTC), mikea@mikea.ath.cx (Mike Andrews) wrote:

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 22:10:21 UTC
From: Trainman52 <rlevownj@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <tvg711tdrsd1rdfjl54isk3c2962s90gvr@4ax.com>
Source record: 17032

Thanks Howard.

You're right about MFJ. I e-mailed a question to them and never heard back. This is a sale waiting to be made and they can't deal with it. Imagine the post sale support.

I'll probably run the VX-150 on batteries for awhile and then go for the Astron. Eventually I plan to get something like the ICOM IC2100-H and put an Arrow J-Pole antenna in the attic. I have a house, but the chimney is really not a good spot and from what I hear the J-pole should work fine in the attic. We will see. I guess that I can always move it later.

Thanks again,

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Rich
KC2NUQ

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>Howard
>KE6MAK

860. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 22:43:46 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108593826.704946.5430@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17033

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

861. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 22:48:27 UTC
From: Dan <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <%4QQd.2747$9J5.2652@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17034
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Buck" <iam@this.site> wrote in message
news:8el111trj1vusslu9digm50nej3u9fm4v7@4ax.com...
> On Mon, 14 Feb 2005 02:17:15 -0500, "David 01"
> <ifiwantspam@illask.org> wrote:
>
>
>>UNLESS you're working through repeaters and live in the valleys of a
>>mountainous area. Then you're working bounces and if you get too high
>>(high
>>off the ground, but not as high as the hilltops around you), you can get
>>up
>>out of the signal.
>>
>
>
> One can also have a problem with height if the get so high as to key
> multiple repeaters on a common frequency. While this is more commonly
> a problem with aeronautical mobile stations, it also happens around
> here for stations on hills between several repeaters or whose beams
> line up with more than one repeater.
>
> Buck
>
> Buck
> --
> For what it's worth.
>
The discussion was a M2 HORIZONTAL loop. Not normally used with a
vertically polarized repeater. Try sticking to the subject.

Dan/W4NTI

862. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-16 22:49:53 UTC
From: Dan <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <l6QQd.2748$9J5.313@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 17035
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:110vrhc5msu0l4e@news.supernews.com...
> Raised my M2 Horizontal Loop antenna from 20ft above ground to 45ft above
> ground and picked up a full S-unit (s7 to s8) at a receiving station 70
> miles away. Mode was SSB and frequency was 144.200 mhz. Also my receiving
> ability was enhanced dramatically....
>
> The HIGHER the BETTER !!!!
>
> Photos and tech info on the M2 HO Loop antenna at the site listed
> below....
>
> --
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
>
>
Unless the feedline loss equals the gain of the added height.

Dan/W4NTI

863. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 01:12:51 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108602771.959135.315670@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17036

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

864. FS: Mirage B-310-G 2 meter amp w/ pre-amp.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 02:36:02 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108607762.355796.266010@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

For Sale: Mirage B-310-G 2 meter amp. Almost MINT condx! Has TERRIFIC GaAsFET receiver pre-amp! Boosted the sigs on my MFJ 2 meter SSB by several S units! High SWR warning light. Works FM/SSB. 4 to 8 watts input gets you 100 out. Large cooling fan, heat sink. Original box, manual. $139 and I'll take care of shipping and insurance. Just a nice all around amp for base, mobile or portable! 1st e-mail gets it! (We can do Visa/Mastercard) (Photo available at QTH.com - search under my call) ars_wa8mea@netzero.com - 73, Bill - WA8MEA - For COOL, FUN STUFF, visit: http://qth.com/dwm

865. swr meter/digital?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 02:44:58 UTC
From: ml <m@di.net>
Message-ID: <m-0E6540.21445816022005@news.verizon.net>
Source record: 17038

hi

i am looking for a swr /power meter, prefer digital not required

anyone know who makes a good unit, for some reason google didn't find anything hot

thanks

866. FS: MFJ-9402 2 meter SSB xcvr. It's a BLAST!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 02:48:34 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108608514.188437.181710@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17039
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: MFJ-9402 2 meter SSB transceiver. Excellent condx. (Does have your slight, typical wear where bracket meets the side of the case. Never mobile, but mounted in shack.) 10 watts PEP. Has CW module installed. Mic, power cord, external speaker cord, original box and instructions. ONLY $195 plus $7.95 towards shipping and insurance. The spring 2 meter SSB season is coming. Get a lil amp, a lil Yagi, and work the USA! (I can do Visa/Mastercard) (Photo available at qth.com under my call.) First e-mail gets it! ars_wa8mea@netzero.com - 73, Bill - WA8MEA - FUN STUFF at - http://qth.com/dwm

867. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 02:58:35 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108609115.688274.21880@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17040

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

868. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 04:43:11 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108615391.223045.115310@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17041

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

869. Re: 756 pro V 1000 mp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 04:51:49 UTC
From: bart <not@here.ca>
Message-ID: <ah88119mssl4d7bvrlnaoem9bte0dijg4j@4ax.com>
Source record: 17042

The 756 pro & II have a few bugs with feedback on 6M when the
protection diodes & IC151 fry on the RF board.
You're OK until the warranty's expired.

On Mon, 14 Feb 2005 09:55:04 -0000, "Denis O' Flynn"
<ei6hb@eircom.net> wrote:

>Thinking of upgrading my station from a Kenwood 850 SAT. Rigs I am looking
>at are the 1000 MP IV or the 756 PRO.
>
>Any pros or cons a person should be looking out for?
>
>any advice appreciated
>
>de Denis EI6HB
>ei6hb at eircom dot net
>

870. FA: NEW/UNUSED MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MIC F/ SPECTRA & ASTRO SPECTRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 04:57:35 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <q19811tdm2nulepomsd77nfcn3rasm2qnh@4ax.com>
Source record: 17043

FA: NEW/UNUSED MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MIC F/ SPECTRA & ASTRO SPECTRA
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752578293

871. FA: MOTOROLA CDM1250 MOBILE NEW/UNUSED: VHF 25W 64 CHANNEL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 04:59:52 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <369811tobf3oh30pp7atfk06vgrnpv3uj7@4ax.com>
Source record: 17044

FA: MOTOROLA CDM1250 MOBILE NEW/UNUSED: VHF 25W 64 CHANNEL
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752689913

872. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 06:27:37 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108621657.915104.306210@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17045

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

873. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 07:23:35 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <aih811hien0efhsgc7kg7l9atc2mvdr5g1@4ax.com>
Source record: 17046
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 16 Feb 2005 22:48:27 GMT, "Dan"
<w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote:

>> On Mon, 14 Feb 2005 02:17:15 -0500, "David 01"
>> <ifiwantspam@illask.org> wrote:
>>
>>
>>>UNLESS you're working through repeaters and live in the valleys of a
>>>mountainous area. Then you're working bounces and if you get too high
>>>(high
>>>off the ground, but not as high as the hilltops around you), you can get
>>>up
>>>out of the signal.

>>
>The discussion was a M2 HORIZONTAL loop. Not normally used with a
>vertically polarized repeater. Try sticking to the subject.
>
>Dan/W4NTI
>

I didn't start the repeater discussion, I followed it.

Thanks tho.

Buck

Buck
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For what it's worth.

874. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 08:12:03 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108627923.010756.325740@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 17047

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

875. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 09:56:20 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108634180.176841.167390@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16948

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

876. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 11:40:40 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108640440.547008.137170@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16949

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

877. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 13:18:40 UTC
From: David 01 <ifiwantspam@illask.org>
Message-ID: <11196dikg1g0ea5@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16950
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The subject on every message I saw SAID "The HIGHER the BETTER"!!!

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> For what it's worth.
>

878. Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 13:24:02 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <SV0Rd.1$Or6.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 16951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Icom AH-4 mobile users:

I recently installed an AH-4 antenna tuner in my mobile station, connected to my IC-706Mk2G. I'm using a 9 foot stainless steel CB whip as my radiating element, fed by about 2 feet of wire from the tuner to the base of the whip. What kind of radiating element are you using, and what kind of success do you have with it on 40m and 75m? I also have an Outbacker Perth antenna that I've used for many years, but I got tired of being unable to jump from band to band easily. I've thought about using the Outbacker with the AH-4, and just omitting the Wander Lead and matching transformer connection (in other words, use the Outbacker in its "raw" 75m state). I'm a bit concerned that the AH-4 won't handle this on 40m because the AH-4 manual says to avoid odd multiples of 1/2 wave, and that would be the case using the 75m antenna on 40m.

Let's hear your thoughts and experiences!

73,
Dean K5DH

879. Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 13:25:00 UTC
From: cc12000@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108646700.185801.47360@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16952

Today's Free Movie (102044 viewers) >> www.movie-size.4x2.net

880. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 20:16:49 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <LY6Rd.42306$EG1.39447@lakeread04>
Source record: 16953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

=K=5=D=H= wrote:

> Icom AH-4 mobile users:
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> I recently installed an AH-4 antenna tuner in my mobile
> station, connected to my IC-706Mk2G. I'm using a 9 foot
> stainless steel CB whip as my radiating element, fed by
> about 2 feet of wire from the tuner to the base of the
> whip. What kind of radiating element are you using, and
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> I also have an Outbacker Perth antenna that I've used
> for many years, but I got tired of being unable to jump
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> use the Outbacker in its "raw" 75m state). I'm a bit
> concerned that the AH-4 won't handle this on 40m because
> the AH-4 manual says to avoid odd multiples of 1/2 wave,
> and that would be the case using the 75m antenna on 40m.
>
> Let's hear your thoughts and experiences!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

I was using a similar setup as yours. IC706MKII and the AH-4 tuner on a 9ft whip. I went back to my Webster Bandspanner and got consistently better results. While it was convenient when changing bands, it does little good if you cannot make the contact.

This setup might be good at the peak of a solar cycle when you can make the communications trip with lower power, but in average or below average conditions I think you are losing too much using the tuner and a whip.

73
Andy
WD4KDN

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

881. Wanted Mike and Coilcord for Azden PCS-3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 20:59:29 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0502171057250.22598@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 16954

Anybody out there got a Mike and its cord and plug for the old
AZDEN-PCS3000 base station 2 meter transceiver lurking in your
junk box??
Joe/KH6JF

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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882. FA: MOTOROLA MCS2000 MODEL III VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 21:06:13 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <0q1a11dvdkkgl8fb0rj3kmmcu271vsleok@4ax.com>
Source record: 16955

FA: MOTOROLA MCS2000 MODEL III VHF
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752812246

883. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 23:28:35 UTC
From: nick smith <NickS@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <DM9Rd.1052$FA5.135@newsfe3-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 16956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

"nitespark" <nitespark@cox.net> wrote in message
news:LY6Rd.42306$EG1.39447@lakeread04...
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> =K=5=D=H= wrote:
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> > Icom AH-4 mobile users:
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> > I recently installed an AH-4 antenna tuner in my mobile
> > station, connected to my IC-706Mk2G. I'm using a 9 foot
> > stainless steel CB whip as my radiating element, fed by
> > about 2 feet of wire from the tuner to the base of the
> > whip. What kind of radiating element are you using, and
> > what kind of success do you have with it on 40m and 75m?
> > I also have an Outbacker Perth antenna that I've used
> > for many years, but I got tired of being unable to jump
> > from band to band easily. I've thought about using the
> > Outbacker with the AH-4, and just omitting the Wander
> > Lead and matching transformer connection (in other words,
> > use the Outbacker in its "raw" 75m state). I'm a bit
> > concerned that the AH-4 won't handle this on 40m because
> > the AH-4 manual says to avoid odd multiples of 1/2 wave,
> > and that would be the case using the 75m antenna on 40m.
> >
> > Let's hear your thoughts and experiences!
> >
> > 73,
> > Dean K5DH

I have run a similar set up with the SGC - the 2 foot bit in the car is a
serious
bad point, to the extent that SGC actually make a "bracket" that enables the
box to be clamped to the outside of the car and the whip is mounted on part of
this bracket,
right up very close to the output terminal - the aerial on these boxes starts
and is very "active" at the output terminal.

You HAVE to understand and appreciate that to make them work at all, if not
particularly spectacularly - they are primarily a "convenience box" over a
"performance box", so do have their place, but are quite a compromise.

Nick

884. FA: E.F. Johnson Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 23:35:23 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <YS9Rd.151139$Jk5.141224@lakeread01>
Source record: 16957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original E. F. Johnson manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

885. Re: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-17 23:45:46 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <111ab5nj9uqe02a@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 16958
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Dan and you make a valid point about feedline loss. I am feeding M2 HO LOOP with 65 ft of 9914F low loss coax which incidentally enough is a "direct bury" coax. I use a 35 ft run of 9914F for my Ringo Ranger II. I have a 50 ft run of the same 9914F direct buried feeding my Hustler 5-BTV vertical. At HF frequencies especially with 9914F there is virtually no loss at 50ft.

Link for 9914F coax, jumpers and assemblies and coax loss tables. The 9914F is within .1 db of 9913 loss figures but is more flexible and can be buried directly into mother earth....
1. http://www.radio-ware.com

TY for making a good observation but in my case your "preaching to the choir". Hi Hi

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

"Dan" <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote in message
news:l6QQd.2748$9J5.313@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
>
> "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
> news:110vrhc5msu0l4e@news.supernews.com...
>> Raised my M2 Horizontal Loop antenna from 20ft above ground to 45ft above
>> ground and picked up a full S-unit (s7 to s8) at a receiving station 70
>> miles away. Mode was SSB and frequency was 144.200 mhz. Also my receiving
>> ability was enhanced dramatically....
>>
>> The HIGHER the BETTER !!!!
>>
>> Photos and tech info on the M2 HO Loop antenna at the site listed
>> below....
>>
>> --
>>
>> Charlie
>> Ham Radio - AD5TH
>> www.ad5th.com
>>
>>

> Unless the feedline loss equals the gain of the added height.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
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>

886. Heathkit Color Touchup?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 00:38:17 UTC
From: munged@address.com
Message-ID: <1108687097.387094@cswreg.cos.agilent.com>
Source record: 16959

I'm putting the finishing touches on a Heath HO-10 restoration
and need to touch up a few scratches on the case. This is the
dark green color Heath used on this line.

Does anyone know where I can buy touchup paint for this? Is
there any automobile color similar?

73 Don K6LTS
email in QRZ.com

887. Re: swr meter/digital?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 02:06:44 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <42154DB4.8080907@cableone.net>
Source record: 16960

autechresearch.com analog and digital

ml wrote:

> hi
>
> i am looking for a swr /power meter, prefer digital not required
>
> anyone know who makes a good unit, for some reason google didn't find
> anything hot
>
>
> thanks

888. Mobile HF questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 02:36:37 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <cv3kb602gih@news4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16961

I am considering purchasing a Yaseu FT-857 with the associated FC-40 antenna tuner and YA-007 8-ft whip for HF mobile use.

What is your experience with:
-- the FT-857
-- the FC-40 and YA-007 combination
-- other mobile antennas

Thanks.

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Joe
W4HH

889. Re: Service Manual for Motorola Spectra ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 03:02:06 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c7efa84960b92829896d1@localhost>
Source record: 16962
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio

In article <l8fa11lfpa7caoa58ubkklu0a5o2ribngn@4ax.com>,
_AntiSpam_nmailo@qth.dk says...

> Hi,
>
> I have an old Motorola Spectra and need a Service Manual to find out
> where to search for a 1kHz tone which can be heard i the speaker when
> listening to a transmission, while the display light is set to High,
> Medium or Low,
>
> There is nothing to hear when the display is switched off.
>
> Have any of you had the same problem with this radio, and maybe know
> hof to fix it?

This is often caused by leaky or dried-out electrolytic surface-
mount capacitors on the display PC board. Repairing it requires two
10uF/16V surface-mount caps, the proper desolder/resolder equipment, and
the skill to use it.

The detailed service manual, covering all Spectra models, is
Motorola part number 68-80102W61, current list price of $40.45.
Considering that the thing comes in a two-inch thick binder, and is
nearly the size of a small phone book, that strikes me as a pretty
decent deal.

I would also strongly recommend that you get the basic VHF service
manual as well: 68-81070C95, current list price of $24.75. It contains
interconnection and accessory information not found in the detail book.

Both manuals can be readily ordered from Motorola at 1-800-422-
4210.

> The Spectra Model Number is: DA7KX+067W (VHF)

FYI: That's not a valid Motorola model number. That is, in fact,
the FCC ID of your radio. Motorola had a problem with their model/serial
labels during the time the Spectras were still in production, in which
the radio's actual model number and the FCC ID were transposed.

The actual model number will likely look something like this:
D43FWA7JA7AK, or some similar appearing string.

If you decide that you do not want to do the repair yourself, or
if you lack the equipment to do so, I can do it at rates considerably
lower than most commercial shops. Visit my web site for details:

http://www.bluefeathertech.com/rf.html

I hope that helps.

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Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

890. Re: Mobile HF questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 03:41:57 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <audRd.7333$zs.2291@okepread04>
Source record: 16963

"Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in message
news:cv3kb602gih@news4.newsguy.com...
>I am considering purchasing a Yaseu FT-857 with the associated FC-40
>antenna
> tuner and YA-007 8-ft whip for HF mobile use.
>
> What is your experience with:
> -- the FT-857
> -- the FC-40 and YA-007 combination
> -- other mobile antennas
>
> Thanks.
> -----
> Joe
> W4HH
>
>

Not to toot my own horn too much but my FT-857
group is fast approaching 2,000 members, many of
which use the equipment you listed everyday.

Come join us!

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/FT-857

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73's es gd dx de Ken KG WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

891. The HIGHER the BETTER was: The HIGHER the BETTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 04:30:07 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <1nra1190rhgc4lm78jcfjll2kar7lgp2p7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16964
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 17 Feb 2005 08:18:40 -0500, "David 01"
<ifiwantspam@illask.org> wrote:

>The subject on every message I saw SAID "The HIGHER the BETTER"!!!

Like so many usenet threads, this one has a fork. No big deal, at
least to me. It just happens.

Buck
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For what it's worth.

892. Re: Mobile HF questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 04:38:55 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <4215715F.2020000@cableone.net>
Source record: 16965

Hello Joe and welcome to mobileing (hard word). I have over 20 years of county hunting behind me and I have DXCC, WAC and WAS many, many, times over while mobile. I've paid my dues like most all county hunters have and I'll tell you most CH'rs run Icom and Kenwood so perhaps you should start there. The Screwdriver antennas and the BugCatchers are the only antennas that I would ever put on my car/van/etc. I do recommend top-hats for both of these types and I am a firm believer that the biggest models are the best, my ears and S-meter know this to be true and the shootouts prove it. If I were in your position (more money than you can spend)I would put the Predater on my vehicle right off the batt! You only have to decide if you will be fanatical like us or if you just want to enjoy the experience of HF mobile (I love that too), you will also have to take your wife's suggestions seriously :o) One of you could die from this adventure :^O If not married you have it made and got the bull by the horns.
Do a search on screwdriver antennas and bug-catcher antenna.
Good heavens you are in for a blast!

Butch Magee KF5DE

Joe S. wrote:

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> tuner and YA-007 8-ft whip for HF mobile use.
>
> What is your experience with:
> -- the FT-857
> -- the FC-40 and YA-007 combination
> -- other mobile antennas
>
> Thanks.
>
>

893. Re: Mobile HF questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 04:41:28 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <421571F8.7000404@cableone.net>
Source record: 16966

http://kj9t.150m.com/N9JMXs_Predator_1/index.html

forgot to send you this

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> Thanks.
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894. Re: Service Manual for Motorola Spectra ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 05:52:38 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c7f228552bea4b69896d2@localhost>
Source record: 16967
Cross-posted to: uk.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio

In article <h8na119juf9jfjb56obh2pp66qbn04r52k@4ax.com>,
_AntiSpam_nmailo@qth.dk says...

<snippety>

> I assume you mean the two caps to the right of the IC 9315XB ... ?

That would be them, yes. Those are the two key suspects for an
awful lot of problems, including the tone you describe and dim or no
display.

> I can see that D43KXA7JA7BK is printed on the label at the back of the
> radio, as the ID No.

That's more like it. What you have there is a 35-40 watt output
unit, dash-mount, secure-capable (with the appropriate daughterboard,
encryption hybrid, key variable loader, and cable), 128-mode (channel)
capable. The 'A7' towards the end indicates the control head type, in
this case a full-keypad unit.

Such radios rarely have trouble covering the amateur 2m band in
its entirety, no matter if they're Range 1 or Range 2 units.

Happy fixing.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

895. yaesu VX7 delete a single memory ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 12:46:31 UTC
From: Wx <no_spam___no_spam@no_spam.org>
Message-ID: <HslRd.559121$b5.25696801@news3.tin.it>
Source record: 16968

Who ?

Many many tanks

896. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 14:20:00 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4215fa4f$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 16969
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

nick smith wrote:
> You HAVE to understand and appreciate that to make them work at all, if not
> particularly spectacularly - they are primarily a "convenience box" over a
> "performance box", so do have their place, but are quite a compromise.

With a 13 ft. whip and SG-230, it made a pretty good
20m-10m mobile antenna for me.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! >100,000 Newsgroups
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897. FS: MOTOROLA 3-PIECE SURVEILLANCE KIT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 15:43:53 UTC
From: dt <1234@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <k93c11hohpm9h80b7bj8m5k0cd13rb9qvi@4ax.com>
Source record: 16970

FS: MOTOROLA 3-PIECE SURVEILLANCE KIT
For sale: Motorola 3 piece surveillance kit. 3-wire type (one for earpiece, one for PTT switch, one for lapel microphone). Connector appears to be for MT500 (?). Connector has screws for disassembly and can be replaced with alternate if you no longer carry an MT500!
$15, I ship.
If interested, don't respond to the email address on this post, instead send to my call: k0dan @ arrl.net

898. Cubex Quad Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 17:00:09 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <tapRd.20599$H05.17424@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 16971

Has anyone out there ever used a cubex quad antenna? I am looking to buy the
2/6 meter quad either the Hornet or the KingBee II and would like to get
some feedback before I do.
Thanks
73's
de kb2sin Bill

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Check out our Website @ www.latherandlights.com
"Burning One of Our Candles, just makes Good Scents!!!

899. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 19:45:44 UTC
From: nick smith <NickS@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <IBrRd.267$8s.160@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

"Cecil Moore" <w5dxp@hotmail.com> wrote in message
>
> With a 13 ft. whip and SG-230, it made a pretty good
> 20m-10m mobile antenna for me.

Hi Cecil,

I have one too - and I am sure it does make an excellent mobile antenna
system with 13 feet on its output.

I use mine for "hotel room use" mainly, or any quick lash up in available
space.
I am constantly amazed by the results I get and wouldn't part with it.

On the car I use a resonant whip about 3 feet long on the gutter for 40M and
equally that works well....

For a permanent fixed sytem though its an expensive convenience over other
systems
based on e.g. wire dipoles.

It is a great box though !

Nick

900. Today's Free Movie >> www.movie134.4x2.net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-18 22:27:00 UTC
From: cc21002@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108765619.957561.274000@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16973

Today's Free Movie >> www.movie134.4x2.net

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901. Old Army radio test set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 00:02:53 UTC
From: Voice of freedom <VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa>
Message-ID: <Xns9601AD6F3FEB2VoiceFreedomfreedomn@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 16974
Cross-posted to: us.military.army,alt.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio

I just came across an old army radio test set, a TS-970A/U built by Motorola. Does anyone know how old it is, or if it might be worth anything? It's really quaint, with a laminated instruction book and everything. Looks like maybe 1940's. I can't even find any reference to that number on Google.

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A Voice Of Freedom in the
United States of America

902. FA: Excellent Mizuho 20m QRP HT / Radio with extras!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 00:19:17 UTC
From: Haerie <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <1108772357.214247.176610@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16975

Excellent Mizuho 20m QRP HT / Radio with extras.
Rare, w/full xtal set, sidetone, DC converter, NiCds...

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751716270

73 de N1QVE

903. FA: Tokyo Hy-Power VHF to HF Transverter HX-240

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 00:20:30 UTC
From: Haerie <harry@connix.com>
Message-ID: <1108772430.311586.236560@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16976

Add HF to your VHF station with this uncommon transverter.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751716300

73 de N1QVE

904. Does anyone have any experience with the Alinco digital voice units?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 00:52:39 UTC
From: Phoneguy <phoneguy99@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <R4wRd.30978$4I5.1350370@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Are they good, bad, hard to understand, etc?

Does anyone here even have an Alinco rig with the board in it? When you use digital mode to work someone with a similarly equipped rig, how is it? Garbly? Not too bad, ???

Eham.net lists only three comments, and none of them are flattering, but they don't specify why they disliked it, just that they did.

(or is it that these things are so rare, almost none were sold? Someone must be buying them, there are no EJ-40U units to be had in any store that I can find.)

So, if you have some first hand experience with these things, please drop a note here.

Thanks for reading,
Pat

905. TODAY'S FREE MOVIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 01:06:30 UTC
From: cc22003@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108775190.278688.147030@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16977

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906. Short wave receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 01:15:54 UTC
From: Chris <d@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <cv640apht1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 16979

Where can i get a cheap but fairly nice sortwave receiver?

907. Re: Old Army radio test set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 01:34:19 UTC
From: Big Gun <none@none.aaa>
Message-ID: <kr5d115om68irkb1rrhbiqupqbod8cpq3a@4ax.com>
Source record: 16980
Cross-posted to: us.military.army,alt.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio

On Fri, 18 Feb 2005 18:02:53 -0600, Voice of freedom
<VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa> wrote:

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>Does anyone know how old it is, or if it might be worth anything? It's really
>quaint, with a laminated instruction book and everything. Looks like maybe
>1940's. I can't even find any reference to that number on Google.

It's worthless! send it to me! :)

Sounds cool, really.

908. WANTED: CB radios from Raytheon, Apelco, Airline

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 02:11:31 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <GZudncXzt8TOPYvfRVn-3A@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16981
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Greetings from Texas!

I'm looking for the following vintage CB radio
equipment to complete the collection of the
Raytheon/Apelco/Webster CB Radio Museum:

Raytheon:
- RAYCOM III (23 channel solid-state AM mobile)
- RAYCOM IV (23 channel solid-state AM/SSB mobile)
- Ray-Ette (single channel handheld w/regenerative rx)
- Super Ray-ette (single channel handheld w/superhet rx)
- Any Canadian models except the TWR-2C

Apelco:
- 565 (5 channel AM mobile)
- Any Canadian models except the AR-10

Webster:
- Any Canadian models

Airline: (sold by Montgomery Ward)
- GAS587 (tube-type base station)

Also looking for any and all manuals, literature, boxes,
advertising, mobile mounts, hand mics, crystals, power
supplies, accessories, parts kits, et al, for any and
all Raytheon, Apelco, or Webster CB models.

I'm not interested in marine radios except perhaps as a
source of restoration parts (tubes, knobs, meters, mic
cords, power cords, internal components etc). I will
buy marine radios if I think I can use their parts,
but I won't pay much for them (shipping is too high to
pay a lot for parts radios that I might not be able to
actually use).

Raytheon/Apelco/Webster CB Radio Museum web site:
http://www.qsl.net/k5dh/raytheon.html

Thanks and 73,
Dean K5DH

909. WANTED: vintage Tekni-Cals water transfer decals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 02:14:33 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <GZudncTzt8SUPIvfRVn-3A@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm looking for some vintage water transfer decals
from Tekni-Cals. They made sets specifically for
amateur radio constructors with labels for xmtrs,
rcvrs, etc. I need them in WHITE. I have black
but they don't work well on black radio panels!
I'd also like advice on what to use in place of
their setting solution. Will the stuff that the
model train guys use work with those old vintage
labels?

73,
Dean K5DH

910. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 02:19:10 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <GZudncfzt8SDP4vfRVn-3A@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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wire is all outside the vehicle except for 4 inches.

I overheard a station the other day saying that he was
using an AH-4 to load a 17m HamStick on all bands from
75m through 10m. I was thinking of doing the same but
using a 30m HamStick (not resonant on any ham band that
allows SSB operation). Anyone tried this?

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <SV0Rd.1$Or6.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>, k5dh@raytheon.com says...
>
>Icom AH-4 mobile users:
>
>I recently installed an AH-4 antenna tuner in my mobile
>station, connected to my IC-706Mk2G. I'm using a 9 foot
>stainless steel CB whip as my radiating element, fed by
>about 2 feet of wire from the tuner to the base of the
>whip. What kind of radiating element are you using, and
>what kind of success do you have with it on 40m and 75m?
>I also have an Outbacker Perth antenna that I've used
>for many years, but I got tired of being unable to jump
>from band to band easily. I've thought about using the
>Outbacker with the AH-4, and just omitting the Wander
>Lead and matching transformer connection (in other words,
>use the Outbacker in its "raw" 75m state). I'm a bit
>concerned that the AH-4 won't handle this on 40m because
>the AH-4 manual says to avoid odd multiples of 1/2 wave,
>and that would be the case using the 75m antenna on 40m.
>
>Let's hear your thoughts and experiences!
>
>73,
>Dean K5DH
>

911. TODAY'S FREE MOVIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 03:06:49 UTC
From: cc22003@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108782409.463016.185810@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16984

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912. Re: WANTED: vintage Tekni-Cals water transfer decals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 03:42:09 UTC
From: Dale Parfitt <par@parelectronics.com>
Message-ID: <lAyRd.3380$EL5.2519@trnddc05>
Source record: 16985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"K5DH" <k5dh@qsl.net> wrote in message
news:GZudncTzt8SUPIvfRVn-3A@centurytel.net...
> I'm looking for some vintage water transfer decals
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> amateur radio constructors with labels for xmtrs,
> rcvrs, etc. I need them in WHITE. I have black
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> I'd also like advice on what to use in place of
> their setting solution. Will the stuff that the
> model train guys use work with those old vintage
> labels?
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> 73,
> Dean K5DH

Hi Dean,
You can make your own water slip decals by purchasing media from a number of WEB stores- try Google search under water slip decals. In your case you will need to find someone with an ALPS printer to do white.

Dale W4OP

913. Re: Short wave receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 03:51:27 UTC
From: nana <nana@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <37nre2F5dgkthU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16986

"Chris" <d@iolfree.ie> wrote in message
news:cv640apht1@reader01.news.esat.net...
> Where can i get a cheap but fairly nice sortwave receiver?

That is like asking "Where can I get a nice car?" without any definition of
what sort you might like to drive.
More information please?

Utility?
Broadcast AM? portable, tabletop, SSB?
What did you have in mind?

Nana

914. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 04:26:30 UTC
From: nm5k@wt.net
Message-ID: <1108787190.020216.229060@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I overheard a station the other day saying that he was
using an AH-4 to load a 17m HamStick on all bands from
75m through 10m. I was thinking of doing the same but
using a 30m HamStick (not resonant on any ham band that
allows SSB operation). Anyone tried this? ....

It's pretty mediocre...It would be much better to actually tune
the hamstick to the different bands by changing the stinger
length.
But it would take a long stinger to tune 75m, with no loading
coil. A 10 meter hamstick can tune 20m by adding appx 2 ft
longer a stinger. A 20m stick can tune 40m by adding about 4-5
ft of stinger. I did that for a while, and it works much
better than you might think.
Myself, I always tune the antenna to resonance by using a hi-Q
loading coil. There is less coil losses, but also the current
distribution is much better, which raises the efficiency
quite a bit.
I just mounted my antenna on my #2 truck. It's even
higher than my other truck. I installed a ball mount on
the cab, about 6 inches below the roofline, on the pillar
between the back window, and my side window. The base of the
antenna is 64 inches off the ground. My antenna is 11 ft
total height, and is center loaded in the driving mode.
That puts my loading coil at about 124+ inches off the ground.
The stinger is 5 ft...Yep, it's tall, and I whack trees
o-plenty. But it works very well. I also have a 3 ft mast,
that I can add to the antenna, and have the coil 8 ft from
the base. The total height is about 19 ft....:) Naturally,
I don't drive with it that tall, but use it stationary...
That antenna compared to a tuner loaded whip?
Ain't none...:(I'd probably be 2-4 S units louder than you
on 75m to the average person...
A friend of mine wants to run a tuner loaded whip...I can't
talk him out of it...Oh well...I'll catch him some day after
he installs it, and do a side by side comparison with my
antenna. It's gonna be ugly the way I spank his heiney on
75m....:/ 40m too, to a slightly lesser extent...
BTW, I also have a shorter 10 ft antenna , with the coil at
about 2.5 ft off the base...It's my old antenna...But I'm
gonna use it on this truck for a "heavy tree" antenna when
I'm in town...With the coil lower, it will take trees better.
But I'll use the other anytime I'm on the road. This

is the highest I've mounted a mobile so far...I'm over the
legal limit of 13.6 a bit, being mine is about 16 ft tall
total..But it sways back, so when moving I can clear stuff
lower than that. A tuner loaded whip is ok on 20-10, but
even still, the hi-q coil antenna is still that much better.
On 20m, my antenna is like being at home...I don't use many
turns of coil on 20m...The efficiency is pretty high.
MK

915. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 04:44:41 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4216c4f9$1_1@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 16988
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

=K=5=D=H= wrote:
> I guess I should clarify that the 2 foot piece of lead
> wire is all outside the vehicle except for 4 inches.

Copper is better than lead. :-)

> I overheard a station the other day saying that he was
> using an AH-4 to load a 17m HamStick on all bands from
> 75m through 10m. I was thinking of doing the same but
> using a 30m HamStick (not resonant on any ham band that
> allows SSB operation). Anyone tried this?

Hamsticks have a nasty characteristic. A 75m Hamstick is
self-resonant before it gets to 40m. A 40m Hamstick is
self-resonant (~9 MHz) before it gets to 30m. Self-resonance
is the frequency at which the inductive reactance equals the
stray capacitive reactance and results in heavy losses. I
don't know the self-resonant frequency for a 30m Hamstick
but I'll bet it's lower than 14 MHz.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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916. TODAY'S FREE MOVIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 05:08:47 UTC
From: cc22003@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108789727.582087.163170@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16989

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917. Re: Old Army radio test set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 05:31:26 UTC
From: Voice of freedom <VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa>
Message-ID: <Xns9601E523D621BVoiceFreedomfreedomn@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 16990
Cross-posted to: us.military.army,alt.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio

AUK Registrar <cjiii@mxyzptlk.net> wrote :

> In <Xns9601AD6F3FEB2VoiceFreedomfreedomn@216.196.97.142>, Voice of
> freedom
><VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa> wrote:
>
>>I just came across an old army radio test set, a TS-970A/U built by
>>Motorola. Does anyone know how old it is, or if it might be worth
>>anything? It's really quaint, with a laminated instruction book and
>>everything. Looks like maybe 1940's. I can't even find any reference to
>>that number on Google.
>
> http://www.comforttexas.net/gallery/Misc-test-gear/TS_970_U_test_set
>
> This site
>
> http://www.73.com/specs/tf930.shtml

This one's the TS-970A/U, not sure what the difference is.

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A Voice Of Freedom in the
United States of America

918. Re: Old Army radio test set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 05:42:26 UTC
From: Voice of freedom <VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa>
Message-ID: <Xns9601E7010DDA9VoiceFreedomfreedomn@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 16991
Cross-posted to: us.military.army,alt.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio

Big Gun <none@none.aaa> wrote :

> On Fri, 18 Feb 2005 18:02:53 -0600, Voice of freedom
><VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa> wrote:
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>>Motorola. Does anyone know how old it is, or if it might be worth
>>anything? It's really quaint, with a laminated instruction book and
>>everything. Looks like maybe 1940's. I can't even find any reference to
>>that number on Google.
>
> It's worthless! send it to me! :)
>
> Sounds cool, really.
>

http://tinyurl.com/4z733

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A Voice Of Freedom in the
United States of America

919. Re: 756 pro V 1000 mp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 05:51:27 UTC
From: Steven L Umbach <n9rou@n0-spam-for-me-comcast.net>
Message-ID: <btKdnWEw47ROTovfRVn-gA@comcast.com>
Source record: 16992

I have all three [well I have a 1000MP anyhow]. All three are great radios. The 756Pro has everything built in and the scope and the receiver is very good. The 1000MP has a better receiver, but you would only notice in very crowded band conditions where it's superior dynamic range will be appreciated and with the new Inrad roofing filter installed [$165], the 1000MP's have an outstanding receiver, as good as anything other than a Ten Tec Orion. If you are a dx chaser and you absolutely have to get that new one, then the 1000MP would be the choice. For most of us who chase "convenient" dx or casually participate in a contests, the Icom 756 Pro would be all we need 98% of the time. Don't get me wrong as you can work tons of dx on either but if that rare one is barely readable and other strong stations appear nearby you will appreciate the 1000MP. --- Steve KK9ZZ

"Denis O' Flynn" <ei6hb@eircom.net> wrote in message news:Gz_Pd.47458$Z14.33041@news.indigo.ie...
> Thinking of upgrading my station from a Kenwood 850 SAT. Rigs I am looking
> at are the 1000 MP IV or the 756 PRO.
>
> Any pros or cons a person should be looking out for?
>
> any advice appreciated
>
> de Denis EI6HB
> ei6hb at eircom dot net
>

920. fast easy cash. very worth it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 08:57:23 UTC
From: masatosan <neosilvia87@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1108803443.113526.155670@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16993
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.music.makers.synth,rec.music.theory,rec.music.bluenote,rec.arts.movies.tech

Im tellin yah it workx and its so worth it

Turn $5.00 into $50,000...read this to find out how!!!
READING THIS COULD CHANGE YOUR LIFE!!!
I found this on a bulletin board like this one and decided to try it.
A little while back, I was browsing through a newsgroup, just like you are now, and came across an article similar to this that said you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $5.00! So I thought, "Yeah right, this must be a scam", but like most of us, I was curious, so I kept reading... I also did an internet search and found nothing but success stories.

Anyway, it said that you need to send $1.00 to each of the 5 names and address stated in the article. You then place your own name and address in the bottom of the list at ..5, and post the article in at least 200 newsgroups. (There are thousands) No catch, that was it. So after thinking it over, and talking to a few people first, I thought about trying it. I figured "what have I got to lose except 5 stamps and $5.00, right?"

Then I invested the measly $5.00 (I use the word "measly" because $5 really is measly compared to the money I have made through the initial investment). Well GUESS WHAT!!... within 7 days, I started getting money in the mail! I was shocked! I figured it would end soon, but the money just kept coming in.
In my first week, I made about $25.00. By the end of the second week I had made a total of over $1,000.00! In the third week I had over $10,000.00 and it's still growing.

This is now my fourth week and I have made just over $42,000.00 and it's still coming in rapidly. It's certainly worth $5.00, and 5 stamps, I have spent more than that on the lottery!!
Let me tell you how this works and most importantly, why it works....
Also, make sure you print a copy of this article NOW, so you can get the information off of it as you need it.
I promise you that if you follow the directions exactly, that you will start making more money than you thought possible by doing something so easy!

Suggestion:
Read this entire message carefully! (print it out or download it.)
Follow the simple directions and watch the money come in! It's easy.
It's legal. And, your investment is only $5.00 (Plus postage)

IMPORTANT:
This is not a rip-off; it is not indecent; it is not illegal; and it is virtually no risk - it really works!!!! If all of the following instructions are adhered to, you will receive extraordinary dividends.
PLEASE NOTE:
Please follow these directions EXACTLY, and $50,000 or more can be yours in 20 to 60 days.
This program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants. Please continue it's success by carefully adhering to the instructions.
You will now become part of the Mail Order business. In this business your product is not solid and tangible, it's a service. You are in the business of developing Mailing Lists.
Many large corporations are happy to pay big bucks for quality lists. However, the money made from the mailing lists is secondary to the income which is made from people like you and me asking to be included in that list.
Here are the 4 easy steps to success:

STEP 1:
Get 5 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each piece of paper "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST."
Now get 5 US $1.00 bills and place ONE inside EACH of the 6 pieces of paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelope (to prevent thievery).
Next, place one paper in each of the 5 envelopes and seal them. You should now have 5 sealed envelopes, each with a piece of paper stating the phrase "PLEASE
PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST.", your name and address, and a $1.00 bill.
What you are doing is creating a service. THIS IS ABSOLUTELY LEGAL!
You are requesting a legitimate service and you are paying for it!
Like most of us I was a little skeptical and a little worried about the legal aspects of it all. So I checked it out with the U.S. Post Office (1-800-725-2161) and they confirmed that it is indeed legal!
Mail the 5 envelopes to the following addresses:

..1) Jason R
3702 Werner Ave.
Austin, TX 78722

..2) J Arenas
1600 Malibu
Carrollton, TX 75006

..3) Richonda S
CMR 402 BOX 274
APO, AE 09180

..4) J Roth
2901 Barton Skyway ..3406
Austin, TX 78746

..5)Jesse James
1778 Swift Ave.
Ventura, Ca 93003

STEP 2: Now take the ..1 name off the list that you see above, move the other names up (5 becomes 4, 4 becomes 3, etc...) and add YOUR Name as number 5 on the list.

STEP 3: Change anything you need to, but try to keep this article as close to original as possible. Now, post your amended article to at least 200 newsgroups. (I think there are close to 32,000+) All you need is 200, but remember, the more you post, the more money you make!

This is perfectly legal! If you have any doubts, refer to Title 18 Sec. 1302 & 1341 of the Postal lottery laws. Keep a copy of these steps for yourself and, whenever you need money, you can use it again, and again.

PLEASE REMEMBER that this program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants and by their carefully adhering to the directions.
Look at it this way. If you are of integrity, the program will continue and the money that so many others have received will come your way.

NOTE:
You may want to retain every name and address sent to you, either on a computer or hard copy and keep the notes people send you. This VERIFIES that you are truly providing a service. (Also, it might be a good idea to wrap the $1 bill in dark paper to reduce the risk of mail theft.)
So, as each post is downloaded and the directions carefully followed, five members will be reimbursed for their participation as a List Developer with one dollar each.
Your name will move up the list geometrically so that when your name reaches the ..1 position you will be receiving thousands of dollars in CASH!!!
What an opportunity for only $5.00 ($1.00 for each of the first five people listed above)
Send it now, add your own name to the list and you're in business!

---DIRECTIONS ----- FOR HOW TO POST TO NEWSGROUPS----------
Step 1)
You do not need to re-type this entire letter to do your own posting. Simply put your cursor at the beginning of this letter and drag your cursor to the bottom of this document, and select 'copy' from the edit menu. This will copy the
entire letter into the computer's memory.
Step 2)
Open a blank 'notepad' file and place your cursor at the top of the blank page. From the 'edit' menu select 'paste'. This will paste a copy of the letter into notepad so that you can add your name to the list.
Step 3) Save your new notepad file as a .txt file. If you want to do your postings in different settings, you'll always have this file to go back to.
Step 4)

Use Netscape or Internet explorer and try searching for various newsgroups (on-line forums, message boards, chat sites, discussions, etc.)
Step 5)
Visit these message boards and post this article as a new message by highlighting the text of this letter and selecting paste from the edit menu. Fill in the Subject, this
will be the header that everyone sees as they scroll through the list of postings in a particular group, click the post message button.
You're done with your first one!
Congratulations...THAT'S IT!
All you have to do is jump to different newsgroups and post away, after you get the hang of it, it will take about 30 seconds for each newsgroup!
REMEMBER, THE MORE NEWSGROUPS YOU POST IN, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE!! BUT YOU HAVE TO POST A MINIMUM OF 200
That's it! You will begin receiving money from around the world within days! You may eventually want to rent a P.O.Box due to the large amount of mail you will receive. If you wish to stay anonymous, you can invent a name to use, as long as the postman will deliver it.
JUST MAKE SURE ALL THE ADDRESSES ARE CORRECT.
Now the WHY part:
Out of 200 postings, say I receive only 5 replies (a very low example). So then I made $5.00 with my name at ..5 on the letter.
Now, each of the 5 persons who just sent me $1.00 make the MINIMUM 200 postings, each with my name at ..5 and only 5 persons respond to each of the original 5, that is another $25.00 for me, now those 25 each make 200 MINIMUM posts with my name at ..4 and only 5 replies each, I will bring in an additional $125.00!
Now, those 125 persons turn around and post the MINIMUM 200 with my name at ..3 and only receive 5 replies each, I will make an additional $626.00!
OK, now here is the fun part, each of those 625 persons post a MINIMUM 200 letters with my name at ..2 and they each only receive 5 replies, that just made me $3,125.00!!!
Those 3,125 persons will all deliver this message to 200 newsgroups with my name at ..1 and if still ONLY 5 persons per 200 newsgroups react I will receive $15,625,00!
With an original investment of only $5.00! AMAZING! When your name is no longer on the list, you just take the latest posting in the newsgroups, and send out another $5.00 to names on the list, putting your name at number 5 again. And start posting again.
The thing to remember is do you realize that thousands of people all over the world are joining the internet and reading these articles everyday?, JUST LIKE YOU are now!!
So, can you afford $5.00 and see if it really works?? I think so...
People have said, "what if the plan is played out and no one sends you the money? So what! What are the chances of that happening when there are tons of new honest users and new honest people who are joining the internet and newsgroups everyday and are willing to give it a try?

Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users, every day, with thousands
of those joining the actual internet.
Remember, play FAIRLY and HONESTLY and this will really work!!!

921. FA: Old Radio Parts On eBay plus Lionel Bug! - LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 13:23:08 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <05HRd.1245$Sd.318823@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 16994

Lionel J-36 BUG Semi-Automatic Key CW Morse Vibroplex
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5751675520

Brandes Superior Matched Tone Headphones - No Strap
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511900849

Vintage Crosley Type D Condenser Old Radio Part
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511905242

Vintage FADA FAD Andrea Radio Variable Condenser
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511908093

Vintage Western Electric 194W Headphones - Circa 1917
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6511897847

922. Re: Short wave receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 16:24:27 UTC
From: Chris <d@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <cv7p7r$9q1$1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 16995

To receive 0MHz-30MHz.Would have to be a tabletop.No less than 3 years old and between the price of €200-€300.Brand does not matter.As long as its in good condition.

Chris

"nana" <nana@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:37nre2F5dgkthU1@individual.net...
>
> "Chris" <d@iolfree.ie> wrote in message
> news:cv640apht1@reader01.news.esat.net...
>> Where can i get a cheap but fairly nice sortwave receiver?
>
> That is like asking "Where can I get a nice car?" without any definition
> of what sort you might like to drive.
> More information please?
>
> Utility?
> Broadcast AM? portable, tabletop, SSB?
> What did you have in mind?
>
> Nana
>

923. SIMOCO SRP01, SRM1000, SRP1000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 16:47:19 UTC
From: andyj81@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1108831639.584485.133070@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16996

I understand the software to program these radios is the same, but does anyone have a copy ? As well as details of the interface lead etc ?

Andy.

924. FA: All sorts of Ham related items>Ending Sunday!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 18:28:23 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qDLRd.1961$WD7.747@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16997

All items are real inexpensive.
Many nice pictures, you'll be aolmost guaranteed to find something you
can use:-)
This is my entire list on Ebay.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
GL..
Rich WA2RQY

925. FS: MANY Welch Scientific Co. Tube type Training aids for schools!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 18:37:18 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <NLLRd.1966$h%7.784@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16898

Anyone collect or have interest in these?
Regards;
Rich WA2RQY

926. *post 100* >> GOOD NEWS! - Over 2000 years ago Jesus Christ suffered and died on a cross and rose from the dead so that we can be forgiven of our sins(misdeeds) and have a home in Heaven when this life has ended. Most people just don't know how to ask Jesus Christ into their hearts. Heres how...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 20:29:36 UTC
From: RL_Grossi_2005@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108844976.539939.136470@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16899

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http://www.powertochange.com/questions/qna2.html

927. Re: Short wave receivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 22:25:38 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <cv8ed102h8r@news4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16900

Grundig YB-400-PE

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> > Nana
> >
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>

928. Kenwood HS 5 Headphones

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 23:19:43 UTC
From: af1q@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1108855183.812357.71570@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16901

I am using Kenwood headphones, HS 5. Anyone using them know that they are mono and not stereo...I have also noticed that these headphones are not as loud as others I have tried.
I was wondering if replaceing the mono plug with a stereo plug would make any difference, has anyone tried this? This should also increase the impedance to 16 ohms as both headsets are in paralell. The other question is, would this have any adverse affect on the audio output transistor? Jim

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-19 23:40:35 UTC
From: RL_Grossi_2005@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108856434.989243.15870@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16902

Good News!

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930. FA: Last Day E.F. Johnson Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 01:58:43 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <h9SRd.155871$Jk5.55014@lakeread01>
Source record: 16903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original E. F. Johnson manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

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Date: 2005-02-20 02:30:02 UTC
From: RL_Grossi_2005@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108866602.119198.94600@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16904

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 05:19:29 UTC
From: RL_Grossi_2005@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108876768.995914.69490@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16905

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 08:08:54 UTC
From: RL_Grossi_2005@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108886934.569510.94180@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16906

Good News!

Do you know how simple it is to go to Heaven after this life has ended?

The good news is that God came from Heaven to earth in the person of Jesus Christ over 2000 years ago and died for our past, present and future sins(misdeeds). He was born in the land of Israel supernaturally to a virgin Jewish woman named Mary. He lived a sinless life for thirty-three years and then sacrificed His sinless blood and died on a cross to pay the death penalty for our sins.

After Jesus died He rose from the dead three days later as He said He would. The Holy Bible also tells us that Jesus Christ ascended into Heaven and that all who accept Him as their Lord and Saviour will live forever with Him in Heaven where there is no more death, sorrow, sickness and pain.

The Holy Bible very clearly explains how simple it is to be saved and on your way to Heaven, "For if you confess with your mouth, "Jesus is Lord," and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you WILL BE SAVED." (Romans 10:9)

You can be saved right now and on your way to Heaven if you will open your heart to Jesus and pray the following prayer:

Dear Jesus Christ, I want to be saved so that I can have a home in Heaven when I die. I agree with You that I am a sinner. I believe You love me and want to save me. I believe that You bled and died on the cross to pay the penalty for my sins. I believe that You rose from the dead. Please forgive my sins and come into my heart and be my Lord and Saviour. Thank You Lord Jesus Christ for forgiving me and saving me through Your merciful grace. Amen.

You are now a Christian if you said the prayer and allowed
God to save you. Welcome to the family of God.

If you decide to wait till later you may die before you get
another chance to be saved because none of us knows
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as our Lord and Saviour we will be forever separated
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 10:58:22 UTC
From: RL_Grossi_2005@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1108897102.061020.107110@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16907

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935. FS FL 52A CW filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 14:50:51 UTC
From: gi1pi@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1108911051.508769.24670@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16911

FL 52A CW filter used just a couple of weeks like new in box asking
$120. shipped. Email me here or at my email address in QRZ.com (N2WJW)

Thanks,

Gil N2WJW

936. Vertical vs Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 14:56:02 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <6y1Sd.21352$vK5.15556@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 16908

Im looking to put up a better HF antenna than a G5RV which I currently have.
I am debating between a Vertical or a Beam. Please tell me what your using
and your experiences Thanks and 73's

de kb2sin
Bill

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Check out our Website @ www.latherandlights.com
"Burning One of Our Candles, just makes Good Scents!!!

937. FL-53A for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 16:42:59 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <tJ6dnQZlxsWRI4XfRVn-3g@comcast.com>
Source record: 16910

FL 53A CW filter used just a couple of weeks like new.
Asking $120. shipped.
Email me here or at my email address in QRZ.com

Thanks,

Frank KG9H
630.924.1600

938. Re: Vertical vs Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 17:41:13 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <ZY3Sd.32435$xt.24372@fed1read07>
Source record: 16909

"helmsman" <helmsman@mindspring.com> wrote in message
news:v9ih11pudsqm79objvfud599d69o0qcab5@4ax.com...
> On Sun, 20 Feb 2005 14:56:02 GMT, "Kb2sin" <kb2sin@stny.rr.com> wrote:
>
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>>
>>de kb2sin
>>Bill
>
> Beams win hands down.

Agree -- but ya gotta get the beam up in the air ---- 42+ feet for a low
angle of radiation for DXing

See URL:
http://www.qsl.net/aa3rl/ant2.html

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Caveat Lector (Reader Beware)
Help The New Hams
Someone Helped You
Or did You Forget That ?

939. Re: Vertical vs Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 17:55:50 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnd1hjp6.2oq6.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 16912

On Sun, 20 Feb 2005 09:41:13 -0800, Caveat Lector wrote:
> "helmsman" <helmsman@mindspring.com> wrote:
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> angle of radiation for DXing
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> See URL:
> http://www.qsl.net/aa3rl/ant2.html

Beams are a little tough on 75M. Not much easier on 40M.

73
Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
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940. FS: COLLINS KWM-2A TRANSCEIVER & 75S-1 RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 19:52:26 UTC
From: nuttieone@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1108929146.402051.110500@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16913

Hi There,

I have the following for sale on eBay that might be of interest to you.

COLLINS KWM-2A TRANSCEIVER with Control Unit (WINGED EMBLEM)

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4674&item=5753493575&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

COLLINS 75S-1 RECEIVER (Winged Emblem)

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5753498993&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Both in working order and good condition.
Will ship world-wide.

Thanks for your attention.

941. Re: FS: COLLINS KWM-2A TRANSCEIVER & 75S-1 RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 19:57:18 UTC
From: dontspam <dontspam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <hsqh119sfgtndo4pafr1gcr94s7nje3t18@4ax.com>
Source record: 16914

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On 20 Feb 2005 11:52:26 -0800, nuttieone@yahoo.com wrote:

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942. Re: FS: COLLINS KWM-2A TRANSCEIVER & 75S-1 RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 20:43:20 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <cith11571gjtbss74gqa8tfltl3a4ejt1p@4ax.com>
Source record: 16915

On 20 Feb 2005 11:52:26 -0800, nuttieone@yahoo.com wrote:

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They're not for sale -- they're up for AUCTION

bob
k5qwg

943. Re: COLLINS KWM-2A TRANSCEIVER & 75S-1 RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 21:32:17 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <BI7Sd.1695$MY6.1259@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16916

What price?

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli
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eName=WDVW
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> Both in working order and good condition.
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>
> Thanks for your attention.
>

944. Re: Vertical vs Beam

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 22:23:37 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <37sgvcF5b79r9U2@individual.net>
Source record: 16917

"Allodoxaphobia" <bit-bucket@config.com> wrote in message
news:slrnd1hjp6.2oq6.bit-bucket@shell.config.com...
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>> Agree -- but ya gotta get the beam up in the air ---- 42+ feet for a low
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>> See URL:
>> http://www.qsl.net/aa3rl/ant2.html
>
> Beams are a little tough on 75M. Not much easier on 40M.
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> 73
> Jonesy
> --
Wish I could dig out my old photo of the beam farm at the RAAF base in
Western Australia (town and base name currently lost from memory).
Impressive site though! Right down to the low Meg's.

Ken

945. Re: FS: COLLINS KWM-2A TRANSCEIVER & 75S-1 RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 22:40:20 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <pb4i115vd6f1vutrahch06qblltpe35t57@4ax.com>
Source record: 16918

On Sun, 20 Feb 2005 22:30:18 GMT, <diel@spam.com> wrote:

>In article <hsqh119sfgtndo4pafr1gcr94s7nje3t18@4ax.com>,
> dontspam <dontspam@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>
>> USE FA
>
>I killfile Ebay postings. I wish the posters would get the message.

How many of them actually read the newsgroups they are posting to?

I expect approximately 0%.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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at the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

946. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-20 23:13:32 UTC
From: SideBand <AINO8SPAMW@cac.net>
Message-ID: <wQ8Sd.2132$DW.140@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

=K=5=D=H= wrote:
> Icom AH-4 mobile users:
>
> I recently installed an AH-4 antenna tuner in my mobile
> station, connected to my IC-706Mk2G. I'm using a 9 foot
> stainless steel CB whip as my radiating element, fed by
> about 2 feet of wire from the tuner to the base of the
> whip. What kind of radiating element are you using, and
> what kind of success do you have with it on 40m and 75m?
> I also have an Outbacker Perth antenna that I've used
> for many years, but I got tired of being unable to jump
> from band to band easily. I've thought about using the
> Outbacker with the AH-4, and just omitting the Wander
> Lead and matching transformer connection (in other words,
> use the Outbacker in its "raw" 75m state). I'm a bit
> concerned that the AH-4 won't handle this on 40m because
> the AH-4 manual says to avoid odd multiples of 1/2 wave,
> and that would be the case using the 75m antenna on 40m.
>
> Let's hear your thoughts and experiences!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

http://www.ai8w.dyndns.org/~ai8w/

Click the TruckPics link.. says it all.

947. Secret Marconi Day Station - South Dorset Radio Society

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 00:59:21 UTC
From: Jon <jon@portlandbill.co.uk>
Message-ID: <cvbbqo$2kr$6@newsg3.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 16920

Secret Marconi Day Station - South Dorset Radio Society

Just to let you all know that the South Dorset Radio Society will be running a Marconi Day special event station from the little known Marconi site at Portland Bill. The site was used by Marconi to make first contact with Gibraltar.

It is so secret that the members don't even know about it yet and the RSGB have not published details of the special callsign. This is due to the fact that they don't want the Portland club knowing that they are invading for the weekend. So SSSSHHHH! Don't tell anyone.

Reply to Carol 2E1RBH, but don't look at the spelling on her emails. 2e1rbh@g3sds.org.uk

Jon

948. BCT8 for a DeCoDeR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 02:41:44 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <4dii11pigalh39grvb5sa14etjvhq1l3uq@4ax.com>
Source record: 16921

Mint in the box Uniden BCT8 for a Universal MT-450 , MT-400 or
similiar.Might consider Optoelectronics DC442 , DC440 or similiar....
this is a picture of the actual scanner.

http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/img/bct8.jpg

e-mail me at : tommyboys UNDERSCORE ads@verizon DOT net

949. FA: YAESU FT-480R, 2 METER FM / SSB / CW RADIO, 1 DAY LEFT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 05:12:50 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing310b@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <I9eSd.3906$ue2.2094@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16922

Hi all, take a look if you like

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752175098

73

950. DPDT Coax Switch (sort of)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 14:46:22 UTC
From: "William M. Bickley" <bickley@dmv.com>
Message-ID: <111jt1opv69ppc2@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone know of a source for a switch which accepts two incoming PL-259's (A/B) and spits out either A/B or B/A, depending on switch setting. The object is to switch the feedpoints of a rhombic antenna from one end to the other. The two "incoming" lines to the switch are from either end of the rhombic. The two outgoing (from the switch) go to a dummy load and the tuner/transceiver.

TIA.

Bill W2ET

951. Re: Icom AH-4 mobile users: radiating element?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 15:48:57 UTC
From: nm5k@wt.net
Message-ID: <1109000937.512173.200100@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Hamsticks have a nasty characteristic. A 75m Hamstick is
self-resonant before it gets to 40m. A 40m Hamstick is
self-resonant (~9 MHz) before it gets to 30m. Self-resonance
is the frequency at which the inductive reactance equals the
stray capacitive reactance and results in heavy losses. I
don't know the self-resonant frequency for a 30m Hamstick
but I'll bet it's lower than 14 MHz. ....

Yea, you never want to use a low band stick, for upper
bands...Those sticks *must* have a decent stinger whip
to do any good. No capacitance, no worky....
But using a upper band stick on lower bands, by adding
more stinger works great. The antenna gets better and
better, as you drop bands, and add stinger length...
IE: a 10m stick tuned to 20m, by adding 2 more ft of
stinger works very well. Better on 20, than 10, if the
stinger on 10m, is a short stub..
Ditto for 20 to 40, etc...
When I ran a 6 ft 20m stick on 40m, using a 5 ft
stinger, that antenna was nearly as good as the
average bugcatcher. No joke. It kicked butt...
But that stick had the coil windings at the top, and
not evenly wound over the whole height, so current
distribution was real good. Much like a lumped coil
antenna. Just a thinner coil....MK

952. Re: DPDT Coax Switch (sort of)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 16:19:07 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <32vj115u41mahsnbgastu1u9csocieru15@4ax.com>
Source record: 16930
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 21 Feb 2005 09:46:22 -0500, "William M. Bickley"
<bickley@dmv.com> wrote:

>Does anyone know of a source for a switch which accepts two incoming
>PL-259's (A/B) and spits out either A/B or B/A, depending on switch setting.
>The object is to switch the feedpoints of a rhombic antenna from one end to
>the other. The two "incoming" lines to the switch are from either end of
>the rhombic. The two outgoing (from the switch) go to a dummy load and the
>tuner/transceiver.

What you are looking for is called a "transfer switch". You may want
to look for a surplus one. Transco made such a thing, both as relays
and as motor-driven switches.

None of these will be found with SO-239's tho.

953. Re: DPDT Coax Switch (sort of)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 16:29:31 UTC
From: Crazy George <munsch@atglobal.net>
Message-ID: <421a0fb6_3@news1.prserv.net>
Source record: 16924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bill:

Some many years ago I needed such a switch for some experiments on 2 meters. Since it was the weekend and I was in a
hurry, I took one of the old A. H. & H. DPDT toggle switches, some bus wire and 4 N connectors and made one with leads
as short as I could make them. It is still in use, and makes a surprisingly small impedance bump in the line. I
suspect at HF, it would be invisible.

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Crazy George
The attglobal.net address is a SPAM trap. Please change that part to: att<dot>biz properly formatted.
"William M. Bickley" <bickley@dmv.com> wrote in message
news:111jt1opv69ppc2@corp.supernews.com...
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>
> TIA.
>
> Bill W2ET
>
>

954. What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 16:35:32 UTC
From: me@privacy.net
Message-ID: <8e3k111cpj0c4h5v6gmf9h5ejdp91tb4dg@4ax.com>
Source record: 16926

I have a general class ham license but have been out of
it a LONG time

I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
while living in an RV

So.... I want something small and compact. And Im not
sure what "mode" of communications I want. I may want
some form of digital comms like packet or pactor....
not sure

Any advice on all this? What to get equip wise? What
modes to get into?

955. FA: NEW/UNUSED MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MIC F/ SPECTRA & ASTRO SPECTRA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 16:47:40 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <a54k11pk6doj98jgmll441gcke39slckgk@4ax.com>
Source record: 16925

FA: NEW/UNUSED MOTOROLA HMN1052A PALM MIC F/ SPECTRA & ASTRO SPECTRA
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752578293

956. Re: DPDT Coax Switch (sort of)?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 16:54:42 UTC
From: Tam/WB2TT <t-tammaru@c0mca$t.net>
Message-ID: <KI2dndDLtfOgj4ffRVn-2g@comcast.com>
Source record: 16928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Crazy George" <munsch@atglobal.net> wrote in message
news:421a0fb6_3@news1.prserv.net...
> Bill:
>
> Some many years ago I needed such a switch for some experiments on 2
> meters. Since it was the weekend and I was in a
> hurry, I took one of the old A. H. & H. DPDT toggle switches, some bus
> wire and 4 N connectors and made one with leads
> as short as I could make them. It is still in use, and makes a
> surprisingly small impedance bump in the line. I
> suspect at HF, it would be invisible.
>
> --
> Crazy George

That will work. If you are running high power, you may also want to consider
a wide spaced rotary wafer switch.

Tam/WB2TT

> The attglobal.net address is a SPAM trap. Please change that part to:
> att<dot>biz properly formatted.
> "William M. Bickley" <bickley@dmv.com> wrote in message
> news:111jt1opv69ppc2@corp.supernews.com...
>> Does anyone know of a source for a switch which accepts two incoming
>> PL-259's (A/B) and spits out either A/B or B/A, depending on switch
>> setting.
>> The object is to switch the feedpoints of a rhombic antenna from one end
>> to
>> the other. The two "incoming" lines to the switch are from either end of
>> the rhombic. The two outgoing (from the switch) go to a dummy load and
>> the
>> tuner/transceiver.
>>
>> TIA.
>>
>> Bill W2ET
>>
>>
>
>

957. FA - Homebrew external VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 17:10:40 UTC
From: John Schneider <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <PGoSd.5354$Lm3.3677@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16931

I used this with my Kenwood TS-820S:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5752479305&ssPageName=ADME:L:DS:US:8

958. FA - Drake High Pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 17:13:12 UTC
From: John Schneider <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <bJoSd.5372$Tp3.3252@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16929

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5752480824&ssPageName=ADME:L:DS:US:8

959. Just say NO to Bin Ladin!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 17:39:51 UTC
From: angelonmyshoulder61@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1109007591.403679.140080@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16927

Hi all I am helping a friend promote a web site. You see a childhood friend of hers lost her husband at the World Trade Center on Sept. 11, 2001. She has run into some hard times and my freind wants to help her. So she came up with the idea to market Just say NO to Bin Ladin dartboards and punching bag covers. Not only is she going to donate part of the proceeds to her freind but an additional part of the proceeds will go to the Firemans Fund. If you could take the time to check out the web site it would be much appreciated!! The web site addy is:

http://www.angelonmyshoulder.4t.com

Thanks so much everyone!!

960. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 18:08:16 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <kspSd.7667$x53.5261@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16933

Well let's see.....the Yaesu FT-857D or the Icom 706 Mk 2G come to mind right away. With either rig you have all mode 160 thru 70CM operation. They are not too large and do 100W 160 thru 6M--50 W on 2m and 20 W on 70CM. If you want QRP then the FT-817 is the rig you want, ALL MODE 5W 160 thru 70 CM.

<me@privacy.net> wrote in message news:8e3k111cpj0c4h5v6gmf9h5ejdp91tb4dg@4ax.com...
>I have a general class ham license but have been out of
> it a LONG time
>
> I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
> comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
> while living in an RV
>
> So.... I want something small and compact. And Im not
> sure what "mode" of communications I want. I may want
> some form of digital comms like packet or pactor....
> not sure
>
> Any advice on all this? What to get equip wise? What
> modes to get into?

961. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 19:06:14 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <CL@barahmas.com>
Message-ID: <GiqSd.33559$xt.12534@fed1read07>
Source record: 16934

Try eham reviews for user opinions -- and they are just that --opinions
http://www.eham.net/reviews/

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Caveat Lector (Reader Beware)
Help The New Hams
Someone Helped You
Or did You Forget That ?

"John Franklin" <jpfrank@peoplepc.com> wrote in message
news:kspSd.7667$x53.5261@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> Well let's see.....the Yaesu FT-857D or the Icom 706 Mk 2G come to
> mind right away. With either rig you have all mode 160 thru 70CM
> operation. They are not too large and do 100W 160 thru 6M--50 W on 2m and
> 20 W on 70CM. If you want QRP then the FT-817 is the rig you want, ALL
> MODE 5W 160 thru 70 CM.
>
> <me@privacy.net> wrote in message
> news:8e3k111cpj0c4h5v6gmf9h5ejdp91tb4dg@4ax.com...
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>> it a LONG time
>>
>> I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
>> comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
>> while living in an RV
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>> sure what "mode" of communications I want. I may want
>> some form of digital comms like packet or pactor....
>> not sure
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>> modes to get into?
>
>

962. FA: Original Swan Radio Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-21 23:33:07 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <TcuSd.11500$%U2.7756@lakeread01>
Source record: 16935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original Swan manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

963. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 01:21:55 UTC
From: me@privacy.net
Message-ID: <192l11tfshdqr9u9lp96h032fr80annubt@4ax.com>
Source record: 16936

> Well let's see.....the Yaesu FT-857D or the Icom 706 Mk 2G come to
>mind right away.

Of those two above..... what do you like best and why?

964. FA:GREENLEE Punches: 7/8, 1.250" + other stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 03:21:21 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <RyxSd.258155$w62.151961@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16937

See this item or items and others too at address below:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

tnx for looking, heytubeguy

965. FA: AUDIO DISTRIBUTION BOX-MIXER-CODE PRACTICE AID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 03:50:06 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <9val115erheabclbf9b21nd36c3ajfdq9h@4ax.com>
Source record: 16938

FA: AUDIO DISTRIBUTION BOX-MIXER-CODE PRACTICE AID
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5753917916

966. Re: FS: YEASU Microphone MD-1cb

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 04:35:18 UTC
From: grant_oz <grant549@tpg.com.au>
Message-ID: <7bc93ba7e6b31261f8842b4fbb5f21ab@localhost.talkaboutradio.com>
Source record: 16939

Hi would you sell to Australia ill of course pay for postage.Cheers Grant

967. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 11:31:30 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing310b@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <hOESd.8211$Kd7.6079@fe12.lga>
Source record: 16940

There are many radios to look at.
The Icom 706 mk IIG is a great small 100 watt HF rig that will also do VHF and UHF. The Icom is driven via menus and takes time to get use to.
I have a Yaesu FT-847, a small base radio that can be used in the car and does 160 - 10 plus 2 meters and 440. It's larger than the Icom.
There are other small radios also. I'd would stay away from QRP radios. They work well but you need a lot of patience. They only run about 5 watts or so and many people get annoyed using them because they just don't have enough power for every day use.
73 and good luck.

me@privacy.net wrote:
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> it a LONG time
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> I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
> comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
> while living in an RV
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> some form of digital comms like packet or pactor....
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> Any advice on all this? What to get equip wise? What
> modes to get into?

968. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 11:31:37 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing310b@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <421B1819.4010208@optonline.net>
Source record: 16941

John Franklin wrote:

> Well let's see.....the Yaesu FT-857D or the Icom 706 Mk 2G come to
> mind right away. With either rig you have all mode 160 thru 70CM operation.
> They are not too large and do 100W 160 thru 6M--50 W on 2m and 20 W on 70CM.
> If you want QRP then the FT-817 is the rig you want, ALL MODE 5W 160 thru 70
> CM.
>
> <me@privacy.net> wrote in message
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>>it a LONG time
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>>modes to get into?
>
>
>

969. ISO Yaesu 2500M Display unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:12:11 UTC
From: Chris NI4L <ni4l@charter.net>
Message-ID: <EbHSd.13602$sE5.6258@fe07.lga>
Source record: 16942

Does anyone have a junked out Yaesu 2500M?
The display on mine has a bad place in the lower right side can't read the last number. Metal notebook slide off set in van and struck that area now the liquid inside is running. Anyone else ever have this happen to them? Is it even worth fixing or should i just buy a cheap frequency counter and hook it in line?
thanks
Chris NI4L

970. FA: POPULAR HALLICRAFTERS R-47 RADIO SPEAKER for SX-115/101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:51:15 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dKHSd.7689$h85.2089@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16943
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911117&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

971. FA: ORIGINAL ASTATIC "G" MICROPHONE STAND> D-104 10-DA ETC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:53:12 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2MHSd.7690$Y85.1581@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911158&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

972. FA: NICE SIGNAL ELECTRIC MFG. CO. TELEGRAPH SOUNDER-WORKS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:54:28 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <fNHSd.7691$X95.5743@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6513119635&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

973. FA: $12> NEW HUSTLER TLA-27L-S TRUNK LIP CB ANTENNA w/COAX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:55:44 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qOHSd.7692$6a5.6115@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911223&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

974. FA: $10>NEW ANTENNA SPECIALIST MON-8 BASE SCANNER/MONITOR ANT:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:57:05 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HPHSd.7693$W65.7443@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911232&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

975. FA: KENWOOD KSC-8A CHARGER-NEW PB-36 BATTERY-TH-235+others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:58:05 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <DQHSd.7694$f%4.6276@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911260&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

976. FA: Collins R-390 JAN Tubes & Tube Shields>Cheep!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 14:59:55 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mSHSd.7695$vf5.4289@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911306&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911317&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

977. ISO Yaesu FT 2400 Display unit not 2500 sorry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 16:17:35 UTC
From: Chris NI4L <ni4l@charter.net>
Message-ID: <421B5B1F.2070005@charter.net>
Source record: 16850

Chris NI4L wrote:

> Does anyone have a junked out Yaesu 2500M?
> The display on mine has a bad place in the lower right side can't read
> the last number. Metal notebook slide off set in van and struck that
> area now the liquid inside is running. Anyone else ever have this happen
> to them? Is it even worth fixing or should i just buy a cheap frequency
> counter and hook it in line?
> thanks
> Chris NI4L
Sorry it is the FT 2400

978. WTT: Ameritron AL-80B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 17:15:05 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <k4qm11delcfumf3gnpc65kngio7bprpf9j@4ax.com>
Source record: 16851

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WTT: Ameritron AL-80B
Its in GREAT condition,
I want to trade towards
an Ameritron AL-1200
And I will add cash to
the deal.
When replying to my ad,
Please state how much
cash is needed for trade
with my AL-80B.
ritchi50@optonline.net
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979. HELP Need Kenwood TH-235 Schematic or service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 17:23:21 UTC
From: Lex-Lutor <lex-lutor@post.htnet.hr>
Message-ID: <cvfpq8$5uj$1@ls219.htnet.hr>
Source record: 16852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Any help is welcome, thanks in advance.

980. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 18:30:10 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <SSKSd.8744$x53.6441@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16853

<me@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:192l11tfshdqr9u9lp96h032fr80annubt@4ax.com...
>> Well let's see.....the Yaesu FT-857D or the Icom 706 Mk 2G come to
>>mind right away.
>
> Of those two above..... what do you like best and why?

I HAD an ICOM 706 MK IIG and now I have an FT-897, the 897 is the same rig pretty much as the 857 only it has a bigger box for batteries to be added for portable ops. I got rid of the 706 because the DSP was done in the audio stages and not in the IF where it belongs. I also think the 897 has a better receiver. The 706 is not a BAD rig, I am just more demanding for what I want to do. Have you considered PSK-31?

981. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 19:55:45 UTC
From: me@privacy.net
Message-ID: <9h3n111fpev7d3gvc5504aslelgfpi5r4a@4ax.com>
Source record: 16854

>I also think the 897 has a
>better receiver. The 706 is not a BAD rig, I am just more demanding for what
>I want to do.

I see

>Have you considered PSK-31?

For what use? can you explain?

982. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 19:57:38 UTC
From: me@privacy.net
Message-ID: <0j3n11tshvtufr521gpdv3fph7u3oe9v8q@4ax.com>
Source record: 16855

>There are other small radios also. I'd would stay away from QRP radios.

That's my gut feeling as well... to stay away from QRP
rigs for now

Again..... the intended usage is to get back into ham
radio..... and to keep in touch with outside world in
possible remote locations

Plus.....Im very interested in the ham equivalent of
internet email..... i.e. dig comms that is

983. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 20:11:46 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <m24n11h8u75lag9q2432g7desjdvc1tb18@4ax.com>
Source record: 16856

On Mon, 21 Feb 2005 10:35:32 -0600, me@privacy.net wrote:

>I have a general class ham license but have been out of
>it a LONG time
>
>I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
>comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
>while living in an RV
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>So.... I want something small and compact. And Im not
>sure what "mode" of communications I want. I may want
>some form of digital comms like packet or pactor....
>not sure
>
>Any advice on all this? What to get equip wise? What
>modes to get into?

It is a lot easier to keep in touch with other hams with ham radio,
somewhat more difficult to keep in touch with non-hams.

Having a 2 meter FM rig will allow communications locally, and with
repeaters around the country. Other VHF or UHF bands will add to this,
but 2 meter only will get you through.

An HF rig with a decent antenna will allow long distance comms. You
will have to compromise to get one that is portable, and mounts on
your vehicle.

Packet radio would work for email, but bandwidth is rather limited
compared to the worst dialup options. 1200 baud is common, 9600 is the
most out there. Dialup Internet providers range from 28.8 to 53K.

Depending on who and how you wish to keep in touch, you may still want
a cell phone and set up with a national dial-up ISP.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
--
At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

984. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 21:17:19 UTC
From: me@privacy.net
Message-ID: <038n119qpguos0jb738lltprk535meibdp@4ax.com>
Source record: 16857

>It is a lot easier to keep in touch with other hams with ham radio,
>somewhat more difficult to keep in touch with non-hams.

Agreed..... no doubt

>Having a 2 meter FM rig will allow communications locally, and with
>repeaters around the country. Other VHF or UHF bands will add to this,
>but 2 meter only will get you through.

Would 2M only suffice for the "email/packet" end of
things tho? I mean.... since an RV will be moving
from one area to another.... does that affect the
transmission and reception "protocols" of email sent
via 2M packet?

Sorry for the dumb questions guys. Please bear with me
ok?

>An HF rig with a decent antenna will allow long distance comms. You
>will have to compromise to get one that is portable, and mounts on
>your vehicle.

Fortunately these all mode and all band radios now days
look pretty small tho. Correct?

>Packet radio would work for email, but bandwidth is rather limited
>compared to the worst dialup options. 1200 baud is common, 9600 is the
>most out there. Dialup Internet providers range from 28.8 to 53K.

Understand. But since things are automated and once I
buy the equip I have it and there are no other monthly
"costs"..... what will it hurt if it takes all night
for the rig/computer to send that email message? Cant
it be doing it's "thing" (sending and receiving email)
while Im asleep or doing other things?

>Depending on who and how you wish to keep in touch, you may still want
>a cell phone and set up with a national dial-up ISP.

Oh sure. Just looking into ham radio as a cheap method
to use as well

985. Looking for a Drake R8b

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 21:23:43 UTC
From: Hans <dxhunter.zeeuw@hccnet.nl>
Message-ID: <421ba2e4$0$764$3a628fcd@reader10.nntp.hccnet.nl>
Source record: 16858

As in subject:
I am looking for a nice Drake R8b in mint/execellent condition!
I'm from the Netherlands and if this is not a problem for you, shipping wise
(not for me :-), pleaese mail your offer to my directly.

Thank in advance,

Hans.

986. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 21:58:22 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <111nanu48mbg1f8@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16859

>Would 2M only suffice for the "email/packet" end of
>things tho? I mean.... since an RV will be moving
>from one area to another.... does that affect the
>transmission and reception "protocols" of email sent
>via 2M packet?

The availability and density of ham packet-radio nodes (whether on 2 meter, 220, or 440) isn't what it was a decade ago. The widespread availability of Internet access, and the low costs and high bandwidths, have lead to a big "decay" in the amateur radio network. Even here in the SF Bay area (densely populated, high-tech-oriented population) there just aren't more than a handful of 2-meter and 440 packet nodes and BBSen left operating, and most of them seem to be special-purpose rather than being set up for open use.

In order to use packet at all, you have to find a node or BBS in your area, and that's not necessarily going to be easy. You'd then have to find out what sorts of connectivity and services the system provides, figure out which of several semi-incompatible networking protocols it uses, come to an agreement with its owner/operator to make use of it, etc.

HF packet (e.g. PACTOR, or AX.25 using a slower bit rate) helps to some extent, as it can be used over long distances where there are no local 2-meter/440 nodes. However, it's even slower and is subject to HF propagation issues.

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>it be doing it's "thing" (sending and receiving email)
>while Im asleep or doing other things?

Maybe so, maybe no.

Remember, the FCC rules generally require that you (the amateur) be in control of your station. Even if you use automatic control, you're responsible for making sure that you do not interfere with other amateurs' communications.

Also remember that there are legal rules concerning what sorts of transmissions you can do... nothing "for profit" may be of concern.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior

I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

987. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 23:09:54 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <6ZOSd.4193$Ba3.3015@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16860

<me@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:9h3n111fpev7d3gvc5504aslelgfpi5r4a@4ax.com...
> >I also think the 897 has a
>>better receiver. The 706 is not a BAD rig, I am just more demanding for
>>what
>>I want to do.
>
> I see
>
>>Have you considered PSK-31?
>
> For what use? can you explain?

PSK-31 is a digital mode that works quite well on HF. Most people I have talked to about it keep their rig throttled down to about 30 watts when in this mode.

988. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-22 23:17:05 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <8pen11lcun2r6teppae10q37ph8hrra0cg@4ax.com>
Source record: 16861

On Tue, 22 Feb 2005 21:58:22 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
wrote:

>>Would 2M only suffice for the "email/packet" end of
>>things tho? I mean.... since an RV will be moving
>>from one area to another.... does that affect the
>>transmission and reception "protocols" of email sent
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>responsible for making sure that you do not interfere with other
>amateurs' communications.
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>Also remember that there are legal rules concerning what sorts of
>transmissions you can do... nothing "for profit" may be of concern.

While packet is an interesting mode to experiment with, I do not think
it will work well as a sole access to the Internet.

A national dialup provider with local numbers in the places you
travel, would be best as a primary Internet access.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

989. FA: MOTOROLA MCS2000 MODEL III VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 00:29:53 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <vjjn11hfedfrnauq1cg7amltlbirunfo6i@4ax.com>
Source record: 16862

FA: MOTOROLA MCS2000 MODEL III VHF
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752812246

990. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 00:31:32 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <cnin11lkiophlbj07i4crhd8jacsnrbrb8@4ax.com>
Source record: 16863

On Mon, 21 Feb 2005 10:35:32 -0600, me@privacy.net wrote:

>I have a general class ham license but have been out of
>it a LONG time
>
>I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
>comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
>while living in an RV
>
>So.... I want something small and compact. And Im not
>sure what "mode" of communications I want. I may want
>some form of digital comms like packet or pactor....
>not sure
>
>Any advice on all this? What to get equip wise? What
>modes to get into?

Are you trying to keep in touch with hams or non-hams?

If non-hams, ham radio won't help much here. Phone patches are pretty much a thing of the past.

Your best bet in contacting non-hams through ham radio may be simply to join some of the traffic nets on SSB or CW, and pass messages to the outside world through the nets, but that's a little laborious.

A computer with email might be much better for contacting non-hams. There should be a lot of places on the "road" where you can hook up temporarilly to the Internet.

There may be wireless Internet hookups, too, but I'm not real sure...

For staying in touch with hams, you have a lot more options. Yaesu, Icom and Kenwood all make small multi-mode radios that give you coverage of all bands from 160 meters up through 440 mhz. See their web sites. Combined with a screwdriver antenna on your RV, you can work the world -- see the High Sierra web site for the latest on screwdriver antenna technology -- "screwdrivers" are pretty much the best way to go now, mobile-wise.

A few compact, 100-watt, multi-mode RV-appropos radios to look at:
Icom 706 series
Yaesu ft-857 series
Kenwood 480 series
Kenwood ts-2000 series

Bob
k5qwg

991. Re: FA: Collins R-390 JAN Tubes & Tube Shields>Cheep!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 01:53:06 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050222205306.714$PO@newsreader.com>
Source record: 16864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

"RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote:
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911306&ssPage
> Name=STRK:MESE:IT
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5752911317&ssPage
> Name=STRK:MESE:IT
>
I have several of those in boxes, reckon whet they'll fetch?

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http://NewsReader.Com 30 GB/Month

992. Need some assistance with Yaesu FT416

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 02:05:58 UTC
From: gmiller <corpcoastfan@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1109124358.374075.246100@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16865

Hi all,

Hoping someone can help me get out of this noisy mess I'm in with my Yaesu ft-416 handheld.

Seems the squelch is constantly staying open - the knob has no effect. I figure I managed to hit some key combination inadvertently, as it's got tons of hidden little functions, etc. The reset trick (MR + VFO + 2) has no effect either.

Thanks for any help you can send my confused way.

73,
Gary

993. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 02:51:54 UTC
From: Jim Anderson <ka9vhg@charter.net>
Message-ID: <PjSSd.19985$Bb.4808@fe06.lga>
Source record: 16866

<me@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:0j3n11tshvtufr521gpdv3fph7u3oe9v8q@4ax.com...
> >There are other small radios also. I'd would stay away from QRP radios.
>
> That's my gut feeling as well... to stay away from QRP
> rigs for now
>
> Again..... the intended usage is to get back into ham
> radio..... and to keep in touch with outside world in
> possible remote locations
>
> Plus.....Im very interested in the ham equivalent of
> internet email..... i.e. dig comms that is

Hi,

I think you might be interested in AirMail. You can get additional
information at http://www.airmail2000.com/.

73, Jim

994. FS / FA : ICOM IC-251 A/E SERVICE MANUAL / MAINTANCE MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 03:58:32 UTC
From: Greg <gkm@deakin.edu.au.removethisbit>
Message-ID: <421bff66$0$15545$5a62ac22@per-qv1-newsreader-01.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 16867

I Have ICOM IC-251 A / E SERVICE / MAINTANANCE Manual on CD. The CD
contains over 80 Pages of high resoulution(600DPI) scanned images from
Icom's service/maintance manual for this rig(Over 300Meg).
Good info for Repair/Realignment of this radio.
e-mail me
wecreate@iinet.net.au
or check out EBAY australia
http://cgi.ebay.com.au/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=1502&item=5754225238&rd=1

995. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 06:25:28 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <e98o11568g4brpb4md6o9kidu2764f8k71@4ax.com>
Source record: 16868

On Tue, 22 Feb 2005 15:17:19 -0600, me@privacy.net wrote:

>Would 2M only suffice for the "email/packet" end of
>things tho? I mean.... since an RV will be moving
>from one area to another.... does that affect the
>transmission and reception "protocols" of email sent
>via 2M packet?

HF Mobile is not very reliable. I operate HF mobile voice, primarily on the County Hunter's net. The bend in a road is sometimes enough to drop from readable to unreadable. I realize that in digital modes, the signal gets through when voice doesn't, but there will be times when you can't reach that one place you desire to reach at that time.

Once you settle down, changing bands and frequencies may not be much of a problem, especially if you non-mobile antennas at your campsite.

Good luck
and 73
Buck
N4PGW

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

996. KENWOOD TS480 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-23 23:25:43 UTC
From: tradeark <tradeark@o2.pl>
Message-ID: <cvj3f2$471$1@atlantis.news.tpi.pl>
Source record: 16869

Hi, I have a question about the TS 480/ Does it work properly and gives 100w or 200w (if it is HX version). Are you satisfied with the radio? I am about to buy one but the opinions are divided onto those who are for and who don't like the radio performance especially with the maximum power problem. Can you tell me you opinion.

997. Re: KENWOOD TS480 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 00:33:29 UTC
From: Keith V <kavan@neb.rr.com>
Message-ID: <af9Td.20697$Sq5.7028@twister.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 16870

It's a great radio that works as good or better than some of the big ones.
I always get and easy 100W out. The radio is very versatile with many bells
and whistles that work.

Van,
KL7TDZ

"tradeark" <tradeark@o2.pl> wrote in message
news:cvj3f2$471$1@atlantis.news.tpi.pl...
> Hi, I have a question about the TS 480/ Does it work properly and gives
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> or 200w (if it is HX version). Are you satisfied with the radio? I am
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> like the radio performance especially with the maximum power problem. Can
> you tell me you opinion.
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>

998. Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 03:42:08 UTC
From: Rhythmguy@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1109216528.812585.86850@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16871

I think the lithium battery is dead in my 731 since the memories are gone after I turn it off and back on after awhile, do you know what kind it is, and where to get one? The only radio stores here are radio shack.

Thanks in advance.

999. Re: KENWOOD TS480 OPINIONS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 04:23:36 UTC
From: Adair Winter <drummer_adair@mail.com>
Message-ID: <cFcTd.56990$iC4.28112@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16872

"Keith V" <kavan@neb.rr.com> wrote in message
> It's a great radio that works as good or better than some of the big ones.
> I always get and easy 100W out. The radio is very versatile with many
> bells and whistles that work.
>
> Van,
> KL7TDZ

I don't own one myself but I have a friend who does and he runs it mobile
and really likes it.. We've used it a couple of times in his shack and out
at events and it's always done very well.. I like the way it's setup and
operates.. The DSP controlls even work pretty good.

Adair - KD5DYP

1000. Re: Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 04:56:27 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <111qnjvmksrdo24@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16873

How about HRO, or AES, or Burkhardt, or Universal Radio, or Kenwood pray tell?
Take a few minuts and let your fingers do the walking on your keyboard, or do you want us to look them up for you?
You have me curious now,...you have a license and call? It seem to me that a ham just knows how to find these things out without having someone else do all the research for him.

Butch KF5DE

Rhythmguy@gmail.com wrote:

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> shack.
>
> Thanks in advance.
>

1001. Re: Icom IC-2100H mic problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 05:55:14 UTC
From: John Doe <JohnDoe@0.0.0.0>
Message-ID: <421d6bfc$0$6167$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 16874

Icom HM-98 Schematics, hope this helps!

http://www.mods.dk/downloadmanual.php?File=HM-98a_Schematic2n4584567054634h4.zip

http://www.mods.dk/downloadmanual.php?File=HM-98_Schematic.pdf

73's

<ab288@valleynet.on.ca> wrote in message
news:1107923477.285143.208090@c13g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> I too am having this mic problem (HM98s) with my IC-2100h radio.
> The mic lights up and the red indicator on the mic lights when PTT is
> actuated
> but the mic does not communicate with the radio. Functions , DTMF ,
> PTT,audio, dont work for days at a time then all is well again without
> having done anything
> to the radio. The radio lives indoors on a power supply, has had very
> little
> transmitting time. There is no indication on the bar graph output power
> level display indicating that PTT has been pressed. I did a CPU reset.
> Nothing. I dont think its the mic itself because I tried a mic from
> another working radio and still no response. Taking the mic from this
> unit and trying it on the other working radio, it works fine. The
> function buttons on the radio itself all work fine. The lock is not
> engaged on the radio or the mic.
>
> Has anybody resolved this since it was posted in 2002?
> Bryan
>
> Mike wrote:
> > Just recently, my HS-98 microphone has ceased working. If I plug it
> in, the
> > key pad lights up, but nothing works, and everytime a button or PTT
> is
> > pushed, the red light lights up on the mic. Should I send it in and
> have it
> > repaired, or should I spend the $90 to get a new one? Or does
> somebody have
> > fix for my mic. Any help would be graetfully appreciated.
> > 73's
> > Mike
> > KC2JGA
> >
> > --
> > From the desk of KC2JGA

>

1002. Re: IC-2100H HM-133S MIC Compatibility Issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 06:05:57 UTC
From: John Doe <JohnDoe@0.0.0.0>
Message-ID: <421d6e7e$0$6163$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 16875

Icom HM-133 Schematic, hope this helps!

http://www.mods.dk/downloadmanual.php?File=HM-133_Schematic.zip

http://www.icomamerica.com/support/documents/microphones.asp

73's

"Paul" <kn6ph@charter.net> wrote in message
news:Xns95FEE453FB18Akn6ph@69.28.186.121...
> Hello,
>
> I picked up an HM-133S MIC on eBay and the vendor stated that it works
with
> my IC-2100H. Although the LED on the MIC comes on I can not command the
> radio. I tried unlocking the MIC (FN+16) but no dice -- any
> suggestions/thoughts?
>
> Thanks!
>
> -Paul, KN6PH

1003. Re: ISO Yaesu 2500M Display unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 07:11:12 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <k6fTd.71788$Th1.33709@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16876

The display shouldn't be too expensive.....probably around 20 dollars. I am not sure how hard it would be to put in. Usually, there is a metal frame around the LCD that has ears on the back side of the display board. When you straighten out the ears, you can carefully remove the display. This is a conductive rubber strip that electrically couples the display to the circuit board. Be careful so that you don't touch the contact points. It would be a good idea to clean the rubber contact point with alcohol, afterwards applying a contact preservative such as Caig's Pro-Gold. I do have one of these rigs.....it works just as good as the newer ones. Many of the new rigs also meet Mil Std 810 for mechanical shock, as does the Yaesu 2400, but the reason that I like the 2400 is because this is the same radio as the land mobile version in the Vertex line. The Yaesu FT-23R was the same type of radio. This means that the radio was designed to meet its specifications across the whole 138 to 174MHz band, both transmit and receive. I would fix it if it were mine.

Pete

"Chris NI4L" <ni4l@charter.net> wrote in message
news:EbHSd.13602$sE5.6258@fe07.lga...
> Does anyone have a junked out Yaesu 2500M?
> The display on mine has a bad place in the lower right side can't read the
> last number. Metal notebook slide off set in van and struck that area now
> the liquid inside is running. Anyone else ever have this happen to them?
> Is it even worth fixing or should i just buy a cheap frequency counter and
> hook it in line?
> thanks
> Chris NI4L

1004. Re: ISO Yaesu 2500M Display unit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 07:12:25 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <t7fTd.71792$Th1.45381@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16877

Oh, I forgot.....give Yaesu a call, and they should have the
part in stock.

Pete

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news:EbHSd.13602$sE5.6258@fe07.lga...
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> hook it in line?
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> Chris NI4L

1005. Re: Tait 2020 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 10:21:03 UTC
From: spottydog <stephenb@netconnect.com.au>
Message-ID: <d7f5ac7827a8de7abe9f4bfc94e59f3d@localhost.talkaboutradio.com>
Source record: 16878

Hi David, I'm trying to get a programming lead and a copy of software for the same radio. If I get hold of either of the I'll let you know and pass on the info to you, cheers, Steve

1006. Re: Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 12:40:16 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <9mir11pvhqr7a3potnlb9rophc303pomr6@4ax.com>
Source record: 16879

Here you go http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=3053 It is a common
battery that should be available at Radio Shack. Might even find it
at Wal-Mart.

Dick - W6CCD

>Rhythmguy@gmail.com wrote:
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>> I think the lithium battery is dead in my 731 since the memories are
>> gone after I turn it off and back on after awhile, do you know what
>> kind it is, and where to get one? The only radio stores here are radio
>> shack.
>>
>> Thanks in advance.
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1007. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 15:41:40 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <1109259700.828759.323450@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16880

me@privacy.net wrote:
> I have a general class ham license but have been out of
> it a LONG time
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> I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
> comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
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> sure what "mode" of communications I want. I may want
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> not sure
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> Any advice on all this? What to get equip wise? What
> modes to get into?

I agree with "Sky King", my recommondation for a does-it-all "RV transceiver " is the unique FT-847.

http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/hamhf/1467.html

It's larger than the current crop of very popular mobile xcvrs like the IC-706 which were designed for underdash installations. But RVs are usually not as cramped for installation space as are cars & small trucks so an FT-847 would likely "fit"OK. The major advantages of the 847 vs. the mobile rigs include a far better receiver front end (overload & intermod) and ease of operation (much less "menu dipping"), among others. It's basically a complete full-blown home desktop station in a very compact package vs. the collection highly compromised mobile rigs out there today.

I'm an old fart hard-core HF dxer and CW dx contester and was inactive for 25 years who came back to the hobby just a few years ago. I'm very demanding when it comes to topics like receiver performance and operating flexibility/convenience. I wanted a compact and lightweight but not miniaturized rig for portable operations. With jaundiced expectations about it's performance after reading all the reviews and such I bought a new FT-847 a couple years ago.

When I first got it on the air during a Field Day operation I quickly concluded that it was a diamond in the rough. Except for it's rather dismal selectivity it perforned far beyond my expectations and my jaundice evaporated. Particularly since it only cost me about a third of what I would have spent on a "real" HF xcvr. From there I fixed it's selectivity problem by installing eight-pole 400 Hz and 2.1 kHz xtal INRAD xtal CW & ssb filters. The addition of the filters dramatically

changed the whole character of the thing and turned it into a real gem.

http://www.qth.com/inrad/

The two filters cost me $310 bucks <grunt!> on top of what I'd already paid for the radio but now I'm absolutely convinced that I've managed to come up with the biggest bang for the buck rig out there today.

847 Modes: CW, AM, FM, ssb, satellite, all digital modes via a computer, 12 bands 160-440 out-of-the box plus 60M with mods. Simple null modem cable between the radio and the computer and done.

The two most common HF digital modes are RTTY and PSK-31. Pactor and packet are out there but are nowhere near as commonly used as RTTY and PSK-31.

http://www.aintel.bi.ehu.es/psk31.html

Depending on who you'd like to stay in touch with while you're on the road my take is that you're pretty much stuck with a cell phone based on it's much higher reliability compared with any ham radio mode/band. At this point in history "traffic handling" via ham radio has all but died. The Internet has eaten it.

w3rv

1008. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 16:37:56 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <uh0s11l29vvklghr7vutoj8ouobu5ksgga@4ax.com>
Source record: 16881

On 24 Feb 2005 07:41:40 -0800, kelly@dvol.com wrote:

>me@privacy.net wrote:
>> I have a general class ham license but have been out of
>> it a LONG time
>>
>> I want to get back into some form of free ham radio
>> comms that would allow me to stay in touch with people
>> while living in an RV
>>
>> So.... I want something small and compact. And Im not
>> sure what "mode" of communications I want. I may want
>> some form of digital comms like packet or pactor....
>> not sure
>>
>It's larger than the current crop of very popular mobile xcvrs like the
>IC-706 which were designed for underdash installations. But RVs are
>usually not as cramped for installation space as are cars & small
>trucks so an FT-847 would likely "fit"OK. The major advantages of the

In an RV installation, there may not be sufficient air circulation
around the rig.

It would also makes sense to add extra cooling fans for the space
where all this is installed, essentially the way that rack mounted
electronics have a second level of cooling fans beyond what what each
component has.

You cannot run electronics too cool.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

1009. Re: Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 16:49:12 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <421E0588.6060303@netscape.net>
Source record: 16882

Butch wrote:
> How about HRO, or AES, or Burkhardt, or Universal Radio, or Kenwood pray
> tell?
> Take a few minuts and let your fingers do the walking on your keyboard,
> or do you want us to look them up for you?
> You have me curious now,...you have a license and call? It seem to me
> that a ham just knows how to find these things out without having
> someone else do all the research for him.
>
> Butch KF5DE

Nice to know that hams are STILL friendly and helpful. Keep up the good
work.

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> Rhythmguy@gmail.com wrote:
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>> I think the lithium battery is dead in my 731 since the memories are
>> gone after I turn it off and back on after awhile, do you know what
>> kind it is, and where to get one? The only radio stores here are radio
>> shack.
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>> Thanks in advance.
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Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
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Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Wanted, 12.1" LCD for Gateway Solo 5300. Samsung LT121SU-121
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

1010. Re: Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 18:56:37 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <111s8r5m98m6p0c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16883

Spammo. What a telling address. Well Mike, I love to help people, especially folks that actually need a bit of assistance. I do not care for those who will not make any effort to help themselves. Do you really think it too much of a burdon on that "rhythmguy" for him to open his manual and look up "lithium battery replacement"? Perhaps for today's generation it may be too much to ask of them, God knows they have literally been given everything without effort on their part. Hell, here in the United Socialists of America we even give away Amateur Radio Licenses', however in this case I think 'ol rhythmguy is just too lazy to reach out and get his no code, no effort, free ride down the Ham Waves.
KF5DE

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>>> Thanks in advance.
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1011. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 20:19:49 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <1109276389.546407.103220@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16884

Gary S. wrote:
> On 24 Feb 2005 07:41:40 -0800, kelly@dvol.com wrote:
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> >me@privacy.net wrote:

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> >trucks so an FT-847 would likely "fit"OK. The major advantages of
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> In an RV installation, there may not be sufficient air circulation
> around the rig.

Depends on how/where the equipment is installed.

> It would also makes sense to add extra cooling fans for the space
> where all this is installed, essentially the way that rack mounted
> electronics have a second level of cooling fans beyond what what each
> component has.

If xcvrs are installed in open-air spaces like under dashes or on
desktops, which is usually the case with ham rigs in RVs there
shouldn't be any particular need for additional fans. My 847 internal
fan very seldom kicks in when the rig is used on a desktop even when
running high duty cycle CW and I don't see why the fan would run any
more in an underdash installation. But stuff any 100W xcvr into some
close-fitting blind cubbyhole there better be a second fan which forces
air through the cubbyhole "or else".

> You cannot run electronics too cool.

I could not agree more - but within common sense limits.

> Happy trails,
> Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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> Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
> Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

w3rv

1012. Re: Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 21:14:37 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnd1sgtt.1c8t.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 16885

On Thu, 24 Feb 2005 12:56:37 -0600, Butch wrote:

> Spammo. What a telling address.

Top-Poster. What a telling attribute.

1013. FA Vintage Johnson Viking Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-24 22:35:58 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <eFsTd.86342$GT.8639@okepread01>
Source record: 16886

Please take a look at my auctions for some nice vintage Johnson Viking gear
including a Viking I and 122VFO and KW Matchbox and SWR Meter and seperate
Model 122 VFO.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

1014. FS: MFJ-4225MV 25 amp power supply. EXCELLENT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 00:07:56 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <9ae88a70.0502241607.28a2a4a@posting.google.com>
Source record: 16887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: MFJ-4225MV 25 amp surge power supply, EXCELLENT condx.! Dual meters for amperage and voltage. Two connections: terminals and cig. lighter. Runs ANY 100 watt HF rig with ease. Circuit breaker, cooling fan. Original instructions. Photo available at QTH.com under my call. ONLY $89 and $5 towards shipping and insurance. First e-mail gets it! (I'm able to do Visa or Mastercard)
73, Bill - WA8MEA
ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Amateur Radio is fun again at - http://qth.com/dwm

1015. FS: MFJ-4225MV 25 amp power supply. EXCELLENT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 00:08:52 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <9ae88a70.0502241608.4373b22c@posting.google.com>
Source record: 16888
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: MFJ-4225MV 25 amp surge power supply, EXCELLENT condx.! Dual meters for amperage and voltage. Two connections: terminals and cig. lighter. Runs ANY 100 watt HF rig with ease. Circuit breaker, cooling fan. Original instructions. Photo available at QTH.com under my call. ONLY $89 and $5 towards shipping and insurance. First e-mail gets it! (I'm able to do Visa or Mastercard)
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1016. FS: Near MINT, Mirage B-34G 2m HT amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 00:11:20 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1109290280.809512.309810@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For Sale: Near MINT, Mirage B-34G 2m HT amp. 8 watts in gets you 35w plus out. SSB/FM. GaAsFET receiver pre-amp. Mobile bracket, original box, instructions. 13.8 VDC at 4 amp. $69 and I'll pay for shipping and insurance. Photo available at QTH.com under my call. First e-mail gets it!
73, Bill - WA8MEA
ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
NEAT, fun stuff at - http://qth.com/dwm

1017. FA - Drake TV Low Pass Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 00:18:39 UTC
From: thecop <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <1juTd.20514$6x.18530@fe08.lga>
Source record: 16890

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5754840846

1018. Icom HM-56 mic instructions Help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 02:43:10 UTC
From: John Doe <JohnDoe@0.0.0.0>
Message-ID: <421e9076$0$6166$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 16891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur,aus.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio.mods,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.binaries.pictures.radio,rec.radio.swap

Hello,
Can you help?
I need an Icom HM-56
Hand Mic instruction manual.
Anyone have a soft copy? (pdf)
I have the schematic.

If you do not have a soft copy would you please
email me the basic operational information for this
DTMF microphone, i.e.
How to store DTMF sequences into memory,
how to recall memories, reset the mic. etc.

Thanks,
In advance.
DR

broadcastUNDERSCORE7@hotmail.com
To reply, replace UNDERSCORE with _
Thank You!

1019. FA: Swan Radio Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 02:48:31 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <X8ETd.23157$%U2.21350@lakeread01>
Source record: 16894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original Swan manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1020. Re: Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 06:41:06 UTC
From: lithium_cell <lithium_dude@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <421EC881.A6F815FD@nospam.com>
Source record: 16892

http://www.mouser.com

cr2035 with solder tabs,

please don't try to solder wires to a lithium cell,

lith dude..

Rhythmguy@gmail.com wrote:

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> gone after I turn it off and back on after awhile, do you know what
> kind it is, and where to get one? The only radio stores here are radio
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1021. Re: Where to get lithium battery - Kenwood TM731A - Help please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 10:05:21 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <421EF861.90208@netscape.net>
Source record: 16893

Butch wrote:
> Spammo. What a telling address.

At least try to get it right. Not reading and jumping to
conclusions...again.

>Well Mike, I love to help people,
> especially folks that actually need a bit of assistance. I do not care
> for those who will not make any effort to help themselves.

That is your right. Don't care for whatever you like.

>Do you
> really think it too much of a burdon on that "rhythmguy" for him to open
> his manual and look up "lithium battery replacement"?

What I "really" think is that people should be as helpful as they can.

Perhaps for
> today's generation it may be too much to ask of them, God knows

So, now YOU know what God knows?

they
> have literally been given everything without effort on their part.

You know this how?

Hell,
> here in the United Socialists of America we even give away Amateur
> Radio Licenses', however in this case I think 'ol rhythmguy is just too
> lazy to reach out and get his no code, no effort, free ride down the Ham
> Waves.

You know THIS how?

Methinks you just want to bitch.
mike

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1022. Simpson 269

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 16:09:30 UTC
From: Bill Ogden <wogden@attglobal.net>
Message-ID: <gfITd.4969$Za1.4388@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16895

I have a Simpson 269 VOM that needs a battery. It has one 1.5v battery (which is OK) and a space for another battery. This second space is larger than normal 1.5 vold batteries. The meter had a 22.5 volt battery in this space (it was dead); the battery made connections but did not look like the right shape for the compartment.

Anyone know what battery is needed? Anyone know where I could find a manual for the meter?

It is a beautiful meter and offers 100,000 ohms/volt for DC measurements.

Bill
W2WO

1023. Re: Simpson 269

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 16:23:53 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <m5ku11tojts0883ampqgtroap744nl3dib@4ax.com>
Source record: 16896

On Fri, 25 Feb 2005 11:09:30 -0500, "Bill Ogden"
<wogden@attglobal.net> wrote:

>I have a Simpson 269 VOM that needs a battery. It has one 1.5v battery
>(which is OK) and a space for another battery. This second space is larger
>than normal 1.5 vold batteries. The meter had a 22.5 volt battery in this
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>Bill
>W2WO
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I suspect it is the same battery used in my Simpson 262. It is an
Eveready No. 412, 22.5 Volts.

Dick - W6CCD

1024. Re: Simpson 269

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 17:28:24 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnd1uo1o.146f.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 16897

On Fri, 25 Feb 2005 09:23:53 -0700, Dick wrote:
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><wogden@attglobal.net> wrote:
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> Dick - W6CCD

And, since the meter is designed to continue to work until the battery
drops to a low level, I tried using two 9V batteries in series (18V).
It works.
I may have to replace the 2 batteries more often (Tho', after 3 years
they continue to serve me well). But, then, they are more readily
available and less costly.

YMMV
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

1025. IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 17:33:59 UTC
From: behr@muir.math.niu.edu
Message-ID: <cvnni7rcm1@news.math.niu.edu>
Source record: 16798

I'm struggling with poor TX audio quality on my Icom 736, bought used several months ago. The mikes I use (an included HM-35, a homebrewed preamped mike, a Radio Shack amplified mike) all get reports of audio with no lows, pinched, not terrible but worse than from other similar radios (e.g. an IC 735 with the same HM). It might be good for pileups, but it's uncomfortable for normal ragchewing.

I've read a lot about insufficient mike gain in older Icoms, and about the possibility of plugging into the acc socket in the back. But I'd like to first determine whether my mike circuitry might have a problem.

I put a scope on the mic in and mic gnd pins of the connector, and on top of the normal 7 or so V DC (for electret biasing) I see an almost 1 V p-p sine wave, about 110 kHz, and very "noisy". The trace gets clean and sharp after shunting the mic ground to the regular chassis ground with a 10 nF cap. It's there whether the mike is plugged in or not, and whether the radio is receiving or transmitting.

This high frequency signal should not interfere with the audio, but who knows. It might also indicate some other problem, e.g. the built-in switching supply bleeding noise into the rest of the radio.

I haven't noticed any other glitches with this rig whatsoever. I do not have any excessive birdies from the PS. So I'm looking for ideas/opinions. Ideally, some kind OM with a 736 might be able to see whether his has that strange signal on the mic input too, in which case I could rest assured that it isn't unique to my radio.

Thanks a lot in advance for any hints or advice. 73, KC9DUX

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Eric Behr | NIU Mathematical Sciences | (815) 753 6727
behr@math.niu.edu | http://www.math.niu.edu/~behr/ | fax: 753 1112

1026. FS: Yaesu FT-7800

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 18:48:30 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <2qKTd.14822$x53.6171@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16799

For sale Yaesu FT-7800R. Dual band 2M and 70 CM FM, with touch tone mike and 1000 memories! This rig is in excellent condition, no scratches/ding/marks. I am a non smoker and this radio has never had the mobile bracket installed on it. Asking $210.00 plus the reasonable costs for priority post shipping. I figure this to run about 3 1/2 pounds for shipping weight. If interested email me and I will send you a pic of this rig.

73
WB7FFI

1027. Re: IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-25 23:57:07 UTC
From: bart <not@here.com>
Message-ID: <bhev11t0m570tf1ro3rn5148jos9tufcop@4ax.com>
Source record: 16800

Have you tried a different mike on the same rig?
Might be a cable/shield problem, loose connection or a fubar'd
element. (it's usually a fubar'd cable)
I built my own mike out of junkbox parts for a 735, seems to work
OK..uglier than sin though!
G'Luck!

On 25 Feb 2005 17:33:59 GMT, behr@muir.math.niu.edu (Eric Behr) wrote:

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1028. probs with Yaesu FT-857 beacon/keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 01:19:32 UTC
From: Stephen Cowell <scowell@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <E8QTd.57449$iC4.10421@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16801

I was reading a review of my radio and was suprised to see that
the beacon feature could be used as a 3-message contest keyer...
I have since found that this is not the case, at least as far as my
skills have taken me. The manual is not a lot of help... I can never
get access to Beacon Text 2 or 3, even following directions.
Has anyone else tried this with this radio? Is it truly messed up
from the factory, or am I doing something wrong?

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Steve
KI5YG
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1029. FA: Motorola MCS2000 Model III - VHF, 132-174 MHz, 160 channel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 01:27:01 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <v2kv11lost6omc6o5s6gm22a8vnbfihmja@4ax.com>
Source record: 16802

FA: Motorola MCS2000 Model III - VHF, 132-174 MHz, 160 channel
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5754842384

1030. FA: AUDIO DISTRIBUTION BOX-MIXER-CODE PRACTICE AID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 02:47:13 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <fpov1115g6r9khdhvv8uuji7k0olkl3io6@4ax.com>
Source record: 16803

FA: AUDIO DISTRIBUTION BOX-MIXER-CODE PRACTICE AID
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5753917916

1031. PileupBuster.com - Domain Name is For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 05:31:07 UTC
From: erfurth@gmail.com
Message-ID: <36ba001b.0502252131.2c276a6f@posting.google.com>
Source record: 16804

-NOTICE-

The "PileupBuster.com" domain name is For Sale.

For less then the price of an HF rig you can own the ultimate Ham Radio domain name.

The PileupBuster.com domain has immediate name recognition to everyone associated with Ham Radio. Plus, the sales and marketing potential of this name is unlimited.

The minimum offer on this domain is $1,250.00 (US Dollars). The PileupBuster.com domain name will be sold to the person, company or group that makes the highest offer. International offers are welcome.

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If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at: erfurth@gmail.com

Good luck.

73s,

Bill

1032. [for sale] RCA VOLTOMYST WV-77E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 12:33:26 UTC
From: UnTale <io@io.it>
Message-ID: <q0_Td.52258$QG6.939324@twister2.libero.it>
Source record: 16805

RCA VOLTOMYST WV-77E

ohm meter (1Megaohm) AC volt (4000V) and dc volt (positive and negative +-1500V);
with vacuum tube

http://cgi.ebay.it/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5753212656&ssPageName=MERC_VI_ReBay_Pr4_PcNo_BID

1033. Re: IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 15:01:35 UTC
From: behr@muir.math.niu.edu
Message-ID: <cvq30f$g3b$1@news.math.niu.edu>
Source record: 16806

In article <bhev11t0m570tf1ro3rn5148jos9tufcop@4ax.com>,
bart <not@here.com> wrote:
>Have you tried a different mike on the same rig?
>Might be a cable/shield problem, loose connection or a fubar'd
>element. (it's usually a fubar'd cable)

Yes, that signal shows up with 3 different mikes, or with no mike
plugged in at all... It's definitely from the radio. Thanks - E.

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Eric Behr | NIU Mathematical Sciences | (815) 753 6727
behr@math.niu.edu | http://www.math.niu.edu/~behr/ | fax: 753 1112

1034. Re: IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 15:20:10 UTC
From: bart <not@here.com>
Message-ID: <co41219630cikcshs3qikmfurh7dbg5ckv@4ax.com>
Source record: 16807

Hmm, strange.
Try tracing it through the schematic?
manuals here;
http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=icom
http://www.marcucci.it/english/download/
(you have to use IE to D/L)
there's an article on the DDS here..I'm not sure if it's related at
all;
http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=257

On 26 Feb 2005 15:01:35 GMT, behr@muir.math.niu.edu (Eric Behr) wrote:

>In article <bhev11t0m570tf1ro3rn5148jos9tufcop@4ax.com>,
>bart <not@here.com> wrote:
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>>element. (it's usually a fubar'd cable)
>
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>plugged in at all... It's definitely from the radio. Thanks - E.

1035. FA: Hallicrafters R-47 SPKR, ASTATIC G stand!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 15:38:10 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <7T0Ud.24335$CV.18976@fe08.lga>
Source record: 16808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Here is the Entire list, you'll no doubt find something here you'd like to own:-)
Enjoy!
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1036. FA: Signal Electric SOUNDER & HUSTLER CB Ant!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 15:39:21 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <eU0Ud.24345$1Z.10874@fe08.lga>
Source record: 16809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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Enjoy!
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1037. FA: AS MON-8 SCANNER BASE ANT, KENWOOD CHARGER & BATT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 15:40:31 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <lV0Ud.24346$3%.1587@fe08.lga>
Source record: 16810

Here is the Entire list, you'll no doubt find something here you'd like to own:-)
Enjoy!
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1038. FA: COLLINS R-390A JAN tubes & Shields

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 15:41:39 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <oW0Ud.24348$801.11923@fe08.lga>
Source record: 16811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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1039. FA: RARE EUREKA BECON AN/PPN-1A SUPPLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 15:51:51 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Y31Ud.24465$E71.20776@fe08.lga>
Source record: 16812
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

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1040. Re: IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 16:23:13 UTC
From: behr@muir.math.niu.edu
Message-ID: <cvq7ph$fi8$1@news.math.niu.edu>
Source record: 16813

In article <co41219630cikcshs3qikmfurh7dbg5ckv@4ax.com>,
bart <not@here.com> wrote:
>Hmm, strange.
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>http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=icom
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>(you have to use IE to D/L)
>there's an article on the DDS here..I'm not sure if it's related at
>all;
>http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=257

Thanks again, I'll be poring over the diagram.

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1041. Re: probs with Yaesu FT-857 beacon/keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 16:35:06 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <Pw1Ud.2831$Hs.1838@okepread04>
Source record: 16814

"Stephen Cowell" <scowell@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:E8QTd.57449$iC4.10421@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
>I was reading a review of my radio and was suprised to see that
> the beacon feature could be used as a 3-message contest keyer...
> I have since found that this is not the case, at least as far as my
> skills have taken me. The manual is not a lot of help... I can never
> get access to Beacon Text 2 or 3, even following directions.
> Has anyone else tried this with this radio? Is it truly messed up
> from the factory, or am I doing something wrong?
> __
> Steve
> KI5YG
> .

Once you've pulled up menu #11, "Beacon Text", use the
main tuning knob to select text 1, 2 or 3.

If that dosen't work, join our group of nearly 2,000 FT-857
owners for more help.

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/FT-857

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73's es gd dx de Ken KG WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

1042. Re: IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 16:39:40 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <rc912190m897olf3lvdp3bhp6fi9nk8ld3@4ax.com>
Source record: 16815

On 25 Feb 2005 17:33:59 GMT, behr@muir.math.niu.edu (Eric Behr) wrote:

>I'm struggling with poor TX audio quality on my Icom 736, bought
>used several months ago. The mikes I use (an included HM-35, a
>homebrewed preamped mike, a Radio Shack amplified mike) all get
>reports of audio with no lows, pinched, not terrible but worse
>than from other similar radios (e.g. an IC 735 with the same HM).
>It might be good for pileups, but it's uncomfortable for normal
>ragchewing.
>
>I've read a lot about insufficient mike gain in older Icoms, and
>about the possibility of plugging into the acc socket in the back.
>But I'd like to first determine whether my mike circuitry might
>have a problem.
>
>I put a scope on the mic in and mic gnd pins of the connector,
>and on top of the normal 7 or so V DC (for electret biasing) I
>see an almost 1 V p-p sine wave, about 110 kHz, and very "noisy".
>The trace gets clean and sharp after shunting the mic ground to
>the regular chassis ground with a 10 nF cap. It's there whether
>the mike is plugged in or not, and whether the radio is receiving
>or transmitting.
>
>This high frequency signal should not interfere with the audio,
>but who knows. It might also indicate some other problem, e.g.
>the built-in switching supply bleeding noise into the rest of
>the radio.
>
>I haven't noticed any other glitches with this rig whatsoever. I
>do not have any excessive birdies from the PS. So I'm looking for
>ideas/opinions. Ideally, some kind OM with a 736 might be able to
>see whether his has that strange signal on the mic input too, in
>which case I could rest assured that it isn't unique to my radio.
>
>Thanks a lot in advance for any hints or advice. 73, KC9DUX

If you haven't already, you might check Heil's page on Icom mikes:

http://www.heilsound.com/amateur/icom_fix.htm

(or just e-mail 'em direct)

bob
k5qwg

1043. 6 meter wire antenna for sale cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 17:47:24 UTC
From: KC8QJP KATHY LEE <N8WWM@ARRL.NET>
Message-ID: <jed121hf5hus3cptqilhi2vpaqvk0rmmi7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice antenna, designed after the UKSMG design that
I
"borrowed" (tee hee) from GW0WFH.

http://www.uksmg.org/longwire.htm

This is a great working antenna, with 12dB
measured gain over a dipole. It isnt a beam, but
it sure is better than a dipole!

$150.00 plus $6.50 shipping in lower 48 states.

Email N8WWM@arrl.net for more information and
photos. I'll take paypal, a check, money order,
whatever.

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Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
More than 120,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

1044. Re: 6 meter wire antenna for sale cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 18:17:37 UTC
From: Hillbilly Slayer <me@home.net>
Message-ID: <533Ud.210$WL3.9@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 16817
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"KC8QJP KATHY LEE" <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote in message
news:jed121hf5hus3cptqilhi2vpaqvk0rmmi7@4ax.com...
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> This is a great working antenna, with 12dB
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> it sure is better than a dipole!
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> $150.00 plus $6.50 shipping in lower 48 states.
>

$150.00 for a wire antenna?
Wow, THERE is one born every minute.

1045. FA:Greenlee Punches x6 + more stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 18:51:29 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <Ry3Ud.287515$w62.28520@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16818

See this Greenlee punch and the others plus some other 'stuff' at

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, 73 Heytubeguy

1046. FA: Last Day - Original Swan Radio Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 19:31:00 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <O74Ud.30119$%U2.9485@lakeread01>
Source record: 16819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original Swan manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1047. Re: 6 meter wire antenna for sale cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 20:05:42 UTC
From: bob <noone@nowhere.org>
Message-ID: <zD4Ud.62144$Am3.2020432@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

But Catherine Zeta Jones will come to your house and help you put it up!
That's gotta be worth $150...

Hillbilly Slayer wrote:
> "KC8QJP KATHY LEE" <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote in message
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>
>>Nice antenna, designed after the UKSMG design that
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>>http://www.uksmg.org/longwire.htm
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>>This is a great working antenna, with 12dB
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>>it sure is better than a dipole!
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>>
>
>
> $150.00 for a wire antenna?
> Wow, THERE is one born every minute.
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>

1048. Re: IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 21:54:24 UTC
From: behr@muir.math.niu.edu
Message-ID: <cvqr6gtte1@news.math.niu.edu>
Source record: 16821

In article <rc912190m897olf3lvdp3bhp6fi9nk8ld3@4ax.com>,
Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote:
>On 25 Feb 2005 17:33:59 GMT, behr@muir.math.niu.edu (Eric Behr) wrote:
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>>I'm struggling with poor TX audio quality on my Icom 736, bought
>>used several months ago.
>
>If you haven't already, you might check Heil's page on Icom mikes:
>http://www.heilsound.com/amateur/icom_fix.htm
>(or just e-mail 'em direct)

Godd idea, I'll email them. I'd seen their Icom page, but thanks
a bunch anyway.

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1049. Re: IC-736 mic input question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 22:35:16 UTC
From: LPC Wireless <lpcwireless@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <EQ6Ud.91384$pc5.32395@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 16823

Hi Eric

The BFO adjustment for USB & LSB is out of alignment. This determined the carrier point and the SSB
Audio frequency response. Check your owners manual it will tell you how to align it. I have repaired
many. That's your problem with the radio !!

73 John

1050. !Re: probs with Yaesu FT-857 beacon/keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 23:00:34 UTC
From: Stephen Cowell <scowell@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <mc7Ud.57611$iC4.37886@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16822

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:Pw1Ud.2831$Hs.1838@okepread04...
> "Stephen Cowell" <scowell@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
> news:E8QTd.57449$iC4.10421@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
> >I was reading a review of my radio and was suprised to see that
> > the beacon feature could be used as a 3-message contest keyer...
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> > Steve
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> Once you've pulled up menu #11, "Beacon Text", use the
> main tuning knob to select text 1, 2 or 3.
>
> If that dosen't work, join our group of nearly 2,000 FT-857
> owners for more help.
>
> http://groups.yahoo.com/group/FT-857

Worked like a charm, Ken.... tnx es 73!

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Steve
KI5YG
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1051. Re: 6 meter wire antenna for sale cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-26 23:45:23 UTC
From: Hillbilly Slayer <me@home.net>
Message-ID: <nS7Ud.16269$Sa6.11945@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 16824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For $150.00 she better get more than the antenna up!

"That's funny right there, I don't care who you are."

"bob" <noone@nowhere.org> wrote in message
news:zD4Ud.62144$Am3.2020432@news20.bellglobal.com...
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>> $150.00 for a wire antenna?
>> Wow, THERE is one born every minute.

1052. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 01:01:20 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <38ckf1F5mtud7U1@individual.net>
Source record: 16825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

Icom 02AT with wall wart.
Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery $ 65

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Scsii CD changer.
No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

1053. FS Astron and Kenwood Power Supplies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 01:09:59 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <A59Ud.93358$GT.92394@okepread01>
Source record: 16826

I have for sale a couple of nice power supplies. An Astron SS-25M Switching Power Supply for $95 and a Kenwood PS-53 Power Supply for $165. I pay shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

1054. FS HTX10 NIB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 01:14:02 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <m99Ud.93360$GT.38561@okepread01>
Source record: 16827

I have a brand new in the box, never used, Radio Shack HTX-10 10 Meter
Mobile Transceiver. This rig runs 25 watts output on SSB and FM.
Digital Display. Price is $75. Thanks, Charlie Hugg. K5MBX

1055. Re: 6 meter wire antenna for sale cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 01:19:01 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing310b@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Jp9Ud.6756$dG6.5824@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Be nice

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1056. ft 990 cat control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 01:42:41 UTC
From: denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <11229cadjp2ehaf@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16829

Is there a way to run cat control for a FT 990 without getting the FIF-232C
CAT System Interface...thanks in advance.

1057. Which will be better TS 570 or TS 480

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 10:33:34 UTC
From: SQ8JQY <tradeark@o2.pl>
Message-ID: <cvs7ubfqb1@nemesis.news.tpi.pl>
Source record: 16830

Which radio will be better for HF use. Your opinions and how you feel
about these transceivers.

1058. Heil Handi-mic - which cartridge?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 13:46:43 UTC
From: DL7JSK <truckdrivingman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <cvsivu$8uq$01$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 16831

Hi all
I'll buy a Handi-mic soon,but I'm not sure,which cartridge will sound best on my IC-718: HC4,HC5 or the one especially for Icom rigs.Anybody around who knows more?

73
Tom

1059. FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 19:02:09 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns960A707E859C7spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 16832

I am contemplating the purchase of a new dual band HT. I have narrowed my decision to either the Yaesu FT-60 or the Kenwood TH-G71.

I would be interested to hear your views on the two, to help me decide. Thanks.

Ed

PS: Does the FT-60 have computer programming capability?

1060. Re: Need some assistance with Yaesu FT416

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-27 21:38:51 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <e4f4219c5cils0curedv1bn934mlko20ar@4ax.com>
Source record: 16833

On 22 Feb 2005 18:05:58 -0800, "gmiller" <corpcoastfan@yahoo.com>
wrote:

>Hi all,
>
>Hoping someone can help me get out of this noisy mess I'm in with my
>Yaesu ft-416 handheld.
>
>Seems the squelch is constantly staying open - the knob has no effect.
>I figure I managed to hit some key combination inadvertently, as it's
>got tons of hidden little functions, etc. The reset trick (MR + VFO +
>2) has no effect either.
>
>Thanks for any help you can send my confused way.
>
>73,
>Gary

I recently had the same problem on an older Icom dual-bander mobile
rig -- the repairman replaced the potentiometer (the variable
resistor) the squelch knob was attached to.

If all else fails -- if it isn't any of the rig's software programming
functions -- it may be the little pot the knob is operating.

(Of course, you've made sure the knob is screwed tightly to the
pot...)

bob
k5qwg

1061. FA DRAKE L-4B HF LINEAR AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 00:45:12 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <VLtUd.15027$Q47.10542@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16834

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5755578412

1062. Re: Drake UV-3 questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 02:21:27 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <jdqdnX76D9e_Hb_fRVn-jA@comcast.com>
Source record: 16835

Hey guys,
I just got a new to me UV-3.
The radio has some minor issues and I need to talk to someone that knows the radio.
There is a little board, just to the left of the Phase Detector / Reference board
One of the wires are off.
Can anyone help me?

--
Warm Regards, Frank
Frank Krozel, Technical Representative,
Electronic Instrument Associates Central, Inc.
Website: http://www.electronicinstrument.com
Voice: 630-924-1600 Fax: 630-477-0321 (new)
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1063. FA: Ten-Tec Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 03:18:08 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <I3wUd.35491$%U2.6776@lakeread01>
Source record: 16836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original Ten-Tec and other manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1064. Sign up for a great free science e-newsletter!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 04:06:52 UTC
From: neutrino750@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1109563612.282109.236680@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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anytime simply by replying to a newsletter
email and typing "unsubscribe" in the subject
line.

Below is a sample newsletter. It doesn't
contain the full story links because we're not
allowed to provide them here, but the real
newsletter will contain working links.

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LAST WEEK'S WORLD SCIENCE EMAIL
NEWSLETTER

* Possible dinosaur-bird missing link found:
It's not the first bird-like dinosaur ever found --
but it is the closest yet found to the actual
dinosaur ancestor of birds, researchers say.

Click here for full story (link will work in the real newsletter)

* Science in Images - A more life-friendly Mars:
Most Mars photos show a rocky, dry-looking land-
scape. This is another view: an area of the planet
that researchers think might have once been
habitable. They plan to explore further.

Click here for full story (link will work in the real newsletter)

* Another record: biggest blast ever in our
galaxy:
The most powerful explosion in our galaxy ever
recorded occurred recently when an exotic star's
magnetic field snapped, astronomers say.

Click here for full story (link will work in the real newsletter)

* New robots walk nearly like humans:
An older robot does it too, but it used 10 times as
much energy as humans do, researchers say; that is
changing.

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* Brain doesn't have universal language rules,
researchers claim:
Some researchers argue that language is more like
a creation of itself than a creation of our brains.

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1065. Re: Which will be better TS 570 or TS 480

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 05:31:43 UTC
From: Kevin & Natalia <sparc_man@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4222a770$1@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 16838

It will most likely depend on what you want to use the radio for, mobile, or desk (with a little portability)
The TS-570 will take up a good amount of room within your vehicle. In most cases it is not suitable for most of today's vehicles. I have a TS-450, and it does not fit very well in my Toyota Landcruiser, and it's got some spare. The TS-480 however will fit nicely. It also has a remote face (standard), which allows you to fit the main unit else where in the vehicle. In my view a much better radio for mobile use. I am running one for this main purpose.

They each have there own positives and negatives, it will all depend on your end use. Over all they both will do what any ham will want to do, talk around the world.
Power, and features are about the same.

I would suggest that you go to www.kenwood.net and download the manuals for both, and compare.

Best of luck.

Kevin, ZL1KFM.

"SQ8JQY" <tradeark@o2.pl> wrote in message
news:cvs7ubfqb1@nemesis.news.tpi.pl...
> Which radio will be better for HF use. Your opinions and how you feel
> about these transceivers.
>
>

1066. WTB:HOMEBREW 2 METER TUBE AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 06:39:45 UTC
From: KC0EH <cvest@cox.net>
Message-ID: <R0zUd.18708$yr.7543@okepread05>
Source record: 16839
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Looking for a homebrew tube type 2 meter amplifier. Prefer one that uses the 4(X)CX 150 or 250 series of tubes. No power supply needed.Will consider projects.

...Charlie...KC0EH...

1067. Re: WTB:HOMEBREW 2 METER TUBE AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 13:22:36 UTC
From: whoever <whoever@wherever>
Message-ID: <lKWdnVaG-paFhr7fRVn-2g@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16840
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Not homebrew but you might want to look at it?

-------- Original Message --------
Subject: [Amps] FS:DENTRON CLIPPERTON V 2meter amp- JUNK!!!!!
Date: Sun, 27 Feb 2005 13:48:40 EST
From: JimMoci at aol dot com
To: amps@contesting.com

I have for sale a Dentron Clipperton V 2 meter amplifier rated @ 500 watts input with a 4CX250B. It is in pretty good cosmetic shape except for a small
ding in the left corners. As far as working condition goes it does work but I
think this amp is a piece of junk! (Hey I am honest) It has an LC tank circuit-
it is not a stripline design like it probably should be @ 2 meters. It runs awfully hot and has a severly under sized blower. The tank circuit is under sized and runs very hot- so hot that it melted the solder running 200 watts FM. At
300 watts out it runs fine on SSB but I think it is still way to hot. These junkers are going for $600-700 on Ebay. Why? I dont know why but my guess would
be a solid state 300watt amp is $700 and you still need an Astron RS70 to run
it. I think it would be fine if someone installed a much larger blower but that would require hacking the cabinet which would ruin the collectability of
the amp. At least it would be functional and reliable then. Better yet would be
to convert it to stripline- there is enough room with some cabinet work and hacking. It would also be an excellent candidate for a six meter conversion where a conventional tank design is usable with a 4CX250B. I would like to sell
this Denny Dentron junker -boatanchor for $550 to someone who can appreciate it
for what it is!! :)
Thanks & 73, Jim W3ATV

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Amps mailing list
Amps@contesting.com
http://lists.contesting.com/mailman/listinfo/amps

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1068. Re: WTB:HOMEBREW 2 METER TUBE AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 15:43:59 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <38gshvF5nk1kcU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16841
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

It is a good amp, if you use it to its rated output.
The 4cx250b is only rated for 250w plate output. Trying to get more from
that tube will shorten life, and produce much more heat.
I have used that amp running at 150w out and it just gets warm, and it
is solid performer.

Bob N9LVU

whoever wrote:
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1069. WTD: ROLLER INDUCTORS, VACUUM VARIABLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 15:56:29 UTC
From: dt <spammenot@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7pf621tgoetrbsr8sspb44kvdrc3jbiajv@4ax.com>
Source record: 16842

WTD: ROLLER INDUCTORS, VACUUM VARIABLE

Wanted for tuner project:

Pair of matched roller inductors, min. 18-28 uH, #12 AWG or larger

Vacuum variable, min. 500-1000 pF, 5KV

Please advise your sell price or will trade for ????

Please reply to

" k0dan @ arrl . net " <--- remove spaces

73
Dan

1070. FA: AUDIO DISTRIBUTION BOX-MIXER-CODE PRACTICE AID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 17:37:15 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <9ml62155vmoakl95tba86qfehog532mf5q@4ax.com>
Source record: 16843

FA: AUDIO DISTRIBUTION BOX-MIXER-CODE PRACTICE AID
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1071. FA:HRO-5A1, HFS Orig Manuals + more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 19:45:11 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <bxKUd.299909$w62.130132@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

See at :

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking: heytubeguy

1072. FA: MOTOROLA CONVERTA-COM MOBILE CONSOLE F/ STX PORTABLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 20:15:00 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <ttu621hat25tpevhmtfm7g3vu6sd53em1f@4ax.com>
Source record: 16845

FA: MOTOROLA CONVERTA-COM MOBILE CONSOLE F/ STX PORTABLE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5755790682

1073. FA: MOTOROLA GTX/LTS ACCESSORY PLUG CLAMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 20:18:38 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <o4v621hji17op5fcr51mtse3l5r1fgsd7t@4ax.com>
Source record: 16846

FA: MOTOROLA GTX/LTS ACCESSORY PLUG CLAMP
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5755812874

1074. Re: Which will be better TS 570 or TS 480

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-02-28 21:13:12 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <1109625192.160847.317160@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16847

SQ8JQY wrote:
> Which radio will be better for HF use. Your opinions and how you feel
> about these transceivers.

Compare the user reviews of both.

http://www.eham.net/reviews/products/14

w3rv

1075. FA: Radio related equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 03:59:12 UTC
From: cowboy67 <cowboy67@casscomm.com>
Message-ID: <1109649552.429890.179430@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16748

Vintage Tristar citizen band CB microphone Item number: 5755399790

Vintage Johnson Messenger 223 Item number: 5755380086

Vintage Delco GM CB microphone Item number: 5755398878

Sonetronics H-250/U military handset microphone Item number: 5755395927

Simpson Multimeter Model 260-AFP-1 Manual Item number: 3877780970

Shure International microphone model CM 4U Item number: 5755397109

Lot of Vacuum Tubes all kinds check it out Item number: 5755359354

Lorch Electronics Coaxial Crystal Mixer Item number: 3877971968

2 Meter Ramsey Electronics kit amplifier & manual Item number: 5755379146

1076. FA: Radio related equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 04:00:11 UTC
From: cowboy67 <cowboy67@casscomm.com>
Message-ID: <1109649611.011405.22230@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16749

Vintage Tristar citizen band CB microphone Item number: 5755399790

Vintage Johnson Messenger 223 Item number: 5755380086

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2 Meter Ramsey Electronics kit amplifier & manual Item number: 5755379146

1077. FA - Drake Low pass filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 04:13:09 UTC
From: thecop <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <s2SUd.5574$1w6.3399@fe12.lga>
Source record: 16750

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1078. recovering a factory set repeater split on a Yaesu VX-5R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 05:29:17 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <N4TUd.531015$Xk.365232@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16751

I've read the manual and online resources about repeaters and it doesn't give me the answers I'm looking for.
This HT is billed as having a 'dual VFO'. I assume 'VFO' means Variable Frequency Oscillator (although the manual doesn't spell it out). I think basically this means that it can reference and increment and decrement 2 frequencies seperately, so that it can do stuff like operate on one channel while scanning other channels in the background and stuff like that. Also, I think having dual VFO enables it to use repeaters that use 2 frequencies (uplink and Tx) because obviously a repeater can't transmit on the same frequency that it's listening on, because it would just amplify itself.
The manual for this HT says that there are 6 frequency bands that are designated for use by repeaters in North America:
145.1-145.5 (uplink frq is 600k down),
145.6-145.8 (uplink frq is 600k down),
146.0-146.4 (uplink frq is 600k up),
146.6-147.0 (uplink frq is 600k down),
147.0-147.4 (uplink frq is 600k up),
147.6-148.0 (uplink frq is 600k down)
and the manual says that the HT is pre-programmed, at the factory, with these split-frequencies and they are activated by turning the 'Auto Repeater Shift' (ARS) function on.
All of the repeater bands are properly set, with the correct, 600k, split (up or down as the case may be) --- except for 145.6 to 145.8 which is simply not there, and when tuned to this band the unit operates in simplex mode even with ARS turned on. All of the other repeater-designated bands (when ARS is turned on) show the split frequency icon and operate in the proper split frequency mode when tuned to those other designated repeater bands.
When I tune to the 'missing' repeater band and put in a split, it doesn't 'stick', as soon as I tune away and come back it is gone. I've read the entire manual and I can't see any way to set a repeater split over a range of frequencies. I can program single 'odd split' frequencies as laid out on pg 42 of the manual, but that consumes 2 memory channels, works only for a single dual frequency, and to do the whole (145.6 to 145.8) band would consume all my memory slots. If both VFO A and VFO B are tuned to the same band I can 'link' them together and tuning one up or down moves the other up or down also, but this is obviously meant to be temporary because this setting disappears as soon as one of the VFOs is tuned outside of the band.
So my question is: how can I recover the 'missing' repeater-set band(145.6mhz to 145.8mhz), which is supposed to be factory set to a negative (repeater uplinks on a frequency less than it transmits on), 600khz split?

1079. FA: TWO(2) BRAND-NEW 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES-China Nice Deal!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:28:35 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ea%Ud.10543$w%1.6482@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16752
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1080. FA: ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A RF S METER-M102+cover/screws:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:29:38 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Db%Ud.10544$v%1.8345@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16753
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e=WDVW

1081. FA: ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A ANTENNA RELAY W/screws NEED 1?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:30:47 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ic%Ud.10545$E02.5004@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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e=WDVW

1082. FA: $15>NICE HEATHKIT HM-102 SWR/WATTMETER, 2KW, REMOTE-ABLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:31:53 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Kd%Ud.10546$_02.7329@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48701&item=5754886527&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1083. FA: DRAKE 2B 100kc. CRYSTAL CALIBRATOR 2-AC for DRAKE 2A 2C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:32:47 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ae%Ud.10547$822.9237@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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e=WDVW

1084. FA: DENTRON 80-10AT LONG WIRE ANTENNA TUNER-CERAMIC PARTS:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:33:43 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <sf%Ud.10548$702.8422@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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1085. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:34:37 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ig%Ud.10549$_s7.2951@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5754886604&rd=1&ssPageNam
e=WDVW

1086. FA: BEAUTIFUL TRIONYX TR-1000 FREQUENCY COUNTER 600MHZ-

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:35:28 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <5h%Ud.10550$V22.7264@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48696&item=5754886616&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1087. FA: BEAUTIFUL NRI PROFESSIONAL model 11 VTVM w/PROBES NEAT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 14:36:30 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <3i%Ud.10551$832.7052@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16759
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=58277&item=3877552915&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1088. Wanted: 706 mk2G control head & mic.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 15:44:51 UTC
From: Jerry Reed <jreed123@cox.net>
Message-ID: <U50Vd.2107$Ke.1317@fed1read03>
Source record: 16761

My control Icom 706 mk2G control head & mic were stolen from my truck.
If you have a defective radio and would like to sell the control head
and mic, I would be interested.
73 Jerry W5RCQ

1089. Re: What equip to buy?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-01 17:49:44 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d02a0a$1suv$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16762

I'm happy with my TS2000x. I normally run it from either the shack or remotely at the office from a laptop. I have extended a mic and speaker there. It actually allows me to make adjustments from either point, as all of the controls make software adjustments. Vol, Sq, whatever, it doesn't matter. If I touch the remote control it takes over control. If I touch the face control, it takes over. So you can have the radio mounted in the back at a comfortable position with a Multi-mode controller and keyer, and a control head up front. I have not tried dual control like that with the remote head though, but it controls from a dedicated RJ45 serial port alongside the RS232C PC port. I have used the radio mounted up front in the van from a laptop back in the trailer, but not for CW.

Oddly enough, there is only one transmitter active at a time, although it has a main and sub-band. But if you have packet or pactor on one band unit, you can still operate on the other band, as the TNC will wait until you are finished talking before sending a packet on the other band. Just the ticket for APRS on the road. It has a built in packet TNC for DX cluster, and it is usable as a packet station but I have never used it as I had a PK232mbx from the start.

The only drawback is 2.6 amps in RX Squelched! This seems high for a rig on batteries, but it is great for a coach with either Solar or autostart generator. I suspect the DSP and controllers are always active and this will be the norm for most new rigs with bells and whistles. It brings air in from under the front panel and out the rear around the cables and all heat sinking is internal. Because of this, the fan will kick on even in RX.

<kelly@dvol.com> wrote in message
news:1109276389.546407.103220@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>
> Gary S. wrote:
> > On 24 Feb 2005 07:41:40 -0800, kelly@dvol.com wrote:
> >
> > >me@privacy.net wrote:
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> > >>
> > >It's larger than the current crop of very popular mobile xcvrs
like
> the
> > >IC-706 which were designed for underdash installations. But RVs
are
> > >usually not as cramped for installation space as are cars &

small
> > >trucks so an FT-847 would likely "fit"OK. The major advantages
of
> the
> >
> > In an RV installation, there may not be sufficient air
circulation
> > around the rig.
>
> Depends on how/where the equipment is installed.
>
> > It would also makes sense to add extra cooling fans for the space
> > where all this is installed, essentially the way that rack
mounted
> > electronics have a second level of cooling fans beyond what what
each
> > component has.
>
> If xcvrs are installed in open-air spaces like under dashes or on
> desktops, which is usually the case with ham rigs in RVs there
> shouldn't be any particular need for additional fans. My 847
internal
> fan very seldom kicks in when the rig is used on a desktop even
when
> running high duty cycle CW and I don't see why the fan would run
any
> more in an underdash installation. But stuff any 100W xcvr into
some
> close-fitting blind cubbyhole there better be a second fan which
forces
> air through the cubbyhole "or else".
>
> > You cannot run electronics too cool.
>
> I could not agree more - but within common sense limits.
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>
> > Happy trails,
> > Gary (net.yogi.bear)
> > --
> > At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence
> >
> > Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
> > Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom
>
> w3rv
>

1090. WTB: IFR 1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-02 22:24:08 UTC
From: wa8cdu@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <p5fc21lb9pk71qoc69cvth9burtm74l5sm@4ax.com>
Source record: 16763

I am looking to buy a used IFR 1200 Communication Analyzer. Please send price, condition, etc.

Thanks

Bill

1091. Re: WTB: IFR 1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 01:26:21 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c900795a94cf5239896e1@localhost>
Source record: 16764

In article <p5fc21lb9pk71qoc69cvth9burtm74l5sm@4ax.com>,
wa8cdu@sbcglobal.net says...

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> Thanks
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> Bill

Ebay is your friend. So are ham radio swap meets.

Happy hunting.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

1092. WTB: M57788MR UHF power module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 02:04:24 UTC
From: svr-wx@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1109815464.347433.323000@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16765

Howdy!

I'm in need of a M57788MR UHF power module for a Yaesu FT-8500. I have seen a few for sale in the archives. Hopefully one is still available.

Thanks!

Bruce
n5wra

1093. FA: LAFAYETTE HA-460, 6 METER RADIO **NICE**

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 03:07:56 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing310b@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <NhvVd.6724$DF.2140@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16766

Take a look if you like...

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5755512325

73

1094. Re: WTB: M57788MR UHF power module

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 03:33:09 UTC
From: W2RAC <rcook558@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <m71d2198ekpmb330081vnlmmk23napnsp3@4ax.com>
Source record: 16769

www.rfparts.com

On 2 Mar 2005 18:04:24 -0800, svr-wx@sbcglobal.net wrote:

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1095. yaesu MH-34 mic, can someone tell me what the receptacle's for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 03:45:28 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <sLvVd.559635$8l.235616@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 16767

I just bought a Yaesu VX5R and the seller included an MH-34 clip-on microphone. On the under-side of this clip-on mic is a receptacle for a jack, and I don't know what it's for --- can someone tell me what the receptacle's for?

1096. Re: yaesu MH-34 mic, can someone tell me what the receptacle's for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 03:50:39 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <4226898F.6040205@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 16768

It is an earphone jack. I use it at fests, with the mike close to my
chin on a pouch strap.

Bob N9LVU

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1097. Re: yaesu MH-34 mic, can someone tell me what the receptacle's for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 04:07:54 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <u4wVd.560436$6l.300543@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16770

if you plug in an earphone, does it mute it's speaker?

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:4226898F.6040205@sbcglobal.net...
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1098. Re: yaesu MH-34 mic, can someone tell me what the receptacle's for?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 04:32:40 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <2o4d21luk1gk5vqao78p1ortmftaolut56@4ax.com>
Source record: 16771

On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 04:07:54 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>if you plug in an earphone, does it mute it's speaker?
>
Yes.

I use the combo when there is a lot of background noise where I am,
and need to hear the radio.

Happy trails,
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
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1099. Thanks.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 04:45:05 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <lDwVd.559920$8l.468883@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 16772

Thanks.

"Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net> wrote in message
news:2o4d21luk1gk5vqao78p1ortmftaolut56@4ax.com...
> On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 04:07:54 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:
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1100. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 15:40:42 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <pube21ldv52qo24ei6iagaur2l7f7ierop@4ax.com>
Source record: 16773

On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 15:15:32 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

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It's an HF 5 band trap vertical for 80,40,20,15, and 10 meters. It's
a ham antenna.

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

1101. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 15:56:18 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <CsGVd.563459$Xk.174260@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16774

Thanks Buck. You sound like you know what you're talking about. I never noticed how many of these ham antennas there are until I got into amateur radio and started looking around (I don't have my callsign yet, I'm still waiting for my test results to be processed). There's almost one every couple blocks!
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1102. kensung/kinton 3118 radio question audioble beep and ct tone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 16:22:27 UTC
From: jonny <jonmac52@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1109866947.575969.272470@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16775

Hi, Please could somebody tell me how to disable the audioble Beep and also could somebody tell me what CT Code is and the R and L. Many Thanks, Jonathan Machon

1103. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 16:26:28 UTC
From: KC8QJP KATHY LEE <N8WWM@ARRL.NET>
Message-ID: <akee21hhj4bn8jer7vfj7lccvg8qv9a2h0@4ax.com>
Source record: 16776

Knock on my door and I'll slap you in the cum
catcher!

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<cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

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1104. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 17:22:59 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <TJHVd.563585$Xk.381969@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16777

Fear not, my gracious lady --- I am several thousand miles distant, in a
far-away foreign land where amateur radio enthusiasts who have never met
before have an exceedingly bizarre custom of responding to each other in a
civil (and sometimes even, gasp, friendly) manner.
Is Toledo like some kind of urban hell where you're besieged by degenerate
crack-zombies, or something?

"KC8QJP KATHY LEE" <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote in message
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1105. radio-signal transmitting device that activates remote control, dog-punishment collars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 17:36:15 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <jWHVd.564250$8I.322987@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 16778

I have a friend who hates dogs (was badly mauled as a child I think) and is building a radio-signal transmitting device that activates those electric, remote control, dog-punishment collars, and sets the voltage way high, too (some have more than one power setting). Even though there are multiple models, they all work on the same frequency (he says) and the transmitter he's building will work in conjunction with a 1000watt (pep) amp through an antenna that is mounted high on a mountain with the main lobe aimed at a nearby city of 2 million.
I don't know what to think about this guy. Is it possible for this thing to work at all? Then he says he has plans to beef up the amplifier and shock dogs all over the eastern seaboard.
Not a joke.

1106. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 17:40:57 UTC
From: KC8QJP KATHY LEE <N8WWM@ARRL.NET>
Message-ID: <svie21tpt96b6pgdtfck8cd8o8aqi2tipf@4ax.com>
Source record: 16779

We send our used condoms to Vancouver for you to
use as chewing gum.

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1107. Re: FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 17:55:48 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@TheObvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <emje215j7rrg6p7c1ddludl50bame26bco@4ax.com>
Source record: 16780

On Sun, 27 Feb 2005 19:02:09 GMT, Ed
<Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:

>
>
> I am contemplating the purchase of a new dual band HT. I have
>narrowed my decision to either the Yaesu FT-60 or the Kenwood TH-G71.
>
> I would be interested to hear your views on the two, to help me
>decide. Thanks.

The Kenwood is a bit larger, IIRC, 200 channels, can do 6W VHF, 5 UHF
with 13.8V. Frequency range for RX seems about the same - no, I take
that back, the Yaesu has 200 mhz. The Yaesu has 1000 channels. I just
picked up the 60 yesterday, too soon to make a decision / expert
opinion.

> PS: Does the FT-60 have computer programming capability?

Yes.
--
To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1108. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 18:16:07 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <ssje21dgsd754unuu473rmf4ru0ld6ka2r@4ax.com>
Source record: 16781

On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 15:56:18 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

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>
Either the FCC database for the US, or the ARRL lookup, or the QRZ
database, will allow you to sort by town or postal code. Our radio
club had gotten an address list of all of the licensed hams in the
several nearby communities.

Joining a local radio club may also help.

Happy trails,
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

1109. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 18:26:51 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <1ile2113t290dhlga8gtthbmk5g6mv3kks@4ax.com>
Source record: 16782

There is, but I can't find it right now. I think it's buried
somewhere in the FCC. You can enter a location and ask it to give you
every license with X miles. Can't remember if it only gives ham
licenses or not. I used it one time to make a list of all hams within
a couple of miles of my house. I'll do some more looking.

Dick - W6CCD

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>asking if there is an entry for a certain address? Or is it just by name or
>callsign? The one page I found for doing lookups only takes callsigns and
>names.

1110. Re: radio-signal transmitting device that activates remote control, dog-punishment collars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 19:02:44 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <38p5amF5ramvgU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16783

"tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote in message
news:jWHVd.564250$8l.322987@pd7tw1no...
>I have a friend who hates dogs (was badly mauled as a child I think) and is
>building a radio-signal transmitting device that activates those electric,
>remote control, dog-punishment collars, and sets the voltage way high, too
>(some have more than one power setting). Even though there are multiple
>models, they all work on the same frequency (he says) and the transmitter
>he's building will work in conjunction with a 1000watt (pep) amp through an
>antenna that is mounted high on a mountain with the main lobe aimed at a
>nearby city of 2 million.
> I don't know what to think about this guy. Is it possible for this thing
> to work at all?

No.

Then he says he has plans to beef up the amplifier and shock
> dogs all over the eastern seaboard.
> Not a joke.
>
No, more likely a troll.

1111. Re: radio-signal transmitting device that activates remote control, dog-punishment collars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 19:31:38 UTC
From: toxie <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <38p70kF5fd5jfU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16784

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> building a radio-signal transmitting device that activates those electric,
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an
> antenna that is mounted high on a mountain with the main lobe aimed at a
> nearby city of 2 million.
> I don't know what to think about this guy. Is it possible for this thing
to
> work at all?

Yes, but Who is going to put all thoes dog collers on the dogs?

(you can buy this stuff already on-line)

>Then he says he has plans to beef up the amplifier and shock
> dogs all over the eastern seaboard.
> Not a joke.

He will have to put on 150 million more collars, each would take 10 min, how
many years is that anyway.
Easier to shoot the dog with a bullet, cheaper too.

1112. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 20:16:49 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <RgKVd.565053$8l.187483@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 16785

Thanks, Dick, but I guess I should have mentioned that this location is in
Canada, sorry.
I looked at the FCC site too, but I could only find a way to do lookups
using names or callsigns, no lookups using addresses, like the Industry
Canada site.

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:1ile2113t290dhlga8gtthbmk5g6mv3kks@4ax.com...
> There is, but I can't find it right now. I think it's buried
> somewhere in the FCC. You can enter a location and ask it to give you
> every license with X miles. Can't remember if it only gives ham
> licenses or not. I used it one time to make a list of all hams within
> a couple of miles of my house. I'll do some more looking.
>
> Dick - W6CCD
>
> On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 15:56:18 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:
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>>Thanks Buck. You sound like you know what you're talking about. I never
>>noticed how many of these ham antennas there are until I got into amateur
>>radio and started looking around (I don't have my callsign yet, I'm still
>>waiting for my test results to be processed). There's almost one every
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>>callsign? The one page I found for doing lookups only takes callsigns and
>>names.
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1113. Re: radio-signal transmitting device that activates remote control, dog-punishment collars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 20:17:28 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <112es6oig3ufgf1@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16786

>I have a friend who hates dogs (was badly mauled as a child I think) and is
>building a radio-signal transmitting device that activates those electric,
>remote control, dog-punishment collars, and sets the voltage way high, too
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>models, they all work on the same frequency (he says) and the transmitter
>he's building will work in conjunction with a 1000watt (pep) amp through an
>antenna that is mounted high on a mountain with the main lobe aimed at a
>nearby city of 2 million.
>I don't know what to think about this guy.

I think he's trying to do something which is more than a bit
ill-considered, as well as nasty, certainly capable of causing pain to
dogs who never did him any harm at all, and possibly capable of
causing innocent people to be hurt (what if a touchy dog goes berserk
as a result of being continually shocked at a high setting, and bites
or otherwise injures someone?).

I think he ought to find a healthier way to deal with his dislike of
dogs. It might save him from having to face a big fine from the FCC,
and lawsuits from dog owners or other injured parties.

> Is it possible for this thing to
>work at all?

Not, I think, in the simplified way you are suggesting that he's
talking about.

For one thing, these devices do not all use the same frequency. I
checked the FCC Part 15 registrations for the remote collar
transmitters sold by Innotek - many of them use 433.92 MHz, but there
are other frequencies used as well (295.0 and 318.0 MHz).

The first of these frequencies is a commonly-used ISM-band frequency
which is used by many license-free devices, including garage door
openers, wireless outdoor thermometers, and so forth. Imagine the
interference he's likely to cause if he tries this stunt!

There are a bunch of other technical problems with what you say he's
suggesting. I won't go into details.

What's more, using this transmitter would be a violation of several
FCC rules and regs even if he has an amateur license (it would be
"broadcasting" which is specifically forbidden). If he doesn't have
an amateur license, more the worse for him!

> Then he says he has plans to beef up the amplifier and shock
>dogs all over the eastern seaboard.

... and if he does that he'd probably exceeding the 1500-watt legal
limit and setting himself up for another violation.

What's more, I think he's greatly underestimating the effective range
of such a system, even with a kilowatt. Those remote training collars
are deliberately designed to have a limited receiver sensitivity, so
that one person's transmitter doesn't zap dogs down the block and so
that they're less likely to be false-triggered by other ISM-band
transmissions. Add to that the fact that 433 MHz signals are very
much on a line-of-sight-plus-reflections basis, and even a kilowatt
isn't going to give him significant coverage out past the radar
horizon.

>Not a joke.

Just a really bad idea, I think.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1114. Re: radio-signal transmitting device that activates remote control, dog-punishment collars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 20:19:41 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <xjKVd.564406$Xk.528949@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16787

Yeah, that's what I thought. Thx.

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
news:112es6oig3ufgf1@corp.supernews.com...
> >I have a friend who hates dogs (was badly mauled as a child I think) and
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>>building a radio-signal transmitting device that activates those electric,
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> causing innocent people to be hurt (what if a touchy dog goes berserk
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> or otherwise injures someone?).
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> and lawsuits from dog owners or other injured parties.
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> Not, I think, in the simplified way you are suggesting that he's
> talking about.
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> transmitters sold by Innotek - many of them use 433.92 MHz, but there
> are other frequencies used as well (295.0 and 318.0 MHz).
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> limit and setting himself up for another violation.
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> much on a line-of-sight-plus-reflections basis, and even a kilowatt
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> horizon.
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>>Not a joke.
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> Just a really bad idea, I think.
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1115. Re: radio-signal transmitting device that activates remote control, dog-punishment collars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 20:20:51 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <DkKVd.565876$6l.369502@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16788

I guess it's supposed to work on the dogs that already have the collars on
them (it's not my system, or even my idea).

"toxie" <nospam@nospam.com> wrote in message
news:38p70kF5fd5jfU1@individual.net...
>
> "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote in message
> news:jWHVd.564250$8l.322987@pd7tw1no...
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>> work at all?
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> Yes, but Who is going to put all thoes dog collers on the dogs?
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> (you can buy this stuff already on-line)
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>> dogs all over the eastern seaboard.
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> He will have to put on 150 million more collars, each would take 10 min,
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> many years is that anyway.
> Easier to shoot the dog with a bullet, cheaper too.
>
>

1116. Re: FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-03 21:52:39 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns960E8D77226D4spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 16789

>
> The Kenwood is a bit larger, IIRC, 200 channels, can do 6W VHF, 5 UHF
> with 13.8V. Frequency range for RX seems about the same - no, I take
> that back, the Yaesu has 200 mhz. The Yaesu has 1000 channels. I just
> picked up the 60 yesterday, too soon to make a decision / expert
> opinion.
>

Please continue more comparison here once you have familiarized
yourself with the new FT-60... Thanks.

Ed

1117. FA: Original Ten-Tec Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 02:23:05 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <lFPVd.38070$%U2.2029@lakeread01>
Source record: 16790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original Ten-Tec and other manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1118. Re: radio-signal transmitting device that activates remote control, dog-punishment collars

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 06:06:27 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c919ac294dee8559896e2@localhost>
Source record: 16791

In article <jWHVd.564250$8l.322987@pd7tw1no>, cyberhun@shaw.ca says...

<snippety>

> I don't know what to think about this guy. Is it possible for this thing to
> work at all? Then he says he has plans to beef up the amplifier and shock
> dogs all over the eastern seaboard.
> Not a joke.

First and foremost: If you truly consider him a "friend," you
should at least try to convince him to seek professional psychiatric
help, post-haste.

Second: Even if this whacko scheme does work (and I doubt it will,
because he'd have to find and successfully duplicate the specific type
of modulation that activates the collar), he's setting himself up for
MAJOR trouble from federal authorities (specifically the FCC).

It doesn't matter if he holds any sort of radio license or not --
If he does as you describe, he will be committing a felony, one that can
land him in federal prison for a minimum of ten years (and with a signal
that strong, he'll be ridiculously easy to DF).

To be perfectly honest, this sounds like the meanderings of a
seriously deranged mind bent on some silly idea of revenge. Whoever this
is really, REALLY needs to seek professional counseling. Quickly.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

1119. Help: 756 Pro ii Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 12:12:09 UTC
From: Steve <inawb@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <iNGdnRDKYZgGzbXfRVn-2Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 16792

Was looking for some suggestions on a Mic for the Icom 756 pro II
I have a Heil HM-10 with the 4 el.

I was using it on a FT-1000 but now need a mic for the IC-756 proII.

Steve

73 Thanks

1120. Re: Does anyone have any experience with the Alinco digital voice units?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 13:58:02 UTC
From: yarbles <dwdfgdio@fdiugds.com>
Message-ID: <4228696b@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 16793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <R4wRd.30978$4I5.1350370@news20.bellglobal.com>,
Phoneguy <phoneguy99@sympatico.ca> wrote:

> Are they good, bad, hard to understand, etc?
>
> Does anyone here even have an Alinco rig with the board in it? When you
> use digital mode to work someone with a similarly equipped rig, how is
> it? Garbly? Not too bad, ???
>
> Eham.net lists only three comments, and none of them are flattering, but
> they don't specify why they disliked it, just that they did.
>
> (or is it that these things are so rare, almost none were sold? Someone
> must be buying them, there are no EJ-40U units to be had in any store
> that I can find.)
>
> So, if you have some first hand experience with these things, please
> drop a note here.
>
>
> Thanks for reading,
> Pat

Their audio quality is absolute crap. Not much else to say.

1121. Motorola 220mhz GP300 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 15:46:07 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <3p%Vd.59046$W16.990@trndny07>
Source record: 16794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FS Motorola GP300
205-225mhz
3 watt
Asian radio
16 channels
MDC
Scan
with antenna and rapid charger
no batt or power cube for charger
Software available on the Russian software sites.
$200
Doug

1122. FS Kenwood 630H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 15:55:20 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <Ix%Vd.62027$sR5.55419@trndny05>
Source record: 16795
Cross-posted to: nj.forsale,pa.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have some Kenwood 630H draws FS
these are the high power units they do 70-75watts on 6m 42-54mhz
Draws only I do have some UHF draws as well the TK 830- radios 35 watt
440-470 split. I have the front panels to make the Dual Band setup Ill
throw in if you buy a set
630H $125
830 $100
or $200 for a pair
Doug

1123. Re: FS Kenwood 630H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 16:18:53 UTC
From: DELCOM <delcom@sonnet.com>
Message-ID: <1109953133.578546.227600@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16796
Cross-posted to: nj.forsale,pa.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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I HAVE BEEN LOOKING FOR A KRK 4DB DUAL BAND SETUP, I HAVE THE RADIOS,I
HAVE THE ALPHA HEAD, JUST NEED THE KRK4DB , ARE YOU WILLING TO PART
WITH ONE? THANKS DEL CHASE

1124. FA: Icom Speech Synthesizer Board for IC-27a (37a and 47a)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 16:32:45 UTC
From: t@rogers.canada
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-6wkzYbTtVih7@localhost>
Source record: 16797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Greetings:

I have up for auction the speech synthesizer board for the
IC-27a/37a and 47a series of mobile radios.

<http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5756463139>

Ebay item number 5756463139

Thanks, Tedd, VE3TJD

1125. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 17:38:32 UTC
From: GEORGE BUSCH <WA3MOJ@AOL.COM>
Message-ID: <o77h219itgdie0b1ar1sd8f3hjsu3q49vv@4ax.com>
Source record: 16698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

High five Kathy!!!

On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 11:26:28 -0500, KC8QJP KATHY
LEE <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote:

>Knock on my door and I'll slap you in the cum
>catcher!
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>On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 15:56:18 GMT, "tom"
><cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:
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>>Thanks Buck. You sound like you know what you're talking about. I never
>>noticed how many of these ham antennas there are until I got into amateur
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>>"Buck" <iam@this.site> wrote in message
>>news:pube21ldv52qo24ei6iagaur2l7f7ierop@4ax.com...
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>>> It's an HF 5 band trap vertical for 80,40,20,15, and 10 meters. It's
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1126. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 17:40:07 UTC
From: GEORGE BUSCH <WA3MOJ@AOL.COM>
Message-ID: <a97h21ln6grajb76pr6rs0ghqiilnim2a8@4ax.com>
Source record: 16699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

ROFLMFAO!!! Good one Kathy!!!

WA3MOJ@AOL.COM

On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 12:40:57 -0500, KC8QJP KATHY
LEE <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote:

>We send our used condoms to Vancouver for you to
>use as chewing gum.
>
>
>On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 17:22:59 GMT, "tom"
><cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:
>
>>Fear not, my gracious lady --- I am several thousand miles distant, in a
>>far-away foreign land where amateur radio enthusiasts who have never met
>>before have an exceedingly bizarre custom of responding to each other in a
>>civil (and sometimes even, gasp, friendly) manner.
>>Is Toledo like some kind of urban hell where you're besieged by degenerate
>>crack-zombies, or something?
>>
>>"KC8QJP KATHY LEE" <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote in message
>>news:akee21hhj4bn8jer7vfj7lccvg8qv9a2h0@4ax.com...
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1127. FA Vintage Johnson Viking Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 18:30:53 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <tP1Wd.19004$lm.6448@okepread01>
Source record: 16700

Please see my Johnson Viking I, two 122 VFOs, Johnson KW Matchbox, and SWR Meter up for auction concluding on Saturday.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

1128. Re: FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 20:15:27 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@TheObvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <fdgh21dluv7uujjn5lmifl69ubuull6gfq@4ax.com>
Source record: 16701

On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 21:52:39 GMT, Ed
<Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:

> Please continue more comparison here once you have familiarized
>yourself with the new FT-60... Thanks.

Well, the only comparisons I can make are what's based on
documentation from Kenwoods website as I don't have a THG71.I have no
way of comparing say sensitivity.
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To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1129. Re: FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 21:38:56 UTC
From: Steve <inawb@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <X-6dneP3vOfkSLXfRVn-1A@comcast.com>
Source record: 16702

Go to Eham.com and look at what the hams are saying about the equipment.

Steve

"Evan Platt" <evan@TheObvious.espphotography.com> wrote in message
news:fdgh21dluv7uujjn5lmifl69ubuull6gfq@4ax.com...
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1130. Re: FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 21:40:38 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns960F8B6FEADBspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 16703

> Well, the only comparisons I can make are what's based on
> documentation from Kenwoods website as I don't have a THG71.I have no
> way of comparing say sensitivity.

Something you can't get from documentation is "usability" or ease of use. Historically, I have found Kenwood to feature a much more user friendly menu system compared to Yaesu. In part, I was looking for comments in this regard, as well as other "feel" type opinions that one can't get from looking at a picture.

Ed

1131. FA: Astatic JT-40 JT40 Blues Harp Microphone For Harmonica

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-04 23:40:57 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <dm6Wd.1755$Sd.494197@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 16704

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7305230206

1132. ALL Posts saying they are from KC8QJP Kathy Lee Are forges, don't respond to them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 02:21:44 UTC
From: Psychiatrist to keyclowns <keyklonzrnutjobs@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1109989304.846748.223490@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

You have to understand the motivation behind mopey's forges. Keyclowns are desperate people...they do not have the mental faculties to tolerate being bugged about their keyclownism. It makes them upset because they have to hear dissent. Steveo is the poster child for this attitude. He simply cannot take it when somebody gives him crap about being a keyclown.

This atttude has no doubt been developed by a lifetime of crying and whining to get his way. It started in his childhood, when he whined and cried in supermarkets and malls to get candy or toys. When his parents indulged him in these situations it reinforced the idea in his young mind that if he yelled and cried to get his way that he should always get it.

As he became a young adult and found that life had to be met on life's terms, not his, he railed at the injustice of it all. Teen years immediately before this stage found him in a constant state of barely controlled rage and often acting out in his frustration. Typical of such incidents are punching people who cut him off in traffic, yelling obscenities out car windows, and showing no consideration for others.

Such is the mentality of a keyclown. RF spectrum, to a keyclown, is nothing more than a wide open space to play in. If this were a private yard or a public place belonging to all taxpayers, the evidence of keyclownism would be obvious. The place would be uncaringly trashed with garbage and the observed attitude would be "So what if it is a mess, you wanna MAKE me clean up after myself, sucker?"

The visits to peoples' homes are an expression of this frustrated, thwarted, angry personality. Steveo tries to make someone conform to his ideas of what should be in the NG by making threats and visits. To Steveo, the worst thing on earth would be if the AKC knows his address, and his logic is that him knowing AKC addresses should strike fear in their hearts. You see, when he visits with his 12 gauge digicam the AKC should shake. They do...with laughter.

The fact that Steveo shows himself to be a disturbed individual in these visits does not dawn on him. This is because he is not inhabited with the normal sense of right and wrong. His opinion, like that of all keyclowns, is that whatever he wants to do is OK, and if someone disagrees then he has the right to attack them, physically or otherwise. This affliction is commonly called a sociopathic disorder.

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1133. Yaesu FT-50R transmit below 140 MHz ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 07:41:59 UTC
From: Everett <news.20.038099@spamgourmet.com>
Message-ID: <wxdWd.6100$s_.3276@fe07.lga>
Source record: 16706

I have a FT-50r and love it. However, the US Coast Guard Auxiliary is moving to new frequencies in a couple of months, including one simplex frequency at 138.xxx MHz. My serial number starts with 8l3 and I can't manage to transmit below 140 MHz. I've done the MARS/CAPS mod (removing the solder bridge) as well as unsoldering resistor #1, with appropriate resets, to no effect.

Anyone have any experience in this area?? I'm approved on this frequency but can't get to it with this HT. I also have a VX-150 that works fine but I'd like the capabiltiy on the 50r also.

Thanks,
Everett

1134. Re: ALL Posts saying they are from KC8QJP Kathy Lee Are forges, don't respond to them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 14:16:59 UTC
From: Scan da bands <RK22@msn.com>
Message-ID: <4229bad0$0$10929$8f2e0ebb@news.shared-secrets.com>
Source record: 16707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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See: http://tinyurl.com/4w3oc

or

http://groups-beta.google.com/group/rec.radio.cb/browse_thread/thread/1e8f9085fb8125e6/ffda9513b083ac22?q=KC8QJP#ffda9513b083ac22

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1135. FA: NOS 6146B's, Freq. Counter, COLLINS R-390A METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:11:19 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <fbkWd.190$Av3.138@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16708
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Much more stuff then the title suggests.
Something for all, cheep prices too!
Some items are hard to find but all are useful, NO JUNK:-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1136. FA: Collins R-390A Relay, NICE HM-102 WATTmeter,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:12:21 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dckWd.191$Ju3.152@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16709

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1137. FA: DRAKE 2B CALIBRATOR, DENTRON 80-10AT Wire TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:13:25 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <cdkWd.192$aw3.184@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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1138. FA: TRIONYX TR-1000 Freq. Counter>650mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:15:00 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <IekWd.193$Ax3.28@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16711
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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1139. FA: CUSTOM HEATH WALL CLOCK w/YOUR CALL>Cheep:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:15:59 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <CfkWd.194$gy3.168@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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1140. FA: NRI tube VTVM>MINT & TRIPLETT 630-PL NICE>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:17:01 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BgkWd.195$gx3.152@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16713

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1141. FA: MOTOROLA CONVERTA-COM MOBILE CONSOLE F/ STX PORTABLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:39:04 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <mkkj211o6ffs3oris8crgdfi4lmf58gjgg@4ax.com>
Source record: 16714

FA: MOTOROLA CONVERTA-COM MOBILE CONSOLE F/ STX PORTABLE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5755790682

1142. FA: MOTOROLA GTX/LTS ACCESSORY PLUG CLAMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 15:39:38 UTC
From: me <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <olkj21leb1btlk98c0ctan3s648ovt8evp@4ax.com>
Source record: 16715

FA: MOTOROLA GTX/LTS ACCESSORY PLUG CLAMP
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5755812874

1143. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 19:59:05 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050305145905.809$Mr_-_@newsreader.com>
Source record: 16716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,alt.dogie.is.an.idiot

"Scan da bands" <RK22@msn.com> wrote:
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Yep, she was a CPA, till she got popped for bogus tax returns. (Felon)
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> Are you
> N8WWM, "Psychiatrist to keyclowns" ?
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Yep, that's N8WWM, he's ashamed of his call..Oh, and he's also a felon, and
he made the rain report for jamming repeaters. I don't read his tripe
anymore.
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> "Fact: KC8QJP, according to the great state of Ohio, is a convicted
> felon for tax fraud".
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> See: http://tinyurl.com/4w3oc
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1144. Re: Yaesu FT-50R transmit below 140 MHz ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 20:22:55 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <b-adnYGspu6IiLffRVn-1w@comcast.com>
Source record: 16717

All four of mine do not go under 140.000
Frank
"Everett" <news.20.038099@spamgourmet.com> wrote in message
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1145. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 21:57:05 UTC
From: No I Am Not Him <iamnotgeorge2004@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1110059825.512935.256700@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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Tell him about the time you stalked N8WWM and KC8LDO steveie

1146. SSTV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 23:33:40 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <olrWd.75062$H05.41737@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 16719

I am looking for an inexpensive interface to start enjoying SSTV. I have a
Kenwood TS-690S. any help would be appreciated!
thanks and 73's de kb2sin
kb2sin@stny.rr.com

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Check out our Website @ www.latherandlights.com
"Burning One of Our Candles, just makes Good Scents!!!

1147. FA: Last Day - Ten-Tec Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-05 23:34:29 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <YIrWd.39552$%U2.8080@lakeread01>
Source record: 16720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original Ten-Tec and other manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1148. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 00:08:05 UTC
From: U Know Who <no_one@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <FRrWd.44770$Qz1.434@fe2.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 16721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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Why do you talk in the 3rd person?

1149. Re: SSTV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 00:58:32 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <YAsWd.3085$603.1313@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16722

"Kb2sin" <kb2sin@stny.rr.com> wrote in message
news:olrWd.75062$H05.41737@twister.nyroc.rr.com...
> I am looking for an inexpensive interface to start enjoying SSTV. I have a
> Kenwood TS-690S. any help would be appreciated!
> thanks and 73's de kb2sin
> kb2sin@stny.rr.com
>
>
Look here:

http://www.packetradio.com/

and check out the RASCAL.

Any of the sound card interfaces set for packet, rtty, psk31 should work
fine for sstv. If you need software go here and look for mmsstv. It is a
free sstv program.

http://www.muenster.de/~welp/sb.htm

1150. FA: ICOM IC-718 AMATEUR TRANSCEIVER w/DSP OPTION-MIC-LQQK!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 02:23:52 UTC
From: Narri Org <NarriSurplus@narri.org>
Message-ID: <YQtWd.45196$xt.35517@fed1read07>
Source record: 16723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: ICOM IC-718 AMATEUR TRANSCEIVER w/DSP OPTION-MIC-LQQK!

PRICE LOWERED...

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5757347921&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1151. Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 02:37:17 UTC
From: rustyrd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1110076637.899491.151820@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16724

Which of these would be the most useful to the Radio Amateur? Also when deciding upon one or the other, what specs should one look for in purchasing one for Ham radio applications, given basic needs for now but with enough capabilities to handle more advanced Ham radio needs in the future? Thank you for any help. B. Taylor

1152. Re: SSTV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 02:48:29 UTC
From: Daniel Mckenzie <mckenzie@centurytel.net>
Message-ID: <Ptmdnb-vop4D8rffRVn-qA@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16725

"Kb2sin" <kb2sin@stny.rr.com> wrote in message
news:olrWd.75062$H05.41737@twister.nyroc.rr.com...
>I am looking for an inexpensive interface to start enjoying SSTV. I have a
> Kenwood TS-690S. any help would be appreciated!
> thanks and 73's de kb2sin

Also try http://home.att.net/~n8st/. Good quality, easy to
set up, just plug in. Same price as Rascal I think, $40.

Dan, W9FCC

1153. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 03:27:43 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <PMuWd.3027$CW2.1145@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16726

<rustyrd@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1110076637.899491.151820@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
> Which of these would be the most useful to the Radio Amateur? Also when
> deciding upon one or the other, what specs should one look for in
> purchasing one for Ham radio applications, given basic needs for now
> but with enough capabilities to handle more advanced Ham radio needs in
> the future? Thank you for any help. B. Taylor

If you have to ask then you don't need either one.

It depends on what you want to do. I have several scops around the house
and don't use either of them very much. I have had access to a SA and have
used it very little.

Scopes are most useful at audio frequencies and the SA is good for RF
applications.

>

1154. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 04:10:15 UTC
From: rustyrd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1110082215.240636.293020@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16727

Ralph Mowery wrote:
> <rustyrd@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:1110076637.899491.151820@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
> > Which of these would be the most useful to the Radio Amateur? Also
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> > deciding upon one or the other, what specs should one look for in
> > purchasing one for Ham radio applications, given basic needs for
now
> > but with enough capabilities to handle more advanced Ham radio
needs in
> > the future? Thank you for any help. B. Taylor
>
> If you have to ask then you don't need either one.
>
> It's not a matter of need. I don't actually "need" to be involved
with Amateur Radio period. It's something I "choose" to be involved
with. I asked the question strictly on the basis of if I were to
purchase either one of these pieces of test equipment for typical
Amateur radio uses, which one would be more useful to me in general
terms as a typical ham that likes to tinker and experiment. Thank you,
B. Taylor

1155. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 04:54:31 UTC
From: John Doe <JohnDoe@0.0.0.0>
Message-ID: <422a8cbf$0$12159$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 16728

Hi B. Taylor,
You really are asking the proverbial "how long is a piece of string"
question.
Might I suggest you spend some time and money on a
good electronics course.
If courses are not offered in you area try your local library,
Is their someone who can mentor you?

<rustyrd@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1110082215.240636.293020@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>
> Ralph Mowery wrote:
> > <rustyrd@aol.com> wrote in message
> > news:1110076637.899491.151820@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
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> needs in
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> with. I asked the question strictly on the basis of if I were to
> purchase either one of these pieces of test equipment for typical
> Amateur radio uses, which one would be more useful to me in general
> terms as a typical ham that likes to tinker and experiment. Thank you,
> B. Taylor
>

1156. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 05:31:01 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <pAwWd.333886$w62.102531@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16729

I would buy both of them. An oscilloscope is something you really need for doing signal tracing, etc. while a spectrum analyzer is a must if you are doing synthesizer/oscillator/transmitter design. I have both of them and use them all of the time. Other good things to have are an RF power meter, modulation meter, frequency counter, broadband noise source, RF generator, DVM, VOM, and a good variable power supply. This just scratches the surface, depending on your needs.

Pete

"John Doe" <JohnDoe@0.0.0.0> wrote in message
news:422a8cbf$0$12159$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au...
> Hi B. Taylor,
> You really are asking the proverbial "how long is a piece of string"
> question.
> Might I suggest you spend some time and money on a
> good electronics course.
> If courses are not offered in you area try your local library,
> Is their someone who can mentor you?
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> <rustyrd@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:1110082215.240636.293020@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
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>> Ralph Mowery wrote:
>> > <rustyrd@aol.com> wrote in message
>> > news:1110076637.899491.151820@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
>> > > Which of these would be the most useful to the Radio Amateur? Also
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>> > > deciding upon one or the other, what specs should one look for in
>> > > purchasing one for Ham radio applications, given basic needs for
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>> > > but with enough capabilities to handle more advanced Ham radio
>> needs in
>> > > the future? Thank you for any help. B. Taylor
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>> with Amateur Radio period. It's something I "choose" to be involved
>> with. I asked the question strictly on the basis of if I were to
>> purchase either one of these pieces of test equipment for typical
>> Amateur radio uses, which one would be more useful to me in general
>> terms as a typical ham that likes to tinker and experiment. Thank you,
>> B. Taylor

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>

1157. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 06:07:33 UTC
From: No I Am Not Him <iamnotgeorge2004@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1110089253.770610.115550@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16730
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge wrote:
> "U Know Who" <no_one@nowhere.com> wrote in
> news:FRrWd.44770$Qz1.434@fe2.texas.rr.com:
>
> >
> > "No I Am Not Him" <iamnotgeorge2004@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> > news:1110059825.512935.256700@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
> >> Steveo wrote:
> >>> "Scan da bands" <RK22@msn.com> wrote:
> >>> > This KC8QJP character seems to have quite a 'colorful' past.
> >>> >
> >>> Yep, she was a CPA, till she got popped for bogus tax returns.
> >> (Felon)
> >>> >
> >>> > Are you
> >>> > N8WWM, "Psychiatrist to keyclowns" ?
> >>> >
> >>> Yep, that's N8WWM, he's ashamed of his call..Oh, and he's also a
> >> felon, and
> >>> he made the rain report for jamming repeaters. I don't read his
> >>> tripe anymore.
> >>> >
> >>> >
> >>> > "Fact: KC8QJP, according to the great state of Ohio, is a
> >> convicted
> >>> > felon for tax fraud".
> >>> >
> >>> > See: http://tinyurl.com/4w3oc
> >>> >
> >>> > or
> >>> >
> >>> >
> >>
http://groups-beta.google.com/group/rec.radio.cb/browse_thread/thread/
> >> 1e8
> >>> > f9085fb8125e6/ffda9513b083ac22?q=KC8QJP#ffda9513b083ac22
> >>> >
> >>
> >> Tell him about the time you stalked N8WWM and KC8LDO steveie
> >>
> > >
> > Why do you talk in the 3rd person?
> >

> why do reply to post that are of no concern to you?

good one lol, hi five lil bro

1158. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 07:08:44 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <422AAC7C.3040001@netscape.net>
Source record: 16731

rustyrd@aol.com wrote:
> Which of these would be the most useful to the Radio Amateur? Also when
> deciding upon one or the other, what specs should one look for in
> purchasing one for Ham radio applications, given basic needs for now
> but with enough capabilities to handle more advanced Ham radio needs in
> the future? Thank you for any help. B. Taylor
>

If you just want a cool toy, get a scope with a FFT function.
You'll be the envy of all your ham buddies.
Got a nice one for sale here:
http://nm7u.tripod.com/homepage/sale.html
Priced at 25% of what you'd pay at a dealer.
mike

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Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
.
Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Wanted, 12.1" LCD for Gateway Solo 5300. Samsung LT121SU-121
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

1159. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 07:58:34 UTC
From: Panzer240 <panzer240@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns961128755EF68fw190a8@198.161.157.145>
Source record: 16732
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

"Pete KE9OA" wrote in
news:pAwWd.333886$w62.102531@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net:

> I would buy both of them. An oscilloscope is something you really need
> for doing signal tracing, etc. while a spectrum analyzer is a must if
> you are doing synthesizer/oscillator/transmitter design. I have both of
> them and use them all of the time. Other good things to have are an RF
> power meter, modulation meter, frequency counter, broadband noise
> source, RF generator, DVM, VOM, and a good variable power supply. This
> just scratches the surface, depending on your needs.
>
> Pete
>

The choice between the two depends on what you are most interested in
doing. Since both these instruments are designed for different tasks.
However if you are looking for a good all purpose Swiss Army knife sort of
tool for general ham useage, I would look at a gadget called a service
monitor. Depending on make and model, you can find one that combines the
features of most of the instruments on Pete's list :) They usually have a
scope that will do af and also act as a spectrum analyzer along with power
meters,signal generator,frequency/modulation meter perhaps a DVM etc. All
in one handy dandy portable package.

Here is an example of one of the many on Ebay at present.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=97198&item=878428871&rd=1

As a general purpose test and troubleshooting tool I find these hard to beat!!

--
Panzer

1160. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 11:48:47 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050306064847.151$DK@newsreader.com>
Source record: 16733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge <itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam>
wrote:
> Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com> wrote in
> news:20050305145905.809$Mr_-_@newsreader.com:
>
> > Yep, that's N8WWM, he's ashamed of his call..Oh, and he's also a
> > felon, and he made the rain report for jamming repeaters. I don't read
> > his tripe anymore.
>
> You just forge him and other hams, assclown.
>
I forge no one, twat.

1161. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 11:51:10 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050306065110.456$v3@newsreader.com>
Source record: 16734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge <itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam>
wrote:
> why do reply to post that are of no concern to you?
>
Oh that's priceless you hypocrite.

Since December 12 2004

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I live in Long Island and I am a nigger

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Listen I dont speak on dougs behalf

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Your wife liked how i act, she said I am a bigger man than you, in more
> ways than one.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> where is your address assclown I have a plane ticket waiting for a
> destination.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Hey Randy your not tookeen with the bitches didnt you just get dumped by
> your old lady? I heard it was for cheating on her, with a sheep.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> That would be Steve parks wife she sucks a mean cock down in the medina
> school yards. .. 10-4

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Of course it is a forge these cbers are real moron's

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Hey Steveo, why dont you reach down between your legs and see if you have
> any balls

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> come to your house unexpectedly and punk slap you.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> correctional Facility i am locked up.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> beat it Nagger,beat it nagger your reaching again..
> Nagger you are a liar,

> they say i am george busch now what is it nagger boi,

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> he is a rolling rock drinker and Lancer is a cum slurper. Now watch
> him trip over himself repying to this message.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> LOL ice cold Piece of shit Nagger you are too funny

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:>
>you fuckin queer asshole. You are a transexual lover

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> cocksucker your a fucking Nagger

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> you fucking assclown pussy by loser... There isnt a god damn thing yoiu
> can do about it except whimper and cry like the big faggot you are.. hey
> Steve Parks,,, go fuck yopurself you no nutsack loser.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> thats because mondays you are off sucking dick for a living.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I am not a rascist I am a skin head.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I banged his old lady and it smelled like the suez canal

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> besides I have a trojan on your computer and I know when you post,
> ever heard ofsub seven??

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Perhaps I have her pussy smells like a bad clam bake,
> face it you like men and everything about them.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> yeah now suck my dick you assclown.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Now hurry run along and sent those complaints to comcast.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> after you tear it up for awhile, yes it smells like men's dick.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Insane in the membrane.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Well pussy boi Parks your wife seems to think I got
> something on you, get over it. she wants a man, not you.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> That is real funny you stupid piece of dog shit

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> you limp wristed faggot. In an effort to suck dick

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> did you have semen in your eye Landfuck?

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> You queer assclown

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> do you enjoy sucking his dick that
> nuch, you cant get the taste out of your mouth?

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> you fucking clueless douchebag.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> You suck and lancer swallows.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Fuck you you asshole I hope your christmas tree drys
> out and burns down your trailer.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Sorry asspunk, this doesnt get brought to a vote

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> exactly i dont you stupid fuck

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> sorry dick with ears

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> you sure do care you are menstrating over it.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I hope you overdose on New years Randy, on
> oxycotnin.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> yeah your wife keeps me busy too. she guzzles my nuts.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> guess again assfuck

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> And what I once said, "Randy you are an asshole"

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> LOL, you fucking sissy...

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> i am not a sock puppet but you are

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> smooth cold nyc get off of my tip

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Hey Jim, Put your finger up your ass and spin around.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Geo, I can accept that. But, you are one as well.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> steveo taslks shit
> without ever backing it up oh yes

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> rec.radio.cb assholes are out in full force

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Negro please

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Why not show some real balls besides steves on your neck

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I know you wont to pussy to do so.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Yeah you used to *beat* your meat

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> i didnt post to this threads until now, assfuck

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> "WA3MOJ takes corncob up ass" i didnt post to this
> threads until now, assfuck

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> you fucked up asshole. Blow me, again

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> iLL BET TOO MANY TO COUNT HE GETS INTOXICATED ON CUM.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> you jackoff steveo while staring AT PICS OF MEN.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> your a fucking jew aren't you?

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> thats not george you clueless assfuck

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> You Gay fucking jerkoff you were with a Transexual this weekend.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> read what the fuck I tpye

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> are you fucking drunk you stupid assfuck

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I said that from the fucking start you drunken asshole.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> go sniff some more toilets seat your delerious

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> if you cant see this quit masterbATING YOUR
> EYESITE WILL COMEBACK

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> This is not grammar class you fucking dick with ears

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> did yur mother have anything that lived?

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Frank you really are suckinfg twistys dick hard these days

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> are you befriendung him for other
> reasons we dont know about yet, either way your make me sick

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Frank Twistedhed Gilliand advocates law breaking when he wrote:
> "If you have a scanner, spend a few days listening in on some of your
> neighbors' telephone conversations. You might be suprised."

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Again you have to reply and are a drugged up clueless assclown,as usual.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I am speaking of the state in general now go fuck yourself
> dave McCampbell

1162. FS: Algreo DFjr doppler radio direction finder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 15:40:30 UTC
From: Michael Malloy <mmalloy@wi.rr.com>
Message-ID: <OvFWd.12957$Cg6.5787@twister.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 16735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.scanner

I have an Algreo DFjr doppler direction finder for sale. The unit is in excellent condition and has antennas cut for 2 meters. It also includes the mulitport adapter and manual. This is a very cool device that also interfaces with GPS and APRS programs such as the PocketAPRS.It is great for foxhunting or finding interference. Asking $400 including shipping

Please email directly if interested.

1163. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 15:56:02 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050306105602.662$k8@newsreader.com>
Source record: 16736
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itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge <itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam>
wrote:
> Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com> wrote in news:20050306064847.151
> $DK@newsreader.com:
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> >> news:20050305145905.809$Mr_-_@newsreader.com:
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> >> > Yep, that's N8WWM, he's ashamed of his call..Oh, and he's also a
> >> > felon, and he made the rain report for jamming repeaters. I don't
> read
> >> > his tripe anymore.
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> >> You just forge him and other hams, assclown.
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> > I forge no one, twat.
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> You are the king of forging doug and wa3moj
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Bullshit. Someone is playing you like a fiddle.
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> go tell your lies to another
> assclown like your wife, now she is a real twat from what i hear.
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Pathetic little putz. When you're not posting or forging with sick
gay material, you resort to schoolyard wife insults.

Grow up, punk.

Since December 12 2004

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Your wife liked how i act, she said I am a bigger man than you, in more
> ways than one.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Hey Randy your not tookeen with the bitches didnt you just get dumped by
> your old lady? I heard it was for cheating on her, with a sheep.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> That would be Steve parks wife she sucks a mean cock down in the medina
> school yards. .. 10-4

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> I banged his old lady and it smelled like the suez canal

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Perhaps I have her pussy smells like a bad clam bake,
> face it you like men and everything about them.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> Well pussy boi Parks your wife seems to think I got
> something on you, get over it. she wants a man, not you.

> itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam> wrote:
> yeah your wife keeps me busy too. she guzzles my nuts.

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> now she is a real twat from what i hear.

1164. (BPL) Virtual Spectrum- Global Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 16:34:16 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <ciGWd.56696$uc.21664@trnddc03>
Source record: 16737

I finally got the Provisional Patent filed for
my BPL work-around, Virtual Spectrum (tm).
Server is up and running and everything is ready.
Next step- some friends will
help with tests- one in Europe, one in
Australia and two in the U.S.
There will be a low bandwidth and
a high-bandwidth trail. First will
stream a few KCs of 40 meters and include
several CW messages at various frequencies,
including a couple close together so we
can figure the best levels without cross-talk.
Next will be a high-bandwidth trial with
CW, SSB, FM and some other mode yet
to be decided, streaming about 40 KC of
the band. Then, a live, continuous
stream of the bottom 40 KC of 20 meters
from my location, which will run for a few days.
I hope they don't put BPL here in the mean time.

After these tests are concluded,
the next step will be configuring for
2-way QSOs, which is just a matter of
setting up the software and T/R switching.
I ain't had this much fun with a radio project
since I was a novice. :-).

73 Dave Stinson AB5S

1165. Re: Drake UV-3 Schematic needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 17:17:31 UTC
From: Frank Krozel <frank@electronicinstrument.com>
Message-ID: <S9GdnRV3tseDprbfRVn-2g@comcast.com>
Source record: 16738

Anyone know where I can find the Schematic for a Drake UV-3?
Need to find out why the 220Mhz module is dead..
Frank, KG9H
Frank Krozel, Technical Representative,
Electronic Instrument Associates Central, Inc.
Website: http://www.electronicinstrument.com
Voice: 630-924-1600 Fax: 630-477-0321 (new)
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1166. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 17:30:54 UTC
From: ray13 <ray_psi@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1110130254.821901.230350@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16739

They are both useful. You don't even want to know about all the bells and whistles you can get, let alone trying to figure out how many of those whistles you can use, not to mention the bells. And the digital models are like a high end ham rig. You are going to be navigating tonnes of menus.

I'd go for an analog crt based scope, 20mhz, 50mhz or 100mhz bandwidth. With a 50volt to 50millivolt input range. Make sure it comes with a probe with 10:1 input switch. Scopes typically have a 1meg ohm input impedance so the 10:1 would get you 11 meg input plus the probe offers frequency compensation.

1167. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 17:43:18 UTC
From: Panzer240 <panzer240@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns96118B9BDCC5Afw190a8@198.161.157.145>
Source record: 16740

dbu <deil@spam.com> wrote in
news:deil-F8E92B.05260306032005@zeus-ge0.rdc-kc.rr.com:

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> I already have a scope which I use on my work bench, but it sits a lot
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Alas I am not aware of such an item. But there maybe someone else who
does. :) Heathkit made anumber of these in kit form for thier Amateur
Radio kit and you do see them on Ebay and other places. Designed for use
with the SB-XXX series mostly they do have specific needs as to IF
frequency etc. Thta info is easly available and using it, I'm sure they
could be adapted quite easily to othere readios that have similar IF's.

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1168. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 18:08:30 UTC
From: rustyrd@aol.com
Message-ID: <1110132510.879329.152610@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16741

Panzer240 wrote:
> dbu <deil@spam.com> wrote in
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1169. FA:IF cans, Choke, Cer.RF SW, Shafts + more parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 18:31:16 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <U%HWd.107799$Th1.10273@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16742

See listing below for : Cer. RF switch, .250" metal shafts, .250" non-metalic shafts, 1000 pf fed-throu caps, C-1001 choke, Miller IF cans..... check daily:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, heytubeguy

1170. Kenwood TS-430 to Collins 30L-1 Relay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 19:12:42 UTC
From: Carl <maineac58@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <4dlm215r8cg8p0h1i73vl2mp5q0ccjm5ji@4ax.com>
Source record: 16743

Could someone please give me a diagram for the required external relay
for connecting my Kenwood TS-430 to a Collins 30L-1 Amplifier?

Any assistance will be greatly appreciated.

73 de Carl N1DXM

1171. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 19:45:51 UTC
From: No I Am Not Him <iamnotgeorge2004@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1110138351.511048.136330@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16744
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1172. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 20:43:41 UTC
From: Panzer240 <panzer240@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns9611AA2FDF8CAfw190a8@198.161.157.145>
Source record: 16745

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Do a Search on Ebay for:

Service Monitor -Sony -"Computer Monitor"

That should get you most of what is currently available. Amkes that I have used include Cushman, IFR, Marconi, and Motorola. As for prices, your indicated price range should allow you to find a very suitable instrument. Look at options carefully. e.g. If the unit has cellular testing capabilities and you are not repairing or install such things, you really don't need the capability. But if you do a lot of HF work then having one with SSB capability would be a great idead :). For amateur radio and SWL interests one that does AM/FM/SSB would probably be ideal.

Good Hunting !!! And as with all Ebay transactions Caveat Emptor !!! ;)

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Panzer

1173. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 21:00:54 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <422B6F86.8070202@netscape.net>
Source record: 16746

rustyrd@aol.com wrote:
> Panzer240 wrote:
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A service monitor makes an excellent...service monitor.
It's a lousy scope.
It's a poor spectrum analyzer.
But it can be a GREAT service monitor.
mike

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Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
.
Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Wanted, 12.1" LCD for Gateway Solo 5300. Samsung LT121SU-121
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

1174. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-06 22:46:35 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns961196A3AA3E7spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 16747

>> It's not a matter of need. I don't actually "need" to be involved
> with Amateur Radio period. It's something I "choose" to be involved
> with. I asked the question strictly on the basis of if I were to
> purchase either one of these pieces of test equipment for typical
> Amateur radio uses, which one would be more useful to me in general
> terms as a typical ham that likes to tinker and experiment.

Really depends on the depth and nature of your tinkering. Are you talking component level equipment building/modifying? A scope would be more useful than an SA. If you are talking about VHF/UHF system building/tuning or RFI investigations, etc, then perhaps a Spectrum Analyzer would be more useful.

However, I'd like to point out that you can get a good scope for less than 1/10th the cost of a reasonable Spectrum Analyzer, so if your budget allows for a Spectrum Analyzer, then you can probably afford a used but good scope, too.

Ed K7AAT

1175. Help with TM-V7A, DCS isn't working...?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 03:52:51 UTC
From: "R. Belcher" <randy.belcher@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <neQWd.82561$uc.1243@trnddc04>
Source record: 16648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well, anyone know why the DCS wouldn't be working on a TM-V7A.... CTCSS works fine but when I press the F-hold then DCS, it just beeps like it should and the display remains unchanged. Any ideas? Please email and thanks!
Randy

1176. Re: ALL Posts say N8WWM and KC8QJP are felons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 04:15:32 UTC
From: Psychiatrist to keyclowns <keyklonzrnutjobs@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1110168932.718247.191810@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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No, it isnt too far for him...if he doesnt want to be gay with you, or he will never leave the Petro toilet, though.

Wouldn't it be funny if someone paid his QTH a visit and left him a note while he was down in Dayton for the Lambda convention? Hmmm...not a bad idea.

1177. WTB: DC power for Yaesu FT-747

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 04:43:11 UTC
From: Sam <aa8wl@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <zJednSKbN8lGRrbfRVn-2w@comcast.com>
Source record: 16650

WTB: DC power for Yaesu FT-747 for my radio which I have lost somehow.
Let me know if you have one you want to sell. TNX 73' de aa8wl Sam

1178. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 06:38:07 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <422BF6C8.12AD4A58@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16651

dbu wrote:
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Sony/Tektronix made a spectrum analyzer that was used with the
Sony/Tektronix 324 portable scope. I have the 324 portable scope, but I
don't have the analyzer. You can build a so called spectrum analyzer
from a kit that uses a scope for a display Science workshop sells one,
and Hans Summers built one using a small TV crt for a display but you
could use a scope as a display instead.

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Cyber stalking is a crime!

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1179. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 06:49:59 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <422BF98C.A56DA9C1@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16652

Ralph Mowery wrote:
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> If you have to ask then you don't need either one.
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> It depends on what you want to do. I have several scops around the house
> and don't use either of them very much. I have had access to a SA and have
> used it very little.
>
> Scopes are most useful at audio frequencies and the SA is good for RF
> applications.

A 350 MHz four channel scope is made for RF work and is a valuable piece of equipment if you fully understand how to use it. Some spectrum analyzers are made for audio frequencies. You need to understand the capabilities of the equipment you are considering, and what your application is. I used a Tek 2465 scope to test and align video boards for telemetry equipment with bandwidths up to 40 Mhz. Another useful instrument is a good quality true RMS voltmeter that reads to .01 dB to calibrate and balance detector/demodulators. I was offered a network analyzer for my bench but passed it to another tech. I preferred the harder jobs that didn't need it, and really didn't have room on either bench, or the three equipment carts for another large piece of equipment.

Your choice of test equipment depends on your skills and the design level of what passes your bench. I worked on telemetry used for tracking satellites, and the shuttle program. It was cutting edge and all built to order. If you are building a one of a kind wideband Ku band receiver for the space station you need the best equipment you can find. On the other hand if you just breadboard simple circuits you need less sophisticated equipment.
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1180. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 07:45:41 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <FETWd.340661$w62.190341@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16653
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

A very handy tool.....I picked up a CT Systems 3000B at Radio Expo
last year for only 200 dollars. I don't understand why it didn't sell. I
found it at the end of the first day of the hamfest.

Pete

"Panzer240" wrote in message
news:Xns961128755EF68fw190a8@198.161.157.145...
> "Pete KE9OA" wrote in
> news:pAwWd.333886$w62.102531@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net:
>
>> I would buy both of them. An oscilloscope is something you really need
>> for doing signal tracing, etc. while a spectrum analyzer is a must if
>> you are doing synthesizer/oscillator/transmitter design. I have both of
>> them and use them all of the time. Other good things to have are an RF
>> power meter, modulation meter, frequency counter, broadband noise
>> source, RF generator, DVM, VOM, and a good variable power supply. This
>> just scratches the surface, depending on your needs.
>>
>> Pete
>>
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>
> The choice between the two depends on what you are most interested in
> doing. Since both these instruments are designed for different tasks.
> However if you are looking for a good all purpose Swiss Army knife sort of
> tool for general ham useage, I would look at a gadget called a service
> monitor. Depending on make and model, you can find one that combines the
> features of most of the instruments on Pete's list :) They usually have a
> scope that will do af and also act as a spectrum analyzer along with power
> meters,signal generator,frequency/modulation meter perhaps a DVM etc. All
> in one handy dandy portable package.
>
> Here is an example of one of the many on Ebay at present.
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=97198&item=878428871&rd=1
>
> As a general purpose test and troubleshooting tool I find these hard to
> beat!!
>
> --
> Panzer
>

1181. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 10:22:02 UTC
From: Nicolas Boretos <nospam_nicolas@maich.gr>
Message-ID: <422C2B4A.90409@maich.gr>
Source record: 16654

Michael A. Terrell wrote:
> dbu wrote:
>
>>I already have a scope which I use on my work bench, but it sits a lot
>>not being used, so it would be kind of handy to plug in a device which
>>would enable it to be used as a SA or panadapter type scope for the
>>shack. This would make my scope much more useful. Anything like that
>>around?
>
>
> Sony/Tektronix made a spectrum analyzer that was used with the
> Sony/Tektronix 324 portable scope. I have the 324 portable scope, but I
> don't have the analyzer. You can build a so called spectrum analyzer
> from a kit that uses a scope for a display Science workshop sells one,
> and Hans Summers built one using a small TV crt for a display but you
> could use a scope as a display instead.
>
>
Additionally,, Tektronix made a seires of SA plugins for the 76xx series
scopes..
The 7L5 was the low frequency (audio) one and the 7L12 was the Mhz range..
Maybe they made them for other series scopes...

regards,

nikos

1182. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 13:39:34 UTC
From: Lee Scott <KC8LDO@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <422c5a9e$1_5@x-privat.org>
Source record: 16655

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"tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote in message
news:TJHVd.563585$Xk.381969@pd7tw3no...
> Fear not, my gracious lady --- I am several thousand miles distant, in a
> far-away foreign land where amateur radio enthusiasts who have never met
> before have an exceedingly bizarre custom of responding to each other in a
> civil (and sometimes even, gasp, friendly) manner.
> Is Toledo like some kind of urban hell where you're besieged by degenerate
> crack-zombies, or something?
>
That girl has mental problems without a doubt!
>
> "KC8QJP KATHY LEE" <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote in message
> news:akee21hhj4bn8jer7vfj7lccvg8qv9a2h0@4ax.com...
>> Knock on my door and I'll slap you in the cum
>> catcher!
>>
>>
>> On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 15:56:18 GMT, "tom"
>> <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:
>>
>>>Thanks Buck. You sound like you know what you're talking about. I never
>>>noticed how many of these ham antennas there are until I got into amateur
>>>radio and started looking around (I don't have my callsign yet, I'm still
>>>waiting for my test results to be processed). There's almost one every
>>>couple blocks!
>>>Do you know if there is a way to do lookups on the ham callsign database
>>>by
>>>asking if there is an entry for a certain address? Or is it just by name
>>>or
>>>callsign? The one page I found for doing lookups only takes callsigns
>>>and
>>>names.
>>> Maybe I could download the entire info file from industry canada and
>>> either
>>>use a script to eneter it into mysql or just do a string search on it.
>>>Hmmm. Maybe I could just go knock on the guys door.
>>>
>>>
>>>"Buck" <iam@this.site> wrote in message
>>>news:pube21ldv52qo24ei6iagaur2l7f7ierop@4ax.com...
>>>> On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 15:15:32 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:
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>>>>>
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>>>> It's an HF 5 band trap vertical for 80,40,20,15, and 10 meters. It's
>>>> a ham antenna.
>>>>
>>>>
>>>> --
>>>> 73 for now
>>>> Buck
>>>> N4PGW
>>>
>>
>> _____________________________________
>> Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
>> More than 120,000 groups
>> Unlimited download
>> http://www.usenetzone.com to open account
>
>

1183. Re: please help IDing an antenna from a jpg of it.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 13:40:40 UTC
From: Lee Scott <KC8LDO@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <422c5ae1_2@x-privat.org>
Source record: 16656

"KC8QJP KATHY LEE" <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote in message
news:svie21tpt96b6pgdtfck8cd8o8aqi2tipf@4ax.com...
> We send our used condoms to Vancouver for you to
> use as chewing gum.
>
Kathy please tone it down a notch or two.

1184. Re: ALL Posts saying they are from KC8QJP Kathy Lee Are forges, don't respond to them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 13:42:17 UTC
From: Lee Scott <KC8LDO@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <422c5b44_3@x-privat.org>
Source record: 16657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Did he invite you to Dayton too Doug? Are you going?
>
"Psychiatrist to keyclowns" <keyklonzrnutjobs@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1109989304.846748.223490@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
You have to understand the motivation behind mopey's forges. Keyclowns
are desperate people...they do not have the mental faculties to
tolerate being bugged about their keyclownism. It makes them upset
because they have to hear dissent. Steveo is the poster child for this
attitude. He simply cannot take it when somebody gives him crap about
being a keyclown.

This atttude has no doubt been developed by a lifetime of crying and
whining to get his way. It started in his childhood, when he whined and
cried in supermarkets and malls to get candy or toys. When his parents
indulged him in these situations it reinforced the idea in his young
mind that if he yelled and cried to get his way that he should always
get it.

As he became a young adult and found that life had to be met on life's
terms, not his, he railed at the injustice of it all. Teen years
immediately before this stage found him in a constant state of barely
controlled rage and often acting out in his frustration. Typical of
such incidents are punching people who cut him off in traffic, yelling
obscenities out car windows, and showing no consideration for others.

Such is the mentality of a keyclown. RF spectrum, to a keyclown, is
nothing more than a wide open space to play in. If this were a private
yard or a public place belonging to all taxpayers, the evidence of
keyclownism would be obvious. The place would be uncaringly trashed
with garbage and the observed attitude would be "So what if it is a
mess, you wanna MAKE me clean up after myself, sucker?"

The visits to peoples' homes are an expression of this frustrated,
thwarted, angry personality. Steveo tries to make someone conform to
his ideas of what should be in the NG by making threats and visits. To
Steveo, the worst thing on earth would be if the AKC knows his address,
and his logic is that him knowing AKC addresses should strike fear in
their hearts. You see, when he visits with his 12 gauge digicam the AKC
should shake. They do...with laughter.

The fact that Steveo shows himself to be a disturbed individual in
these visits does not dawn on him. This is because he is not inhabited
with the normal sense of right and wrong. His opinion, like that of all

keyclowns, is that whatever he wants to do is OK, and if someone disagrees then he has the right to attack them, physically or otherwise. This affliction is commonly called a sociopathic disorder.

The very fact of posting this message will bring a barrage of name calling, threats, and other things that keyclowns believe are effective. They think they are effective because they are effective at riling THEM up. This attitude is consistant with keyclownism's main root causes: the fact that keyclowns are only aware of what they want and have no concern for others, coupled with a total inability to tolerate even the most basic forms of disagreement.

The reactions to this post will prove the thesis as presented. Keyclowns are simple creatures, and always behave in a predictable manner.

GEORGE BUSCH wrote:
> High five Kathy!!!
>
> On Thu, 03 Mar 2005 11:26:28 -0500, KC8QJP KATHY
> LEE <N8WWM@ARRL.NET> wrote:
>
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> >catcher!
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> ><cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:
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It's
> >>> a ham antenna.
> >>>
> >>>
> >>> --
> >>> 73 for now
> >>> Buck
> >>> N4PGW
--
Leland C. Scott
KC8LDO
Saw this on a Tee-shirt:
"I am a bomb technician. If you see
me running, try to keep up

> --
> Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
> More than 120,000 groups
> Unlimited download
> http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

1185. Re: NOS 6146B's, Freq. Counter, COLLINS R-390A METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 14:33:17 UTC
From: Lee Scott <KC8LDO@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <422c6685$0$13881$892e7fe2@authen.white.readfreenews.net>
Source record: 16658

Stop spamming the group!
>
"RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:fbkWd.190$Av3.138@fe10.lga...
> Much more stuff then the title suggests.
> Something for all, cheep prices too!
> Some items are hard to find but all are useful, NO JUNK:-)
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
>

1186. Good fox kit / schematic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 14:55:01 UTC
From: "dave.harper" <dave.harper@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110207301.317793.237380@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Does anyone have experience with a good (and preferably inexpensive)
fox kit that has a range of atleast 30 miles? I don't have a frequency
range in mind, and am open to suggestions. Any additional suggestions
regarding the best equipment/antenna to track it with is also
appreciated.

Thanks in advance!
Dave

1187. Motorola radios, Want/FS, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 16:10:22 UTC
From: "R. Belcher" <randy.belcher@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <O1%Wd.81540$wc.58813@trnddc07>
Source record: 16660
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi all,

Have for sale some UHF radios, etc, with Free Shipping:

Visar,
16ch, H05RDH9AA7BN, 403-470MHz, Looks NEW, not a scratch.
Sticker on back is blank...? Maybe a factory re-furb or similar, missing
dust cover, down-button for channels is flaky, mostly doesn't work, light is
out,
includes dual-slot charger and older but useful battery, works fine. $100.

M1225,
20/24ch, M44DGC90J2AA, Good condition with some dirt in seams,
bumps/bruises, minor key wear, works great, includes radio/bracket/mic,
NO bracket screws, sorry! $200

M120,
2ch, 16pin, M44GMC20A3AA, top appears to be a little sun-bleached, photo
looks worse than it is.
Includes radio only, $120

Maxtrac,
16ch, 5pin, D44MJA7DA5CK, sticky-tape, stickers, dirt, goo, cracks, etc.
Includes RADIO ONLY. Works fine. $80

Motorola RIB,
was cloning a bunch of spectras and it just died. Replaced 4 zener diodes
in it, and it was still dead. Found a good box with broken DB pin,
and harvested the DB25 connector from this box. Parts only or u fix. "B"
version, not the surface-mount board, regular components.
Bought it new from Monty about 6 years ago. $20 or trade.

STX,
800MHz, conventional/trunking, display/keypad, etc. I know nothing about
them. One side scratched/engraved,
H25STE5170CN
$BEST OFFER OR TRADE.

HT600,
Factory 6ch, H44SUV7160CN, like new DTMF front, case
and beltclip like new, very light name written on top over motorola sticker.
[Should come off with solvent, no problem.]
This is a true 9.5 of 10 radio including intact tags and dust cover.
Includes 'pocket' charger. $110

P200 VHF,
6ch, H43RFU7160AN VHF, 146-170MHz or wider, very light and small FD
name engraved with cheap pen on side, exc condition including intact tags
and dust cover.
Includes 'pocket' charger. $100

[NO PHOTOS on the last 2, they're truly not necessary.]

VOICEDUCER,
earpiece only, not the box. New, never used. OFFER?

***

Will consider late-model trades on useful Motorola or other items of
interest.

I need:

Kenwood TM-V7A programming cable.
Minitor III UPI.
Minitor III VHF 151MHz pager in excellent condition.
Stage/band/PA items (mixers, speakers, wireless bass, whatever)
Glock tactical light
Honda Goldwing stuff
or whatever....

Postal money orders or PayPal +2% accepted,
Free shipping for CONUS only.
email for payment instruction or questions.

Photo here:
http://www.sleepguides.com/auction/misc1.jpg

Thanks!
Randy

1188. HF amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 17:40:40 UTC
From: Bill Grimwood <bill@grimwood.net>
Message-ID: <98918$422c9209$42b8ea29$14602@EDELTACOM.COM>
Source record: 16661

I want a HF amplifier that will put out 1000 to 1500 watts that will automatically tune to use with my Icom 756 Pro III. I know about the Icom amp but what else is available.

1189. Re: ALL Posts saying they are from KC8QJP Kathy Lee Are forges, don't respond to them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 18:11:33 UTC
From: Lee Scott <KC8LDO@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <422c99ae$0$13885$892e7fe2@authen.white.readfreenews.net>
Source record: 16662
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

"Psychiatrist to keyclowns" <keyklonzrnutjobs@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1109989304.846748.223490@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
Typical of
such incidents are punching people who cut him off in traffic, yelling
obscenities out car windows, and showing no consideration for others.
>
Are we supposed to feel sorry for you after he pounds you to a pulp dougay?

1190. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 18:21:40 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <422C9C42.9060002@yahoo.com>
Source record: 16663

I would buy the highest freq. scope that you can find and afford if you are only allowed one of the two. A company called Texscan made a line of inexpensive Spectrum Analyzers for the cable TV industry that are showing up now on the used market and on eBay. For most Ham work they work great. The company that bought Texscan is called Trilithic and manuals can be gotten from them I have been told.

Ron WA0KDS

rustyrd@aol.com wrote:
> Which of these would be the most useful to the Radio Amateur? Also when
> deciding upon one or the other, what specs should one look for in
> purchasing one for Ham radio applications, given basic needs for now
> but with enough capabilities to handle more advanced Ham radio needs in
> the future? Thank you for any help. B. Taylor
>

1191. Re: HF amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 18:44:51 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <r78p21dgqsb6f1221harlahmo02kgbr6j0@4ax.com>
Source record: 16664

On Mon, 7 Mar 2005 11:40:40 -0600, "Bill Grimwood" <bill@grimwood.net>
wrote:

>I want a HF amplifier that will put out 1000 to 1500 watts that will
>automatically tune to use with my Icom 756 Pro III. I know about the Icom
>amp but what else is available.
>

Alpha. http://www.alpha-amps.com/index.asp

Dick - W6CCD

1192. Ham Radio Forums

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 19:37:01 UTC
From: Eric <k4sci@hamradioforums.com>
Message-ID: <1110224221.266143.318100@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16665

Come and visit Ham Radio Forums at http://www.hamradioforums.com -
Registration only takes a minute, and the site has many features for
registered users.

Ham Radio Forums has a Photo Classifieds section where you can buy,
sell, and auction your gear with up to 3 pictures per listing! There
is a Photo Galleries department where every user gets 10 megs of photo
storage, Ham related or not! The extensive Forums section allows you
to read and post messages about anything Ham related. Registered users
have full access to the chat rooms, fully integrated into the site.
And there is an Articles section, where users can publish articles Ham
related.

And it's all FREE! So come check it out at
http://www.hamradioforums.com

Thank You,

k4sci

1193. Re: FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-07 20:36:54 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@TheObvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <8qep21lnmi1fipsgf2nali42dr72q23vnm@4ax.com>
Source record: 16666

On Fri, 4 Mar 2005 16:38:56 -0500, "Steve" <inawb@comcast.net> wrote:

>Go to Eham.com and look at what the hams are saying about the equipment.

Not sure if that was intended to be directed at me. Ed asked for a
comparison - I told him I can't make a comparison on 2 items when I
only have one.
--
To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1194. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 02:49:52 UTC
From: Gary Schafer <gaschafer@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <vl4q21t878tne4gjeq8t397v3fk8e61cqv@4ax.com>
Source record: 16667

On 6 Mar 2005 09:30:54 -0800, "ray13" <ray_psi@yahoo.com> wrote:

>They are both useful. You don't even want to know about all the bells
>and whistles you can get, let alone trying to figure out how many of
>those whistles you can use, not to mention the bells. And the digital
>models are like a high end ham rig. You are going to be navigating
>tonnes of menus.
>
>I'd go for an analog crt based scope, 20mhz, 50mhz or 100mhz bandwidth.
>With a 50volt to 50millivolt input range. Make sure it comes with a
>probe with 10:1 input switch. Scopes typically have a 1meg ohm input
>impedance so the 10:1 would get you 11 meg input plus the probe offers
>frequency compensation.

This is the best advice out of the whole bunch!

If you are just starting out with this kind of test equipment then a moderately priced analogue scope will serve quite well. It will also be under $200.00 or so. If you find you need more later on you can get something better. But that scope will probably do all you want it to.

You will probably get more use out of a scope than anything else. If you do any building of any logic or timing circuits, measuring ripple on a power supply or looking for signal paths of DC or audio, a scope is what you need. A spectrum analyzer will not do the things a scope will do.

A general coverage receiver will serve as a "poor mans spectrum analyzer". Most ham transceivers have general coverage on them and you can do a lot of things with the receiver that you can do with an expensive spectrum analyzer. Read frequency, measure levels, distinguish between different level signals (level of a harmonic compared to fundamental) etc. A spectrum analyzer is just an automatically tuned receiver with a display. The transceiver can also be used as a signal generator.

When you learn how to do those type of things with a receiver then a spectrum analyzer is much easier to use and understand.

Add the spectrum analyzer later. There are all different types and priced analyzers with many different features that you may or may not want. There are also some real dogs out there that you probably don't want.
Then the problem comes when buying of determining if it is really working as it should. It takes some experience with that kind of equipment to recognize if it is working properly. Repairs can be quite

expensive on a spectrum analyzer.

I would also avoid a service monitor as a first piece of test equipment.
As someone else said "they are a poor scope, a poor spectrum analyzer". They are a handy item for some types of things if you can get one that works properly. Like a spectrum analyzer they can be very expensive to repair. You really need to know what you are buying when you buy one.

73
Gary K4FMX

1195. Re: Good fox kit / schematic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 02:59:34 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <qy8Xd.601383$6l.17225@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16668
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

http://members.aol.com/homingin/

1196. I Need Instructions to hook up tone encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 03:27:51 UTC
From: Doug Davis <dougd@buckeye-express.com>
Message-ID: <n_WdnfenF5cBhrDfRVn-2w@buckeye-express.com>
Source record: 16669
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

I have a Kenwood TS-711A. I bought the SS-64 tone encoder from
Communications Specialists at http://www.com-spec.com/ss64.htm
They don't have installation instructions for the TS-711A.

I have 3 wires to hookup:

Red: v+
Black: Ground
Yellow: Modulator

The first two I can handle but the yellow I need help with...

I just received the service manual and schematics today but I still can't
find the modulator.
Does anyone know where to solder the yellow wire for tone out?

Thanks,

Doug
N8DRD

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OldTimerNews
http://www.oldtimernews.com

1197. Re: HF amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 03:44:17 UTC
From: JOE <JOE-KREMOVENOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110253359.6ba9f4ea09e3c47f980ba3e6fe939a33@meganetnews2>
Source record: 16670

>I want a HF amplifier that will put out 1000 to 1500 watts that will
>automatically tune to use with my Icom 756 Pro III. I know about the Icom
>amp but what else is available.

Wow. How exactly did you manage to get a ham license anyway?
The most SIMPLISTIC of research.... numbers backatcha good
buddy. Better get your flip flop - it's hanging out.

JOE

1198. Re: ALL Posts saying they are from KC8QJP Kathy Lee Are forges, don't respond to them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 03:55:36 UTC
From: No I Am Not Him <iamnotgeorge2004@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1110254136.475791.151500@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Lee Scott wrote:
> "Psychiatrist to keyclowns" <keyklonzrnutjobs@yahoo.com> wrote in
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> news:1109989304.846748.223490@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
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yelling
> obscenities out car windows, and showing no consideration for others.
> >
> Are we supposed to feel sorry for you after he pounds you to a pulp
dougay?

Forging again moparholic? Lessons from Twisteds playbook no doubt.

1199. Re: I Need Instructions to hook up tone encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 04:35:47 UTC
From: gb <onw9mapsgb@no.arrl.spam.net>
Message-ID: <zpqdnbsv2Yc0trDfRVn-ug@comcast.com>
Source record: 16672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

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1200. Extreme Cycle Duty Orbital battery charging voltage??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 07:53:17 UTC
From: denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <112qmeu3p468n36@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16673

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1201. Re: ALL Posts saying they are from KC8QJP Kathy Lee Are forges, don't respond to them

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 10:34:20 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050308053420.205$Dx@newsreader.com>
Source record: 16674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,alt.geo-puppet.bitchslap.cb,alt.dogie.is.an.idiot

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itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge <itoldyouiamnotiamnotgeorge@yahoo.comSpam>
wrote:
> "No I Am Not Him" <iamnotgeorge2004@yahoo.com> wrote in
> news:1110254136.475791.151500@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com:
>
> > Lee Scott wrote:
> >> "Psychiatrist to keyclowns" <keyklonzrnutjobs@yahoo.com> wrote in
> > message
> >> news:1109989304.846748.223490@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
> >> Typical of
> >> such incidents are punching people who cut him off in traffic,
> > yelling
> >> obscenities out car windows, and showing no consideration for others.
> >> >
> >> Are we supposed to feel sorry for you after he pounds you to a pulp
> > dougay?
> >>
> > Forging again moparholic? Lessons from Twisteds playbook no doubt.
>
> HAHA AND HE SAID JUST THE OTHER DAY HE DOESN'T FORGE lol...
>
I didn't post that, you brainless twit. Get back in your cage and
stop playing with your feces, geo-monkey.
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1202. Re: I Need Instructions to hook up tone encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 11:11:15 UTC
From: Doug Davis <dougd@buckeye-express.com>
Message-ID: <ItidnfS_hqOhFbDfRVn-ow@buckeye-express.com>
Source record: 16675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Thank you very much! I've found my solder points...now if I could just find
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1203. Re: I Need Instructions to hook up tone encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 14:35:12 UTC
From: whoever <whoever@wherever>
Message-ID: <VJmdnS2fpJK9JbDfRVn-hw@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Doug
Send that back to Com-spec and get the TU-5PX that's made for the
711/811 $60.00 and it's a simple plug-in

http://www.piexx.com/cgi-bin/piexx.cgi?p=tu5&cart_id=3262023.14035

Harry
N8GNI

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> http://www.oldtimernews.com
>
>

1204. FA: TWO(2) CUNNINGHAM CX-301-A VINTAGE RADIO TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:04:24 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <jgjXd.11175$FG5.1691@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16678
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=7275&item=6516390419&rd=1&ssPageNam
e=WDVW

1205. FA: DEFOREST AUDION RADIO AMPLIFIER TUBE FOR DISPLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:05:19 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ahjXd.11178$NJ5.2324@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16679
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=7275&item=6516390474&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1206. FA: ARCTURUS No.126 AMPLIFIER RADIO TUBE Blue-Globe DISPLAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:06:09 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <YhjXd.11180$zF5.1187@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16677
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=7275&item=6516390502&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1207. FA: US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS ANB-H-1 w/HB-7 HEADPHONES-WWII NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:07:11 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <WijXd.11182$AG5.9706@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16685
Cross-posted to:
alt.military.collecting,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4720&item=6516390407&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1208. FA: $11>TRIPLETT 630-PL VOM 20,000 ohms per VDC+5KV Simpson 260

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:08:12 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <TjjXd.11184$no5.6858@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16680
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48701&item=5756816270&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1209. FA: $10>NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET Hi-QUALITY D-BEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:09:16 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <TkjXd.11188$F15.9825@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16683
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=50971&item=3879229696&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1210. FA: $15> J.H. BUNNELL MAINLINE 15-B BRASS TELEGRAPH SOUNDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:10:13 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MljXd.11190$gI5.8733@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16684
Cross-posted to:
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48706&item=5756816301&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1211. FA: $10> HYGAIN TELEX MSHD LOWER MAST SUPPORT HAM-M IV V ROTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:11:00 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <umjXd.11193$gl5.9415@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16682
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5756816317&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1212. FA: CONVERSION BOOK for ARC-5 and SCR-274 COMMAND SETS-1957

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:11:46 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dnjXd.11195$hI5.8514@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16681
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15050&item=5756816347&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1213. FA: $10>ANTENNA SPECIALIST MS264 CB/AM-FM DISGIUSE ANTENNA NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 15:12:34 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ZnjXd.11197$yP5.1838@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16686
Cross-posted to:
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48692&item=5756816395&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1214. Ham Radio Forums

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 17:56:42 UTC
From: Eric <k4sci@hamradioforums.com>
Message-ID: <1110304602.401747.266800@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16687

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Forums: Read and Post messages covering all aspects of Ham Radio.

Articles: User submitted articles covering anything Ham related.

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Classifieds: Buy, sell, or auction your Ham gear with our Photo Classifieds!

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Chat: Fully integrated Chat Rooms, user created.

And much more! Easy to use and completely FREE! Registration is quick and easy!

http://www.hamradioforums.com

1215. Re: Extreme Cycle Duty Orbital battery charging voltage??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 19:49:54 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <112s0f2ddu6oae@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16688

In article <112qmeu3p468n36@corp.supernews.com>,
denton <denton@oregontrail.net> wrote:

>Hi all...
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>Comments anyone?? Thanks in advance...

This appears to be an AGM (Absorbed-electrolye Glass Mat) battery, one
of the newer generation of deep-cycle lead/acid batteries.

I've done a bunch of reading on AGMs, and I've heard of some people
who've done months of reading and study... and the conclusion seems to
be that there's a lot of disagreement about the ideal charging regime
for an AGM battery.

Some people feel that using a standard fast-charger is fine, with
fast-charge voltages up to 14.5 or so. Other people feel that this is
a Really Bad Idea, and that AGM batteries should not be charged at
above 14.0 volts. Float voltages of 13.4 - 13.8 seem to be what's
usually recommended.

One of the nice things about AGM batteries is that they'll accept a
lot of current (recharging quickly) even when fed a relatively low
recharge voltage. Given the controversy about the maximum safe
recharge voltage, and given how quickly they recharge even at
relatively low voltages, I prefer to be conservative and keep the
voltage under 14 volts.

It sounds to me as if you've got a workable setup for this battery
right now. You'd be floating it at around 13.8, and recharging it at
(13.8 minus whatever voltage drop occurs).

Exide seems to rate their AGM batteries for a 25-ampere recharge rate.
My hunch (which you might want to verify with an ammeter) is that the
battery you have won't try to draw more than that from a 13.8-volt
supply, and that you'll be within a safe recharging regime.

You *might* want to consider trimming down the output voltage of your
supply to 13.6 or so, which would cause a trivial decrease in transmit
power but might give you some safety margin to keep the battery from
starting to electrolyze during float charging.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1216. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 20:58:46 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <396i05F5aa552U1@individual.net>
Source record: 16689
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-08 22:44:39 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <plas21dihm2c03ica3u0a2dqsc90lp6ucr@4ax.com>
Source record: 16690

On 8 Mar 2005 09:56:42 -0800, "Eric" <k4sci@hamradioforums.com> wrote:

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Once per group is good. No need to spam everyday

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

1218. Re: 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 00:23:00 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <ElrXd.5984$CW2.766@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am very interested in the IC02AT if indeed it is in good
condition, Let me know what your thoughts are.

W4PHM
Patrick H. Mason M.S. OHST, EMT-I

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1219. Re: 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 00:25:51 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <jorXd.5987$CW2.5500@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> >
> > Robert Kubichek N9LVU
> > 1502 South 10th. Street
> > Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
> > bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net
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1220. Re: I Need Instructions to hook up tone encoder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 02:07:11 UTC
From: Scott <acepilot@bloomer.net>
Message-ID: <422E5A4F.6040209@bloomer.net>
Source record: 16693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

Doug,

Of course, NOW somebody comes up with a link for you for a tone board made specifically for your rig. If you don't want to send back the Spec Com board, I think I know an easy way for you to find the modulation point...looking at the board that is a direct replacement for that rig, it appears the tone board plugs onto 7 or 8 pins that must be present in the radio. One of those MUST be the audio input to the modulator. Check the service manual to find the pinout for that connector and you should be home free...

Scott
N0EDV

Doug Davis wrote:
> I have a Kenwood TS-711A. I bought the SS-64 tone encoder from
> Communications Specialists at http://www.com-spec.com/ss64.htm
> They don't have installation instructions for the TS-711A.
>
> I have 3 wires to hookup:
>
> Red: v+
> Black: Ground
> Yellow: Modulator
>
> The first two I can handle but the yellow I need help with...
>
> I just received the service manual and schematics today but I still can't
> find the modulator.
> Does anyone know where to solder the yellow wire for tone out?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Doug
> N8DRD
>
> --
> OldTimerNews
> http://www.oldtimernews.com
>
>

1221. Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 05:20:17 UTC
From: Carolina Radio <sales@carolina-radio.com>
Message-ID: <1110345616.920767.317330@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16694

Tired of trying to use your older software on those new Windows XP, USB

and fast computers?
This laptop is speedy enough to play on the net and run most
applications yet compatable with you older Motorola Software. Have
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Available:

Toshiba 2505CDS Laptop

233 Mhz Intel Pentium Processor
32 Mb RAM
2.1Gb Hard Drive
2 PCMCIA Card Slots
Li-Ion Battery (working)
Built in 20X CD ROM
Built in 3.5 inch Floppy Drive
S Video Video out
Yamaha Stereo Sound
USB Port
9 Pin Com Port
15 Pin RGB Video port
Infrared Port
7 Lbs.
Windows 98 Operating System
12.1 Color Bright Display
Power Supply

This laptop is also loaded with the following software:

Windows 98 Operating System

Internet Explorer Ver 6.0

Microsoft Office (which includes):Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Access,
Microsoft Binder, Microsoft Powerpoint, Microsoft Word

Microsoft Works 2000

Microsoft Outlook Express

Quicken Home & Office 2005

AND MUCH MORE for you "Programmers"!!!
EMAIL ME for a more complete list!!!

I have a TWO of these units and each has a working battery (I've worked

on
it without the Power Supply but I haven't timed the length)

$179.00 SHIPPED in the US!

Reply

1222. FA: Hammarlund, Central Electronics, Collins Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 10:54:47 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <VBAXd.57520$%U2.35645@lakeread01>
Source record: 16695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1223. FA: Excellent Heathkit SB-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 10:56:20 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <mDAXd.57521$%U2.49022@lakeread01>
Source record: 16696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5757553988&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1224. Re: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 14:52:14 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c98ad7bfd7e41a89896ea@localhost>
Source record: 16697

In article <1110345616.920767.317330@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>,
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kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

1225. Re: Ham Radio Forums

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 16:50:52 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnd2uabc.3db.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 16598

On Tue, 08 Mar 2005 17:44:39 -0500, Buck wrote:
> On 8 Mar 2005 09:56:42 -0800, "Eric" <k4sci@hamradioforums.com> wrote:
>
>>Come visit Ham Radio Forums!
<-snip->
>
> Once per group is good. No need to spam everyday

Well, trimming the original spam is good, too. Especially when
they are always drive-by, write-only postings.

Anyway, "Subject: forum" has now been added to the rec.radio.*
section of the killfile here.

Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

1226. * * * * * * * All Bloggers Go Here * * * * * * *

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 17:07:55 UTC
From: Ron400053@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110388075.025269.82800@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16599

http://www.are-u-sure.blogspot.com <- - - all bloggers go here

1227. * * * * * * * All Bloggers Go Here * * * * * * *

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 18:49:20 UTC
From: Ron400053@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110394160.601059.258350@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16600

http://www.are-u-sure.blogspot.com <- - - all bloggers go here

1228. Re: Extreme Cycle Duty Orbital battery charging voltage??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 19:05:51 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d0ni6s$fv4$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16601

Good question! I have an Astron RS35m modified to VS-35m and a couple of different group 27 batteries. One is a SLA and the other is an Interstate Deep Cycle flooded. I know you aren't supposed to parallel unlike batteries. I brought the other in out of the trailer to charge and it's been there ever since. I had it set to 13.8 for the radios, and after about a year, checked the Interstate and found it about a GALLON low in the cells. I filled it back up and it seems to work fine. That's when I modified the Supply to Variable (screw adjust with locking shafts) and dropped it down to 13.2v. The batteries never got warm to my knowledge though. Rather than a rectifier (I was afraid of an exposed diode) I added a 30 ATC fuse in line from the pass xstrs to output terminal and a heavier crowbar circuit. If the fuse blows, the output meter drops. A larger resistor was added to the wiper of the internal Voltage Reference adjust to limit current back from the battery. A Silicon rectifier has .6v drop.

Now to the Orbitals. You don't say what color. Yellow top are said to be deep cycle. Blue top are said to be dual purpose. You might want to check the specifications on their web page or whatever. I hear they are more rugged and can charge harder. I don't see any need to. It is hard for me to believe that electrolyte trapped in a glass mat with thin plates is "better". If you are just floating, I would think you could set to 13.8 v (with .6 drop in rectifier) and forget it. In a car they hang from a bunch of hi draw and start and charge at 13.8-14.4v. They say not to equalize more than 4 times a year!

Do a Google on them and there are mixed opinions of them. I've never bought one because they are twice as expensive as a flooded deep cycle.

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message news:112s0f2ddu6oae@corp.supernews.com...
> In article <112qmeu3p468n36@corp.supernews.com>,
> denton <denton@oregontrail.net> wrote:
>
> >Hi all...
> >I have purchased a Extreme Cycle Duty Orbital 12-volt Sealed Battery as a
> >replacement for an aging standard deep cycle lead acid battery that floats
> >across the output of my 35 amp homebrew power supply with blocking diode (50
> >amp jobbie on heat sink).

> >I typically use 13.8 vdc on the outboard of the blocking diode to charge the
> >old deep cycle battery to keep it up to snuff, but am wonding if I should
> >change the charging voltage for the new battery.
> >Comments anyone?? Thanks in advance...
>
> This appears to be an AGM (Absorbed-electrolye Glass Mat) battery, one
> of the newer generation of deep-cycle lead/acid batteries.
>
> I've done a bunch of reading on AGMs, and I've heard of some people
> who've done months of reading and study... and the conclusion seems to
> be that there's a lot of disagreement about the ideal charging regime
> for an AGM battery.
>
> Some people feel that using a standard fast-charger is fine, with
> fast-charge voltages up to 14.5 or so. Other people feel that this is
> a Really Bad Idea, and that AGM batteries should not be charged at
> above 14.0 volts. Float voltages of 13.4 - 13.8 seem to be what's
> usually recommended.
>
> One of the nice things about AGM batteries is that they'll accept a
> lot of current (recharging quickly) even when fed a relatively low
> recharge voltage. Given the controversy about the maximum safe
> recharge voltage, and given how quickly they recharge even at
> relatively low voltages, I prefer to be conservative and keep the
> voltage under 14 volts.
>
> It sounds to me as if you've got a workable setup for this battery
> right now. You'd be floating it at around 13.8, and recharging it at
> (13.8 minus whatever voltage drop occurs).
>
> Exide seems to rate their AGM batteries for a 25-ampere recharge rate.
> My hunch (which you might want to verify with an ammeter) is that the
> battery you have won't try to draw more than that from a 13.8-volt
> supply, and that you'll be within a safe recharging regime.
>
> You *might* want to consider trimming down the output voltage of your
> supply to 13.6 or so, which would cause a trivial decrease in transmit
> power but might give you some safety margin to keep the battery from

> starting to electrolyze during float charging.
>
> --
> Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org>
AE6EO
> Hosting the Jade Warrior home page:
http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
> I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I
will
> boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1229. Re: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 19:31:25 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <haIXd.356390$w62.78579@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16602

I have run into the same problems. I use an old 486 75MHz laptop with DOS and Win3.1 This system works fine.....I woudn't want to use a faster computer either.

Pete

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> kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
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> with surreal ports?"

1230. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 22:12:50 UTC
From: Bill <Bill@birchnet.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <9TX6VcOYT3LCFw8Z@birchnet.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 16603

In message <Xns96118B9BDCC5Afw190a8@198.161.157.145>, Panzer240
<panzer240@hotmail.com> writes
>Alas I am not aware of such an item. But there maybe someone else who
>does. :)

I think this would be what you are thinking of????

Http://www.tti-test.com/products-tti/pdf-brochure/prec-tsa-2p.pdf

http://www.tti-test.com/products-tti/text-pages/prec-tsa1000.htm

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Bill

1231. * * * * * * * All Bloggers Go Here * * * * * * *

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-09 23:32:07 UTC
From: Ron038001@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110411127.128514.62700@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16604

http://www.are-u-sure.blogspot.com <- - - all bloggers go here

1232. Icom 706MkIIG PL Tone Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 02:59:54 UTC
From: Willco2 <willco788@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <vI6dnc6A4sa2JbLfRVn-hA@comcast.com>
Source record: 16605

The PL tone in an Icom 706 MkII G is generated by
the CPU. An internal A to D generates a stair
step function creating a low frequency sine wave.
The PL tone is coupled to the transmit audio
circuits through a low pass filter.

I noticed that the step function also generates
other frequency components that pass through the
low pass filter and modulates the FM in the
in the audio range. The frequency components are
present when the PL is turned on and can be heard
using another VHF receiver. Using the oscilloscope
in my service monitor, I could even see the the
stair step transitions in the demodulated audio.

I talked to other hams and received e-mail
claiming that their 706 doesn't have that problem
but if you turn the mike gain all the way down,
with another VHF receiver listen to 706 on a simplex
frequency with the PL on, you will hear the tones.
When the PL is off the tones disappear

In the 1980's I worked for Rockwell Collins as
a Engineering assistant. I worked in a group
that analyzed design flaws in products and I am
confident that my diagnosis is correct.

I run a radio repair shop in my home and a
customer complained that the PL in his 706MkIIG
was off frequency and he couldn't access a local
repeater. After checking his radio I noticed
that it was producing low level audible tones
around 1000Hz. I check my 706 and two others
that were in my shop. They all did the same
thing. Several friends have Icom 706's and
repeating an on the air test I could hear
the tones even through an open repeater.

The step function is so poorly filtered that I
couldn't measure the PL frequency with my HP 5334
frequency counter. I had to used an audio bandpass
filter between the test point on the radio and the
frequency counter.

The beat tone changes when a different PL is selected.
I think it's possible that the right PL and beat tone

can cause problems with PL decoders on some repeaters?

Did I open a can of worms?

Jack WA9FVP
Willco Electronics

1233. Re: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 04:41:29 UTC
From: Carolina Radio <sales@carolina-radio.com>
Message-ID: <1110429688.959087.134710@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16606

However... If you have played the programmin game as long as I have,
you'll also find some computer have a distaste for motorola software
more that others. Although for Maxtrac, MT1000, HT600 as you quoted,
you MAY have to go into the BIOS, It WILL run those with no probem and
still can use used for other uses.

1234. FA: Last Call for Vintage tubes, Tonight & only $9.99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 16:48:14 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <VZ_Xd.21753$5r4.2738@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16607
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6516390419&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1235. FS: GR1225 UHF Repeater 16 channel, 45 watt repeater. .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 18:17:07 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <oi3131thc0httpuekpti32f022ebk5agkr@4ax.com>
Source record: 16608

FS: GR1225 UHF Repeater 16 channel, 45 watt repeater.

In GR cabinet everything including Celwave 6 cavity duplexer/ps/fan
Will not be dead on arrival!!

Price: 875.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

1236. Buy and Sell your Tube Gear!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 19:37:22 UTC
From: Jeff James <cbstv@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <us1Yd.21779$0S6.10542@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16609

The Boatanchor Classifieds
http://www.dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi
Dedicated to vintage amateur radio!

1237. newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 20:21:13 UTC
From: razorbladeshoes@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1110486073.267964.53290@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16610
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

hello, i'm relatively new to ham radio and had a few technical
questions i was hoping to throw out...anyone that can answer these
would be very helpful!

1. i've seen transmitter schematics that were simple, and others that
were complex. as a general rule of thumb, are the more complex ones
trying to compensate for frequency drift, or maybe eliminate higher
harmonics? how efficient and/or stable are the simple transmitter
schematics?

2. other than frequency range, what characteristics are you concerned
about when trying to match a transmitter to an amp?

3. without an amp, couldn't you still run the signal to an antenna and
it would be a weak transmitter? all the amp does is increase the
voltage and current supplied to the antenna, correct?

4. for an FM transmitter, does the modulation occur to oscillator
directly, or is the oscillator's signal modulated after "leaving" the
oscillator? i guess what i'm asking is whether or not there is an input
to the oscillator, or is it just an "output only" frequency generator?

thanks!
jason

1238. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 20:49:53 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <nr2Yd.21161$YO5.4539@fe04.lga>
Source record: 16611
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Jason

Nice questions, let me try to answer a few ..

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One obvious thing is that CW transmitters tend to be simple, SSB transmitters complex. But there are a thousand design variables. One big one is the complexity of the ICs employed. Today you can have a very stable VFO with just a few parts. You tend to pay a little bit of a price in phase noise, but frequency drift is not an issue. With an analog VFO, you can add a lot of complexity trying to get around frequency drift, but phase noise is never an issue. Years ago, all you had was analog. A few years ago, DDS (direct digital synthesis) was complex and expensive. Today, analog VFOs tend on the expensive side! It is similar with amplifiers. In many radios, all, or most, of the PA is in a single brick, instead of a fistfull of parts. Ditto with almost everything up and down the chain.

Frequency is also an issue and again that is changing with technology. A few years ago, it was hard to get directly to VHF. You typically had several oscillators getting mixed up, frequency multiplied, etc. This was especially true if you had an analog VFO because it is very hard to get stability at VHF, and multiplying the frequency also multiplies the drift in an analog VFO. There are still reasons you might want to do some mixing up to get to VHF with a DDS VFO, but DDS parts up into the gigahertz range are now cheap parts.

It was only a few years ago that a DDS VFO cost hundreds of dollars. Today you can buy a chip with a VHF synthesizer and amplifier and modulator for less than the tuning capacitor in an analog VFO.

> 2. other than frequency range, what characteristics are you concerned
> about when trying to match a transmitter to an amp?

If you are buying commercial, you are looking at price, of course, and expected reliability, along with power consumption. For SSB, you need the amplifier to be linear, which implies lower efficiency. For FM/CW you don't need linear, so the amp can be a lot more efficient. If you are designing the amp, then you are worrying about impedance mathcing, as well.

> 3. without an amp, couldn't you still run the signal to an antenna and
> it would be a weak transmitter? all the amp does is increase the
> voltage and current supplied to the antenna, correct?

Yes of course. There are times when you want a lot of power, but most of the time it really isn't necessary. Also, it is a lot easier to get antenna gain than power to the antenna, especially at higher frequencies. The need for power depends a lot on what you do, what frequencies you operate, and to a degree, what "floats your boat". If you are doing EME or HSMS, you need a fair bit of power - hundreds of watts, anyway. If you are chatting on the local repeater, typically a watt is as good as a kilowatt. Lots of folks called QRPers like to use very low power. For them the "legal limit" is five watts, but many try to see what they can do with milliwatts. The current miles/watt record is held by a guy who operated 40 microwatts over a 500+ mile path.

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> directly, or is the oscillator's signal modulated after "leaving" the
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> to the oscillator, or is it just an "output only" frequency generator?

Typically you would modulate the oscillator, although these days, the audio may well be simply data to the synthesizer. However, because FM is typically done at VHF and higher, there may well be additional oscillators mixed with the modulated signal to get up into the VHF/UHF range.

Hope this helps

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1239. Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 21:42:34 UTC
From: Paul <paul@mbars.co.uk>
Message-ID: <4230bf43@212.67.96.135>
Source record: 16612

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1240. * ATTENTION ALL BLOGGERS *

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 22:19:16 UTC
From: BLOGGER2005a@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110493156.219051.277200@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16613

http://www.are-u-sure.blogspot.com << go here

1241. Re: Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 22:45:37 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <4230CE11.1000309@cableone.net>
Source record: 16614

Paul, I have tried several times to register and program seems to have a problem with the password entry, loses it when you hit enter.

Butch KF5DE

Paul wrote:

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>

1242. Re: Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 22:56:41 UTC
From: Paul <paul@mbars.co.uk>
Message-ID: <4230d0a6@212.67.96.135>
Source record: 16615

"Butch" <lynyrd@cableone.net> wrote in message
news:4230CE11.1000309@cableone.net...
> Paul, I have tried several times to register and program seems to have a
> problem with the password entry, loses it when you hit enter.
>
> Butch KF5DE
>
Hi Butch
I cannot see a problem and a couple of people have registered and logged in
during the last hour. Try again and if you still have a problem I will set
up your account from this end.
Cheers Paul

1243. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-10 23:36:08 UTC
From: "dave.harper" <dave.harper@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110497768.182023.13910@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16616
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

xpyttl wrote:
> Hi Jason
>
> Nice questions, let me try to answer a few ..
>
> <razorbladeshoes@gmail.com> wrote in message
> news:1110486073.267964.53290@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
>
> > 1. i've seen transmitter schematics that were simple, and others
that
> > were complex. as a general rule of thumb, are the more complex ones
> > trying to compensate for frequency drift, or maybe eliminate higher
> > harmonics? how efficient and/or stable are the simple transmitter
> > schematics?
>
> One obvious thing is that CW transmitters tend to be simple, SSB
> transmitters complex. But there are a thousand design variables.
One big
> one is the complexity of the ICs employed. Today you can have a very
stable
> VFO with just a few parts. You tend to pay a little bit of a price
in phase
> noise, but frequency drift is not an issue. With an analog VFO, you
can add
> a lot of complexity trying to get around frequency drift, but phase
noise is
> never an issue. Years ago, all you had was analog. A few years ago,
DDS
> (direct digital synthesis) was complex and expensive. Today, analog
VFOs
> tend on the expensive side! It is similar with amplifiers. In many
radios,
> all, or most, of the PA is in a single brick, instead of a fistfull
of
> parts. Ditto with almost everything up and down the chain.
>
> Frequency is also an issue and again that is changing with
technology. A
> few years ago, it was hard to get directly to VHF. You typically had
> several oscillators getting mixed up, frequency multiplied, etc.
This was
> especially true if you had an analog VFO because it is very hard to
get

> stability at VHF, and multiplying the frequency also multiplies the
drift in
> an analog VFO. There are still reasons you might want to do some
mixing up
> to get to VHF with a DDS VFO, but DDS parts up into the gigahertz
range are
> now cheap parts.
>
> It was only a few years ago that a DDS VFO cost hundreds of dollars.
Today
> you can buy a chip with a VHF synthesizer and amplifier and modulator
for

Good info to know. I was kinda looking around to make a (mostly) IC transmitter like that... (anything 70cm and under). Are you aware of any chip PN's or schematics I could dive into to learn?

Thanks,
Dave

1244. * ATTENTION ALL BLOGGERS *

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 00:00:43 UTC
From: BLOGGER2005a@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110499242.990967.47470@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16617

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1245. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 00:24:56 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <wz5Yd.25$ft6.14@fe03.lga>
Source record: 16618
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"dave.harper" <dave.harper@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1110497768.182023.13910@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...

> Good info to know. I was kinda looking around to make a (mostly) IC
> transmitter like that... (anything 70cm and under). Are you aware of
> any chip PN's or schematics I could dive into to learn?

Analog Devices' parts are favored by hams. The greatest number of projects out there use the AD9850, but that part is a little older, and does not provide modulation input. Also, it is really only good up to about 30 MHz, you can push a bit past that but the power requirements explode and the noise goes up. Without any component changes it will go down to 1 Hz. Newer AD98xx parts are starting to get more attention, and some of those are useful up into the low 100's of MHz. The 99xx parts have more features yet.

TI has a TRF4400 which is a 440 MHz synthesizer with modulation and an amp (not much of an amp, tho!), and the almost identical 4900 for 900 MHz. Some folks have used these down to 6 meters. The TI parts have greater channel spacing than the AD parts, but that also reduces the frequency of the crystal or oscillator, which has a big effect on the power consumption. TI also has a 2050/1/2 which are synthesizers (I don't recall if they have modulation) up into the gigahertz range. I've been toying with using one of the TI parts as a VFO for an HF rig by using a prescaler to divide down the frequency (and consequsntly the spacing).

The AD parts are pricey, but AD is very good about samples. The TI parts are all in the five buck neighborhood. There are a zillion projects/kits out there based on the AD parts.

If you've ever built an analog VFO, these DDS parts are like black magic. They take little in the way of support circuitry, no fretting about layout, no spending weeks trying to work out the temperature compensation, no moving around because you breathed on it, you just dial in the frequency you want and you are spot on.

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1246. easy money in 30 days

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 03:04:36 UTC
From: trip <jotto105@wi.rr.com>
Message-ID: <1110510276.745573.49370@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16619

MAKING MONEY I found this on a bulletin board and decided to try it. A little while back, I was browsing through newsgroups and came across an

article similar to this that said you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $6.00! So I thought, "Yeah right, this must be a scam", but like most of us, I was curious, so I kept reading. Anyway, it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 6

names and address stated in the article. You then place your own name and address in the bottom of the list at #6, and post the article in at

least 200 newsgroups. (There are thousands) No catch, that was it. So after thinking it over, and talking to a few people first, I thought about trying it. I figured: "what have I got to lose except 6 stamps and $6.00, right?" Then I invested the measly $6.00. WellGUESS WHAT!!... Within 7 days, I started getting money in the mail! I was shocked! I figured it would end soon, but the money just kept coming in. In my first week, I made about $25.00. By the end of the second week I had made a total of over $1,000.00! In the third week I had over

$10,000.00 and it's still growing. This is now my fourth week and I have made a total of just over $42,000.00 and it's still coming in rapidly. It's certainly worth $6.00, and 6 stamps, I have spent more than that on the!! Let me tell you how this works and most importantly,

why it works.... Also, make sure you print a copy of this article NOW, so you can get the information off of it as you need it. I promise you that if you follow the directions exactly, that you will start making more money than you thought possible by doing something so easy! Suggestion: Read this entire message carefully! (print it out or download it.) Follow the simple directions and watch the money come in!

It's easy. It's legal. And, your investment is only $6.00 (Plus postage) IMPORTANT: This is not a scam; it is not indecent; it is not illegal; and it is virtually no risk - it really works!!!! If all of the following instructions are adhered to, you will receive extraordinary dividends. PLEASE NOTE: Please follow these directions EXACTLY, and $50,000 or more can be yours in 20 to 60 days. This program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants. Please continue its success by carefully adhering to the instructions. You will now become part of the Mail Order business. In this business your product is not solid and tangible, it's a service. You are in the business of developing Mailing Lists. Many large corporations are happy to pay big bucks for quality lists. However, the

money made from the mailing lists is secondary to the income which is made from people like you and me asking to be included in that list. Here are the 4 easy steps to success: STEP 1: Get 6 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each piece of paper "PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST." Now get 6 US $1.00 bills and place ONE inside EACH of the 6 pieces of paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelope (to prevent thievery). Next, place one paper in each of the 6 envelopes and seal them. You should now have 6 sealed envelopes, each with a piece of paper stating the above phrase, your name and address, and a $1.00 bill. What you are doing is creating a service. THIS IS ABSOLUTELY LEGAL! You are requesting a legitimate service and you are paying for it! Like most of us I was a little skeptical and a little worried about the legal aspects of it all. So I checked it out with the

U.S. Post Office (1-800-725-2161) and they confirmed that it is indeed legal! Mail the 6 envelopes to the following addresses: #1)Dan Warner 2812
W. 1st. St. Duluth, MN 55806 #2) Karen Green 50 Gillinder Street Rockhampton Qld Australia 4700 #3) Ryan Lake 41130 Congerbay Dr Harrison Twp, MI 48045 #4) Zac Inchley unit 82/ 128 Benowa rd Southport

Qld Australia 4215 #5) Carl Baker 2267 N. Kedzie 1st floor Chicago, Illinois 60647 #6) Jason Otto 600 s. 1st st. Waterford, WI 53185
STEP 2: Now take the #1 name off the list that you see above, move the other names up (6 becomes 5, 5 becomes 4, etc.) and add

YOUR Name as number 6 on the list. STEP 3: Change anything you need to,

but try to keep this article as close to original as possible. Now, post your amended article to at least 200 newsgroups. (I think there are close to 24,000 groups) All you need is 200, but remember, the more

you post, the more money you make! This is perfectly legal! If you have

any doubts, refer to Title 18 Sec. 1302 & 1341 of the Postal laws. Keep

a copy of these steps for yourself and, whenever you need money, you can use it again, and again. NOTE: You may want to retain every name and address sent to you, either on a computer or hard copy and keep the

notes people send you. This VERIFIES that you are truly providing a service. (Also, it might be a good idea to wrap the $1 bill in dark paper to reduce the risk of mail theft.) So, as each post is downloaded

and the directions carefully followed, six members will be reimbursed for their participation as a List Developer with one dollar each. Your name will move up the list geometrically so that when your name reaches

the #1 position you will be receiving thousands of dollars in CASH!!! What an opportunity for only $6.00 ($1.00 for each of the first six people listed above) Send it now, add your own name to the list and you're in business! ---DIRECTIONS ----- FOR HOW TO POST TO NEWSGROUPS---------- Step 1) You do not need to re-type this entire letter to do your own posting. Simply put your cursor at the beginning

of this letter and drag your cursor to the bottom of this document, and

select 'copy' from the edit menu. This will copy the entire letter into

the computer's memory. Step 2) Open a blank 'notepad' file and place your cursor at the top of the blank page. From the 'edit' menu select 'paste'. This will paste a copy of the letter into notepad so that you can add your name to the list. Step 3) Save your new notepad file as a .txt file. If you want to do your postings in different settings, you'll always have this file to go back to. Step 4) Use Netscape or Internet explorer and try searching for various newsgroups (on-line forums, message boards, chat sites, discussions.) Step 5) Visit these message boards and post this article as a new message by highlighting the text of this letter and selecting paste from the edit menu. Fill in

the Subject, this will be the header that everyone sees as they scroll through the list of postings in a particular group, click the post message button. You're done with your first one!
Congratulations...THAT'S IT! All you have to do is jump to different newsgroups and post away, after you get the hang of it, it will take about 30 seconds for each newsgroup! **REMEMBER, THE MORE NEWSGROUPS YOU POST IN, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE!! BUT YOU HAVE TO POST A MINIMUM OF 200** That's it! You will begin receiving money from around the world within days! You may eventually want to rent a P.O.Box due to

the large amount of mail you will receive. If you wish to stay anonymous, you can invent a name to use, as long as the postman will deliver it. **JUST MAKE SURE ALL THE ADDRESSES ARE CORRECT. ** Now the WHY part: Out of 200 postings, say I receive only 5 replies (a verylow example). So then I made $5.00 with my name at #6 on the letter. Now, each of the 5 persons who just sent me $1.00 make the MINIMUM 200 postings, each with my name at #5 and only 5 persons respond to each of

the original 5, that is another $25.00 for me, now those 25 each make 200 MINIMUM posts with my name at #4 and only 5 replies each, I will bring in an additional $125.00! Now, those 125 persons turn around and post the MINIMUM 200 with my name at #3 and only receive 5 replies each, I will make an additional $626.00! OK, now here is the fun part, each of those 625 persons post a MINIMUM 200 letters with my name at #2

and they each only receive 5 replies, that just made me $3,125.00!!! Those 3,125 persons will all deliver this message to 200 newsgroups with my name at #1 and if still 5 persons per 200 newsgroups react I will receive $15,625,00! With an original investment of only $6.00! AMAZING! When your name is no longer on the list, you just take the latest posting in the newsgroups, and send out another $6.00 to names on the list, putting your name at number 6 again. And start posting again. The thing to remember is: do you realize that thousands of people all over the world are joining the internet and reading these articles everyday?, JUST LIKE YOU are now!! So, can you afford $6.00 and see if it really works?? I think so... People have said, "what if the plan is played out and no one sends you the money? So what! What

are the chances of that happening when there are tons of new honest users and new honest people who are joining the internet and newsgroups

everyday and are willing to give it a try? Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users, every day, with thousands of those joining the actual

internet. Remember, play FAIRLY and HONESTLY PLEASE REMEMBER that this program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants and by their carefully adhering to the directions. Look at

it this way. If you are of integrity, the program will continue and the

money that so many others have received will come your way

1247. samlex voltage-sag is causing an undervoltage-reset issue

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 03:21:49 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <h98Yd.638935$6l.436634@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16620

I have an HT that draws 1.9 amps when transmitting, and the voltage can't sag more than 2v or the HT does an undervoltage reset. I just bought a samlex 12v, 4amp power supply to run my HT but there's a problem. The samlex 12v output voltage begins to sag as soon as the mic is keyed and the amount of sag increases steadily until 3-4 seconds into the transmission the HT does an undervolt-caused reset because it's input voltage has sagged 2v. I might not be able to return the samlex to the shop and replace it, and I'm wondering if there's something that can be done to enable me to use it some way, somehow to power my HT. The HT will work fine on a reduced transmission power setting but then I can't reach repeaters. I have another wall -wart plug in adaptor that puts out 1700mA at 12v.
-Is there some way I can combine the two power supplies together?
-In parallel maybe? Parallel would probably work if they were batteries because I know in series the voltage would exceed the max of 16v.
-How about some kind of arrangement with a transformer?
-If I get a lead-acid, 12v, 10amp/hour battery, how complicated acircuit would I need to charge the battery from the samlex? is this a possibility?

1248. FA National RCE receiver (NC-100)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 03:40:41 UTC
From: petev <spiffy1238@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1ZCdnSAZB9y4iazfRVn-uA@comcast.com>
Source record: 16621

Please see:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=5756775949
Thanks!

1249. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 13:49:13 UTC
From: razorbladeshoes@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1110548953.740433.8750@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16622
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

hey, thanks for the info. that was very helpful! as you probably
expected, i would like to ask a couple of follow-ups on 2 of the
questions:

xpyttl wrote:

> > 2. other than frequency range, what characteristics are you
concerned
> > about when trying to match a transmitter to an amp?
>
> If you are buying commercial, you are looking at price, of course,
and
> expected reliability, along with power consumption. For SSB, you
need the
> amplifier to be linear, which implies lower efficiency. For FM/CW
you don't
> need linear, so the amp can be a lot more efficient. If you are
designing
> the amp, then you are worrying about impedance mathcing, as well.

i guess what i meant was more along these lines: you need to make sure
the peak-to-peak input voltage and current capabilities of the input is
matched with the amp, right? or does the amp have a lot of leeway in
those regards?

> > 4. for an FM transmitter, does the modulation occur to oscillator
> > directly, or is the oscillator's signal modulated after "leaving"
the
> > oscillator? i guess what i'm asking is whether or not there is an
input
> > to the oscillator, or is it just an "output only" frequency
generator?
>
> Typically you would modulate the oscillator, although these days, the
audio
> may well be simply data to the synthesizer. However, because FM is
> typically done at VHF and higher, there may well be additional
oscillators
> mixed with the modulated signal to get up into the VHF/UHF range.

just to make sure i have it straight, if i were to transmit a sine wave
at 146mhz, anyone listening in on 146 mhz wouldn't hear anything
(except maybe less noise than usual). if i were to vary the frequency
between 146.0001 and 145.9999 at a rate of 100hz, then anyone recieving
would hear a quiet 100hz tone. now if i were to vary the frequency

between 146.001 and 145.999 (holding all previous listeners constant), then anyone listening would hear a much louder tone...correct? or am i not understanding it yet? ;-)

thanks again for the help!
jason

1250. Radio Equipment newsgroup is at www.ugroups.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 14:12:31 UTC
From: F.Y.I.
Message-ID: <hp9331pvvbesleapf8jcmepr27m6kvm7it@4ax.com>
Source record: 16623

This is a monthly reminder that you can easily access
rec.radio.amateur.equipment via the web at
http://www.ugroups.com/Hobbies/viewforum.php?f=2 without a newsreader.
This message from www.ugroups.com is intended for those who might be interested in free web based access to the newsgroups. Please add to your kill file to avoid future inconvenience.

1251. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 14:45:42 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <UbiYd.410$ES4.71@fe02.lga>
Source record: 16624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

<razorbladeshoes@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1110548953.740433.8750@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...

> i guess what i meant was more along these lines: you need to make sure
> the peak-to-peak input voltage and current capabilities of the input is
> matched with the amp, right? or does the amp have a lot of leeway in
> those regards?

Actually, no. Typically the amp doesn't have a lot of flexibility there,
but in general the exciter does.

In amateur practice, the impedance of almost anything that connects together
at RF is 50 ohms or converted to 50 ohms. Given that, the power level then
converts directly to voltage and current.

Typically, HF exciters have a lot of range in output power. The FCC
prohibits the sale of HF power amplifiers having a required drive of less
than 80 watts. Since most HF exciters have 100 watts out, the required
input power of HF amps is rarely specified, since it will almost always
match almost all exciters. I don't think other countries have the same
rules, but the FCC also requires that the amps cannot easily be modified to
accept lower drive, so it is expensive for manufacturers to make amps
differently for different markets, since that typically would require a
complete redesign.

On VHF, it's a little different. Most VHF exciters only have a few output
power settings. VHF amps generally specify the input power, and typically,
it will be a fairly wide range. But still, if you want, say, 200 watts at 2
meters, you would buy a different amp for a 5 watt HT than you would for a
50 watt mobile.

> just to make sure i have it straight, if i were to transmit a sine wave
> at 146mhz, anyone listening in on 146 mhz wouldn't hear anything
> (except maybe less noise than usual). if i were to vary the frequency
> between 146.0001 and 145.9999 at a rate of 100hz, then anyone recieving
> would hear a quiet 100hz tone. now if i were to vary the frequency
> between 146.001 and 145.999 (holding all previous listeners constant),
> then anyone listening would hear a much louder tone...correct? or am i
> not understanding it yet? ;-)

That is exactly right.

There is a weird behavior of FM receivers called the "capture effect". A
signal of sufficient amplitude at the input of an FM receiver cose to where
the receiver is tuned will totally quiet the receiver. In an AM, CW or SSB
signal, the amplitude is converted to audio almost directly. As a result,

noise on the input appears as noise on the output.

FM is different, though. In FM, we want to hear the frequency modulation. When there is no signal, we hear the detector randomly wandering around trying to interpret the noise as signal, but the amplitude of the noise really has no effect. Once a signal is detected that is strong enough for the detector to follow, the detector follows the signal and there is no more noise. To exaggerate this effect, most FM receivers amplify the signal so much that the amplifiers become saturated and amplitude variation in the input signal is clipped (well, softly clipped), so that the later stages of the receiver see the same amplitude. This is different than AM/SSB/CW where it is the amplitude changes you are looking for.

This is one of the reasons that FM signals have so much higher quality ... any noise is actually a result of noise in the receiver (or transmitter) rather than the atmosphere. With other modes, not only can you hear the atmospheric noise, but at lower frequencies, the atmospheric noise is many times higher than the noise inherent in the receiver.

The other reason is bandwidth. In amateur practice, FM signals are 5 kHz wide, compared to about 2.5 for SSB. In commercial practice, FM signals are wider still.

There is another "gotcha" in your description above. If you vary the carrier at, say, 1000 Hz, from say, 146.999 to 147.001, the actual bandwidth will be somewhat wider than you expect, and it will be dependent on the frequency of the modulation. I know this doesn't make sense, it has to do with some weird math. If you studied Fourier series back in school it was some abstract mathematical thing that had nothing to do with the real world. Well, guess what. Fourier has everything to do with radio! The result is that to stay within the 5 kHz bandwidth, the highest modulating frequency has to be somewhat lower than 5 kHz. This is one reason why the FCC prohibits amateurs from broadcasting music; reasonable fidelity of music requires higher bandwidth than voice.

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1252. Re: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 16:26:00 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <sEjYd.125144$Th1.80570@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16625

I have found that a 486 computer with DOS/Win3.1 runs all of these programs with no problem. Even a Gateway 75MHz Pentium had problems with some of the Moto programs while running DOS. Not sure here, but when there are computers available that you don't have to fiddle with the BIOS, why bother? Of course, yours could be some of the lucky computers.....good luck on the sale. Your prices are reasonable.

Pete

"Carolina Radio" <sales@carolina-radio.com> wrote in message news:1110429688.959087.134710@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
> However... If you have played the programmin game as long as I have,
> you'll also find some computer have a distaste for motorola software
> more that others. Although for Maxtrac, MT1000, HT600 as you quoted,
> you MAY have to go into the BIOS, It WILL run those with no probem and
> still can use used for other uses.
>

1253. Thanks for all the help. The problem has been solved. You were all very helpfull.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-11 23:35:31 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <7XpYd.645369$Xk.159654@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16626

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Thanks for all the help. The problem has been solved. You were all very
helpfull.
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1254. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 00:12:47 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d0tfjmdle1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16627

Perhaps you didn't get it but what the newbie really wants is to hang a KW amp on to his kit FM broadcast wireless mic. Maybe my assumption is wrong.

For FM, audio is applied directly to the oscillator, not after. Cheap transmitters are usually low power and drifty. They can sound great though. Expensive transmitters can be low power and stabile and can sound great. Stabile and RF clean are the first design features, next comes power. The major problem with hanging an amp on anything, is that is tends to amplify not only the RF signal, but any other spurious or broadband noise from the transmitter. This is the bad part, so what you have to do then is design the transmitter for low noise and bandpass filter it before going to the amp then Low pass filter (well).

Some of more complex transmitters are to allow it to be rock steady and channelized.
Simple transmitters must be crystal controlled with temperature compensation (where most of the cost will be) but may be actually cleaner and more noise free than a synthesized transmitter. A simple tunable transmitter will usually walk up and down faster than you can tune the radio.

If you really are talking about ham radio, Ramsey makes some cool inexpensive kits that really work great for a base station. If you have a decent location or antenna, low power is fine. Most will want more channels and other features, but might not make it sound any better.

Note: FM Ham and Land-Mobile radio uses a much lower level of modulation and different equalization than broadcast FM radio, so the oscillator and audio designs are very different in that respect.

"xpyttl" <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net> wrote in message
news:nr2Yd.21161$YO5.4539@fe04.lga...
> Hi Jason
>
> Nice questions, let me try to answer a few ..
>
> <razorbladeshoes@gmail.com> wrote in message
> news:1110486073.267964.53290@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
>
> > 1. i've seen transmitter schematics that were simple, and others
that
> > were complex. as a general rule of thumb, are the more complex
ones

> > trying to compensate for frequency drift, or maybe eliminate
higher
> > harmonics? how efficient and/or stable are the simple
transmitter
> > schematics?
>
> One obvious thing is that CW transmitters tend to be simple, SSB
> transmitters complex. But there are a thousand design variables.
One big
> one is the complexity of the ICs employed. Today you can have a
very stable
> VFO with just a few parts. You tend to pay a little bit of a price
in phase
> noise, but frequency drift is not an issue. With an analog VFO,
you can add
> a lot of complexity trying to get around frequency drift, but phase
noise is
> never an issue. Years ago, all you had was analog. A few years
ago, DDS
> (direct digital synthesis) was complex and expensive. Today,
analog VFOs
> tend on the expensive side! It is similar with amplifiers. In
many radios,
> all, or most, of the PA is in a single brick, instead of a fistfull
of
> parts. Ditto with almost everything up and down the chain.
>
> Frequency is also an issue and again that is changing with
technology. A
> few years ago, it was hard to get directly to VHF. You typically
had
> several oscillators getting mixed up, frequency multiplied, etc.
This was
> especially true if you had an analog VFO because it is very hard to
get
> stability at VHF, and multiplying the frequency also multiplies the
drift in
> an analog VFO. There are still reasons you might want to do some
mixing up
> to get to VHF with a DDS VFO, but DDS parts up into the gigahertz
range are
> now cheap parts.
>
> It was only a few years ago that a DDS VFO cost hundreds of
dollars. Today
> you can buy a chip with a VHF synthesizer and amplifier and
modulator for
> less than the tuning capacitor in an analog VFO.
>
> > 2. other than frequency range, what characteristics are you

concerned
> > about when trying to match a transmitter to an amp?
>
> If you are buying commercial, you are looking at price, of course,
and
> expected reliability, along with power consumption. For SSB, you
need the
> amplifier to be linear, which implies lower efficiency. For FM/CW
you don't
> need linear, so the amp can be a lot more efficient. If you are
designing
> the amp, then you are worrying about impedance mathcing, as well.
>
> > 3. without an amp, couldn't you still run the signal to an
antenna and
> > it would be a weak transmitter? all the amp does is increase the
> > voltage and current supplied to the antenna, correct?
>
> Yes of course. There are times when you want a lot of power, but
most of
> the time it really isn't necessary. Also, it is a lot easier to
get antenna
> gain than power to the antenna, especially at higher frequencies.
The need
> for power depends a lot on what you do, what frequencies you
operate, and to
> a degree, what "floats your boat". If you are doing EME or HSMS,
you need a
> fair bit of power - hundreds of watts, anyway. If you are chatting
on the
> local repeater, typically a watt is as good as a kilowatt. Lots of
folks
> called QRPers like to use very low power. For them the "legal
limit" is
> five watts, but many try to see what they can do with milliwatts.
The
> current miles/watt record is held by a guy who operated 40
microwatts over a
> 500+ mile path.
>
> > 4. for an FM transmitter, does the modulation occur to oscillator
> > directly, or is the oscillator's signal modulated after "leaving"
the
> > oscillator? i guess what i'm asking is whether or not there is an
input
> > to the oscillator, or is it just an "output only" frequency
generator?
>
> Typically you would modulate the oscillator, although these days,
the audio

> may well be simply data to the synthesizer. However, because FM is
> typically done at VHF and higher, there may well be additional
oscillators
> mixed with the modulated signal to get up into the VHF/UHF range.
>
> Hope this helps
>
> ..
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>

1255. Re: FT-60 vs. TH-G71

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 04:11:59 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9616CDDB65C1Aspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 16628

>
> I picked up an FT-60 in December, and it's a solid HT for 2m/70cm.
> Not a lot of bells and whistles to get in the way. It definitely is
> computer programmable, and I use the free "FT-60 Commander" software.
> I wish the alpha tags were more than 6 characters, and you can only
> display the tag, or the freq, but not both. This is a *minor* gripe.
> Battery life is very good, and I always get good Tx reports.
>
> One thing about the TH-G71 - the power levels using the battery are
> 5W, 0.5W, and 50mW. This is a rather odd power distribution, IMO.
> You either drain the battery or go extra low power. The FT-60 has a
> more even 5W, 2W, and 0.5W which I think is more practical - 2W is
> nice for local repeaters.
>
> Finally, the FT-60 has 1000 memories, plus you can organize the memory
> banks any way you like. In other words, bank 1 can have 7 freqs, bank
> 2 can have 56 freqs, bank 3 can have 14 freqs, and so on.
>
> I know nothing of the TH-G71 performance.
>
>

Very nice review on the FT-60 in response to my original question.
Thanks!

Ed

1256. IC-730 and IC-735 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 05:53:23 UTC
From: Robb Leamy <rleamy@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <a3aef$423283d7$a6667960$19071@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 16629

Hi,
Can anyone shed some light on the internal battery of the IC-730 and IC-735
function of these two rigs?
I've seen some sources say that the battery maintains Icom programmed data
and if battery fails it will be necessary to return the rig to Icom for
reprogramming. Others say, only user programmed memory data would be lost
if the battery dies? I suspect that the 730 may need to go back to Icom
while the 735 might retain Icom's programming.
Any ideas?
thanks, Robb WB8BHU

1257. Re: IC-730 and IC-735 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 14:33:14 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <h9u531d2j6867miv0hf7qf16k2nvbo5b57@4ax.com>
Source record: 16630

On Sat, 12 Mar 2005 00:53:23 -0500, "Robb Leamy" <rleamy@alltel.net>
wrote:

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Icom rates the battery for about 5 years' use, but my 1983 rig still
has the original battery and it's going strong.

Other Icoms, and the 730 might be one of them, lose all factory
programming when the battery goes.

Bob
k5qwg

1258. FA: US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS ANB-H-1 w/HB-7 HEADPHONES-WWII NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:01:45 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <sBEYd.1948$MI.519@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16631
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4720&item=6516390407&rd=1

1259. FA: US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS ANB-H-1 w/HB-7 HEADPHONES-WWII NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:02:32 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <aCEYd.1951$6M.28@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16632
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4720&item=6516390407&rd=1

1260. FA: NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET Hi-QUALITY D-BEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:05:29 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <YEEYd.1953$fO.1745@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16633
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=50971&item=3879229696&rd=1

1261. FA: J.H. BUNNELL MAINLINE 15-B BRASS TELEGRAPH SOUNDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:06:48 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <bGEYd.1955$tQ.1828@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16634
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48706&item=5756816301&rd=1

1262. FA: No Bids:-(HYGAIN TELEX MSHD LOWER MAST SUPPORT HAM-M IV V ROTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:07:42 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <1HEYd.1957$eR.1310@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16635
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4672&item=5756816317&rd=1

1263. FA: ARC-5 and SCR-274 CONVERSION BOOK>COMMAND SETS-1957

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:08:59 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dIEYd.1959$eS.65@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16636
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15050&item=5756816347&rd=1

1264. FA: $20>ANTENNA SPECIALIST MS264 CB/AM-FM DISGIUSE ANTENNA NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:10:12 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mJEYd.1961$PI.1353@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16637
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48692&item=5756816395&rd=1

1265. FA: COLLINS R-390A FINAL I.F. UNIT w/ALL 4 COLLINS FILTERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 16:11:36 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <GKEYd.1962$iU.534@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16638
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5759550872&rd=1

1266. Re: IC-730 and IC-735 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 18:38:45 UTC
From: Robb Leamy <rleamy@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <8e2df$4233373a$d8606e04$23820@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 16639

Tks Bob,
I purchased my 735 used. Don't know when or if the battery has ever been
replaced. Gud to know I won't lose everything if it goes!
Robb wb8bhu
"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
news:h9u531d2j6867miv0hf7qf16k2nvbo5b57@4ax.com...
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> programming when the battery goes.
>
> Bob
> k5qwg
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1267. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 19:54:48 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d0vhfp$1h7u$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16640

Look at the specs of your VHF FM Ham rig. It says bandwidth is
16K0F3. That's 16 kHz for 5 kHz of Dev. at 1 kHz modulation
frequency.

So to stay within 5 kHz bandwidth you need to reduce the audio
bandwidth and dev A LOT less than 5 kHz dev.

Consider 900 MHz and other 12.5 kHz channel radios that are 10K0F3
and sound like dirt.

> There is another "gotcha" in your description above. If you vary
the
> carrier at, say, 1000 Hz, from say, 146.999 to 147.001, the actual
bandwidth
> will be somewhat wider than you expect, and it will be dependent on
the
> frequency of the modulation. I know this doesn't make sense, it
has to do
> with some weird math. If you studied Fourier series back in school
it was
> some abstract mathematical thing that had nothing to do with the
real world.
> Well, guess what. Fourier has everything to do with radio! The
result is
> that to stay within the 5 kHz bandwidth, the highest modulating
frequency
> has to be somewhat lower than 5 kHz. This is one reason why the
FCC
> prohibits amateurs from broadcasting music; reasonable fidelity of
music
> requires higher bandwidth than voice.
>
> ..
>
>

1268. Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 20:01:51 UTC
From: "Patrick K." <bookworm98_98@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <QLmdnTruH7ZN167fRVn-tQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 16641
Cross-posted to: alt.games.video.xbox,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,soc.singles

http://patk1212.myblogsite.com/

1269. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 20:42:27 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <oeWdnWHMPcqpya7fRVn-ig@comcast.com>
Source record: 16642
Cross-posted to: alt.games.video.xbox,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,soc.singles

Patrick K. wrote:
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>
>

Fascinating. Too bad you don't have a live stream video from your
bathroom, but I suppose Fox will beat you to it anyway.

1270. wtd: txco for markV field

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 20:57:03 UTC
From: ml <m@di.net>
Message-ID: <m-C65382.15570412032005@news.verizon.net>
Source record: 16643

i am looking for a good cond. used high stability oscilator for the current yaesu mark V Field

respond to my post here with your contact instructions ill contact you immediately

thanks

1271. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 21:24:57 UTC
From: Telamon <telamon_spamshield@pacbell.net.is.invalid>
Message-ID: <telamon_spamshield-BACA2B.13245712032005@newssvr21-ext.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16644
Cross-posted to: alt.games.video.xbox,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,soc.singles

In article <oeWdnWHMPcqpya7fRVn-ig@comcast.com>,
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> > http://patk1212.myblogsite.com/

Snip I'll do this once.

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in most of the news groups or at least snip out the radio news groups
from the header if you do since there is no radio content. Thanks all.

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Telamon
Ventura, California

1272. Rascal Interface Problem Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 21:40:15 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <3lJYd.130825$nC5.92191@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 16645

HELP!!! Help!!!!

Ok here I go... I just received my Rascal GLX interface in the mail
today, hooked it up and it worked fine on receive. BUT and i do mean
BUT! when i tried to transmit a picture, all i received for a report
was it was sending a harmonic tone.???????
Now here are the particulars of my set up:

My Rig is a Kenwood TS-690S
My Computer is a 733Mhz with stock soundcard.
My OPSYS is Windows XP Home Edition.

I have hooked up the Black interface cable as stated
Green Plug to output of interface
Black Plug to input

White cable, Mic to mic on radio
Black Mini to speaker on Radio which makes no difference other than I
can not hear the radio when receiving a Picture, so I Disconnected
that to be able to hear when a picture was being sent.

I am using MMSSTV newest version. My transmit is set up to com-port 1
and my radio is set up for KENWOOD.

Now, here is the question>>.............

WHY CANT I SEND A PICTURE??? HELP!!!! Anyone!!!!!
Thanks and 73's
de kb2sin
Bill

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Check out our Website @ www.latherandlights.com
"Burning One of Our Candles, just makes Good Scents!!!

1273. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 22:28:48 UTC
From: KC8GXW <whoever@wherever>
Message-ID: <AIKdncSTitW98K7fRVn-tQ@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16646
Cross-posted to: alt.games.video.xbox,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,soc.singles

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Pratice what you preach Telamon

1274. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 22:44:30 UTC
From: Telamon <telamon_spamshield@pacbell.net.is.invalid>
Message-ID: <telamon_spamshield-BAAB91.14443012032005@newssvr14-ext.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16647
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <AIKdncSTitW98K7fRVn-tQ@centurytel.net>,
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Well, you sure exercised your intelligence there bozo.

< Plonk >

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Telamon
Ventura, California

1275. Re: txco for markV field

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-12 23:22:43 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Ysqdnc9LfN1U5K7fRVn-uQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 16548

Guy selling one on Eham

Steve

"ml" <m@di.net> wrote in message
news:m-C65382.15570412032005@news.verizon.net...
>i am looking for a good cond. used high stability oscilator for the
> current yaesu mark V Field
>
> respond to my post here with your contact instructions ill contact
> you immediately
>
>
> thanks

1276. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 04:48:38 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <GCPYd.2634$qW.903@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16549
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Does anyone here remember the simple CW transmitter that used a 6146 as a keyed ocillator? It would put out about 60 watts. There was a very low current light bulb in series with the crystal to limit the current that could flow in the crystal circuit. I think it was in the 1959 or 60 HANDBOOK. I used a gaseous regulator tube on the screen. It didn't chirp too badly.....Analog VFO's yes now there is a fun project!

"xpyttl" <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net> wrote in message
news:wz5Yd.25$ft6.14@fe03.lga...
> "dave.harper" <dave.harper@gmail.com> wrote in message
> news:1110497768.182023.13910@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>
>
> If you've ever built an analog VFO, these DDS parts are like black magic.
> They take little in the way of support circuitry, no fretting about
> layout,
> no spending weeks trying to work out the temperature compensation, no
> moving
> around because you breathed on it, you just dial in the frequency you want
> and you are spot on.
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> ..
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>

1277. Maptech software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 12:45:43 UTC
From: no.spam@junk.mail.net
Message-ID: <8cd831986unlvdibu8ao9ih8qnld4mui4g@4ax.com>
Source record: 16550

Anybody have any experience with Maptech's offshore navigator? I picked up a copy and have had nothing but problems with it. Seems to be very buggy at best.

1278. FA: Astatic JT-40 JT40 Microphone For Ham Radio Or Harmonica - LAST DAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 14:00:11 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <LHXYd.87$Kf4.20356@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 16551

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7305230206

1279. FS: BC780XLT & HR2510 both complete

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 14:03:34 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <WKXYd.131600$Th1.35575@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16552
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Uniden Bearcat BC780XLT base mobile trunk tracking scanner complete with box, manual, mounting bracket and AC power supply.
$225.00 plus shipping.

Uniden President HR2510 10 meter all mode mobile radio. This is also complete. $ 155.00 plus shipping.

Both radio's are currently installed in my truck, but are in very nice condition.
These are for shipping in Cont. US only, USPS money orders only.

thnx

pottsladd13@yahoo.com

1280. Re: Bill Gates as he presents the Windows Media Player system crash

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 14:59:24 UTC
From: "J. D. B." <duffyb01@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <ezYYd.347$185.121@fe37.usenetserver.com>
Source record: 16553
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

WARNING - It's an exe file and not a movie file. God only knows what
damage it will do to your system if you download it and run it.

jasonandrews@yahoo.com wrote:
> The movie clip everyone is looking for, Bill Gates as he presents the Windows Media Player system crash
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1281. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 15:04:51 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <uKYYd.20515$Sw.8595@fe09.lga>
Source record: 16554
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5759550863&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1282. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 15:41:56 UTC
From: KC8GXW <whoever@wherever>
Message-ID: <y7WdnQkX7qrcwqnfRVn-pg@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16555
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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> <telamon_spamshield@pacbell.net.is.invalid> wrote in message
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>>>>Snip I'll do this once.
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>>>>from the header if you do since there is no radio content. Thanks all.
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>>>Pratice what you preach Telamon
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>>Well, you sure exercised your intelligence there bozo.
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>>< Plonk >
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> See! I told you so!
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> What do I win??
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> -=jd=-
Yep and now we will see DXass stick his head out of Telamon's panties to
back her up!

1283. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 15:51:20 UTC
From: dxAce <flashoveride@eclipsed.com>
Message-ID: <42346178.5CDC9899@eclipsed.com>
Source record: 16556
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

KC8GXW wrote:

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> >>Well, you sure exercised your intelligence there bozo.
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> >>< Plonk >
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> > See! I told you so!
> >
> > What do I win??

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> > -=jd=-
> Yep and now we will see DXass stick his head out of Telamon's panties to
> back her up!

Go play on 2 meters, 'tard boy.

dxAce
Michigan
USA

1284. FS complete satellite antenna system

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 16:06:17 UTC
From: Jerry Reed <jreed123@cox.net>
Message-ID: <0yZYd.20055$KK5.7806@fed1read03>
Source record: 16557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a complete Satellite antenna system for sale in the Phoenix AZ area. It consists of the KLM 2m 16 element and 440 40 element yagis with the KLM circular switches. A fiber glass boom. A Yaesu G5400 az-el rotor. Henry preamps for both 2m and 440. A filter to keep the 2m signal out of the 440. A TAPR Trackbox and a control box for the circular switches and the preamps. Everything works and is in like new to used condition. I also have coax and cable for the rotors and switches etc. I am asking $1000 for the whole thing or any pieces. I also have 3 Rohn 25 tower sections that I would sell reasonably if the antenna buyer wanted them. I am in Phoenix AZ and would of course prefer a local deal, but I am willing to drive a reasonable distance to meet someone or it can be all broken down and shipped. If it doesn't sell it will all be on E-Bay. Please reply E-mail for any questions or a phone number.
73 Jerry W5RCQ

1285. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 17:11:10 UTC
From: mcalhoun@ksu.edu
Message-ID: <d11s7e$7q@unix2.cc.ksu.edu>
Source record: 16558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>just to make sure i have it straight, if i were to transmit a sine wave
>at 146mhz, anyone listening in on 146 mhz wouldn't hear anything
>....[snip]....

CW is NOT dead on two meters; anyone listening in CW mode would hear you!
--
--Myron A. Calhoun.
Five boxes preserve our freedoms: soap, ballot, witness, jury, and cartridge
PhD EE (retired). "Barbershop" tenor. CDL(PTXS). W0PBV. (785) 539-4448
NRA Life Member and Certified Instructor (Home Firearm Safety, Rifle, Pistol)

1286. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 19:08:39 UTC
From: KC8GXW <whoever@wherever>
Message-ID: <l9qdnahMl9kpEqnfRVn-vw@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16559
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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>>back her up!
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> Go play on 2 meters, 'tard boy.
>
> dxAce
> Michigan
> USA

And there stevie is.
He even answers to DXass

1287. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 19:15:30 UTC
From: dxAce <flashoveride@eclipsed.com>
Message-ID: <42349152.EAC64F07@eclipsed.com>
Source record: 16560
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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> > Michigan
> > USA
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> And there stevie is.
> He even answers to DXass

Well you sure answered to 'tard boy!

LMAO at the 'tard.

dxAce
Michigan
USA

1288. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 19:34:54 UTC
From: KC8GXW <whoever@wherever>
Message-ID: <yvKdnZpyNJ1BCKnfRVn-hQ@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16561
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

dxAce wrote as she danced through The tulips

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> Well you sure answered to 'tard boy!
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> LMAO at the 'tard.
>
> dxAce
> Michigan
> USA

Lets see who the tard is.
You answered to Dxass.

I answered to your reply to my post.
Now by a nice little turd and crawl back into Telamon's panties and do her dirty work somewhere else!

1289. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 19:39:51 UTC
From: dxAce <flashoveride@eclipsed.com>
Message-ID: <42349707.8C4F0DC6@eclipsed.com>
Source record: 16562
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

KC8GXW made one last brave attempt at making sense:

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> >>>>>>>>>Michigan
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> Lets see who the tard is.
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> I answered to your reply to my post.
> Now by a nice little turd and crawl back into Telamon's panties and do
> her dirty work somewhere else!

You just 'by' a nice little 'tard boy and go back to playing on 2 meters!

dxAce
Michigan
USA

1290. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 20:52:34 UTC
From: KC8GXW <whoever@wherever>
Message-ID: <jNKdnTNXTvaSNanfRVn-uA@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16563
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

dxAce wrote as he popped his tiny head out:
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Well, you caught a typo, I guess that does make you smarter then the
rest. I guess this gives you the right to belittle the handicapped also?
I see that you have upset somebody so bad that they posted your address
and phone number, and your best comeback was to threaten then with
"It's pretty hard to outrun a shotgun or an SKS, or even a 45 pistol as
well.
By the way, my neighbours are all heavily armed as well. "

You carry all those weapons with you all the time?
By the way you spelled neighbors wrong! Correct your own spelling before
you make fun of somebody else's.
I'm done listening to you turd, you are such a bore! You did show your
ignorance by answering to DXass.

1291. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 21:01:04 UTC
From: dxAce <flashoveride@eclipsed.com>
Message-ID: <4234AA10.27E501B8@eclipsed.com>
Source record: 16564
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

KC8GXW just keeps on trying:

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> >>>>>>>>>>>>>>>http://patk1212.myblogsite.com/
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> >>>>>>>>>>>>>Snip I'll do this once.
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> >>>>>>>>>>>>>Please don't respond to this cross posted thread where it is off topic
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>in most of the news groups or at least snip out the radio news groups
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>from the header if you do since there is no radio content. Thanks all.
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>Pratice what you preach Telamon
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>Well, you sure exercised your intelligence there bozo.
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>< Plonk >
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>See! I told you so!
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>What do I win??
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>-=jd=-
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>Yep and now we will see DXass stick his head out of Telamon's panties to
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>back her up!
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> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>Go play on 2 meters, 'tard boy.
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>dxAce
> >>>>>>>>>>>>>Michigan

> >>>>>USA
> >>>>
> >>>>And there stevie is.
> >>>>He even answers to DXass
> >>>
> >>>
> >>>Well you sure answered to 'tard boy!
> >>>
> >>>LMAO at the 'tard.
> >>>
> >>>dxAce
> >>>Michigan
> >>>USA
> >>
> >>Lets see who the tard is.
> >>You answered to Dxass.
> >>I answered to your reply to my post.
> >>Now by a nice little turd and crawl back into Telamon's panties and do
> >>her dirty work somewhere else!
> >
> >
> > You just 'by' a nice little 'tard boy and go back to playing on 2 meters!
> >
> > dxAce
> > Michigan
> > USA
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> Well, you caught a typo, I guess that does make you smarter then the
> rest. I guess this gives you the right to belittle the handicapped also?
> I see that you have upset somebody so bad that they posted your address
> and phone number, and your best comeback was to threaten then with
> "It's pretty hard to outrun a shotgun or an SKS, or even a 45 pistol as
> well.
> By the way, my neighbours are all heavily armed as well. "
>
> You carry all those weapons with you all the time?

LMAO! A few days a week... you guess the days.

>
> By the way you spelled neighbors wrong!

No, I didn't, 'tard boy!

> Correct your own spelling before
> you make fun of somebody else's.

Nothing wrong with my spelling, 'tard. Please try and get a clue.

> I'm done listening to you turd, you are such a bore! You did show your
> ignorance by answering to DXass.

Ignorance?

Have Judy help you with your meds, 'tard.

dxAce
Michigan
USA

1292. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 23:18:03 UTC
From: razorbladeshoes@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1110755883.668992.58630@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

thanks again for the help...your answers led me to a couple other
questions, if i may ask?

xpyttl wrote:

> In amateur practice, the impedance of almost anything that connects
together
> at RF is 50 ohms or converted to 50 ohms. Given that, the power
level then
> converts directly to voltage and current.

so if i were to design a transmitter around an COTS amp, how would i
determine what i needed to "drive" it at, in terms of voltage? if i
have 3 variables (V, I, and R) then i'd need to know 2 of the 3, then i
can solve for the third... as it is, i only know R...?

> This is one of the reasons that FM signals have so much higher
quality ...
> any noise is actually a result of noise in the receiver (or
transmitter)
> rather than the atmosphere. With other modes, not only can you hear
the
> atmospheric noise, but at lower frequencies, the atmospheric noise is
many
> times higher than the noise inherent in the receiver.

so i imagine people can do CW over FM, but does it usually occur on (I
guess what would be called) a simplified AM transceiver? either a
signal's present or not?

also, when people refer to ASK and FSK, is ASK basically an audio
output that's been sent over FM? and FSK is more like CW, only to a
receiver that can monitor both mark and space (0 and 1) frequencies?

thanks again!
jason

1293. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-13 23:32:27 UTC
From: J M Noeding <la8ak@online.no>
Message-ID: <haj931tptni508nnsc6bsrmch5lt9fifm9@4ax.com>
Source record: 16566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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J. M. Noeding, LA8AK, N-4623 Kristiansand
http://home.online.no/~la8ak/c.htm

1294. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 00:32:17 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <u96dndYtlsMSRqnfRVn-tQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 16567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"J M Noeding" <la8ak@online.no> wrote in message
news:haj931tptni508nnsc6bsrmch5lt9fifm9@4ax.com...
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I believe he meant AFSK (audio frequency shift keying) vs FSK (frequency
shift keying).

1295. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 02:38:37 UTC
From: razorbladeshoes@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1110767917.711707.123960@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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am i correct about afsk being audio tones transmitted over FM, while
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jason

1296. Re: Yahoo Group for Radio Shack DX-394 Users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 02:45:12 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <YU6Zd.5126$Jd2.157881@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16572
Cross-posted to:
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This group has the most complete collection of modifications, usage tips, links to related websites, documentation, and photos along with a user survey and a message forum (3250 messages archived) to help you get the most fun and DX out of your Realistic / Radio Shack DX-394, DX394, DX 394.

Over 90 mods and tips now listed plus a dozen on the To Do or Wish List. More mods than for any other general coverage receiver! Thoroughly documented with a Master Index. If you like to tinker with radios, I know of no other recent model that lends itself to as much fun in this arena as the DX-394. Great platform for learning radio-electronics. Always 1 or more FA on eBay.

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- ANT: WHIP - REPLACEMENT

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- AGC: HOTTER S-METER AND AGC ACTION

- DEMOD: SYNCHRONOUS AM DETECTOR

- OSC: UPGRADE STABILITY OF 2nd LOCAL OSCILLATOR

- RF: SHIELDING WITH ALUMINUM DUCT TAPE or STEEL TAPE

- CONTROL: CUSTOM MAIN TUNING KNOB

- AUDIO: ENHANCED ANTI-CHUFF MOD AKA MODE CHANGE CLICK BLANKER

All here at:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/�RADIOSHACKDX394/

Subscribe on line or email: RADIOSHACKDX394-subscribe@yaho�ogroups.com

73, Tom

1297. ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 02:48:19 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110768499.212676.106890@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16569

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Very tks,

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1298. Re: Check out my blog!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 02:59:17 UTC
From: RobMac <rpmccartney@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <y9Odna9uIK-dY6nfRVn-sg@comcast.com>
Source record: 16570
Cross-posted to: alt.games.video.xbox,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.music.makers.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,soc.singles

Nope

"Patrick K." <bookworm98_98@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:QLmdnTruH7ZN167fRVn-tQ@comcast.com...
> http://patk1212.myblogsite.com/
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1299. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 03:00:54 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <1139vj62uop81b0@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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That's pretty close, but not exactly on target.

AFSK can be used on top of either AM or FM. In amateur systems it's
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FSK shifts the carrier frequency... a process which counts as a
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There are both narrow-band and wide-band FSK modulations in use.

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1300. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 03:22:19 UTC
From: razorbladeshoes@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1110770539.279298.66640@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dave Platt wrote:
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thanks! also, i was just reading about mixers... and getting confused.
i've run some matlab programs to figure out how you can take something
at frequency x and frequency y, and end up with an output of frequency
(x-y). one transmitter's mixer i saw took a 160mhz and 14mhz input to
get a 146mhz output. adding or multiplying them together certainly does
not yeild 146mhz. so how does that work?

thanks for the help!
jason

1301. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 03:28:24 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <sx7Zd.3092$qf2.2559@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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You are partly correct. If audio tones are fed into the microphone input (audio stages) of an AM or FM transmitter you are generating AFSK. If an audio tone is fed into a SSB transmitter it will generate a single output frequency. If the tone is switched off and on , it will be received as a CW transmitter being keyed off and on. Some newer transceivers generate CW this way. If the tone is shifted in frequency , the output will be a carrier shifted the same ammount. This is received the same as a FSK transmitter. You can get the same effect if you have a crystal controled transmiter and switch a capacitor across the crystal to change the frequency.
There is almost no way to tell the differance between the two. If 100% pure tones are used and everything else it 100% correct then there is no differance in the transmitted signals. As always nothing is 100% and you can tell the differance with very close and strong signals. This is still close enough it does not matter.

1302. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 03:41:20 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <113a1v0ipl0o331@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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You need a nonlinear function in order to get mixing behavior, and
create the sum and difference frequencies.

If you just add (e.g.) sin 160x and sin 14x, you end up with a simple
sum of sins, and no other frequencies show up - ordinary superposition.

Run the resulting sum through a nonlinear function (e.g. square it, or
take the square root, or clip it whenever its absolute value exceeds
1.0, or something like that), and take a look at the frequency content
of what you get as a result.

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1303. New Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 03:49:09 UTC
From: chuck Adkins <k8cpachuck@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110772149.071653.117720@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16576

http://s9.invisionfree.com/Radio_Waves/

1304. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 06:53:25 UTC
From: Paul Keinanen <keinanen@sci.fi>
Message-ID: <5gba31pprsm608562v38llqhcvlqa0ogru@4ax.com>
Source record: 16577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 13 Mar 2005 19:32:17 -0500, "Dee Flint"
<deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote:

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The ITU emission designators for some digital modes and some typical
usage:

* A1A On/Off keying for manual reception (Morse)

* A1D ASK, Amplitude shift keying. The only recent use I have seen
is in some 433 MHz SRD (Short Range Devices)

* F1D Pure FSK (RTTY is classified as F1B)

* F2D Audio subcarrier modulated by amplitude or frequency (e.g.
1200 bit/s AX.25 packet) modulating an FM transmitter

* A2A Audio subcarrier on/off modulated by Morse code modulating
an AM transmitter (e.g. aeronautical beacons in the LF band)

* A2D Audio subcarrier modulated by amplitude or frequency
modulating an AM transmitter

* J2A Audio subcarrier on/off modulated by Morse code modulating
an SSB transmitter (many amateur multimode rigs)

* J2D Audio subcarrier modulated by amplitude or frequency (e.g.
300 bit/s AX.25 packet) modulating an SSB transmitter

On the air A1A and J2A are equivalent.

On the air F1D and J2A are equivalent and can be generated and
detected in both ways.

I hope this clarifies some of the issues.

Paul OH3LWR

1305. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 08:25:32 UTC
From: Paul <paul@mbars.co.uk>
Message-ID: <42354a70@212.67.96.135>
Source record: 16578

"wb0gaz" <wb0gaz@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:1110768499.212676.106890@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> care to look at their schematic of this rig to tell me where this pin
> of the accessory connector goes?
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> 73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

Hi
I have posted the schematic for this radio in the manuals section at.
www.mbars.co.uk

1306. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 10:12:04 UTC
From: Roger Adam <roger.adam@remove_this.virgin.net>
Message-ID: <UrdZd.513$JN1.474@newsfe4-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16579

Dave,
the internal mic circuit has audio HF & LF filtering. This means that if you were to apply a signal below 300Hz or above 3,400Hz into the mic circuitry,then the level of this signal will be greatly reduced, or even removed.

The CTCSS signals centre around 100Hz and therefore cannot be injected into the mic socket.
In fact you have to travel all the way through the mic circuit until you get to the microphone op-amp (IC1) See circuit as per Paul.

The amp IC, IC1 has a resistor/cap feedback circuit which provides the req'd filtering. The CTCSS encoded signal output should be injected around Pin 1 (output of IC). There maybe voltages at this point ,so a capacitor must be used to block this voltage. You will see two varicap diodes D1/D2 and it is the varying AF voltage feeding these diodes that produces the modulation of the carrier.

I have carried out this mod on my IC-290E, by using an external CTCSS encoder chip (FX315) mounted in a small aluminium box with DIP switches for selection.

I connected a small piece of screened wire from Pin1of IC1 and connected it to a spare pin on the nine way facility socket on the rear panel. At this point I also connected the aforementioned cap.

A transmit switched voltage for feeding the external CTCSS unit supply line was found on this facility socket. Please check the circuit for your radio.

Remember that the CTCSS encoded signal should only be activated when you transmit.

Dave, you must have a good look at the schematic provided by Paul and come up with a plan of attack.

You will of course understand that you attempt these modifications at your own risk. It worked for me on my IC290.

Do a search for FX315 encoder/decoder chip circuitry on the net. I got my chip(not cheap) from Mode Components.(UK)

Regards and good luck and thankyou Paul for schematic.

Roger, G7JAQ

http://www.btinternet.com/~g4kqu/Mode_Components/index2.htm

I choose Polesoft Lockspam to fight spam, and you?
http://www.polesoft.com/refer.html

1307. WTB QRP rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 10:44:53 UTC
From: gi1pi@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110797093.788264.72680@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16580

Looking for a working QRP rig that wont break the wallet, dont care about cosmetics as long as it works, would prefer 40m but would consider others as well

Thanks....Gil

1308. KV-90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 15:14:38 UTC
From: hot_diablotin <hot_diablotin@yahoo.fr>
Message-ID: <MPG.1c9fc8b25e576f4f9896b5@localhost>
Source record: 16581

Hello,

I'm looking for docs about the KV-90 transceiver.
I've got one with a broken antenna, and I cannot find any schematics
about this material.

Does anyone know where I can find such docs ?

thanks in advance

1309. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 17:05:34 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110819933.989170.85040@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16582

Paul and Roger - thank you very much for the very helpful information.
I've retrieved the schematic and had already obtained the user's manual
from the ICOM website. I'll study the schematic.

As for the tone generator, I'm planning on using an old laptop computer
and "nch tonegen", which is a software program that can generate an
arbitrary sinewave signal. The main task at hand is to isolate and
bring the appropriate connection point out to the back panel where I
can supply the tone on transmit.

Again, thank you both for your fine support!

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1310. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 17:29:23 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110821363.819000.33150@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16583

Got a close look at the schematic, and indeed the external "mic amp output" connector pin 5 of accessory jack is basically the same as the audio output of the microphone itself, useful for DTMF insertion but not useful for CTCSS. It appears likely I can attach near/to the output of the deviation control R115 which feeds through a series resistor and capacitor to the FM modulation varactor D32. This looks like it's near the center of the lower PC board in an area that's not too cluttered. I'm not sure if I'll need to inhibit the tone on receive or not; the circuit appears dedicated to transmit mode only.

Again, thank you very much for the insight - it would not have been possible to start this project without your kind help!

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1311. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 18:11:11 UTC
From: Roger Adam <roger.adam@remove_this.virgin.net>
Message-ID: <3tkZd.784$0i3.220@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16584

Dave,

you're more than welcome. It's all about keeping the hobby alive I suppose.

I wish you well with your laptop generated CTCSS tones. It certainly is an interesting and novel approach!. Post again when you have some more info.

Be careful about "loading up" the varicap circuit and thereby reducing the deviation, when you connect your soundcard? You'll need to check that the deviation levels of voice signals mixed with CTCSS do not become excessive.

regards,

Roger, G7JAQ. Surrey, England

I choose Polesoft Lockspam to fight spam, and you?
http://www.polesoft.com/refer.html

1312. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 18:41:30 UTC
From: Paul <paul@mbars.co.uk>
Message-ID: <4235dadc@212.67.96.135>
Source record: 16585

"Roger Adam" <roger.adam@remove_this.virgin.net> wrote in message
news:3tkZd.784$0i3.220@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net...
> Dave,
>
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> http://www.polesoft.com/refer.html
>Glad i could help with the shematic.
Keep your eye on the site as over the next few months i have over a thousand
files to add to the manuals section.
good luck with the project.
Paul 2E0DXO

1313. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 18:47:11 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <P_kZd.3771$qW.1887@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16586
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
news:1139vj62uop81b0@corp.supernews.com...
> In article <1110767917.711707.123960@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
> <razorbladeshoes@gmail.com> wrote:
>
>>yes, that is what i meant. i didn't even know amplitude shift keying
>>existed.
>>
>>am i correct about afsk being audio tones transmitted over FM, while
>>fsk is just alternating between two non-modulating frequencies?
>
> That's pretty close, but not exactly on target.
>
> AFSK can be used on top of either AM or FM. In amateur systems it's
> most commonly used with FM.

That is not correct either. AFSK is used extensively with Amateur Radio
digital systems, such as PSK-31, RTTY, even CW can be and is generated
using AFSK. And the modulation METHOD is not important. It can be either
Amplitude or Frequency Modulation.

Dan/W4NTI

>
> FSK shifts the carrier frequency... a process which counts as a
> modulation. The amount of frequency shift (in Hz) and the rate at
> which you shift it (also in Hz) vary a lot from one usage to another.
> There are both narrow-band and wide-band FSK modulations in use.
>
> --
> Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
> Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
> I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
> boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1314. FS: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 21:24:26 UTC
From: Carolina Radio <sales@carolina-radio.com>
Message-ID: <1110835466.309155.312940@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16587

Tired of trying to use your older software on those new Windows XP, USB and fast computers?

This laptop is speedy enough to play on the net and run most applications yet compatable with you older Motorola Software. Have those "Error 2003" With you Maxtrac program? Solve it right here.

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Astro Saber V 05.00.01
Desktrac V 03.04.0
CP150/CP200/CM200/CM300/PM400/PR400
M10/M120/GM300 Mobiles V 05.00.02
GP300/P110 V 05.00.00
GP2000 V 01.03
GP350 V 08.00.0
GTX/MAX638 V 01.01.00
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HT50

HT600 V 02.03.01
M400 Mobiles
Maratrac Mobiles V 04.03.00
Maxtrac Mobiles V 5.00.00
Maxtrac Trucked Mobiles
Maxtrac LS Mobiles V 02.03.00b
MCS2000 Mobile V 04.00.00
MCX1000 Mobile
Mostar V AA00.00.00
HT750/HT1250/HT1550/EX500/EX600/CDM750/CDM1250/CDM1550 V 06.02.03
MT1000 V 03.01.02
MT2000/MTS2000/MTX838/MTX8000/MTX9000 V06.00.00
MTX800 V01.00.01.02
MTX900
P110 V 08.00.00
P1225 V02.00.00
P200 V 01.01.00
P50 Plus Radius V 02.00.00
R100 Repeater
Radius Mobile M100/M206/M208/M216 V 08.00.00
SP50 V03.00.00
Saber V 07.00.00
System Saber V 04.00.02
Saber SI V 02.03.03
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Photos available at the following link

http://www.carolina-radio.com/tecra8000

1315. SERIOUS MONEY OPPORTUNITY-$5 INVESTMENT-HIGH RESPONSE RATE-QUICK RETURNS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 21:32:50 UTC
From: feedbackzz@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110835970.095026.163420@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16588

Follow the directions below and you could
have $5000 in your PayPal account in 2 weeks.
There is a very high response rate in this
program because of its low investment, high
yields, and quick return. If you are a skeptic
and doubt that the program will work, I urge
you to give it a try anyway! It REALLY WORKS-
that is why so many thousands are involved in
programs like it. Don't miss this chance.

If you achieve only moderate success, your
PayPal account will still have several hundred
dollars in it within the next couple weeks.
If you actively promote the program, you could
soon have $8,000 in your PayPal account.

SIMPLE: All you need is $5 and a free PayPal
account. Pay $5 to one person.

SECURE: PayPal (BBB member) handles all
transactions. No one sees your bank or credit
card information.

LEGAL: See Title 18, Section 1302 and 1341,
US Postal and Lottery Laws.
The details of this business make it legitimate.
You are using the Internet to advertise your
business opportunity. You have a mail order
business that collects email addresses from
people interested in home-based online business.
You provide a service-mailing list membership-
in return for a small fee. Treat your mailing
list as a business. Keep accurate records,
declare your income, and pay income tax on it.

INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1: COPY and PASTE this letter onto a
blank notepad file. SAVE as a TEXT FILE.
Keep it for the next time you need the
program.

STEP 2: Get a free PayPal account
(5 minutes setup time) at www.paypal.com.
Register for a PREMIER account (not a

PERSONAL) so that others can send money
to your account.

STEP 3: Using your PayPal account, send $5
(US DOLLARS) to the email address (PayPal
account) in position #1 of the list below.
PayPal will ask for a payment type-select
SERVICE. In the SUBJECT area, enter
"Please add me to your mailing list"
(this is very important). If you prefer
that your email address not be given to
other mailing list businesses, enter
"Please add me ONLY to your mailing list"
in the SUBJECT area. In order to send
money, you can deposit $5 into your PayPal
account with your own credit card, use
your bank account, or register for the
PayPal credit card.

IMPORTANT: IN ORDER FOR YOUR BUSINESS
TO WORK, YOU MUST BE HONEST AND SEND $5.
The mailing list business remains successful
due to the honesty and integrity of those
involved. $5 is a very small investment,
especially when you are about to receive
many times that much! If we are all honest,
we will all make money.

STEP 4: After you send your $5, remove the
address from position #1 of the list below.
Put the address in position #2 into position
#1. Put your own email address (PayPal
account) in position #2. Some engines will
automatically hide part of an email address
when the letter is posted in a newsgroup.
It may look like this:
yournam...@wherever.com

To avoid this complication, enter your
email address using 2 separate lines,
like this:

2) yourname (press ENTER on your keypad)
@wherever.com

(If you ever encounter the dots, click on
SHOW OPTIONS at the top of the letter, then
click on REPLY. Scroll down through the
original letter to find the full addresses.)

Both people on your list have already bought
mailing list memberships for $5! The program

is working! Note: If you put your name in position #1, you will not receive money from the hundreds that other members find.

CURRENT PAYPAL ACCOUNTS:

1) cwhatton22
@charter.net

2) feedbackzz
@yahoo.com

STEP 5: COPY and PASTE this letter (with your address in position #2) in emails to at least 60 newsgroups, chat sites, discussions, message boards, etc. It takes less than a minute to post the letter. The more you post, the more money you can make. People will see the letter heading as they scroll through the list of postings in a particular group. PASTE the heading below into the subject area of your email (you can also write your own heading):

SERIOUS MONEY OPPORTUNITY-
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QUICK RETURNS

Use the search engines (Internet Explorer, yahoo.com, google.com, altavista.com, excite.com) to find sites. Search for moneymaking forums, moneymaking message board, money chat, employment message board, business message board, business discussions, etc. You can create your own free webpage (try webspawner.com, cmlb.net), then post links to your site. Try posting a notice on community and college bulletin boards to direct people to your webpage.

THIS BUSINESS WORKS

When your name reaches position #1 (usually in less than a week) it will be your turn to receive $5 deposits. If you personally find 20 interested people, and they each find 20, you make $2000. If you find 40 people, and they each find 20, you make $4000. Remember that the response rate is very high. Since there are only 2 names on the list, you can expect 80% of your profits within 2 weeks.

Participants who actively promote their mailing
list average between $5,000 and $8,000 and
receive the funds within 3 weeks.

Relieve your financial stress NOW!
Become a part of the mail order business and
help people to help people.
This program is about helping each other!

1316. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 22:16:53 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <39mgqlF63fdi2U1@individual.net>
Source record: 16589
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

Icom 02AT with wall wart.
Icom BC-35 plus extra Ice brick battery SOLD

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Scsii CD changer.
No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

1317. Re: 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 22:32:13 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing310b@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <PvoZd.4012$WU3.203@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16590
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

HI, finally sold the 02AT!! WOW, it's been a long run :-)

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1318. Re: newbie technical questions

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-14 23:05:19 UTC
From: NoSpam <nospam@no.way>
Message-ID: <PMoZd.136417$Th1.53705@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

razorbladeshoes@gmail.com wrote:

>
> thanks! also, i was just reading about mixers... and getting confused.
> i've run some matlab programs to figure out how you can take something
> at frequency x and frequency y, and end up with an output of frequency
> (x-y). one transmitter's mixer i saw took a 160mhz and 14mhz input to
> get a 146mhz output. adding or multiplying them together certainly does
> not yeild 146mhz. so how does that work?
>

That is a fair question, and one which is frequently asked.

Look up the trig identity for (sin a)(sin b). Let a and b each be in the form wt [w stands for greek lower case omega], so a = 2(pi)f1(t) and b = 2(pi)f2(t) where f1 and f2 are your two frequencies in Hz. Do the substitution & algebra on the identity, and then I think you'll see where the signals at the sum and difference of frequencies f1 and f2 come from. :-)

The name "mixer" can be a little misleading.....it doesn't necessarily just sum the two inputs in a linear fashion (by just adding them, like a kitchen mixer combines the ingredients for a cake) but there is also an element of non-linearity in the electrical network.

Depending on the nature of the non-linearity, mixing can also generate other higher-order products, like signals at 2f1+f2, 2f1-f2, etc. Whether this is good or bad depends on your particular application. For example, do some reading on "intermod".

1319. Re: FS: Motorola Programming Laptop SOLD!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 00:51:46 UTC
From: Carolina Radio <sales@carolina-radio.com>
Message-ID: <1110847906.583261.290320@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16592

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Carolina Radio wrote:
> Tired of trying to use your older software on those new Windows XP,
USB
> and fast computers?
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> MCS2000 Mobile V 04.00.00
> MCX1000 Mobile
> Mostar V AA00.00.00
> HT750/HT1250/HT1550/EX500/EX600/CDM750/CDM1250/CDM1550 V 06.02.03
> MT1000 V 03.01.02
> MT2000/MTS2000/MTX838/MTX8000/MTX9000 V06.00.00
> MTX800 V01.00.01.02
> MTX900
> P110 V 08.00.00
> P1225 V02.00.00
> P200 V 01.01.00
> P50 Plus Radius V 02.00.00
> R100 Repeater
> Radius Mobile M100/M206/M208/M216 V 08.00.00
> SP50 V03.00.00
> Saber V 07.00.00
> System Saber V 04.00.02
> Saber SI V 02.03.03
> SM50/SM120 V 02.00.00
> Spectra V 06.00.05
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1320. Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 01:00:14 UTC
From: "Matt J. McCullar" <mccullar@flash.net>
Message-ID: <ysqZd.9874$DW.4097@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16593

I have a Standard C528A twin-band (2m/440) HT that's 12 years old. I've not used it for a few years, and when I pulled it out of mothballs last week, I powered it up using an external supply and it simply acted bonkers. It would not respond properly to all keypad commands.

Taking the HT apart, I found a dead 3-volt lithium battery. I replaced it with a fresh one, hit the little reset button inside the push-to-talk switch, but to my chagrin found absolutely no change. The radio still acts like it's stuck in a particular mode and I cannot punch in a frequency with the keyboard.

Am I not resetting this radio properly? Is there a particular sequence of keys I need to hit?

Thanks!!!!

73 DE KJ5BA
Arlington, TX

1321. FA: Gonset Radio Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 01:03:24 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <vvqZd.77521$%U2.13158@lakeread01>
Source record: 16594
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original Gonset manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1322. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 01:06:49 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <syqZd.63370$7z6.22485@lakeread04>
Source record: 16595

Matt J. McCullar wrote:
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> used it for a few years, and when I pulled it out of mothballs last week, I
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> the keyboard.
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> Am I not resetting this radio properly? Is there a particular sequence of
> keys I need to hit?
>
> Thanks!!!!
>
> 73 DE KJ5BA
> Arlington, TX
>
>
>
Try turning the radio off.
Hold down the "F" key, the "Mon" key and turn on the power. You may
hear a series of beeps then release the keys.

I have a C510 and this is how the reset sequence goes for it and they
may be using the same CPU or programming for it.

Andy
WD4KDN

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

1323. Re: IC-730 and IC-735 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 01:07:54 UTC
From: "Gary P. Fiber" <gfiber@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <a8dc3113ld2aavtaulskmjopn210h35d8e@4ax.com>
Source record: 16596

On Sat, 12 Mar 2005 13:38:45 -0500, "Robb Leamy" <rleamy@alltel.net>
wrote:

>Tks Bob,
>I purchased my 735 used. Don't know when or if the battery has ever been
>replaced. Gud to know I won't lose everything if it goes!
>Robb wb8bhu
>"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
>news:h9u531d2j6867miv0hf7qf16k2nvbo5b57@4ax.com...
>> On Sat, 12 Mar 2005 00:53:23 -0500, "Robb Leamy" <rleamy@alltel.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >Hi,
>> >Can anyone shed some light on the internal battery of the IC-730 and
>IC-735
>> >function of these two rigs?
>> >I've seen some sources say that the battery maintains Icom programmed
>data
>> >and if battery fails it will be necessary to return the rig to Icom for
>> >reprogramming. Others say, only user programmed memory data would be
>lost
>> >if the battery dies? I suspect that the 730 may need to go back to Icom
>> >while the 735 might retain Icom's programming.
>> >Any ideas?
>> >thanks, Robb wb8bhu
>> >
>> >
>> >
>>
>> I have a 735. The internal lithium battery does nothing but maintain
>> the info for the 10 or 12 memory channels. If the battery goes out,
>> the memories go, but the radio otherwise still functions normally.
>> Icom rates the battery for about 5 years' use, but my 1983 rig still
>> has the original battery and it's going strong.
>>
>> Other Icoms, and the 730 might be one of them, lose all factory
>> programming when the battery goes.
>>
>> Bob
>> k5qwg
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>>

>
The IC-730 does not have an internal battery at all. The memories were backed up with an external power source.

The battery on the IC-735 ONLY backs up the memory channels. When its bad or changed all the memory channels will return to 28.000 MHz.

Gary K8IZ

1324. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 01:56:45 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <39mtmuF65uv0rU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16597

Turn off the radio, hold the reset button in WHILE turning on the radio.
Also, isn't the reset button on the opposite side of the radio from the
ptt switch?, and the function switch is alongside the ptt???? It should
be the same setup as the C228A (2M/220)..... Also, you might need to
have the memory cart reinitialized. I hope not though.

Good luck!

Bob N9LVU

nitespark wrote:
>
>
> Matt J. McCullar wrote:
>
>> I have a Standard C528A twin-band (2m/440) HT that's 12 years old.
>> I've not
>> used it for a few years, and when I pulled it out of mothballs last
>> week, I
>> powered it up using an external supply and it simply acted bonkers. It
>> would not respond properly to all keypad commands.
>>
>> Taking the HT apart, I found a dead 3-volt lithium battery. I
>> replaced it
>> with a fresh one, hit the little reset button inside the push-to-talk
>> switch, but to my chagrin found absolutely no change. The radio still
>> acts
>> like it's stuck in a particular mode and I cannot punch in a frequency
>> with
>> the keyboard.
>>
>> Am I not resetting this radio properly? Is there a particular
>> sequence of
>> keys I need to hit?
>>
>> Thanks!!!!
>>
>> 73 DE KJ5BA
>> Arlington, TX
>>
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>>
> Try turning the radio off.
> Hold down the "F" key, the "Mon" key and turn on the power. You may
> hear a series of beeps then release the keys.

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> I have a C510 and this is how the reset sequence goes for it and they
> may be using the same CPU or programming for it.
>
> Andy
> WD4KDN
>

1325. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 02:17:12 UTC
From: "Matt J. McCullar" <mccullar@flash.net>
Message-ID: <IArZd.20566$hU7.5441@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16498

> Try turning the radio off.
> Hold down the "F" key, the "Mon" key and turn on the power. You may
> hear a series of beeps then release the keys.
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> I have a C510 and this is how the reset sequence goes for it and they
> may be using the same CPU or programming for it.

I presume "F" is the function key.
I cannot find a "Mon" key on this rig. Is it labeled something else?

1326. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 02:18:05 UTC
From: "Matt J. McCullar" <mccullar@flash.net>
Message-ID: <xBrZd.20567$hU7.13194@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16499

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:39mtmuF65uv0rU1@individual.net...
> Turn off the radio, hold the reset button in WHILE turning on the radio.
> Also, isn't the reset button on the opposite side of the radio from the
> ptt switch?, and the function switch is alongside the ptt???? It should
> be the same setup as the C228A (2M/220)..... Also, you might need to
> have the memory cart reinitialized. I hope not though.

I've held in the reset button while powering up, and no change.

Yes, you're right -- the reset button is on the other side of the HT from
the push-to-talk switch. I got them mixed up!

1327. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 02:30:18 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110853818.351175.198880@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16500

Hello Paul and Roger,

I wanted to tell you that tonight (about 2000 MST) my ancient ICOM IC-260A is successfully accessing CTCSS-controlled repeaters! This is due entirely to your help. I found easy access to the junction of R114 and C103, at the "upper" end of R114 (it is a 15K resistor on-end.) I scraped away some of the insulation, and soldered in series a 10K and 0.1 uF capacitor, then from there a shunt 2.2K to ground, and out with a piece of RG-174 coax. The coax is fed through one of the unoccupied pins on the ACC connector, which I drilled out to about 3mm with a drill bit (a tie-wrap is a strain relief to prevent pulling the coax out from the radio.) The end of the coax is a 1/8" mono phone plug, which goes into the audio output of my quite-ancient IBM Thinkpad 365, running NCH Tone Generator tonegen.exe version 2.01. The output level of tonegen is maximum (0dB) and the tone imposed on the output audio is not very loud, but it is adequate to reach two different repeaters I tested, and I imagine it will vary depending on the laptop and the resistor values I used.

Anyway, this is really satisfying - with your help an old derelict radio is now back in service in my shack, with my laptop doing duty as the CTCSS generator. It wasn't necessary to create any T/R switching or other controls on the tone - it just runs continuously from the laptop.

Again, very much thank you (and the manuals section you host proved quite invaluable this time, and I'll look forward to improving my library.)

Just as an aside, this project is actually a prototype for a ham friend who was disabled a couple of years ago - I want him to get access to IRLP, and I found a 2M transceiver (Kenwood TM201B) for USD 35, which needs only CTCSS to bring it to life in a similar mode (he already has the necessary laptop.) So your help has actually done double duty.

Thanks again,

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1328. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 02:39:49 UTC
From: "Gary P. Fiber" <gfiber@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <slic319e07fa553r89690i9h5ql79hv85b@4ax.com>
Source record: 16501

On 14 Mar 2005 09:05:34 -0800, "wb0gaz" <wb0gaz@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Paul and Roger - thank you very much for the very helpful information.
>I've retrieved the schematic and had already obtained the user's manual
>from the ICOM website. I'll study the schematic.
>
>As for the tone generator, I'm planning on using an old laptop computer
>and "nch tonegen", which is a software program that can generate an
>arbitrary sinewave signal. The main task at hand is to isolate and
>bring the appropriate connection point out to the back panel where I
>can supply the tone on transmit.
>
>Again, thank you both for your fine support!
>
>73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

When I worked for Icom America on the tech support line I used to
advise attachment to the wiper of the deviation pot. Always seemed to
work.

Gary K8IZ

1329. Questions for FT857 owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 03:09:12 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d15jkq01t7s@news3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16503

I installed an FT-857D and ASAT-120 on my old Nissan pickup -- took a couple of days what with running power cable, modifying an antenna mount, grounding everything, etc., etc. First contact from the Mississippi Gulf Coast was a YU1 on 20 meters at 1500 CST.

Now -- here's my question: Do I have to TUNE and INIT the antenna each time I change bands?

As you know, to TUNE the antenna you use the FUNC and SELECT to go to menu k, hit the A button -- TUNE -- then, hold in the A button for one second -- which causes the antenna to tune. Do I have to do this each time I change HF bands, or, does the rig do this automatically after I TUNE and INIT the first time?

Thanks.

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Joe S.

1330. Re: ICOM IC-260A CTCSS - using Pin 5 of accessory connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 03:09:33 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1110856173.193605.261050@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16502

Would have worked as well - the wiper of the pot goes through the 15K resistor and capacitor into the varicap. I'll keep that in mind should I find a rig with no schematic in the future.

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1331. Re: Questions for FT857 owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 05:41:36 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <42367622.5B28D4F3@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 16504

Joe:

Every time you change bands, you need to Tune the antenna. The radio will NOT automatically tune to the new band when you change. Trying to transmit into the antenna while on the wrong band will only cause you grief. When I had the atas-120 on my 857, I left the menu at the correct place that I could just press the tune button (A). You should be aware that according to Yaesu, you should only Tune when stopped, not while driving down the road (of course, nobody I've ever talked to bothered with this restriction, and I didn't even know about it for the first six months I owned the antenna).

The combination can be fun for awhile, but depending on how you have the atas-120 antenna mounted on your truck, you may find it isn't exactly the best antenna for mobile use... First, if you have it mounted high enough to get out decently, (like at the level of the cab roof) you will likely be replacing whips as they break off. Second, unless the mount is extremely stiff and free from vibration, the internals of the antenna will desolder themselves occasionally... Fortunately, both are easily fixed (a larger diameter whip helps considerably in keeping the breakage down, and the two main solder joint failure points are easy to re-solder when they go bad.) Still, I replaced the whip three times before I drilled out the whip socket and used a larger diameter whip. (If you use a slightly longer one, it also tunes easier on 40 meters). I only used it for HF from 40 to 10 meters, as I have a separate antenna for 2meter use. The atas-120 really is a pig on 2 meters, even fully collapsed.

I finally just got tired of it failing at odd times, and switched to a set of Hamsticks. Cheaper, more reliable, only takes a few seconds to swap out (though I do have to stop to change bands), and they seem to get out a bit better.

Good Luck
--Rick AH7H

"Joe S." wrote:

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> HF bands, or, does the rig do this automatically after I TUNE and INIT the

> first time?
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> Thanks.
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> -----
> Joe S.

1332. FS yaesu VX5R with burned TX final

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 05:56:24 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <cOuZd.685087$6l.511584@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16505

Tx burned out but receives just fine. Good for parts.

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1333. Kenwood TS480S/AT Freq tune while in Memory Mode.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 07:58:37 UTC
From: Kevin & Natalia <sparc_man@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42369016$1@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 16506

Hi All,

I am just learning to use my new TS-480S/AT (100 watt) transceiver.
Question, with my previous HF radios, TS-440 & TS-450 I was able to adjust the freq while in memory mode.
However I can not seem to find any information on how to do the same thing on the TS-480S/AT.
Can someone please advise me if this can be done, and how to do it.

Regards

Kevin, Zl1KFM.

1334. Re: Kenwood TS480S/AT Freq tune while in Memory Mode. Found It.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 08:59:30 UTC
From: Kevin & Natalia <sparc_man@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42369e5d$1@news.iconz.co.nz>
Source record: 16507

Sorry All,

I did not read the manual good enough. I went back through and found that it
was menu command 07.

Regards and thanks for reading

Kevin.

"Kevin & Natalia" <sparc_man@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:42369016$1@news.iconz.co.nz...
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>
> Kevin, Zl1KFM.
>
>

1335. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 11:28:54 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <EFzZd.63405$7z6.13052@lakeread04>
Source record: 16508

Matt J. McCullar wrote:

>>Try turning the radio off.
>>Hold down the "F" key, the "Mon" key and turn on the power. You may
>>hear a series of beeps then release the keys.
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>>I have a C510 and this is how the reset sequence goes for it and they
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>
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> I presume "F" is the function key.
> I cannot find a "Mon" key on this rig. Is it labeled something else?
>
>

"Mon" key would be the one you push to "monitor". It either opens up
the squelch if you are on simplex, or checks the input frequency if you
are on a repeater split. On the C510 is right below the PTT button.

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

1336. FA:MISC PARTS + CATALOGS + MORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 14:00:21 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <VTBZd.138522$Th1.59500@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16509

Presently : 60W, 25K power resistors
5Y3WGTB USN
MILLEN RF COKES
PLATE SUPPRESSORS
GONSET SUPER 6
RT-68 SILK SCHEMATIC
3 TYPE OF SOLDERING TIPS
MICRO-SWITCHES + MORE COMING, SEE AT:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, heytubeguy

1337. FA: MULLARD VALVE TUBE & SEMICONDUCTOR GUIDE BOOK 1961 MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 14:55:56 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <fPCZd.30853$wi7.12373@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16511
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=50594&item=5759550846&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1338. FA: 18 VINTAGE RAYTHEON 2N404 TRANSISTORS marked USAF NEAT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 14:56:53 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <8QCZd.30854$pJ7.27912@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16510
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4666&item=3880916546&rd=1&ssPageNam
e=WDVW

1339. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 15:02:25 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kVCZd.30859$uJ7.13835@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16513
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5759550863&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1340. FA: COLLINS R-390A FINAL I.F. UNIT w/ALL 4 COLLINS FILTERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 15:03:25 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <gWCZd.30860$MF7.25079@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16512
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.military.collecting,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5759550872&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1341. FA: $10>ANTENNA SPECIALIST MR306 CB ANTENNA M'CYLE-MARINE-BOAT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 15:04:34 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <lXCZd.30861$ZL7.22321@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16514
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48692&item=5759550889&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1342. FT 747 power cord wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 18:13:54 UTC
From: Sam <aa8wl@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <ytednfnmVfJ_uKrfRVn-vw@comcast.com>
Source record: 16515

Still looking for a D.C. power cord for a Yaesu FT-747 radio. If you have one let me know what you would like for it. TNX 73' de aa8wl Sam

aa8wl@comcast.net

1343. Re: FT 747 power cord wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 20:46:42 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <i4ie319tuacbcbo7iot3s7fqk3vvh536lh@4ax.com>
Source record: 16516

On Tue, 15 Mar 2005 13:13:54 -0500, Sam <aa8wl@comcast.net> wrote:

>Still looking for a D.C. power cord for a Yaesu FT-747 radio. If you
>have one let me know what you would like for it. TNX 73' de aa8wl Sam
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>aa8wl@comcast.net

Build one. A Cinch-Jones S-304-CCT connector should work. (Mouser P/N 538-23041) These are rated at 10A but should be fine in this application.

1344. Ten Tec 238 Tuner indicator problems - restring?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 22:23:39 UTC
From: Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.61.0503151417060.11788@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 16517

Hi All,

We have a Ten Tec 238 Tuner, and we're having some problems with the display/indicator for the roller inductor. To be specific, the indicator is out of adjustment. When I crank the inductor CW the indicator moves to the right, but after going about 1/3 of the way it reverses direction and moves back to the left! When I crank the inductor CCW the indicator moves to the left and stops when it reaches the edge, but there's still more turns left on the inductor.

I'm guessing that we're going to have to open it up and either replace/readjust something. I know nothing about this tuner, and have no idea as to what I'm going to require, nor how to go about it.

I did some searching (Google etc.) but was unable to find anything helpful.

Any hints/advice?

Thanks!

-Josh Senecal, AE6IQ

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senecal@mapson.cs.ucdavis.edu

Remove the reversed "nospam" in the address.

1345. Re: Questions for FT857 owners

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 22:42:16 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d17oc8026sb@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16518

Rick:

Thanks for the advice. That's what I figured out -- I leave the menu set on TUNE DOWN UP and when I change bands I hit the TUNE button and wait a few seconds while it tunes -- which it does quickly.

I have a small pickup with an aluminum cap on the back with a ladder rack on the cap. I mounted the antenna on the ladder rack so it is essentially mounted in the center -- more or less -- of the truck. I made some jumper cables using #10 stranded wire and ring terminals to bond everything -- I connected these jumpers:
-- Bolted one to the side of the FT857 where the mount bolt goes and bolted the other end to the floor of the truck -- loosened the bolt holding the seat to the floorboard and put the ring terminal on that bolt. The FT857 is on the floor under the seat.
-- Connected one jumper from the antenna mount to the ladder rack, bolted through at each end.
-- Connected one jumper from the frame of the cap to the bed of the truck.

I have been using the rig for just over 24 hours and have made a number of contacts from the Mississippi Gulf Coast to all sections of the US, Europe, and South America.

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"Rick Frazier" <rickf@rickfrazier.com> wrote in message
news:42367622.5B28D4F3@rickfrazier.com...
> Joe:
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> > -----
> > Joe S.
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1346. Re: FS yaesu VX5R with burned TX final

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 23:14:38 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <42376C5E.9060301@netscape.net>
Source record: 16519

tom wrote:
> Tx burned out but receives just fine. Good for parts.
>

I'm interested, but the Phychic Hotline was busy.
How much? Physical condition other than blown final?
Has anyone been messing around inside it?
Where?
Thank you,
mike

1347. Is Standard Amateur Radio Products still in business?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 23:33:18 UTC
From: "Matt J. McCullar" <mccullar@flash.net>
Message-ID: <2hKZd.20849$hU7.292@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16520

I cannot find an address or phone number for Standard Amateur Radio Products. The manual for my HT (from 1993) gives a post office box in Niles, Illinois. I looked through a 2001 issue of _QST_ but Standard did not advertise in it. Is the company even still around? A web site address given for them is worthless.

Thanks in advance!

Matt J. McCullar, KJ5BA

1348. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 23:34:17 UTC
From: "Matt J. McCullar" <mccullar@flash.net>
Message-ID: <ZhKZd.20852$hU7.7331@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16521

> "Mon" key would be the one you push to "monitor". It either opens up
> the squelch if you are on simplex, or checks the input frequency if you
> are on a repeater split. On the C510 is right below the PTT button.

Sorry to report that my radio must be completely different from yours; it
has no such animal on it. There is a rotary control to break the squelch,
and a function key on the keypad lets you check an input frequency...

1349. Re: Is Standard Amateur Radio Products still in business?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 23:52:53 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <7zKZd.63726$7z6.1904@lakeread04>
Source record: 16522

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> Niles, Illinois. I looked through a 2001 issue of _QST_ but Standard did
> not advertise in it. Is the company even still around? A web site address
> given for them is worthless.
>
> Thanks in advance!
>
> Matt J. McCullar, KJ5BA
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Nope. They were bought out/ merged with Yaesu Vertex.

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

1350. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 23:54:43 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <RAKZd.63728$7z6.41586@lakeread04>
Source record: 16523

Matt J. McCullar wrote:

>>"Mon" key would be the one you push to "monitor". It either opens up
>>the squelch if you are on simplex, or checks the input frequency if you
>>are on a repeater split. On the C510 is right below the PTT button.
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>
> Sorry to report that my radio must be completely different from yours; it
> has no such animal on it. There is a rotary control to break the squelch,
> and a function key on the keypad lets you check an input frequency...
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Oh well...just a thought. I have

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

1351. Re: Standard HT help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-15 23:59:04 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <XEKZd.63731$7z6.22420@lakeread04>
Source record: 16524

nitespark wrote:

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> Matt J. McCullar wrote:
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>>> the squelch if you are on simplex, or checks the input frequency if you
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>> squelch,
>> and a function key on the keypad lets you check an input frequency...
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>>
> Oh well...just a thought. I have
>

Ooops, let me continue....

I have several Standard radios and I have found that if you understand
the programming on one, others are easy to pick up.

You may want to try contacting Matt Adrian at sarts@qtm.net. He was
doing Standard radio servicing at one time. He may know the hard reset
sequence on that radio.

Andy
WD4KDN

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

1352. :: :: :: :: *post 1005* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 01:33:26 UTC
From: ron010537@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110936806.011338.298280@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16525

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http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1353. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1005* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 01:50:36 UTC
From: John <ac5tx@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <MhMZd.12539$WK2.11031@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16526

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Must one repent?
<ron010537@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1110936806.011338.298280@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
>
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1354. Re: Is Standard Amateur Radio Products still in business?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 02:25:19 UTC
From: SBC News Server <w9wy@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <jOMZd.20928$hU7.12775@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16527

Standard is now a division of Yaesu - has been for some years.

"Matt J. McCullar" <mccullar@flash.net> wrote in message
news:2hKZd.20849$hU7.292@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com...
>I cannot find an address or phone number for Standard Amateur Radio
> Products. The manual for my HT (from 1993) gives a post office box in
> Niles, Illinois. I looked through a 2001 issue of _QST_ but Standard did
> not advertise in it. Is the company even still around? A web site
> address
> given for them is worthless.
>
> Thanks in advance!
>
> Matt J. McCullar, KJ5BA
>
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1355. :: :: :: :: *post 1005* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 03:14:49 UTC
From: ron010537@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110942889.046877.54470@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16528

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http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1356. Re: Is Standard Amateur Radio Products still in business?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 03:42:28 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns961AC8E0EF352spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 16529

> Standard is now a division of Yaesu - has been for some years.
>

Yes. Matt, look for it under the name, "VertexStandard". Found at,
http://www.vertexstandard.com

Ed

1357. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1005* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 03:58:12 UTC
From: John <ac5tx@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <o9OZd.12573$WK2.1330@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16530

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be baptized and wash away your sins
<ron010537@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1110942889.046877.54470@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
>
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1358. :: :: :: :: *post 1007* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 05:19:02 UTC
From: Ron038537@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110950341.999639.241040@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16531

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1359. :: :: :: :: *post 1007* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 07:00:27 UTC
From: Ron038537@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110956427.122351.109100@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16532

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http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1360. :: :: :: :: *post 1007* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 08:41:50 UTC
From: Ron038537@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110962510.097541.296360@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16533

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1361. :: :: :: :: *post 1007* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 10:23:15 UTC
From: Ron038537@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110968595.818260.115690@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16534

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http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1362. :: :: :: :: *post 1007* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 12:04:42 UTC
From: Ron038537@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110974682.643364.43830@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16535

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http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1363. Re: Ten Tec 238 Tuner indicator problems - restring?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 12:41:36 UTC
From: "Edward A. Feustel" <efeustel@direcway.com>
Message-ID: <42382a40$1_1@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 16536

"Joshua G Senecal" <senecal@ucdavis.edu> wrote in message
news:Pine.LNX.4.61.0503151417060.11788@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu...
> Hi All,
>
> We have a Ten Tec 238 Tuner, and we're having some problems with the
> display/indicator for the roller inductor. To be specific, the indicator
> is out of adjustment. When I crank the inductor CW the indicator moves to
> the right, but after going about 1/3 of the way it reverses direction and
> moves back to the left! When I crank the inductor CCW the indicator moves
> to the left and stops when it reaches the edge, but there's still more
> turns left on the inductor.
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> I'm guessing that we're going to have to open it up and either
> replace/readjust something. I know nothing about this tuner, and have no
> idea as to what I'm going to require, nor how to go about it.
>
> I did some searching (Google etc.) but was unable to find anything
> helpful.
>
> Any hints/advice?
>
> Thanks!
>
> -Josh Senecal, AE6IQ
John,
This has been covered on the TenTec mail list. at contesting.com. I am not
certain whether they maintain an acrchive or not. This is one of the reasons
that Ten Tec has changed their design to
do away with the string dial in the B model.

You might also write to Service at tentec.com and I'll bet they would send
you instructions on what to do.
Ed, N5EI
>

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1364. impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 12:51:17 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <9ZVZd.691450$Xk.476937@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16537

If you really needed to get a 2m rig on the air and you didn't have an swr meter, do you think you could get way with creating a simple dipole if it was VERY carefully cut according to the formula, and if you wound your own impromptu balun out of 5-6, 4" diameter turns of the (RG-8)cable right below the dipole? Even if the resonant frequency wasn't exactly in the middle of the 2m band, how much damage to the rig would you be risking? I don't see how it could do any serious damage, even if the swr was somehow slightly in excess of 2, or is it just something that is never, ever done --- not checking the swr first with a meter? According to the antenna books I'm reading, 1/2 wave dipoles (where each radiating element is 1/4 wave) don't need fancy matching transformation stuff, the only issue might be RF coming back through the outer braid and causing the cable to radiate --- thus the 5-turns-on-the-cable balun.

1365. FA: Astatic JT-40 JT40? Blues Harp Or Ham Radio Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 13:08:22 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <adWZd.411$3c2.72083@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 16538

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7307078643

1366. FA: Vintage Adapters (2) For Astatic JT-40 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 13:17:47 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <%lWZd.417$3c2.72419@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 16539

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5759232604

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5759239727

1367. Re: Ten Tec 238 Tuner indicator problems - restring?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 13:27:36 UTC
From: QRM <qrm@qrm.com>
Message-ID: <cvWZd.10393$DW.8966@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16540

"Joshua G Senecal" <senecal@ucdavis.edu> wrote in message
news:Pine.LNX.4.61.0503151417060.11788@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu...
> Hi All,
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> We have a Ten Tec 238 Tuner, and we're having some problems with the
> display/indicator for the roller inductor. To be specific, the indicator
> is out of adjustment. When I crank the inductor CW the indicator moves to
> the right, but after going about 1/3 of the way it reverses direction and
> moves back to the left! When I crank the inductor CCW the indicator moves
> to the left and stops when it reaches the edge, but there's still more
> turns left on the inductor.
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> I'm guessing that we're going to have to open it up and either
> replace/readjust something. I know nothing about this tuner, and have no
> idea as to what I'm going to require, nor how to go about it.
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> I did some searching (Google etc.) but was unable to find anything
> helpful.
>
> Any hints/advice?
>
> Thanks!
>
> -Josh Senecal, AE6IQ
>
> --
> senecal@mapson.cs.ucdavis.edu
>
> Remove the reversed "nospam" in the address.

It's a cheap slide rule dial. These things have been around forever. Not
much more than a string and a spring. Take the cover off and at least try
to fix it. Mine just slipped off the drive shaft and took less time to
repair than you took typing your question. If you get stuck, call or email
the factory. It's a horrible design and they all slip eventually. The
service manager can talk you through the repair in his sleep.

1368. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 13:57:45 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ajeg31d7l7cseq3mejumqad1vbhtiqfbfb@4ax.com>
Source record: 16541

On Wed, 16 Mar 2005 12:51:17 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>If you really needed to get a 2m rig on the air and you didn't have an swr
>meter, do you think you could get way with creating a simple dipole if it
>was VERY carefully cut according to the formula, and if you wound your own
>impromptu balun out of 5-6, 4" diameter turns of the (RG-8)cable right below
>the dipole? Even if the resonant frequency wasn't exactly in the middle of
>the 2m band, how much damage to the rig would you be risking? I don't see
>how it could do any serious damage, even if the swr was somehow slightly in
>excess of 2, or is it just something that is never, ever done --- not
>checking the swr first with a meter? According to the antenna books I'm
>reading, 1/2 wave dipoles (where each radiating element is 1/4 wave) don't
>need fancy matching transformation stuff, the only issue might be RF coming
>back through the outer braid and causing the cable to radiate --- thus the
>5-turns-on-the-cable balun.
>
>
First, remember that most local 2-meter activity is going to be
vertically polarized. That means the dipole would have to be held by
one end with the other end down. A very simple antenna for 2-meters
is the J-Pole. There are numerous sites giving the dimensions for one
made out of common TV twin-lead. You can also make one out of 1/2"
copper pipe soldered together. These are very simple antennas that
are inexpensive to build and will outperform the dipole you are
considering.

Dick - W6CCD

1369. Re: Timewave ANC-4 or MFJ-1026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 14:20:08 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <42384198$1_2@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 16542

I found nothing wrong with the fit and finish of my 1026. Just be aware that the 1026 is not easy to adjust and can easily appear not to be working if the sense antenna is not adequate and if the operator doesn't grasp the correct adjustment procedure. Make sure the interfering signal can be heard well on the sense antenna.

73, K8AC

"Just�n K�se" <chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote in message news:4237ec25.2253528@chupacabra...
> In Message-ID:<deil-751B4F.18584715032005@hermes-ge0.rdc-kc.rr.com>
> posted on Tue, 15 Mar 2005 18:58:47 -0600, dbu wrote:
>
>>I understand the MFJ is better, but I can't say for
>>sure as I don't own one.
>
> It's cheaper by about ten bucks,
> but MFJ's reputation for poor fit and finish might offset that.
> --
>
> JK

1370. Anyone pull COS off an ADI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 14:41:00 UTC
From: Jimmy Mac <no-spam@manicarcade.com>
Message-ID: <0AXZd.10990$m31.118167@typhoon.sonic.net>
Source record: 16543

Hi All,

I am going to be using an ADI 247 as a temporary link radio and am wondering if anyone has used one of these in the past.

If you have, can you give me any tips on where the best point to pull COS from may be? hi or lo... either will suffice.

Thanks!

Jim...
kb6zop at [manicarcade] DOT com

1371. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 14:55:23 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <vNXZd.696711$8l.564220@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 16544

Thanks, that's usefull info --- but what about the swr issue? If a half wave dipole is tuned to a certain frequency and has an swr of 1.05, say, for the swr to rise to 2 (at VHF wavelengths) you have to go roughly 6mhz up or 5mhz down from that tuned frequency. The 2m band is only 4mhz wide in total, anyway, so if you measure carefully, are you risking damage to the rig (also assuming the rig has no swr protective circuitry) if you don't check the swr with a swr meter? I don't have one, that's why I'm asking.

1372. FA Hallicrafters SX-18 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 15:08:12 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <vZXZd.42603$lm.15992@okepread01>
Source record: 16545

Please take a look at my Hallicrafters SX-18 Receiver for auction at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5760587552&rd=1&ssPageNam
e=WDVW
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

1373. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 16:00:54 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <42385839$0$32453@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 16546

"tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote in message
news:vNXZd.696711$8l.564220@pd7tw1no...
> Thanks, that's usefull info --- but what about the swr issue? ...
> ....., are you risking damage to the
> rig (also assuming the rig has no swr protective circuitry) if you don't
> check the swr with a swr meter? I don't have one, that's why I'm asking.

AFAIK all commercial rigs made in the last 15-20 years have protection.

1374. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 16:01:59 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <lqlg31t84j12icu3hk9er6eiiscp3n260o@4ax.com>
Source record: 16547

On Wed, 16 Mar 2005 14:55:23 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>Thanks, that's usefull info --- but what about the swr issue? If a half
>wave dipole is tuned to a certain frequency and has an swr of 1.05, say, for
>the swr to rise to 2 (at VHF wavelengths) you have to go roughly 6mhz up or
>5mhz down from that tuned frequency. The 2m band is only 4mhz wide in
>total, anyway, so if you measure carefully, are you risking damage to the
>rig (also assuming the rig has no swr protective circuitry) if you don't
>check the swr with a swr meter? I don't have one, that's why I'm asking.

I wouldn't worry about an SWR of 2.0. You could always buy an SWR
meter. They aren't very expensive. Without one you are just going to
be flying blind. Many things can affect SWR besides the antenna
length. Are you sure your radio doesn't have SWR protection? Most
do. What is the make and model?

Dick

1375. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 16:15:25 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <h3mg31dpr05nbge6s8p9f6jkkodgscbbfc@4ax.com>
Source record: 16448

On Wed, 16 Mar 2005 12:51:17 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>If you really needed to get a 2m rig on the air and you didn't have an swr
>meter, do you think you could get way with creating a simple dipole if it
>was VERY carefully cut according to the formula, and if you wound your own
>impromptu balun out of 5-6, 4" diameter turns of the (RG-8)cable right below
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>excess of 2, or is it just something that is never, ever done --- not
>checking the swr first with a meter? According to the antenna books I'm
>reading, 1/2 wave dipoles (where each radiating element is 1/4 wave) don't
>need fancy matching transformation stuff, the only issue might be RF coming
>back through the outer braid and causing the cable to radiate --- thus the
>5-turns-on-the-cable balun.
>
>

What you're proposing should work fine. For each quarter wave element,
length in feet = 234/frequency
or
length in meters = 71.4/frequency

So each quarter wave element would be around 18 or 19 inches,
depending on where you want to be in the 144-148 mhz range. The
formula should get you close enough to keep from blowing up your rig.

Coiling the coax as you propose shouldn't hurt anything, either. Try
to bring the coax away from the antenna at a 90-degree angle, and
hanging the antenna vertically would help if you're trying to work
mobiles or repeaters.

Also, you might consider a ground plane vertical, attaching five
quarter wave wires to a female coax plug, one vertical wire, with four
radials in the holes on the ground side.

bob
k5qwg

1376. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 16:34:51 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <LeZZd.695607$Xk.128464@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16449

My other cohort suggested a ground-plane vertical, too. What's the deal with ground plane verticals? It seems they are slightly mechanicaly more complicated than a half wave dipole, but that's fine if there's some advantage. Are they safer to use without an swr meter?

1377. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 16:39:22 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <_iZZd.698695$6l.195471@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16450

I haven't bought it yet --- it'll be a IC-2200H. They (swr meters) might not cost much, but it's more than I'll have. I just went through a $300 nightmare with a used Yaesu VX5 that supposedly worked perfectly untill 4 days afetr I got it when the Tx final just overheated and crapped out. So the all the money I spent on 7-10amp ps is basically wasted too. So, please don't recommend buying anything used because I just want to get on-air, and I only have another $400 or so and I want to make sure I can do it with that. If I have to wait anothe rmonth to get stuff like an swr meter, fine.

1378. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 18:13:08 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <UG_Zd.6273$qf2.1672@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16451

"tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote in message
news:LeZZd.695607$Xk.128464@pd7tw3no...
> My other cohort suggested a ground-plane vertical, too. What's the deal
> with ground plane verticals? It seems they are slightly mechanicaly more
> complicated than a half wave dipole, but that's fine if there's some
> advantage. Are they safer to use without an swr meter?
>
>

Make just about any kind of vertical with a vertical section of about 19.5 inches and use either 3 or 4 radials about 20 inches long drooping to around 45 degrees. You can also take two wires about 19 inches long and make a vertical dipole. Feed the antenna with some rg-58 about 50 feet or more long. The coax will have enough loss in it the swr as seen at the transmitter will be low enough as not to worry. While I don't recommend this as anythihng like an optimal antenna, it will get you on the air. That is what I put up here when I moved in about a year ago and have not gotten around to doing anything beter as I don't work 2 meter FM that much.

1379. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 18:33:20 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <QZ_Zd.700039$6l.340955@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16452

Yeah, that's what I figure, too. I should have mentioned that even though the rig is a mobile unit, I'm using it as a base station from my basement suite, so the antenna doesn't need to be capable of being mounted on a vehicle. Given that new piece of info, doesn't it make more sense for me to make a simple, 2-wire dipole temporary antenna than a ground plane? Or are there some reasons why ground plane antennas are better than dipoles?

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1380. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 18:52:38 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <tuvg31tjre07eu2kho4ubs2laiach7grvv@4ax.com>
Source record: 16453

On Wed, 16 Mar 2005 18:33:20 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>Yeah, that's what I figure, too. I should have mentioned that even though
>the rig is a mobile unit, I'm using it as a base station from my basement
>suite, so the antenna doesn't need to be capable of being mounted on a
>vehicle. Given that new piece of info, doesn't it make more sense for me to
>make a simple, 2-wire dipole temporary antenna than a ground plane? Or are
>there some reasons why ground plane antennas are better than dipoles?

One of the main reasons is mounting. The dipole will have to be
strung from the ceiling or something high. The ground plane can be
set on a table, file cabinet, etc. It can also be mounted on a pole
and just set in a corner of the room.

1381. " BIG BUCKS" WITH ONLY $6.00 INVESTMENT "NO BULL"!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 18:55:56 UTC
From: bscruggins2000@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1110999356.007574.110090@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16454

HOW TO TURN $6 INTO $6,000!!!!!! READING THIS COULD CHANGE YOUR LIFE!

I found this on a bulletin board and decided to try it. A little while back, I was browsing through newsgroups, just like you are now, and came across an article similar to this that said you could make thousands of dollars within weeks with only an initial investment of $6.00! So I thought, Yeah right, this must be a scam,but like most of us, I was curious, so I kept reading. Anyway, it said that you send $1.00 to each of the 6 names and address stated in the article. You then place your own name and address in the bottom of the list at #6, and post the article in at least 200 newsgroups. (There are thousands) No catch, that was it. So after thinking it over, and talking to a few people first, I thought about trying it. I figured: what have I got to lose except 6 stamps and $6.00, right? Then I invested the measly $6.00. Well GUESS WHAT!!... within 7 days, I started getting money in the mail! I was shocked! I figured it would end soon, but the money just kept coming in. In my first week, I made about $25.00. By the end of the second week I had made a total of over $1,000.00! In the third week I had over $10,000.00 and it`s still growing. This is now my fourth week and I have made a total of just over $42,000.00 and it`s still coming in rapidly. It`s certainly worth $6.00, and 6 stamps, I have spent more than that on the lottery!! Let me tell you how this works and most importantly, why it works....Also, make sure you print a copy of this article NOW, so you can get the information off of it as you need it. I promise you that if you follow the directions exactly, that you will start making more money than you thought possible by doing something so easy!
Suggestion: Read this entire message carefully! (Print it out or download it.) Follow the simple directions and watch the money come in! It`s easy. It`s legal. And, your investment is only $6.00 (Plus postage)

IMPORTANT: This is not a scam; it is not indecent; it is not illegal; and it is virtually no risk - it really works!!!! If all of the following instructions are followed exactly, you will receive extraordinary dividends.

PLEASE NOTE: Please follow these directions PERCISELY, and $50,000 or more can be yours in 20 to 60 days. This program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants. Please continue its success by carefully adhering to the instructions. You will now become part of the Mail Order business. In this business your product is not solid and tangible, it`s a service. You are in the business of developing Mailing Lists. Many large corporations are happy to pay big bucks for quality lists. However, the money made from the

mailing lists is secondary to the income which is made from people like you and me asking to be included in that list. Here are the 4 easy steps to success:

STEP 1: Get 6 separate pieces of paper and write the following on each piece of paper; PLEASE PUT ME ON YOUR MAILING LIST. Now get 6 US $1.00 bills and place ONE inside EACH of the 6 pieces of paper so the bill will not be seen through the envelope (to prevent thievery). Next, place one paper in each of the 6 envelopes and seal them. You should now have 6 sealed envelopes, each with a piece of paper stating the above phrase, your name and address, and a $1.00 bill. What you are doing is creating a service. THIS IS ABSOLUTELY LEGAL! You are requesting a legitimate service and you are paying for it! Like most of us I was a little skeptical and a little worried about the legal aspects of it all. So I checked it out with the U.S. Post Office (1-800-725-2161) and they confirmed that it is indeed legal! Mail the 6 envelopes to the following addresses:

Mailing Addresses

1. P. FREY, 4577 W. PONDS CIR, LITTLETON, CO 80123
2. E. DE LEON, 14014 Rosecrest, Houston,TX 77045
3. A. Lopez, 810 Ave.J, South Houston TX 77587
4. L. Pacheco, 812 Ave.J, South Houston, TX 77587
5. K. Bat, 9335 Alcona Street, Lanham, MD 20706
6. B. Scruggins, P.O. Box 845 Port Barre, LA 70577

STEP 2: Now take the #1 name off the list that you see above, move the other names up (6 becomes 5, 5 becomes 4, etc...) and add YOUR Name as number 6 on the list.

STEP 3: Change anything you need to, but try to keep this article as close to original as possible. Now, post your amended article to at least 200 newsgroups. (I think there are close to 24,000 groups) All you need is 200, but remember, the more you post, the more money you make! This is perfectly legal! If you have any doubts, refer to Title 18 Sec. 1302 & 1341 of the Postal lottery laws.
Keep a copy of these steps for yourself and, whenever you need money, you can use it again, and again.

PLEASE REMEMBER that this program remains successful because of the honesty and integrity of the participants and by their carefully adhering to the directions. Look at it this way. If you are of integrity, the program will continue and the money that so many others have received will come your way.

NOTE: You may want to retain every name and address sent to you, either on a computer or hard copy and keep the notes people send you. This VERIFIES that you are truly providing a service. (Also, it might be a good idea to wrap the $1 bill in dark paper to reduce the risk of mail theft.)
So, as each post is downloaded and the directions carefully followed,

six members will be reimbursed for their participation as a List Developer with one dollar each. Your name will move up the list geometrically so that when your name reaches the #1 position you will be receiving thousands of dollars in CASH!!! What an opportunity for only $6.00 ($1.00 for each of the first six people listed above) Send it now, add your own name to the list and you`re in business!
---DIRECTIONS ----- FOR HOW TO POST TO NEWSGROUPS---------- Step 1) You do not need to re-type this entire letter to do your own posting. Simply put your cursor at the beginning of this letter and drag your cursor to the bottom of this document, and select `copy` from the edit menu. This will copy the entire letter into the computer`s memory.

Step 2) Open a blank `notepad` file and place your cursor at the top of the blank page. From the `edit` menu select `paste`. This will paste a copy of the letter into notepad so that you can add your name to the list.
Step 3) Save your new notepad file as a .txt file. If you want to do your postings in different settings, you`ll always have this file to go back to.

Step 4) Use Netscape or Internet explorer and try searching for various newsgroups (on-line forums, message boards, chat sites, discussions.) Just example you log on any search engine like, yahoo.com,google.com, altavista.com,excite.com then you search with this subject millionaire message board? or money making message
board? or employment message board? or money making discussions? or money making forum? or business message board? etc. You will find thousand & thousand message board. Click one by one then you will find the option post a new message.
Step 5) Visit these message boards and post this article as a new message by highlighting the text of this letter and selecting paste from the edit menu. Fill in the Subject, this will be the header that everyone sees as they scroll through the list of postings in a particular group, click the post message button. You`re done with your first one! Congratulations...THAT`S IT! All you have to do is jump to different newsgroups and post away, after you get the hang of it, it will take about 30 seconds for each newsgroup!

REMEMBER, THE MORE NEWSGROUPS YOU POST IN, THE MORE MONEY YOU WILL MAKE!! BUT YOU HAVE TO POST A MINIMUM OF 200
That`s it! You will begin receiving money from around the world within days! You may eventually want to rent a P.O.Box due to the large amount of mail you will receive. If you wish to stay anonymous, you can invent a name to use, as long as the postman will deliver it.
JUST MAKE SURE ALL THE ADDRESSES ARE CORRECT.

Now the WHY part: Out of 200 postings, say I receive only 5 replies (a very low example). So then I made $5.00 with my name at #6 on the letter. Now, each of the 5 persons who just sent me $1.00 make the MINIMUM 200 postings, each with my name at #5 and only 5 persons respond to each of the original 5, that is another $25.00 for me, now

those 25 each make 200 MINIMUM posts with my name at #4 and only 5 replies each, I will bring in an additional $125.00! Now, those 125 persons turn around and post the MINIMUM 200 with my name at #3 and only receive 5 replies each, I will make an additional $626.00! OK, now here is the fun part, each of those 625 persons post a MINIMUM 200 letters with my name at #2 and they each only receive 5 replies, that just made me $3,125.00!!! Those 3,125 persons will all deliver this message to 200 newsgroups with my name at #1 and if still 5 persons per 200 newsgroups react I will receive $15,625,00! With an original investment of only $6.00! AMAZING! When your name is no longer on the list, you just take the latest posting in the newsgroups, and send out another $6.00 to names on the list, putting your name at number 6 again. And start posting again. The thing to remember is: do you realize that thousands of people all over the world are joining the internet and reading these articles everyday?, JUST LIKE YOU are now!! So, can you afford $6.00 and see if it really works?? I think so... People have said, "What if the plan is played out and no one sends you the money? So what! What are the chances of that happening when there are tons of new honest users and new honest people who are joining the internet and newsgroups everyday and are willing to give it a try? Estimates are at 20,000 to 50,000 new users, every day, with thousands of those joining the actual internet.

Remember: Play FAIRLY and HONESTLY and this will really work.

1382. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 19:02:50 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <eg0h315mn5prbkgq6q5c8o78u0a7k2uk93@4ax.com>
Source record: 16455

On Wed, 16 Mar 2005 16:39:22 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>I haven't bought it yet --- it'll be a IC-2200H. They (swr meters) might
>not cost much, but it's more than I'll have. I just went through a $300
>nightmare with a used Yaesu VX5 that supposedly worked perfectly untill 4
>days afetr I got it when the Tx final just overheated and crapped out. So
>the all the money I spent on 7-10amp ps is basically wasted too. So, please
>don't recommend buying anything used because I just want to get on-air, and
>I only have another $400 or so and I want to make sure I can do it with
>that. If I have to wait anothe rmonth to get stuff like an swr meter, fine.
>

The Icom IC-2200H most definitely has SWR protection. That radio is
only $230 from places like HRO. If you have $400 to spend, you should
have plenty to get on the air.

1383. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 19:11:04 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <113h1685pcmpp74@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16456

>Yeah, that's what I figure, too. I should have mentioned that even though
>the rig is a mobile unit, I'm using it as a base station from my basement
>suite, so the antenna doesn't need to be capable of being mounted on a
>vehicle. Given that new piece of info, doesn't it make more sense for me to
>make a simple, 2-wire dipole temporary antenna than a ground plane? Or are
>there some reasons why ground plane antennas are better than dipoles?

Getting best performance (pattern) out of a 2-wire dipole usually
requires that you bring the feedline out in a perpendicular fashion
for some distance before you turn it in a downwards direction. This
may or may not be convenient.

You'll also need ways of tensioning or supporting the wires to keep
the dipole fairly straight and vertical, and this also may be somewhat
inconvenient. You'll either need to hang the upper wire from a
support above it, and hang a weight of some sort down below the bottom
wire to keep the antenna taut and keep it from swinging in the wind,
or use fiberglass rods or something like that to support the wires.
In either case, you'll have to have a non-metallic support structure,
and keep the antenna a reasonable distance away from any metal-bearing
portions of the structure (pipes, stucco walls containing chicken
wire, etc.).

A quarter-wave ground plane can be made quite simply from three to
five pieces of copper wire and an SO-239 connector. The
feedline comes down the bottom, and if the feedline is sufficiently
stiff you can probably support the whole antenna just by using plastic
tie-wraps to lash the feedline to a vent pipe on your roof and letting
the feedline bear the (very modest) weight of the antenna. You won't
need an overhead support, you won't need any sort of balun (loop or
otherwise).

The gain pattern of a center-fed half-wave vertical dipole, and a
quarter-wave monopole with two to four radials drooped downwards at 45
degrees, are very very similar. See

http://www.cebik.com/gp/58-2.html

and take a look at the second chart of the radiation patterns - it
compares a vertical dipole with two ground-plane antennas (horizontal
and drooped radials). "In practical terms, the low-angle lobes of
the dipole and the 45° sloping-radial monopole overlap, with the
90°-radial monopole slightly weaker."

So, basically, I think you'll get equivalent performance from a
monopole with a ground plane, and will find the mechanical

arrangements rather easier to manage.

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1384. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 19:18:45 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <pE%Zd.700642$6l.278003@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16457

I forgot to mention that's in canadian..

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1385. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 19:38:21 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <NW%Zd.697748$Xk.512726@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16459

How about the stripped back coax-coax? That's where you peel the outer conductur back, exposing 19" of the inner conductor, and the 19" piece of peeled back outer sleeve is the opposing radiator, and the feedline just continues in a straight line out of the peeled back part. Then you tie or tape the top to a hook and simply hang it. This avoids the entire issue of making the feedline approach the feedpoint at a 90 degree angle. What's your take on this design? I like its simplicity.

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Tom H
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1386. FA: MFJ Tuner 949E

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 19:38:43 UTC
From: Harold Hackman W6HVH <hhackman@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <1p2h31pvgumm2vf9510giiaaamuns4jm0q@4ax.com>
Source record: 16458

This tuner is available at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48711&item=5761142815&rd=1

Thanks.

1387. FA: MFJ Auto Tuner 993

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 19:44:18 UTC
From: Harold Hackman W6HVH <hhackman@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <b33h31h66ib7ai9h3l9558gjqp92l48icc@4ax.com>
Source record: 16460

You can find the tuner here:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5761145261&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

Thanks.

1388. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 20:17:33 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <113h52tf1fsbo67@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16461

>How about the stripped back coax-coax? That's where you peel the outer
>conductur back, exposing 19" of the inner conductor, and the 19" piece of
>peeled back outer sleeve is the opposing radiator, and the feedline just
>continues in a straight line out of the peeled back part. Then you tie or
>tape the top to a hook and simply hang it. This avoids the entire issue of
>making the feedline approach the feedpoint at a 90 degree angle. What's
>your take on this design? I like its simplicity.

A simple "sleeve" dipole. They can certainly work. I suspect that
tuning them can be a bit tricky - the velocity-of-propagation on the
upper, exposed-center-conductor portion is likely to be a bit
different than the velocity down the folded-back braid section.
They're probably a bit prone to RF on the feedline due to coupling
between the end of the folded-back braid, and the braid inside it.

Weather is another issue - rainwater will get into the braid quite easily
and will run back down the coax into your station. [Trust me on
this... I once failed to adequately RTV-waterproof the RG-8X coax at
the feedpoint of a copper-pipe J-pole, my SWR went sky-high after the
first big rain, and I found water and moss (!) inside my N connector.]

Commercial sleeve dipoles are often built of a copper pipe of two or
more diameters, and sometimes have an additional decoupling sleeve
down below the lower radiator section.

A stripped-back-coax sleeve dipole could make a very handy emergency
field antenna, but I don't think I'd depend on it for base-station use.

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1389. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 20:38:20 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <0P0_d.698179$Xk.229269@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16462

How about if I put the stripped-back coax antenna inside a waterproof plastic bag that went over the top of it? I think that would certainly help keep it dry, but would the plastic bag create any kind of mutual-inductance problems, or does that only happen with conductors or materials with hi dialectric coefficients?
I remember reading that a the larger the diameter of the radiating element, the slower the propogation velocity, so I agree with you about how it might screw up the normal calculations --- but by how much, though? Given that a vhf dipole has an 11mhz wide band within which the swr is below 2, does it matter if the resonant frequency is off even if its off by a mhz or two?
If I wound the feedline itself into an 8 turn, impromptu balun and slid a ferrite bead on the feedline just below the end of the dipole part as a further barrier to return RF, wouldn't that basically eliminate any significant return current issues?
Am I missing anything, or can I basically count on a setup like this one to not stress my final? If not, why not?
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73
Tom H
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1390. Re: Timewave ANC-4 or MFJ-1026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 20:46:19 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <42389b6d_1@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 16463

I think it all depends upon how strong the interfering signal is. If the internal whip antenna can hear the signal, then the 1026 will do the job. If not, then you'll need an external noise antenna. You can easily connect the external antenna to the 1026 and unscrew the telescoping sense antenna if you're not going to use it.

K8AC

"dbu" <deil@spam.com> wrote in message
news:deil-9BC4F3.14274316032005@hermes-ge0.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article <42384198$1_2@newsfeed.slurp.net>,
> "Floyd Sense" <fsense@copper.net> wrote:
>
>> I found nothing wrong with the fit and finish of my 1026. Just be aware
>> that the 1026 is not easy to adjust and can easily appear not to be
>> working
>> if the sense antenna is not adequate and if the operator doesn't grasp
>> the
>> correct adjustment procedure. Make sure the interfering signal can be
>> heard
>> well on the sense antenna.
>>
>> 73, K8AC
>
> I was looking to buy a 1026 or 1025. My understanding is the 1026 has a
> active antenna built in and the 1025 does not, is that correct and is it
> worth the extra money to get the 1026?
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> Dale
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>> "Just�n K�se" <chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote in message
>> news:4237ec25.2253528@chupacabra...
>> > In Message-ID:<deil-751B4F.18584715032005@hermes-ge0.rdc-kc.rr.com>
>> > posted on Tue, 15 Mar 2005 18:58:47 -0600, dbu wrote:
>> >
>> >>I understand the MFJ is better, but I can't say for
>> >>sure as I don't own one.
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>> > It's cheaper by about ten bucks,
>> > but MFJ's reputation for poor fit and finish might offset that.
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>> >
>> > JK
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1391. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 21:00:41 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns961B84C43532Bspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 16464

If you really want an effective and simple to build 2M antenna for FM work, purchase an SO-239, (UHF Female chassis fitting) and a couple pieces of brass welding rod, or hobby rod.

Using nothing more than pliers and a solder iron you can make a nice ground plane antenna. Vertical piece cut to about 19 inches, three or four radials cut to about 20 inches, and bend the ground radials down about 45 dgreees. This will provide a near perfect 50 ohm match. Simply screw the PL-259 on your cable on to this antenna and tape it to the side of a wood or metal pole. Real easy, and real effective.

Ed K7AAT

1392. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 21:30:26 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <Sz1_d.698648$Xk.537865@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16465

. A couple other guys who know what they're talking about are also recommending that same arrangement. 50 ohms on the cable and 50 ohms on the antenna --- perfect. No need for a matching device, I like it. But aren't dipole-like configurations supposed to present 73 ohms of load? Why is a 1/4 wave groundplane only 50 ohms?

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1393. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 21:54:53 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <113hapdkjm53d40@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16466

In article <0P0_d.698179$Xk.229269@pd7tw3no>, tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>How about if I put the stripped-back coax antenna inside a waterproof
>plastic bag that went over the top of it?

The bag would have to be 24" long. You need to keep not only the very top of the stripped section dry, but the whole area where the braid comes out of the stripped insulation and is then turned around downwards.

> I think that would certainly help
>keep it dry, but would the plastic bag create any kind of mutual-inductance
>problems, or does that only happen with conductors or materials with hi
>dialectric coefficients?

A thin plastic bag would have little effect on the antenna's characteristics - the layer of plastic dielectric is too thin to change the behavior significantly.

The bag would probably make the antenna rather more prone to flap around in the breeze, and that'd probably cause much more of an effect than the bag itself would.

>I remember reading that a the larger the diameter of the radiating element,
>the slower the propogation velocity, so I agree with you about how it might
>screw up the normal calculations --- but by how much, though?

At a wild guess, a few percent.

> Given that a
>vhf dipole has an 11mhz wide band within which the swr is below 2, does it
>matter if the resonant frequency is off even if its off by a mhz or two?

Can you cite the source of that figure? Seems a trifle wider than I'm used to seeing.

>If I wound the feedline itself into an 8 turn, impromptu balun and slid a
>ferrite bead on the feedline just below the end of the dipole part as a
>further barrier to return RF, wouldn't that basically eliminate any
>significant return current issues?

Possibly so. Quite honestly, a small amount of RF on the feedline is not likely to cause you any problems. It'll alter the antenna's pattern somewhat but since you're dealing with a wide-pattern omni I doubt that you'll notice any significant change in the real-world performance.

>Am I missing anything, or can I basically count on a setup like this one to
>not stress my final? If not, why not?

Maybe yes, maybe no.

Issue 1 is how well the antenna actually tunes up on your frequencies
of choice, which will depend on a lot of factors which are difficult
to predict in advance. For example, whether the folded-back braid is
stretched downwards along the coax insulation, and how tightly, will
probably alter the effective length of the sleeve by as much as an
inch or so and could significantly shift the SWR. Nearby objects, the
length of the feedline (if there's RF on the outside of the coax),
etc. can also affect the tuning. It's a lot easier to try, measure,
cut, and try again than it is to predict the behavior with the desired
degree of precision.

Issue 2 is how well your radio deals with higher-SWR conditions. Some
rigs seem to have active load-mismatch-detection circuitry and an
active power-reduction capability. Others seem to depend on having
rugged, conservatively-rated RF power transistors, operated well below
their safety margins, which are capable of standing a lot of abuse.
Others just emit blue smoke and give up :-(

Hence, it's likely to depend on your rig and your antenna.

Frankly, if you're concerned about the risk of damage, I would
encourage you to [1] build a design such as a ground plane which uses
relatively rigid parts which won't move around during use and thus
won't be likely to de-tune, and [2] find somebody who has a VHF-rated
antenna analyser, and borrow it for the half-hour needed to trim your
antenna to a low SWR. I'd think that any ham club with a couple of
dozen active members, is likely to contain at least one member who
owns an MFJ 259 or similar and is willing to Elmer you on a simple
antenna construction-and-tuneup project.

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1394. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 22:00:09 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <113hb39ippfbuef@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16467

>. A couple other guys who know what they're talking about are also
>recommending that same arrangement. 50 ohms on the cable and 50 ohms on the
>antenna --- perfect. No need for a matching device, I like it. But aren't
>dipole-like configurations supposed to present 73 ohms of load? Why is a
>1/4 wave groundplane only 50 ohms?

The simplest ground-plane-style antenna has its radials sticking out
sideways. It's a monopole. The actual radiator is only half as long
as a dipole, and thus has only half as much radiation resistance, and
the feedpoint impedance is only half as much as that of a dipole.
It's on the order of 35 ohms or so.

If you bend the radials until they point straight down, you've got a
center-fed dipole with the feedline running up the center. Feedpoint
impedance is somewhere around 70 ohms.

Feedpoint resistance of anywhere from 35 to 70 ohms are available via
the obvious compromise - just bend the radials down less (for lower
resistances) or more (for higher resistances).

In most installations, radials bent downwards at an angle of about 45
degrees result in a 50-ohm resonant feedpoint resistance.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1395. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 22:17:47 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <fg2_d.702206$6l.416660@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16468

Yeah, maybe I should just try to get some assistance with an swr meter
rather than endlessly screwing around, wondering how much I'm off resonance,
and all the stress associated with all of that. Maybe, if nothing else, the
shop where I'm buying all my gear might have one.
In any case, thanks for all the advice --- I'm pretty clear on whats what,
now.

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1396. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-16 22:44:41 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <tF2_d.702373$6I.19447@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16469

OK, I'm sold --- a groundplane vertical it will be. In fact, I think I'll go ahead and make it ahead of time so it's already set up and ready to go when I get the IC2200H.
Thanks again for all the help ...

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1397. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 00:42:18 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <chkh31t004ne29ff7h4elfmdg4ka5joeso@4ax.com>
Source record: 16470

On Wed, 16 Mar 2005 22:44:41 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>OK, I'm sold --- a groundplane vertical it will be. In fact, I think I'll
>go ahead and make it ahead of time so it's already set up and ready to go
>when I get the IC2200H.
>Thanks again for all the help ...

Seeing that you are getting the rig in the future, you might want to
take your antenna to the shop when you pick up your rig. They will
probably be glad to see that it is tuned for your radio so you don't
ruin it.

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

1398. Diplexer with transition frequency between 108 and 144 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 00:48:36 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1111020516.036467.279660@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16471
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am going to use the same car antenna for AM/FM and 2M. This means I need a diplexer that transitions somewhere between 108 and 144 MHz. I haven't seen something like this offered commercially. Has anyone seen a product like this, or failing that, a design I could duplicate? The antenna will be a 1/4 wave on 2M, and would also be used as a (not quite ideal) AM/FM antenna.

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1399. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 01:03:08 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <6mlh31p4mssptofs7a3cal39kobtfa3m9n@4ax.com>
Source record: 16472

On Wed, 16 Mar 2005 22:17:47 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>Yeah, maybe I should just try to get some assistance with an swr meter
>rather than endlessly screwing around, wondering how much I'm off resonance,
>and all the stress associated with all of that. Maybe, if nothing else, the
>shop where I'm buying all my gear might have one.

If not, http://www.mfjenterprises.com has vhf swr meters in the 35
dollars u.s. range and up. You'll need one eventually...

bob
k5qwg

>In any case, thanks for all the advice --- I'm pretty clear on whats what,
>now.

1400. :: :: :: :: *post 1009* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 02:01:49 UTC
From: Ron038539@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111024909.229260.169220@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16473

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1401. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 02:52:07 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <rh6_d.705635$6l.571504@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16474

They don't cover 2m, I checked.

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1402. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1009* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 02:52:53 UTC
From: John <ac5tx@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <9i6_d.12799$WK2.8383@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16475

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Read Acts 2:38 you must repent. Read Mark 15:15ff
<Ron038539@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1111024909.229260.169220@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1403. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 02:54:54 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <2k6_d.705123$8l.55866@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 16476

Now that's a good idea --- I'll just have to make sure I don't jab anyones eyes out on the subway (I'm car-less in Canada). I'm trying to imagine just how bulky it will be, hmmm --- I should be able to manage it, I think.

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1404. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 03:28:48 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <66uh31p76s83k1fr6goeua9l5caia1pv16@4ax.com>
Source record: 16477

On Thu, 17 Mar 2005 02:52:07 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>They don't cover 2m, I checked.

You didn't check far enough. The MFJ-812B covers 2-meters and 220.
It lists for $34.95.
http://www.mfjenterprises.com/products.php?prodid=MFJ-812B

Dick

1405. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 03:50:45 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <p87_d.705570$8l.208163@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 16478

You're right --- I only looked at that other site. I'll definitely shop around for one, but even if I can find one, it'll be $70 with taxes, in canadian dollars, and it isn't likely that I'll be able to find to begin with up here, but what the hell --- now I know that there relatively inexpensive meters I'm further ahead than I was before I knew about them. I thought they were all at least $150 and up. Thanks.

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1406. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 04:31:57 UTC
From: Robert Grizzard <grizzarv@mindspring.com.invalid>
Message-ID: <1L7_d.7053$qf2.1953@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16479

tom wrote:
> Thanks, that's usefull info --- but what about the swr issue? If a half
> wave dipole is tuned to a certain frequency and has an swr of 1.05, say, for
> the swr to rise to 2 (at VHF wavelengths) you have to go roughly 6mhz up or
> 5mhz down from that tuned frequency. The 2m band is only 4mhz wide in
> total, anyway, so if you measure carefully, are you risking damage to the
> rig (also assuming the rig has no swr protective circuitry) if you don't
> check the swr with a swr meter? I don't have one, that's why I'm asking.

Hello, tom. I may be coming in to the discussion a little late.

My IC-V8000 and IC-2720 both have SWR protection circuitry that folds back the power output if the SWR is too high. The '8000 folds back to 25 Watts and the '2720 goes to 15 on both bands.

If you want the operator's manual for your pending IC-2200 you can download it from either www.icomamerica.com or www.icom.co.jp (and probably Icom Canada's web site too, though my first stab at the name didn't find the site -- icomcanada.com maybe?) and read all about its features before you get the radio in your hands. I wouldn't be at all surprised to find it'll fold back to a usable power level if the antenna is less than perfect.

HTH

1407. :: :: :: :: *post 1010* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 04:36:44 UTC
From: Ron038539@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111034204.102300.114400@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16480

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1408. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1009* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 06:14:16 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <ppSdnW87FK-kvaTfRVn-gA@comcast.com>
Source record: 16481

John wrote:

> Read Acts 2:38 you must repent. Read Mark 15:15

Wow, Acts sure beat the hell out of Read, but at least Read managed to
tie the game with Mark in the last second nail-biter.
Tomorrow Mark meets Acts in the final game of the conference play-offs -
the winner will play against the winner of the Holy vs. Shit series.

1409. :: :: :: :: *post 1010* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 06:48:46 UTC
From: Ron038539@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111042126.115318.226620@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16482

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1410. :: :: :: :: *post 1010* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 09:00:45 UTC
From: Ron038539@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111050045.160743.257470@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16483

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http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1411. Re: Diplexer with transition frequency between 108 and 144 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 09:14:40 UTC
From: nana <nana@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <39t044F65a5rcU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16484
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I think it was made by Antenna Specialist years ago for covert antennas.

Brad.

"wb0gaz" <wb0gaz@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:1111020516.036467.279660@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
>I am going to use the same car antenna for AM/FM and 2M. This means I
> need a diplexer that transitions somewhere between 108 and 144 MHz. I
> haven't seen something like this offered commercially. Has anyone seen
> a product like this, or failing that, a design I could duplicate? The
> antenna will be a 1/4 wave on 2M, and would also be used as a (not
> quite ideal) AM/FM antenna.
>
> 73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com
>

1412. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 09:19:18 UTC
From: nana <nana@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <39t0crF66866pU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16485

What is with you and the swr meter? Forget it. Make a dipole and hang it up.Make a groundplane and hang it up. Get a cheap 1/4wave commercial mobile whip, cut it 19" long, stick it on a metal bracket and screw it to the house gutering. Bandwidth is so wide at VHF you won't have a problem. I've never bothered with an swr meter at VHF. The formulas work.

Brad.

"tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote in message
news:LeZZd.695607$Xk.128464@pd7tw3no...
> My other cohort suggested a ground-plane vertical, too. What's the deal
> with ground plane verticals? It seems they are slightly mechanicaly more
> complicated than a half wave dipole, but that's fine if there's some
> advantage. Are they safer to use without an swr meter?
>
>

1413. Re: FS: Icom SM-8 Desk Microphone with two leads

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 11:09:00 UTC
From: hs1apy <cpanthep@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <9d7693a983b12fe52365443751f569a9@localhost.talkaboutradio.com>
Source record: 16486

do you still have the SM-8 and if you do how much would you like to sell them for.
Best regards,

HS1apy

1414. :: :: :: :: *post 1010* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 11:12:42 UTC
From: Ron038539@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111057962.809883.219730@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16487

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1415. Re: Diplexer with transition frequency between 108 and 144 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 11:30:39 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <dTd_d.64710$7z6.59735@lakeread04>
Source record: 16488
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

wb0gaz wrote:
> I am going to use the same car antenna for AM/FM and 2M. This means I
> need a diplexer that transitions somewhere between 108 and 144 MHz. I
> haven't seen something like this offered commercially. Has anyone seen
> a product like this, or failing that, a design I could duplicate? The
> antenna will be a 1/4 wave on 2M, and would also be used as a (not
> quite ideal) AM/FM antenna.
>
> 73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com
>

Antenna Specialist makes/made them. I may have a few laying around.
A/S also made one for VHF low, which I do use for my 6m mobile.

Andy
WD4KDN

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

1416. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 12:46:06 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <i_e_d.705611$Xk.269009@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16489

I just checked the owners maual, and it does have protection circuitry.

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1417. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1010* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 13:36:42 UTC
From: John <ac5tx@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <KJf_d.13793$WK2.9985@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16490

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Mark 16:15-16 He that believes and is baptized shall be saved
<Ron038539@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1111042126.115318.226620@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1418. Reducing transmit power on Yaesu FTdx560

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 15:29:34 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1111073374.557728.85470@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16491

I'm looking at the schematic for the Yaesu FTdx560 and see that the HV winding is tapped in several places (0/340/460/600) --- I have in mind to pick a different tap for transmit HV to reduce max power output. The rig puts out >300W on lower bands - this is far too much for my QTH considering proximity of neighbors - I'd actually like to have it run at something in the 25-50 watt range (I like the rig otherwise, just don't want to run that power output level here.) Any thoughts on consequences of selecting a different tap for the plate voltage? Other changes should I consider (screen voltage and/or grid bias to restore the tube's operating point, drive level, etc.?) It seems given this choice of taps I could even connect between the 600 and 340 point for 260VAC, or 600 and 460 for 140VAC if 340VAC proves excessive.

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1419. Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 16:21:46 UTC
From: WCRV@webtv.net
Message-ID: <10699-4239AE9A-498@storefull-3317.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 16492

The Low-Power AM station hobby has become more popular over the past 2 years.
In the U.S, it is legal to broadcast over the AM band 540kHz-1700kHz using a 3
meter antenna and a 100mW transmitter.
Until recently, building a small AM radio station was very complicated and very expensive, until now.
Using a SSTRAN AMT-3000 transmitter, which comes as a kit for under $100.00US, or a built version which comes assembled and tested for under $200.00 US, and a 3 meter, coil loaded and tunable antenna for around $225.00 US, anyone can get on the air right now!
I get questions about range: the system I am describing has had reports from 1/2 mile to over 4 miles! Range totally depends on these factors: location, scope of the land, conductivity, choice of frequency/adjacencies, and use of this antenna.
If the transmitter and antenna are installed correctly in a proper area, several miles are possible. Many people are interested in a good, solid local signal and this system does it for a fraction of the amount of money you will spend for a comparable system.
If you are interested in low power AM Broadcasting, I invite you to visit this site:
http://antenna18431.tripod.com/antenna.htm
In this site you will find information on the 3 meter antenna, pictures of it, information and pictures of the transmitter and a link to email questions, comments and inquiries to.
If you would like to be on the air, this is an excellent choice to do it well, and at a very affordable price!

1420. :: :: :: :: *post 1013* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 20:45:45 UTC
From: Ron038543@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111092345.140432.263100@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16493

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1421. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1013* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 21:12:42 UTC
From: John <ac5tx@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <epm_d.23618$YD4.8479@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16494

Repent, be baptized

<Ron038543@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1111092345.140432.263100@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
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1422. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1013* - DO YOU WANT TO KNOW FOR SURE YOU ARE GOING TO HEAVEN? ::

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 23:02:35 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <423A0C85.F17EF528@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16495

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John wrote:
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> Repent, be baptized
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> <Ron038543@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> news:1111092345.140432.263100@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
> > http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link
> >

Why are you preaching to a spambot? The person who set it up isn't
reading any of your replies.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida
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1423. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1013*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-17 23:20:58 UTC
From: cl <clfurent@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <Gho_d.54065$NC6.10387@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 16496

This kind of bull shit tends to drive people further away rather than attract them. But I wouldn't expect these numb nuts to understand that. Damned holy rollers. Why can't someone complain to the ISP and have this bull shit pulled or stopped?

cl

1424. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 00:06:23 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns961CA442C643Dspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 16497

> Now that's a good idea --- I'll just have to make sure I don't jab
> anyones eyes out on the subway (I'm car-less in Canada). I'm trying
> to imagine just how bulky it will be, hmmm --- I should be able to
> manage it, I think.
>

1/8" brass welding rod is soft. If I were you, I'd cut the elements long enough to turn the ends into little loops, for eye protection.

Ed K7AAT

1425. FA: Gonset, Ten-Tec, Collins Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 00:16:11 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <b5p_d.98227$%U2.56317@lakeread01>
Source record: 16398
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1426. Re: Reducing transmit power on Yaesu FTdx560

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 01:10:07 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1111108207.486933.103760@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16399

I went ahead and tried it, "smoke test" style, and the change worked quite well. I moved the HV winding transformer tap from "0V" to "240V" (there was a misprint on the schematic, but looking at the transformer itself it was easy to see what to do) --- the (receive-mode) plate voltage went from 880V to 500V. I then cut a wire to the second PA tube filament, disabling it. The bias control was slightly different setting, and I didn't change screen voltage or try to re-neutralize. A quick tune-up test shows the rig now produces about 100W max on 80, 40 and 20 (my unit isn't functional on 15-10M due to alignment or other issues). This is close enough to what I expected.

wb0gaz wrote:
> I'm looking at the schematic for the Yaesu FTdx560 and see that the HV
> winding is tapped in several places (0/340/460/600) --- I have in mind
> to pick a different tap for transmit HV to reduce max power output. The
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> considering proximity of neighbors - I'd actually like to have it run
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> don't want to run that power output level here.) Any thoughts on
> consequences of selecting a different tap for the plate voltage? Other
> changes should I consider (screen voltage and/or grid bias to restore
> the tube's operating point, drive level, etc.?) It seems given this
> choice of taps I could even connect between the 600 and 340 point for
> 260VAC, or 600 and 460 for 140VAC if 340VAC proves excessive.
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> 73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

1427. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 02:01:29 UTC
From: Ken Fowler <ko6no@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <C6mdnfhjOMXmq6ffRVn-2Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 16400

I believe the original poster wanted to know how to create a dipole. If you want to make a dipole
with a vertical configuration, you have to use a method which keeps the radiators vertical and the
feedline horizontal for some part of a wavelength. Try this:

Make a TEE shaped assembly of PVC pipe using a TEE connector, one piece of PVC about one metre long
and two pieces of PVC about 25 centimeters long. The longer pipe mounts horizontally and the
shorter pipes are oriented vertically. Cement all the pieces into the TEE. Strip the outer jacket
off a length of RG58 about 20 inches from the end. Make an opening in the braid next to the outer
jacket and pull the center conductor through so that the braid and center conductor are sepatate.
Push the RG58 into the long pipe and make the center conductor bend up into the upper vertical PVC
and pull the braid down through the lower vertical PVC. If necessary, prune the center conductor
and braid for best SWR, but the SWR should probably be low enough as is.

-ken-

1428. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 02:29:06 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <S1r_d.712556$6l.75279@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 16401

I get it, and then maybe once it's all set, I could put end-caps on the top and the bottom of the vertical segment to keep it dry. Maybe it would be good to put in some kind of fastener, too, holding the flexible braid immobile against the interior of the downward-pointing vertical segment --- before the installation of the end-caps, obviously.
I like it --- simple but effective.
But does the horizontal segment have to be an entire meter, though? I think I can remeber seeing those T-like, FM antennas mounted on large towers but with horizontal segments that were shorter than a meter --- I think they were slightly shorter than the vertical segments.

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1429. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 02:54:45 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Vpr_d.11564$oO4.5706@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16402

"WCRV WCRV" <WCRV@webtv.net> wrote in message
news:10699-4239AE9A-498@storefull-3317.bay.webtv.net...
> The Low-Power AM station hobby has become more popular over the past 2
> years.
> In the U.S, it is legal to broadcast over the AM band 540kHz-1700kHz
> using a 3
> meter antenna and a 100mW transmitter.
> Until recently, building a small AM radio station was very complicated
> and very expensive, until now.

?????
When I was a kid, I built one using parts from a junked TV.
Zero cost.

> Using a SSTRAN AMT-3000 transmitter, which comes as a kit for under
> $100.00US, or a built version which comes assembled and tested for under
> $200.00 US, and a 3 meter, coil loaded and tunable antenna for around
> $225.00 US, anyone can get on the air right now!
> I get questions about range: the system I am describing has had reports
> from 1/2 mile to over 4 miles! Range totally depends on these factors:
> location, scope of the land, conductivity, choice of
> frequency/adjacencies, and use of this antenna.
> If the transmitter and antenna are installed correctly in a proper area,
> several miles are possible. Many people are interested in a good, solid
> local signal and this system does it for a fraction of the amount of
> money you will spend for a comparable system.

Hard to beat free.

> If you are interested in low power AM Broadcasting, I invite you to
> visit this site:
> http://antenna18431.tripod.com/antenna.htm
> In this site you will find information on the 3 meter antenna, pictures
> of it, information and pictures of the transmitter and a link to email
> questions, comments and inquiries to.
> If you would like to be on the air, this is an excellent choice to do it
> well, and at a very affordable price!

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

1430. Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 05:04:09 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <djt_d.14823$Fy.7702@okepread04>
Source record: 16403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

The following website has a <1M .mp3 file of some QRM
I'm getting on 160 meters. A little background is in order:

My station has my PC about 3' away from my FT-857D's.
I've eliminated all cables except video so I'm pretty sure it's
not coming from them. I've powered off my monitor and
adjusted the refresh rate to no avail. I grounded the PC's
metal case and tried it with/without the side covers. No
difference in the signal.

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fan pointed at the left side of the tower case. To my shock,
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Listen closely to the sound - at 2.2 seconds into the rec-
ording, you can hear the "tick" that is me turning on the
fan to "low". Within a few seconds, the QRM is gone!

Anybody know where I should look to find this and kill
it?

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73's es gd dx de Ken KG&#65533;WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

1431. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 05:33:10 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <2kok31p6hv2rkl4r9oqidj1on11qcm6n00@4ax.com>
Source record: 16404
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On Thu, 17 Mar 2005 23:04:09 -0600, "Ken Bessler"
<kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote:
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Hi Ken,

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73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

1432. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 15:17:05 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d1euvc$1n89$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16408
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Could it be a dc fan in the case?

"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:2kok31p6hv2rkl4r9oqidj1on11qcm6n00@4ax.com...
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1433. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 15:30:39 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <zuC_d.7381$qW.558@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16405

It has always been legal to use 100MW on the BCB, geez like this something new? Like a previous poster stated parts can be had for nothing. Very complicated and expensive??????????? It's AM for crying out loud!!!!!

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1434. Re: :: :: :: :: *post 1013*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 15:45:34 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <423AF794.7EC74A56@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16406

cl wrote:
>
> This kind of bull shit tends to drive people further away rather than
> attract them. But I wouldn't expect these numb nuts to understand that.
> Damned holy rollers. Why can't someone complain to the ISP and have this
> bull shit pulled or stopped?
>
> cl

Look at the headers. Its posted through Google Groups and they keep
setting up new accounts as fast as they get killed off.
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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1435. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 15:49:47 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <423AF891.9DCA59DA@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16407

John Franklin wrote:
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> new? Like a previous poster stated parts can be had for nothing. Very
> complicated and expensive??????????? It's AM for crying out loud!!!!!

If you take a look at the transmitter it has a lot of bells and
whistles built in. It was designed by a regular on
rec.antiques.radio+phono for people who collect and restore antique
radios.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1436. Re: Is Standard Amateur Radio Products still in business?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 16:07:59 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d1euve$1n89$2@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16409

They were acquired to become Vertex/Standard that is now merged with
Yaesu, but I don't know who owns who.

They may still be supported to some extent but don't expect much.

"Matt J. McCullar" <mccullar@flash.net> wrote in message
news:2hKZd.20849$hU7.292@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com...
> I cannot find an address or phone number for Standard Amateur Radio
> Products. The manual for my HT (from 1993) gives a post office box
in
> Niles, Illinois. I looked through a 2001 issue of _QST_ but
Standard did
> not advertise in it. Is the company even still around? A web site
address
> given for them is worthless.
>
> Thanks in advance!
>
> Matt J. McCullar, KJ5BA
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>

1437. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 16:27:36 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <YjD_d.14830$Fy.9867@okepread04>
Source record: 16411
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:2kok31p6hv2rkl4r9oqidj1on11qcm6n00@4ax.com...
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not already have a fan. I followed the signal as it went off
freq and faded. It climbed 3 kc on 40m then faded out.

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Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

1438. Standard GX-3000 VHF Radios for APRS Use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 16:28:19 UTC
From: Norm VE3CZI <ve3czi@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <ikD_d.11000$RM2.6310@read1.cgocable.net>
Source record: 16410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Standard GX-3000 VHF APRS Radios. [with DTMF]
I have a quantity of Commercial Standard GX-3000 VHF Mobile Radios (136-150Mhz) 25-30 Watts O/P These radios will work excellent as an APRS Mobile OR Base Radio Station. Units are much cheaper to use for dedicated APRS use rather than spending Large Dollars for a VHF Amateur XCVR and dedicate it to APRS use. Programmed & Tested Operational on 144.390 Mhz. You will have to make up the Interface Cable. These radios are capable of 64 Channels, Carrier Squelch Only and I can program them for other 2 Meter Frequencies for a charge. Please ask should you have any questions.
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73...Norm VE3CZI
Email: ve3czi at rac dot ca [Do use "reply" button]
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Parts/Equipment FOR SALE.
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1439. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 16:58:21 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <at1m31h6iqo174lmk5o7b0tjofllgv9kse@4ax.com>
Source record: 16412
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On Fri, 18 Mar 2005 10:27:36 -0600, "Ken Bessler"
<kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote:

>> On Thu, 17 Mar 2005 23:04:09 -0600, "Ken Bessler"
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>not already have a fan. I followed the signal as it went off
>freq and faded. It climbed 3 kc on 40m then faded out.

Hi Ken,

I don't quite follow the implication of your statement. Do you have a
dual CPU system, where one CPU has a fan and the other not?

As it appears to be temperature based (the reason why the fan appears
to be significant) and CPU based (over clocked for its operating
temperature); I would suggest trying to cool the CPU with an aerosol
(freeze mist) or one of those cans of air for keyboard cleaning.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

1440. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 17:37:39 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
Message-ID: <113m4f6fjmb7i95@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Richard Clark wrote:
> . . .
> As it appears to be temperature based (the reason why the fan appears
> to be significant) and CPU based (over clocked for its operating
> temperature); I would suggest trying to cool the CPU with an aerosol
> (freeze mist) or one of those cans of air for keyboard cleaning.

You can use the "canned air" as a freeze mist ("spray cold"), or vice-versa, by inverting the can while you spray. They contain essentially the same stuff, the difference being that the "spray cold" contains a syphon tube to suck liquid up while the "canned air" doesn't.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

1441. Wanted: Where to buy "Software" for Midland 70-9405 - Older Radio - Ham use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 17:37:49 UTC
From: Narri Org <NarriSurplus@narri.org>
Message-ID: <OIE_d.56748$xt.52060@fed1read07>
Source record: 16413
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Wanted: Where to buy "Software" for Midland 70-9405 - Older Radio - Ham use

Any help appreciated.

1442. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 19:19:25 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <113madtla0tth5e@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16415
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

In article <djt_d.14823$Fy.7702@okepread04>,
Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote:

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>ording, you can hear the "tick" that is me turning on the
>fan to "low". Within a few seconds, the QRM is gone!
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>Anybody know where I should look to find this and kill
>it?

Most modern PCs use a multi-stage power regulation system. The main power supply isolates and steps down the mains power to create several DC voltages (+5 and +12 in particular) which are routed to the motherboard. Then, an on-board regulator further reduces the voltage being fed to the CPU to meet the CPU's requirements.

Modern CPUs such as the Intel P4 family and the AMD Athlon consume a large amount of current (tens of amperes) at low voltage (1.2 - 1.8 volts, roughly speaking). Modern AGP graphics cards also operate on low voltages (AGP 4x is 1.5 volts, AGP 8x is 0.8 volts if I remember correctly) at high amperages.

To create such high currents at such low voltages in an efficient manner, single- or multi-phase "bucking" voltage regulators are used. These are switching regulators, which step down the main voltage (most commonly from the +12 supply) and step up the amperage. They typically operate at switching frequencies ranging from the high tens of kHz up to the low MHz range.

I suspect that the QRM you are hearing is from the fundamental or harmonic of one of these switching-regulator oscillator rates. Heating and cooling of the CPU and motherboard are probably causing the switching oscillator to drift a bit.

As to how to get rid of it... you're already on the right track, I think... shielding and filtering. Make sure that your monitor and

power (and other) cables have ferrites on them, as close as possible to the PC case. Make sure you've got a "tight" PC chassis, with metal shielding in every possible location (including screw-secured plates over any unused PCI slots, snap-in metal shields for any unused hard-drive bays, etc.). I recommend a chassis which is actually all metal, rather than one of the new lighter-weight plastic chassis with an anti-EMI coating on the inside. Don't run your PC with the side panels off - put 'em on and fasten the screws.

As for the gamer-style transparent acrylic PC chassis, forget 'em - I have serious doubts as to whether a PC build in one of these can pass the FCC Part 15 tests, let alone be RF-clean enough to use in a ham shack.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1443. Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 19:47:47 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <kmbm319gl201ee3qjm5b30pv6vmd8mo3ih@4ax.com>
Source record: 16416

My Icom IC-28H has gone dark. Looks like both lamps are gone. The schematic lists these lamps as HRS-7219A-G40. I found a couple of places that had minimum orders of $100 and $300 respectively. That's out. I read a message on eham.net where a ham had replaced these lamps with amber LED's and appropriate resistors. Anyone done this? Other options?

Dick - W6CCD

1444. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 19:51:38 UTC
From: Ken Fowler <ko6no@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <oo2dnRjGC5TWrKbfRVn-gw@comcast.com>
Source record: 16417

On 17-Mar-2005, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

> I get it, and then maybe once it's all set, I could put end-caps on the top
> and the bottom of the vertical segment to keep it dry. Maybe it would be
> good to put in some kind of fastener, too, holding the flexible braid
> immobile against the interior of the downward-pointing vertical segment ---
> before the installation of the end-caps, obviously.

Yes, I omitted those refinements as sort of obvious.

> But does the horizontal segment have to be an entire meter, though? I think
> I can remeber seeing those T-like, FM antennas mounted on large towers but
> with horizontal segments that were shorter than a meter --- I think they
> were slightly shorter than the vertical segments.

I chose the one meter length arbitrarily so that it would be about a half wave. The idea is that
the feedline should be kept at right angles to the radiator for some distance. A coil of coax where
the feedling exits the PVC might be a good idea to reduce coupling.

73,
-ken-

1445. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 19:59:07 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3a0q89F661deuU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16418

Try Radio Shack, as they had some grain of wheat bulbs at various voltages.

Bob N9LVU

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1446. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 20:17:24 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <oHG_d.712739$Xk.452709@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16419

If the idea of the coiled-feedline balun is to prevent the outer braid from turning into a radiating element, wouldn't it be preferable to position the coils in the feedline next to the antenna feedpoint instead of at the opposite end of the horizontal segment? Or would there be harmfull, inductive coupling to the the coils if they were that close to the feedpoint?
Also, if one were to use a ferrite-bead type balun (not the type that the feedline is wrapped around) instead of a coiled-feedline type balun, do you think it would it be necessary to have electrical contact between the ferrite-bead and the outer braid (necessitating stripping the outer insulation)?

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73
Tom H
VA7FAB

1447. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 20:18:49 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <NIG_d.14832$Fy.5960@okepread04>
Source record: 16420
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
news:113madtla0tth5e@corp.supernews.com...
> In article <djt_d.14823$Fy.7702@okepread04>,

<snip>

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> shack.
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> --
> Dave Platt

I've already buttoned up the all metal case with grounded side covers.
I even made sure (with a DVM) they were grounded. (The ends of the
mini tower are metal with the front having a plastic facia on top of the
metal case front).

No help. The only thing that helped was taking both covers off and
blowing air through the chassis. I monitor 3 temps - CPU, Motherboard
and power supply exhaust air. Before the box fan, I was running CPU
at 129-140, Motherboard at 100-118 and power supply exhaust at
room temp +16 degrees (F).

Now I've got CPU at 113, MB at 93 and exhaust at room + 8 deg.

I was planning on buying a can of air and further investigating this but
I feel I've solved it with the box fan. The interference is gone and my

PC is cooler.

Thanks for the ideas!
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73's es gd dx de Ken KG&#65533;WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

1448. HF Mobile Amplifer for Sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 20:20:10 UTC
From: laborkei <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7FG_d.35302$Q83.23759@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16421

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(No Transistor Protection Circuit.)

DC Power Requirements: 13 VDC @ 35 amps
RF Keying..no need for keying line (can be modified for keying line)

$350.00 + Shipping

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1449. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 20:20:33 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <3edm31p8a3r8b2hrv269g6b5im2fnn1824@4ax.com>
Source record: 16422

My problem is I had to disassemble the radio so far to get to the back
of the lamps, I can't run it to check the voltage. The lamps are
driven by an automatic dimmer circuit, so can't just trace the source.
Would like to see a data sheet on the lamps, but doesn't seem to be
available. I saw one reference to Intersil as the manufacturer, but
it's not listed on their website.

Dick

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<bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

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1450. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 20:28:03 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <07em31lsh3t2k2490kmit6vjp5s73ssm5l@4ax.com>
Source record: 16423

Tom, you are making this waaaay too complicated. Just solder up a
ground plane on an SO-239, hook a coax to it and start transmitting.
You don't even need welding rod. I have used coat hanger wire in the
past. Forget about baluns, beads and inductive coupling. We're not
launching a spacecraft here. Keep it simple.

Dick - W6CCD

On Fri, 18 Mar 2005 20:17:24 GMT, "tom" <cyberhun@shaw.ca> wrote:

>If the idea of the coiled-feedline balun is to prevent the outer braid from
>turning into a radiating element, wouldn't it be preferable to position the
>coils in the feedline next to the antenna feedpoint instead of at the
>opposite end of the horizontal segment? Or would there be harmfull,
>inductive coupling to the the coils if they were that close to the
>feedpoint?
>Also, if one were to use a ferrite-bead type balun (not the type that the
>feedline is wrapped around) instead of a coiled-feedline type balun, do you
>think it would it be necessary to have electrical contact between the
>ferrite-bead and the outer braid (necessitating stripping the outer
>insulation)?

1451. For Sale: Mint Grundig Satellit 800 (3rd Generation)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 21:51:24 UTC
From: mshahto@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111182684.821314.22920@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16424

Hello,

I'm selling a like new / mint condition Grundig Satellite/Satellit 800 receiver, in box with all accessories, paperwork, and an unfilled Grundig warranty.

Recent batch (also called 3rd generation), S/N: S8311030301

Speedy FedEx shipping

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=5760113220

Thanks for looking & good luck..

Huntereye

1452. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 21:53:06 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3a10u0F6511t8U1@individual.net>
Source record: 16425

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1453. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 22:21:28 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <otkm3118fp76iuvv03k2cnfv860nk18tpd@4ax.com>
Source record: 16426

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1454. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 23:36:28 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3a16vsF66aacaU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16427

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Bob N9LVU

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1455. WTB Heath HD-10 Keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-18 23:47:53 UTC
From: Paul and Linda Cooper <plcooper@starband.net>
Message-ID: <822e6$423b6897$943f94d8$26874@STARBAND.NET>
Source record: 16428

WTB Heath KD-10 Keyer in X shape.

1456. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 03:07:43 UTC
From: Topaz305RK <k7sam@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <SLCdnaCivb-jCqbfRVn-pg@vnet-inc.com>
Source record: 16429
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

My new plastic sided (gamer?) 2.8 GHz PC causes not a single problem here in the shack. My older 400 MHz Celeron however totally trashes 80 meters and is only tolerable on 40 meters, everything else is fine. Go figure.

Sam

1457. Re: Help ID'ing QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 03:23:55 UTC
From: Rich <wildcat56@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <o9CdnebIvcDXBqbfRVn-hQ@wavecable.com>
Source record: 16430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Ken Bessler wrote:
> The following website has a <1M .mp3 file of some QRM
> I'm getting on 160 meters. A little background is in order:
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> My station has my PC about 3' away from my FT-857D's.
> I've eliminated all cables except video so I'm pretty sure it's
> not coming from them. I've powered off my monitor and
> adjusted the refresh rate to no avail. I grounded the PC's
> metal case and tried it with/without the side covers. No
> difference in the signal.
>
> Tonight I looked at my CPU temp and it was a tad higher
> (127 deg F) than normal so I decided to turn on a box
> fan pointed at the left side of the tower case. To my shock,
> the QRM faded away! I switched the fan on and off several
> times to prove my theroy. Then I made the mp3 recording you
> can download here:
>
> http://members.cox.net/kg0wx/index.html
>
> Listen closely to the sound - at 2.2 seconds into the rec-
> ording, you can hear the "tick" that is me turning on the
> fan to "low". Within a few seconds, the QRM is gone!
>
> Anybody know where I should look to find this and kill
> it?
>
I had a similar problem with a new computer system I recently built up.
Problem was a noisy 350W Power Supply.

I replaced it and the machine now is perfectly quiet. A good solution
for a few bucks. It is very hard to shield a computer from this sort of
noise as it radiates from the leads in addition to directly from the case

Dick K7RNZ

1458. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 04:15:10 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <io9n31l418r23g96ioksqmfavhj1vhi9c3@4ax.com>
Source record: 16431

Ah ha! You have a service manual. Now I understand.

Dick

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<bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

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1459. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 05:28:13 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <NLO_d.15067$qf2.2227@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16432

Well letsee.......Popular Electronics Mag (no longer in business) published an AM transmitter article for use on the BCB. It was housed in a steel mail box along with the antenna network and antenna out the top of it. It was meant to be mounted outside with the power and audio remotely fed to it. Letsee that article was published in 1962 as I recall........As a broadcast engineer I would be really critical of what the "Bells and whistles" were.

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message news:423AF891.9DCA59DA@earthlink.net...
>
> If you take a look at the transmitter it has a lot of bells and
> whistles built in. It was designed by a regular on
> rec.antiques.radio+phono for people who collect and restore antique
> radios.
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>
> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

1460. FA: Knightkit X-10 Calibrator Plus Something for all!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 14:23:06 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <eBW_d.20674$I32.4097@fe12.lga>
Source record: 16433
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5761524039&rd=1

Plus Much more stuff here>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZmyradioroom

1461. FA: Audia-Technica AT835ST Stereo Shotgun Mike $12:-(

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 14:25:33 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xDW_d.20675$o52.2420@fe12.lga>
Source record: 16434
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=41466&item=7308970902&rd=1

Plus Much more stuff here>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZmyradioroom

1462. FA: $10 NEW AS CB ANTENNA for Boats/Snowmobile/CYCLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 14:27:39 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <wFW_d.20677$q62.18966@fe12.lga>
Source record: 16435

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48692&item=5759550889&rd=1

Plus Much more stuff here, something for everyone & cheep too:-)>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZmyradioroom

1463. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 14:53:55 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3a2so1F6604ocU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16436

You can get one for free too;
http://mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=icom

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1464. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 15:37:31 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <fnho31d8ciu98eqqr6vlb5vub9lqnv58ht@4ax.com>
Source record: 16437

Thanks a bunch Bob! I rarely check the DK site for service manuals
because it seems they never have the one I want. This time they do!

Dick - W6CCD

On Sat, 19 Mar 2005 08:53:55 -0600, Robert Kubichek
<bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

>You can get one for free too;
>http://mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=icom
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>Bob N9LVU

1465. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST Stereo Shotgun Mike $12:-(

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 17:27:34 UTC
From: "C.J.Patten" <cjpatten@KNOWSPAMrogers.com>
Message-ID: <G8idna1qdPaV_KHfRVn-pg@rogers.com>
Source record: 16438
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

Any thoughts on this auction guys? It's an expensive mic being auctioned for
next to nothing.

Untested as-is - do these things break frequently or is it a good bet it
still works?

C.

"RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:xDW_d.20675$o52.2420@fe12.lga...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=41466&item=7308970902&rd=1
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> Plus Much more stuff here>
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1466. Anybody find the W&W battery packs are not so hot lately??????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 17:37:40 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing5@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <423C6364.7060109@optonline.net>
Source record: 16439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Hi all, the last FEW battery packs and inserts I have purchased
within the last year from W&W battery seem not to be cracked up to their
usual high standards. About 8 months ago I ordered a battery insert for an
Alinco DJ-580T. W&W says that they use Sanyo or Panasonic cells. If
other brands
are used they will say so. Anyway, when I received the insert they were
green
batteries with no brand name on them. They didn't say Sanyo or
Panasonic like they
said in the past. Also the batteries had 1100 stamped into each
battery. The W&W sticker
says 12V @ 1200. I called them at the time and was told don't worry
about the 1100, it means
nothing. I said to myself ??? !!!
I few months earlier I purchased a NI-Cad pack for my FT-50. I can't
see into it but it never took a full charge, even
after a few weeks of proper cycling.
I have a buddy who has this expensive battery analyzer where he works,
I'm told the charger is a professional
charger and costs around $3500 dollars, its gotta be some gizmo.
Anyway, It did not perform well. I called
W&W and told them and they replaced the pack, which is a great thing
for them to do in the name of customer relations.
The one they sent me performed the same. About 3 months ago I needed
another pack for the FT-50 because the second
NiCad pack went bad.
I pickup up a NiMH battery this time at the local hamfest. This battery
is the same deal. Never
gets a full charge. I have used W&W fast charger, my Yeasu charger and
a MaHa charger on these
batteries. After I use them for many cycles it is the same. My buddy
put this one on his
expensive analyzer and the best it will do is 70 percent. WHAT
GIVES???? This is a 9.6V @1100MaH and
it acts like a 600ma nicad. I use these HT's to receive 98% of the time
since they are used mostly at work.
I have the same damn problem with a pack for my FT-530.
I have been very happy with W&W over the last 15 or so years. I don't
know what is going on other than
using cheaper batteries and charging for the higher priced good batteries.
BTW, that Alinco battery insert does not hold a great charge and has a
cell going bad. My batteries usually

last for about 2 years or so. Not any of these. I have had many HT's
over the years and I'm knowable of batteries
and the different types and charging habits. If I only had one charger
I'd suspect that, but with all the chargers I own
and with my buddys charger at work, I know it's not me or my equipment,
it's the batteries.
Any comments from people finding the same results??
73

1467. Re: Anybody find the W&W battery packs are not so hot lately??????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 17:43:01 UTC
From: "Dr. Rastis Fafoofnik" <DRFafoofnik@rumpledanus.com>
Message-ID: <FwZ_d.20254$Pz7.5509@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

"Sky King" <SkyKing5@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:423C6364.7060109@optonline.net...
Hi all, BLAH BLAH BLAH.....

Try buying a real **OEM** QUALITY battery!!! Yeah I know it costs a little more, but money is not everything.....
The differance in price is minimal, compared to the lack of service...save your bucks a little longer and get the GOOD battery.

1468. Re: Anybody find the W&W battery packs are not so hot lately??????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 17:45:42 UTC
From: Sky King <SkyKing5@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XyZ_d.1003$H77.455@fe08.lga>
Source record: 16441
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

They use to be great batteries!!!!

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1469. Re: Anybody find the W&W battery packs are not so hot lately??????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 17:56:12 UTC
From: "Dr. Rastis Fafoofnik" <DRFafoofnik@rumpledanus.com>
Message-ID: <0JZ_d.20259$Pz7.17006@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16442
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I buy ALL my batteries for my Motorola equipment FROM MOTOROLA.....just for that reason.....cheap is cheap.....price quality and performance...I want/need and use a good battery when i'm away from my vehicle or in the field for extended hours...NO W&W batteries for me, also stay away from "Alexander" as they are shit too.

"Sky King" <SkyKing5@optonline.net> wrote in message news:XyZ_d.1003$H77.455@fe08.lga...
They use to be great batteries!!!!

Dr. Rastis Fafoofnik wrote:

"Sky King" <SkyKing5@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:423C6364.7060109@optonline.net...
Hi all, BLAH BLAH BLAH.....

Try buying a real **OEM** QUALITY battery!!! Yeah I know it costs a little more, but money is not everything.....
The differance in price is minimal, compared to the lack of service...save your bucks a little longer and get the GOOD battery.

1470. FA: Last Day - Original Manuals-Gonset, Ten-Tec, Collins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 19:52:11 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <lp%_d.108697$%U2.88530@lakeread01>
Source record: 16443
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original manuals - not reproductions:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioalQQhtZ-1

1471. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 22:29:43 UTC
From: WCRV@webtv.net
Message-ID: <13102-423CA7D7-101@storefull-3311.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 16446

This man is right; hey, if you can build one for zip bucks, go for it;
most people can't.
For some reason, I thought I was trying to help those who would like to
be on the air.

1472. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST Stereo Shotgun Mike $12:-(

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 22:33:33 UTC
From: PTRAVEL <ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net>
Source record: 16444
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

"C.J.Patten" <cjpatten@KNOWSPAMrogers.com> wrote in message
news:G8idna1qdPaV_KHfRVn-pg@rogers.com...
> Any thoughts on this auction guys? It's an expensive mic being auctioned
> for next to nothing.
>
> Untested as-is - do these things break frequently or is it a good bet it
> still works?

From the Ebay listing:

"This Stereo Microphone sure looks & measures like this Audio Technica model
AT835ST.

Best of all, it's LIKE-NEW:-)

There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it & its
exactly like the spec sheet."

So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?

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> C.
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>
> "RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote in message
> news:xDW_d.20675$o52.2420@fe12.lga...
>> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=41466&item=7308970902&rd=1
>>
>> Plus Much more stuff here>
>> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZmyradioroom
>>
>
>

1473. Ham Radio Magazine - FREE subscription

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 22:39:14 UTC
From: K9YA Telegraph <no_reply@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <mS1%d.12096$DW.8430@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16445

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Beat Me Daddy, Eight to the Bar By Rod Newkirk, VA3ZBB/W9BRD
Help Wanted

1474. FA: VHF Spectra Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 23:08:06 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <qh2%d.56941$xt.46835@fed1read07>
Source record: 16447
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: VHF Spectra Mobile

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7500373205&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1475. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 23:23:24 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <423CB465.D03AAACF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16348

John Franklin wrote:
>
> Well letsee.......Popular Electronics Mag (no longer in business)
> published an AM transmitter article for use on the BCB. It was housed in a
> steel mail box along with the antenna network and antenna out the top of it.
> It was meant to be mounted outside with the power and audio remotely fed to
> it. Letsee that article was published in 1962 as I recall.........As a
> broadcast engineer I would be really critical of what the "Bells and
> whistles" were.

Broadcast Engineer? I started in that field in 1973 and have worked
in TV and AM radio until last year. It was awarded as a civilian
acquired skill when I was drafted in '72. I have worked up to a 5 MW
ERP UHF TV site with a 1749 foot tower. I started with '40s tube
equipment and worked up to state of the art RF and studio sites. I like
a good design, but then I got spoiled working on $80,000 radios and
building multi-million dollar telemetry receiving systems. I don't need
another transmitter around but I would probably build one with a MC1496,
or one of the newer Analog Devices four quadrant multiplier chips if I
changed my mind..

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1476. FA: Rare 1957 Vintage Sputnik QSL Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-19 23:37:30 UTC
From: Alan Wilcox <w3dvx@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <423CB7BA.5090201@arrl.net>
Source record: 16349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.space

Check this one out!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6519964865&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1477. Re: Anybody find the W&W battery packs are not so hot lately??????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 01:29:47 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <113pkgdnvm52t12@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16350
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Stop doing business with W&W.....

Butch

Sky King wrote:
> Hi all, the last FEW battery packs and inserts I have purchased
> within the last year from W&W battery seem not to be cracked up to their
> usual high standards. About 8 months ago I ordered a battery insert for an
> Alinco DJ-580T. W&W says that they use Sanyo or Panasonic cells. If
> other brands
> are used they will say so. Anyway, when I received the insert they were
> green
> batteries with no brand name on them. They didn't say Sanyo or
> Panasonic like they
> said in the past. Also the batteries had 1100 stamped into each
> battery. The W&W sticker
> says 12V @ 1200. I called them at the time and was told don't worry
> about the 1100, it means
> nothing. I said to myself ??? !!!
> I few months earlier I purchased a NI-Cad pack for my FT-50. I can't
> see into it but it never took a full charge, even
> after a few weeks of proper cycling.
> I have a buddy who has this expensive battery analyzer where he works,
> I'm told the charger is a professional
> charger and costs around $3500 dollars, its gotta be some gizmo.
> Anyway, It did not perform well. I called
> W&W and told them and they replaced the pack, which is a great thing
> for them to do in the name of customer relations.
> The one they sent me performed the same. About 3 months ago I needed
> another pack for the FT-50 because the second
> NiCad pack went bad.
> I pickup up a NiMH battery this time at the local hamfest. This battery
> is the same deal. Never
> gets a full charge. I have used W&W fast charger, my Yeasu charger and
> a MaHa charger on these
> batteries. After I use them for many cycles it is the same. My buddy
> put this one on his
> expensive analyzer and the best it will do is 70 percent. WHAT
> GIVES???? This is a 9.6V @1100MaH and
> it acts like a 600ma nicad. I use these HT's to receive 98% of the time
> since they are used mostly at work.
> I have the same damn problem with a pack for my FT-530.
> I have been very happy with W&W over the last 15 or so years. I don't

> know what is going on other than
> using cheaper batteries and charging for the higher priced good batteries.
> BTW, that Alinco battery insert does not hold a great charge and has a
> cell going bad. My batteries usually
> last for about 2 years or so. Not any of these. I have had many HT's
> over the years and I'm knowable of batteries
> and the different types and charging habits. If I only had one charger
> I'd suspect that, but with all the chargers I own
> and with my buddys charger at work, I know it's not me or my equipment,
> it's the batteries.
> Any comments from people finding the same results??
> 73
>

1478. Re: Anyone pull COS off an ADI?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 03:26:49 UTC
From: Jimmy Mac <no-spam@manicarcade.com>
Message-ID: <Z36%d.11555$m31.121199@typhoon.sonic.net>
Source record: 16351

Well I did it..

I simply took the time with an old analog VM and I found exactly what I was looking for..

On the ADI AR-247, I was able to locate both COS Hi and COS Low.

Pins 10 (SQ) & 12 (SM) on CN4 will provide Active Low and Active High respectively.
It's only about 4 Volts on my meter but that's more than enough to trigger my IRLP v3 card.

I simply pulled my COS from the leg of VR1 for my active high.

J..

"Jimmy Mac" <no-spam@manicarcade.com> wrote in message news:0AXZd.10990$m31.118167@typhoon.sonic.net...
> Hi All,
>
> I am going to be using an ADI 247 as a temporary link radio and am
> wondering if anyone has used one of these in the past.
>
> If you have, can you give me any tips on where the best point to pull COS
> from may be? hi or lo... either will suffice.
>
> Thanks!
>
> Jim...
> kb6zop at [manicarcade] DOT com
>

1479. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 04:13:21 UTC
From: OFFICIAL RAM BLUEBOOK VALUATION <nowhere@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <BE633581.23607%nowhere@fe05.buzzardnews.com>
Source record: 16352
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

In article 3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net, "PTRAVEL"
<ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it & its
> exactly like the spec sheet."
>
> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?

It's a counterfeit.

Probably sourced from known counterfeiters SOUND EMPORIUM, known scammers.

RIPOFF ALERT!

1480. 1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 04:53:54 UTC
From: Ron038547@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111294434.122395.81380@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16353

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1481. FA: Astatic JT-40 JT40? Blues Harp Or Ham Radio Microphone - LAST DAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 13:28:47 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <jUe%d.126$b_5.18137@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 16354

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7307078643

1482. FA: Two Vintage Microphone Adapters For Ham Radio Or Blues Harp - LAST DAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 13:34:13 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <pZe%d.129$b_5.18262@newshog.newsread.com>
Source record: 16355

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5759232604
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5759239727

1483. Re: IC-730 and IC-735 battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 14:20:02 UTC
From: Steve <hrunner@flash.net>
Message-ID: <423D8692.EEC19D19@flash.net>
Source record: 16356

Rob, on my 730 theres a provision for a 12 volt back up
plug on the back. when voltage is maintianed your vfo will
remain on freq when the rig is shutdown. when there is no
voltage on that plug, the vfo will reset back to the
beginning of any band you selected. Its kinda of a
hassle, but no internal batteries to mess with. One of
the few icom rigs with a quadruple conversion on the
reciever circuitry.
Excellent radio for the money.

gud luck, steve in tx.....

1484. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 16:02:48 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <I8h%d.16226$qf2.9433@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16357

Hi Micheal, I guess after doing the real thing a .1 watt transmitter doesn't do much for me. I will say however that QRP is fun for me on HF thru 70CM. I remember once using a signal generator, modulating it and feeding a longwire. I heard it for about a 5 block radius. I called it KVOM (K voice of Milpitas) Calif. I picked a clear freq and went for it. Hmmmmmmm talk about coverage.....I live in Nashville and WSM covers real well. That big Blaw-Knox tower dominates the area along I-65. I can listen to WSM when in Birmingham AL during the day quite well on a car radio.

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message news:423CB465.D03AAACF@earthlink.net...
> John Franklin wrote:
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>
> Broadcast Engineer? I started in that field in 1973 and have worked
> in TV and AM radio until last year. It was awarded as a civilian
> acquired skill when I was drafted in '72. I have worked up to a 5 MW
> ERP UHF TV site with a 1749 foot tower. I started with '40s tube
> equipment and worked up to state of the art RF and studio sites. I like
> a good design, but then I got spoiled working on $80,000 radios and
> building multi-million dollar telemetry receiving systems. I don't need
> another transmitter around but I would probably build one with a MC1496,
> or one of the newer Analog Devices four quadrant multiplier chips if I
> changed my mind..
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>
> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

1485. SWR Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 16:04:57 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Jah%d.84201$vK5.20280@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 16358

I aquired a GE Model EA-68-X90 SWR Meter and i am looking to see if anyone
knows what bands this will work on?
Please email me at kb2sin@stny.rr.com
Thanks and 73's de kb2sin
Bill

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1486. Rotatable Vertical - Honest

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 17:38:36 UTC
From: Phaselock Ohms <PL@bakerstreet.com>
Message-ID: <xyi%d.57077$xt.30330@fed1read07>
Source record: 16359

http://www.vk4dx.net/rot_vert.htm

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Elementary Ya All
Phaselock Ohms

1487. Re: Low Power AM Radio Broadcasting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 18:46:18 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <423DC4F3.E1BC4782@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16360

John Franklin wrote:
>
> Hi Micheal, I guess after doing the real thing a .1 watt
> transmitter doesn't do much for me. I will say however that QRP is fun for
> me on HF thru 70CM. I remember once using a signal generator, modulating it
> and feeding a longwire. I heard it for about a 5 block radius. I called it
> KVOM (K voice of Milpitas) Calif. I picked a clear freq and went for it.
> Hmmmmmmm talk about coverage.....I live in Nashville and WSM covers
> real well. That big Blaw-Knox tower dominates the area along I-65. I can
> listen to WSM when in Birmingham AL during the day quite well on a car
> radio.

I played around with part 15 AM transmitters when I while I was in
high school and helped start the school's ham radio club. The call was
WDSC, for my girlfriend's initials. I was always more interested in
receiver design and construction than getting on the air. I'm the kind
of guy who loses interest in a project after its working properly so i
was always looking for the next project. I started in broadcast while
in the US Army in the early '70s at Ft Greely AK. We had a Gates BC250
on 980 KHz at 250 Watts and a 500 Watt Ch 8 Gates TV transmitter.

Lucky you! WSM is my favorite station and I've always wanted to go to
the Opry but I'm disabled now and I don't know if I'll ever get the
chance. I saw the WLW tower and 500 KW transmitter in the late '60s,
along with the old VOA plant at Bethany (Mason) Ohio. I got to look
inside the beast and talk to an engineer who was a young man when they
were still using the transmitter.

I can pick up WSM her near Ocala, with a Sony walkman, (SRF-49) that
runs on a single AA cell. It doesn't have any speakers so I plugged in
a set of non amplified computer speakers and use it on my night stand to
listen to WSM while I'm laying in bed. I have broadband so I can listen
to their stream, when it works.

I have had several local hams try to get me to get my ticket to play
with ATV but I'm kind of burnt out on TV these days.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1488. (",) Do You Want To Know For Sure You Are Going To Heaven?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 20:12:07 UTC
From: Ron038548@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111349527.591875.277880@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16361

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1489. For MML/30-L ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 20:34:57 UTC
From: gsamori@racine.ra.it
Message-ID: <423da249.2478223@news.nettuno.it>
Source record: 16362

I have connected 5 W into output socket of this amplifier and damaged
Rx preamplifier, fet (transistor?), and diode HP ?, so i need the
schematic diagram. Can you help me?
Thanks, Gianmaria Samori', ik4hdo.

1490. For MML432/30-L ...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 20:38:55 UTC
From: gsamori@racine.ra.it
Message-ID: <423ddf50.4007327@news.nettuno.it>
Source record: 16363

I have connected 5 W into output socket of this amplifier and damaged
Rx preamplifier, fet (transistor?), and diode HP ?, so i need the
schematic diagram. Can you help me?
Thanks, Gianmaria Samori', ik4hdo.

1491. FS: Sam's Photofact files

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-20 22:08:18 UTC
From: duhpike@aol.com
Message-ID: <1111356498.002176.27990@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16364

I have most files from 38 -1200 available. they are $3.95 per file
+1.95 postage for the first file .50 postage each additional file.
Thank You, Duh Pike

1492. Armad

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 02:11:26 UTC
From: Richard Lyons <rlyons@wi.rr.com>
Message-ID: <%0q%d.11405$hu3.647@twister.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 16365

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1493. Coax Relays

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 02:45:10 UTC
From: Tony Sokol <tonysokol@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Wyq%d.22949$hU7.5638@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16366

I have two Advance 110VAC coax relays. One has external contacts and one
does not. I am asking $45 and $40 respectively plus shipping from 60118.
73
Tony
Pictures available

1494. DT-600 Rtty Demodulator FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 02:47:43 UTC
From: Tony Sokol <tonysokol@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <jBq%d.22953$hU7.21858@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16367

I have a complete DT-600 RTTY set up with power supply, loop supply,
autostart,keyer with mercury wetted polar relay, and RS-232 interface board.
The unit is built into a high quality cabinet, metered, and completely ready
to go with full documentation. $85 plus shipping from 60118.
Thanks
73
Tony -W9JXN
Picures available

1495. Icom 45A w/PL FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 02:49:42 UTC
From: Tony Sokol <tonysokol@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <aDq%d.22956$hU7.12576@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16368

I have a nice clean (never mobile) 10 watt IC-45a with Comspec PL deck installed. Original boxes, manual, and touchtone mic. $95 plus shipping from 60118.
73
Tony
Pictures available

1496. Kenwood TR-7625 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 02:51:45 UTC
From: Tony Sokol <tonysokol@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <5Fq%d.22958$hU7.9847@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16369

I have a working Kenwood 7625 radio that puts out over 25 watts with the TT microphone. I also have the quick release mobile tray for it. This rig has no PL but a comspec deck would remedy that. Nice inexpensive radio for the local repeater. $85 plus shipping from 60118.
73
Tony
Pictures available

1497. (",) Do You Want To Know For Sure You Are Going To Heaven?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 03:10:00 UTC
From: Ron038548@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111374600.915591.223510@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16370

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1498. FA Hallicrafters SX-18 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 03:23:36 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <P6r%d.47286$lm.4@okepread01>
Source record: 16371

Please see my auction for a super clean Hallicrafters SX-18 Receiver.
Auction is completed in about a hour.
See at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5760587552&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

1499. Re: Anybody find the W&W battery packs are not so hot lately??????????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 05:44:29 UTC
From: "Ralph A. Schmid, DK5RAS" <nospam@radio-link.net>
Message-ID: <vmns31p23jor3efrlpt4vbud2qor2iq6ph@4ax.com>
Source record: 16374
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

"Dr. Rastis Fafoofnik" <DRFafoofnik@rumpledanus.com> wrote:

>I buy ALL my batteries for my Motorola equipment FROM MOTOROLA.......

I do not any more; Motorola seems to use whatever cells are available
on the market, while aftermarket suppliers often use Sanyo cells -
these batteries are cheaper, and at least the same quality as the
original ones, often better.

regards - Ralph

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Want to get in touch? http://www.radio-link.net/whereisralph.txt

1500. (",) Do You Want To Know For Sure You Are Going To Heaven?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 09:02:53 UTC
From: Ron038548@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111395773.019513.238640@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16372

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1501. Question on noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 11:09:19 UTC
From: gi1pi@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111403359.181982.163820@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16373

My QTH is a bit noisy at times, around S7 most days, with the exception of rainy, damp or snowy days!

The question is... anytime there is any kind of dampness the noise goes away, any ideas why?

Gil

1502. FA:Hugh Shaft Couplers,Micas + others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 14:14:58 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <CFA%d.429910$w62.186015@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16375
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

More items added daily...check back for additional 'stuff':

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx, heytubeguy

1503. FA:SX-42 DIAL,MT COVER, Stand-offs + more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 14:19:14 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <CJA%d.429930$w62.377979@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16376
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

More items added daily...check back for additional 'stuff':

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx, heytubeguy

1504. Re: FA:Hugh Shaft Couplers,Micas + others

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 16:42:26 UTC
From: Roger D Johnson <n1rj~@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <423EF972.2070706@adelphia.net>
Source record: 16377
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Heytubeguy wrote:
> More items added daily...check back for additional 'stuff':
>
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy
>
> Tnx, heytubeguy
>
>
Why is it so many folks cannot spell HUGE?

Roger

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Remove tilde (~) to reply

Remember the USS Liberty (AGTR-5)
http://ussliberty.org/

1505. Re: Question on noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 17:21:46 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DoD%d.66220$7z6.14166@lakeread04>
Source record: 16378

gi1pi@yahoo.com wrote:
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You probably have some electric lines that are arcing nearby. If you have access to a portable HF receiver, you may be able to trace down which pole it is. You may try taking a large hammer and hitting the suspected pole and see if the level of the noise changes.

When its dry, the connection on the pole is not making a good contact and is arcing. When the weather is wet, the humidity in the air is making for a better contact.

Andy
WD4KDN

1506. Re: Question on noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 17:57:27 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d1n2neooj1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 16379

"nitespark" <nitespark@cox.net> wrote in message
news:DoD%d.66220$7z6.14166@lakeread04...
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> and is arcing. When the weather is wet, the humidity in the air is
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> WD4KDN

The same could apply to your ground connection. Bad when its dry - good in
the damp.
Roger ZR3RC

1507. Re: Question on noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 19:31:32 UTC
From: JRS <n3ab@fast.net>
Message-ID: <n58u31ln0om0oj6ctlde523p6q7gk51889@4ax.com>
Source record: 16381

On Mon, 21 Mar 2005 12:21:46 -0500, nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
wrote:

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Bad advise!! Do NOT hit a power pole with a sledge hammer. Never!

If something is loose or broken on the pole, it could fall on you,
injuring or killing you. I once had a lineman replace a defective
transformer switch which was causing interference. All he did was
touch it with his hot stick, there was a blue flash and about 5 or 6
people lost power. Fragments of the defective switch fell to the
ground. Same thing could happen with cracked insulators or defective
lightning arrestors. And banging on poles will usually prove nothing
if a lightning arrestor is bad.

If a connection is ready to come apart, hitting the pole could cause a
power outage to one or several customers. Some older type bolt-on
bails are hanging on by a thread after years of rusting away.

Some power companies (including the one I work for) will prosecute if
you are caught hitting their equipment. If you suspect a problem on a
pole, write down any identifying numbers on the pole and call the
local power company.

1508. FA ParagonII and Henry 2KD-2 amp like Collins

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 20:41:53 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <bkG%d.47315$lm.17391@okepread01>
Source record: 16380

Please see my current auctions for a nice TenTec Paragon II Station and a
Henry 2KD-2 HF Amplifier.
This amp matches Collins S-Line equipment.Also, Kenwood KB-1 Knob, SP-520
Speaker and Gonset Converters:
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

1509. Help: Yaesu FT-1500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-21 23:19:56 UTC
From: Ken Knapp <nobodysbusiness@goawayspam.net>
Message-ID: <113ulkvl2vgaj25@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16382

I have a 1500M and the PLL won't lock. Anyone know of any known issues I could try for a quick fix?

Thanks,

Ken,

N3GBW

1510. Re: Yaesu FT-1500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 00:05:31 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <3a95qeF6a3mdcU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16383

"Ken Knapp" <nobodysbusiness@goawayspam.net> wrote in message
news:113ulkvl2vgaj25@corp.supernews.com...
>I have a 1500M and the PLL won't lock. Anyone know of any known issues I
>could try for a quick fix?
>
> Thanks,
>
> Ken,
>
> N3GBW
>
Have you tried a CPU reset as per the manual? CPU may be in a funny state.
After that I could only suggest checking that the PLL reference is working
(21.25MHz in to Q2008) and that the PLL chip's inputs look 'reasonable' (ie.
data gets shifted in when appropriate). Check also that the PLL Unlock
signal is getting from TP2007 to the CPU.

Cheers.

Ken

1511. Re: Yaesu FT-1500M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 00:09:39 UTC
From: Ken Knapp <nobodysbusiness@goawayspam.net>
Message-ID: <113uoi6h7fhgp8d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16384

Thanks Ken. I did reset but no luck. I'll check for the 21.25 MHz signal.

Ken

"Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz> wrote in message
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> Ken
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1512. 4SAT is no longer for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 00:22:18 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <_yJ%d.432581$w62.26641@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16385
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Radio is no longer for sale.

1513. Re: Question on noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 00:27:49 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <1EJ%d.66253$7z6.42535@lakeread04>
Source record: 16386

JRS wrote:
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> you are caught hitting their equipment. If you suspect a problem on a
> pole, write down any identifying numbers on the pole and call the
> local power company.

Yeah boy...they'll jump right on it to get it fixed....

http://www.arrl.org/tis/info/HTML/plc/FCC_enforcement/FCC_Enforcement_Letters.html

1514. FS: Drake RV75 sythesized remote VFO for Drake 5-line or 7-line

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 09:41:02 UTC
From: TerraDactyl@shadowstorm.com
Message-ID: <423fe774.35714685@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 16300

FS: Drake RV75 sythesized remote VFO for Drake 5-line or 7-line

See..

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4674&item=5762423088&rd=1

1515. (",) Do You Want To Know For Sure You Are Going To Heaven?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 09:51:45 UTC
From: Ron038548@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111485105.680823.187090@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16395

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1516. FA EDDYSTSONE EC10 RX SHIP WORLDWIDE Super Condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 11:28:31 UTC
From: SNADARC <old.pc@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <zjT%d.83$p22.66@newsfe4-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16397
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

FA EDDYSTSONE EC10 RX SHIP WORLDWIDE Super Condx A cOASSI CrECIEVER FROM THE 1960'S

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5760439623

1517. Re: FA EDDYSTSONE EC10 RX SHIP WORLDWIDE Super Condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 13:18:58 UTC
From: Wolseley 6-80 <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <3aaka2F6750cnU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"SNADARC" <old.pc@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:zjT%d.83$p22.66@newsfe4-gui.ntli.net...
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are rubbish.
The only use I put mine to was with a 2 metre converter in those a.m.
days.

1518. FA: KNIGHT X-10 100khz CRYSTAL CALIBRATOR for HEATH HR-10B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:30:36 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vSW%d.605$033.477@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16388
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5761524039&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1519. FA: Complete COLLINS R-390A CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR UNIT-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:32:20 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <7UW%d.606$Y_2.249@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16392
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Big $27.00:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5761524012&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1520. FA: US NAVY "BEAM FILTER" BC-345, AUDIO FILTER WWII- USEFUL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:33:55 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BVW%d.4214$U14.750@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16389
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.military.collecting,rec.collecting.military.insignia,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Big $13, & mint too:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5761523902&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1521. FA: 28 VINTAGE HIGH VOLTAGE MICA TRANSMITTING CAPACITORS>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:35:20 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XWW%d.4224$8X3.1028@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16390
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Big $10
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5761524282&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1522. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:36:43 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <eYW%d.4232$Ed4.119@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16387
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

No Bids @ $10
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5761524102&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1523. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:46:10 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <85X%d.4286$de4.1794@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16302
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

If thats the case, I would have heard complaints from the previous 6 winners
who gave many Kudos for getting a great mike for <1/4 of the value.
I think they should be aware of "chicken Littles" like you who know NOT what
they speak off!

"OFFICIAL RAM BLUEBOOK VALUATION" <nowhere@nowhere.com> wrote in message
news:BE633581.23607%nowhere@fe05.buzzardnews.com...
> In article 3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net, "PTRAVEL"
> <ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
>>
>> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it &
>> its
>> exactly like the spec sheet."
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>> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?
>
> It's a counterfeit.
>
> Probably sourced from known counterfeiters SOUND EMPORIUM, known scammers.
>
> RIPOFF ALERT!
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1524. Re: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:51:46 UTC
From: Scan da bands <RK22@msn.com>
Message-ID: <42403a5d$0$19489$8f2e0ebb@news.shared-secrets.com>
Source record: 16391
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Hey fatboy, I'm tired of your cross-posted spam. I will now report every one
of your abusive spam posts to ebay. Say buh-bye to your account, tubby.
>
"RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:eYW%d.4232$Ed4.119@fe10.lga...
> No Bids @ $10
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5761524102&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
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1525. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 15:54:05 UTC
From: Scan da bands <RK22@msn.com>
Message-ID: <42403ae8$0$23343$8f2e0ebb@news.shared-secrets.com>
Source record: 16301
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

Let me know if you hear complaints from ebay concerning your Usenet
abuse/spamming x-postd
shite, fatboy.
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1526. Re: FA EDDYSTSONE EC10 RX SHIP WORLDWIDE Super Condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 19:01:02 UTC
From: Mike Lee <swift240@yahoo.co.uk>
Message-ID: <OXZ%d.117283$y25.79895@fe3.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 16394
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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Yes I used to work for the company many years ago the main transistors
were:-

OC171 the 4 lead type.
OC71 (I think)
And OC81 for the main amp. (if my memory is correct that is)
The Mk II had a 470 Khz trap on the front end.
The IF stages were double tuned at 470Khz
And a filter at 1000Khz for the audio. At least thats what I remember
of the Mk II.

The BFO was rubbish to say the least.
I found it hard to resolve many signals that were to strong.

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http://uk.geocities.com/swift240/mikes_page_1.html

1527. Re: FA EDDYSTSONE EC10 RX SHIP WORLDWIDE Super Condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 19:43:44 UTC
From: the real ME <realME@here.there>
Message-ID: <d1pshg$n97$1@sparta.btinternet.com>
Source record: 16298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"Mike Lee" <swift240@yahoo.co.uk> wrote in message
news:OXZ%d.117283$y25.79895@fe3.news.blueyonder.co.uk...
> Wolseley 6-80 wrote:
>> "SNADARC" <old.pc@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
>> news:zjT%d.83$p22.66@newsfe4-gui.ntli.net...
>>
>>>FA EDDYSTSONE EC10 RX SHIP WORLDWIDE Super Condx A cOASSI CrECIEVER
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>> FROM THE
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>>>1960'S
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>>>http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5760439623
>>>
>>>
>>
>> I had an EC10 in the 1970s.
>> It's got germanium pnp transistors and it's sensitivity and selectivity
>> are rubbish.
>> The only use I put mine to was with a 2 metre converter in those a.m.
>> days.
>>
> Yes I used to work for the company many years ago the main transistors
> were:-
>
> OC171 the 4 lead type.
> OC71 (I think)
> And OC81 for the main amp. (if my memory is correct that is)
> The Mk II had a 470 Khz trap on the front end.
> The IF stages were double tuned at 470Khz
> And a filter at 1000Khz for the audio. At least thats what I remember of
> the Mk II.
>
> The BFO was rubbish to say the least.
> I found it hard to resolve many signals that were to strong.
>
> --
> http://uk.geocities.com/swift240/mikes_page_1.html

If you scrapped the paint of the plastic type OC71 you then had the
equivalent of an OCP71 phototransistor
which IIRC were at least 4x the cost of an OC71 ! Bargain !

nostalgia ain't what it used to be.....

the real ME

1528. FA:NOS Tubes:5Y3,EL-34

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-22 23:12:18 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <mD10e.438443$w62.347760@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tubes: NOS USN 5Y3WTGB + EL-34 Russian + noninductive resistors+600K 175 W pwr resistors+ Jennings PI-Tank Calculator slide ruler.....see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx Heytubeguy

1529. harris radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-23 00:19:08 UTC
From: user@domain.invalid
Message-ID: <ZB20e.6789$KI1.5939@fe06.lga>
Source record: 16299

I looking for a ops. / maint. manual for the Harris RF-3200
Thanks / Bruce

1530. (",) Do You Want To Know For Sure You Are Going To Heaven?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-23 11:02:34 UTC
From: Ron038652@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111575754.213390.325130@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16303

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1531. FS: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-23 22:20:51 UTC
From: Carolina Radio <sales@carolina-radio.com>
Message-ID: <1111616451.427113.181560@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16304

Tired of trying to use your older software on those new Windows XP, USB and fast computers?

This laptop is speedy enough to play on the net and run most applications yet compatable with you older Motorola Software. Have those "Error 2003" With you Maxtrac program? Solve it right here.

Available:

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This unit comes pre-loaded with Windows 98 (for your Motorola Programming)AND Windows XP Professional Edition

366 Mhz Intel Pentium Processor
128 Mb RAM
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2 PCMCIA Card Slots
Li-Ion Battery
Built in 24X CD ROM
Stereo Sound
USB Port
9 Pin Com Port
15 Pin RGB Video port
Infrared Port
6.5 Lbs.
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14.1 Color Bright Display
Power Supply

This laptop is also loaded with the following software:

Windows 98 Operating System w/

Quicken Home & Business 2005

Internet Explorer Ver 6.0

Laplink Gold 11.5 (No Cable included)

Microsoft Office which includes:
Microsoft Access, Microsoft Word, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft FrontPage, Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Powerpoint

PowerQuest Partition Magic Ver. 8.0

Astro Portables V 05.00.01
Astro Mobiles V 05.00.05
Astro Saber V 05.00.01

Desktrac V 03.04.0
CP150/CP200/CM200/CM300/PM400/PR400
M10/M120/GM300 Mobiles V 05.00.02
GP300/P110 V 05.00.00
GP2000 V 01.03
GP350 V 08.00.0
GTX/MAX638 V 01.01.00
HT1000/JT1000/VISAR V 03.02.01
HT50
HT600 V 02.03.01
M400 Mobiles
Maratrac Mobiles V 04.03.00
Maxtrac Mobiles V 5.00.00
Maxtrac Trucked Mobiles
Maxtrac LS Mobiles V 02.03.00b
MCS2000 Mobile V 04.00.00
MCX1000 Mobile
Mostar V AA00.00.00
HT750/HT1250/HT1550/EX500/EX600/CDM750/CDM1250/CDM1550 V 06.02.03
MT1000 V 03.01.02
MT2000/MTS2000/MTX838/MTX8000/MTX9000 V06.00.00
MTX800 V01.00.01.02
MTX900
P110 V 08.00.00
P1225 V02.00.00
P200 V 01.01.00
P50 Plus Radius V 02.00.00
R100 Repeater
Radius Mobile M100/M206/M208/M216 V 08.00.00
SP50 V03.00.00
Saber V 07.00.00
System Saber V 04.00.02
Saber SI V 02.03.03
SM50/SM120 V 02.00.00
Spectra V 06.00.05
STX V 03.00.00
XTS3000

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http://www.carolina-radio.com/tecra8000

1532. FA: Johnson Viking 4740 - 40 ch CB radio - SSB/AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-23 23:04:08 UTC
From: jimbradley@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1111619048.816930.236250@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16305

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5762697356

1533. Re: FS: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-23 23:05:00 UTC
From: dontspam <dontspam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <5ft3415gahnkb1u9d2tgdr3l056blnt4h7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16306

I hope motorola isn't reading this

On 23 Mar 2005 14:20:51 -0800, "Carolina Radio"
<sales@carolina-radio.com> wrote:

>Tired of trying to use your older software on those new Windows XP, USB
>and fast computers?
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>
>This laptop is speedy enough to play on the net and run most
>applications yet compatable with you older Motorola Software. Have
>those "Error 2003" With you Maxtrac program? Solve it right here.
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>Available:
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>Toshiba Tecra 8000 Laptop
>This unit comes pre-loaded with Windows 98 (for your Motorola
>Programming)AND Windows XP Professional Edition
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> 366 Mhz Intel Pentium Processor
> 128 Mb RAM
> 6.2 Gb Hard Drive
> 2 PCMCIA Card Slots
> Li-Ion Battery
> Built in 24X CD ROM
> Stereo Sound
> USB Port
> 9 Pin Com Port
> 15 Pin RGB Video port
> Infrared Port
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>Microsoft Outlook, Microsoft Powerpoint
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>Astro Portables V 05.00.01
>Astro Mobiles V 05.00.05
>Astro Saber V 05.00.01
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>CP150/CP200/CM200/CM300/PM400/ï¿½PR400
>M10/M120/GM300 Mobiles V 05.00.02
>GP300/P110 V 05.00.00
>GP2000 V 01.03
>GP350 V 08.00.0
>GTX/MAX638 V 01.01.00
>HT1000/JT1000/VISAR V 03.02.01
>HT50
>HT600 V 02.03.01
>M400 Mobiles
>Maratrac Mobiles V 04.03.00
>Maxtrac Mobiles V 5.00.00
>Maxtrac Trucked Mobiles
>Maxtrac LS Mobiles V 02.03.00b
>MCS2000 Mobile V 04.00.00
>MCX1000 Mobile
>Mostar V AA00.00.00
>HT750/HT1250/HT1550/EX500/EX60ï¿½0/CDM750/CDM1250/CDM1550 V 06.02.03
>MT1000 V 03.01.02
>MT2000/MTS2000/MTX838/MTX8000/ï¿½MTX9000 V06.00.00
>MTX800 V01.00.01.02
>MTX900
>P110 V 08.00.00
>P1225 V02.00.00
>P200 V 01.01.00
>P50 Plus Radius V 02.00.00
>R100 Repeater
>Radius Mobile M100/M206/M208/M216 V 08.00.00
>SP50 V03.00.00
>Saber V 07.00.00
>System Saber V 04.00.02
>Saber SI V 02.03.03
>SM50/SM120 V 02.00.00
>Spectra V 06.00.05
>STX V 03.00.00
>XTS3000

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>$279.00 SHIPPED in the US!
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>Photos available at the following link
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>
>http://www.carolina-radio.com/i¿½tecra8000

1534. FA: Electro-Voice EV Sentry II Speakers..Very Sweet!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 03:02:16 UTC
From: Ken <gold@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <42423A96.6040506@nucleus.com>
Source record: 16307

See and bid on this very sweet pair of 70's pro speakers.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7310392186

1535. (",) Do You Want To Know For Sure You Are Going To Heaven?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 13:06:08 UTC
From: Ron038653@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111669568.508686.105600@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16308

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1536. Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 15:35:45 UTC
From: laofhdhforkjcvc@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <4242dcd4.66964830@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 16309

I just finished looking at the Tentec Orion, and I thought it was
ugly. I did not care for the Icom computer screen radios, or the
Kenwood orange LCD screen radios either. I want real knobs to turn,
real buttons to push, and a real analog meter to look at.
I sit in front of a computer all day at work. I don't want to look
at another computer screen when I get home and turn on my ham radio.
Am I the only one that thinks a radio should look like a radio, and
not an over sized Palm Pilot with a mic jack and a coax connector?

-OB

1537. Re: FS: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 15:40:26 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@TheObvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <mqn5419rp2c2oqprnpeqjhg1an9adu35pb@4ax.com>
Source record: 16310

On 23 Mar 2005 14:20:51 -0800, "Carolina Radio"
<sales@carolina-radio.com> wrote:

>Tired of trying to use your older software on those new Windows XP, USB
>and fast computers?

A Motorola dealer selling a laptop full of Motorola RSS?

A soon to be out of business Motorola dealer...
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To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1538. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 15:57:29 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <8oo541h4babvmkkk21spon7h26vib0n7sp@4ax.com>
Source record: 16311

On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 15:35:45 GMT, laofhdhforkjcvc@yahoo.com (Odd Ball)
wrote:

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>ugly. I did not care for the Icom computer screen radios, or the
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>not an over sized Palm Pilot with a mic jack and a coax connector?
>
>-OB

Fortunately, there are plenty of radios available to meet your
criteria. Should be able to pick up a Johnson Viking II and a
Hallicrafters SX-100 on Ebay. Lots of knobs and real meters.

Dick - W6CCD

1539. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 16:02:54 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4242E4A0.9EE42CC@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16312

Odd Ball wrote:
>
> I just finished looking at the Tentec Orion, and I thought it was
> ugly. I did not care for the Icom computer screen radios, or the
> Kenwood orange LCD screen radios either. I want real knobs to turn,
> real buttons to push, and a real analog meter to look at.
> I sit in front of a computer all day at work. I don't want to look
> at another computer screen when I get home and turn on my ham radio.
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> not an over sized Palm Pilot with a mic jack and a coax connector?
>
> -OB

If I'm going to run a piece of equipment from a computer I'd rather
do it from a real computer and not even see the other parts of the
system.

I worked on a $80,000 telemetry receiving system that ran under
Embedded Windows NT. A real pain in the ass to install the software and
set the radios up on the production floor.
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?

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1540. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 16:35:50 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <1pq541tat1soe2lnekk28rbmndqapsgmu0@4ax.com>
Source record: 16313

On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 15:35:45 GMT, laofhdhforkjcvc@yahoo.com (Odd Ball)
wrote:

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>
> I just finished looking at the Tentec Orion, and I thought it was
>ugly. I did not care for the Icom computer screen radios, or the
>Kenwood orange LCD screen radios either. I want real knobs to turn,
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>at another computer screen when I get home and turn on my ham radio.
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>not an over sized Palm Pilot with a mic jack and a coax connector?
>
>-OB

I don't mind the computer displays, but I don't like having to follow
a menu several levels deep to set the controls I should be able to set
with the knobs. On the Icom 706, my biggest gripe is not being able
to set the display light level without having to turn off the rig
twice.

On the 706, i would much rather the Initial Set menu only set defaults
that will reset when I turn the rig off, but allow all the options be
available while the rig is turned on, if I want to change them.
Occasionally, I want to turn up the display light for a short while.
It makes no sense to me that I have to turn the rig off to turn the
light up so I can read the dial.

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

1541. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 16:53:45 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnd45s4p.g6o.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 16314

On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 16:02:54 GMT, Michael A. Terrell wrote:
> Odd Ball wrote:
>>
>> I just finished looking at the Tentec Orion, and I thought it was
>> ugly. I did not care for the Icom computer screen radios, or the
>> Kenwood orange LCD screen radios either. I want real knobs to turn,
>> real buttons to push, and a real analog meter to look at.
>> I sit in front of a computer all day at work. I don't want to look
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>> not an over sized Palm Pilot with a mic jack and a coax connector?
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> If I'm going to run a piece of equipment from a computer I'd rather
> do it from a real computer and not even see the other parts of the
> system.

The highway patrol is gonna frown on that 17" monitor up on the dashboard.

HI!HI!

73
Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

1542. Icom 706 MkII G Finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 18:15:37 UTC
From: WA9FVP <willco788@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <1111688137.447714.186090@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16315

About two weeks ago I posted an article on e-ham.net
that I snipped from mods.dk about the 706mkIIg finals
being obsolete.

I did some investigating and determined that Icom is
replacing the SRFJ7044 power FET with the RD70HVF, the
same power FET that's used in the Icom IC-2720 dual band.
If you check the product reviews in eHam.net under;

Transceivers: VHF/UHF Base/Mobile (non hand-held)/
ICOM IC-2720H

You will see several complaints about finals burning
out in the IC-2720.

In one of the threads a ham complained that the final transistor
in his two week old IC-2720 caught on fire and damaged the radio
beyond repair. Icom replaced it. The 706 Mk2G uses 3 RD70HVF
power FET's (two for HF and 1 for VHF/UHF. The finals were changed
during production in the MK2G about 2 years ago.

I hope that Icom isn't using the same finals in the
IC706MKIIG that are causing problems in IC-2720!! :-(

Here a repeat of the mods.dk article.
---------Snip--------

The 706MKIIG radio has 2 different versions of the PA
board. The older PA board's finals (1590002690)aka
(srfj7044) are no longer available and would require
replacement of the PA board. The newer style PA board
transistors are part# 1560001190 (rd70HVF) and can be
ordered by The 2 styles of transistors are not
interchangeable.

The complete PA board is part# 98413600 and sells for
apx $442. The catch 22 is that this board is the old
style board, with the old transistors. We do not have
the new style boards available yet so, if the finals
fail again, it's another board replacement.

Kevin McClinton, W7JRL
Technical Support Representative

ICOM America, Inc.
2380 116th Ave. NE
Bellevue, WA 98004

Ph. (425) 454-7619
Fax (425) 637-8417
www.icomamerica.com

---------Snip--------

1543. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-24 20:16:49 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42432025.1A31D611@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16316

Allodoxaphobia wrote:
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> The highway patrol is gonna frown on that 17" monitor up on the dashboard.
>
> HI!HI!
>
> 73
> Jonesy

Who has time to operate mobile when there are so many retired crazies
on the road around here? :(

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?

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1544. Re: Icom 706 MkII G Finals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 01:13:42 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <tap64113129svu51je8e2e6hhtnrlbdndt@4ax.com>
Source record: 16317

On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 16:48:09 -0800, Justï¿½n Kï¿½se
<chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:

>In Message-ID:<1111688137.447714.186090@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
>posted on 24 Mar 2005 10:15:37 -0800, WA9FVP wrote:
>
>>I did some investigating and determined that Icom is
>>replacing the SRFJ7044 power FET with the RD70HVF
>
>Might you direct us to the source of that information?
>My 706mk2g uses the SRFJ7044's for both the HF and V/UHF PAs,
>and in none of the available service manuals can I even find a mention
>of the RD70HVF.

I think he already did. It was:

Kevin McClinton, W7JRL
Technical Support Representative
ICOM America, Inc.

1545. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 02:26:57 UTC
From: JRK <byrdhaus@netins.net>
Message-ID: <d1vssu$82o$1@news.netins.net>
Source record: 16318

Check with your local club and see if someone has an swr meter you can borrow. Most clubs are happy to help out.

Jeff
KB�GVI

1546. Yaesu VX-2R memory and battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 02:30:36 UTC
From: "Bruce W.1" <no@email.com>
Message-ID: <gJK0e.10668$ZB6.3555@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16319

I had a few hundred frequencies stored in the memory of my Yaesu VX-2R. The battery pack died and remained that way for probably a month or two. Now all of my memory data is gone. Apparently this is volatile memory.

I store this HT in the refrigerator with a battery installed. This is where I store all of my batteries. Every six months or so I check the charge level on all of the batteries.

Whatsmore, it seems that this HT pulls a small amount of current from the 1 Ah Li-ion battery even when shut off. I say this because none of my other Li-ion batteries in the refrigerator were anywhere near dead. The VX-2R battery was dead as a doorknob, so I replaced it.

My queston is, what sort of internal battery maintains the VX-2R memory? And how long will it last without the main battery? Might my internal battery now be dead? If the internal battery is also Li-ion then it's probably best to not store it in the refrigerator if there is a small load.

I'd hate to reprogram this thing only to lose all the data once again.

Thanks for your help.

Bruce AF8F

1547. Re: Yaesu VX-2R memory and battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 02:41:56 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <UTK0e.7978$S46.6158@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16320

Gee maybe being cold doesn't help the situation..... Don't let the
battery go dead, USE it once and a while. What did you do buy it to keep it
on ice??

"Bruce W.1" <no@email.com> wrote in message
news:gJK0e.10668$ZB6.3555@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com...
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>
> Thanks for your help.
>
> Bruce AF8F

1548. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 02:44:12 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <0WK0e.7979$S46.6617@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16321

Get a Collins KWM-2..... THEY have meters and
knobs.....and TUBES TOO!

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:42432025.1A31D611@earthlink.net...
> Allodoxaphobia wrote:
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>> On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 16:02:54 GMT, Michael A. Terrell wrote:
>> >
>> > If I'm going to run a piece of equipment from a computer I'd rather
>> > do it from a real computer and not even see the other parts of the
>> > system.
>>
>> The highway patrol is gonna frown on that 17" monitor up on the
>> dashboard.
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>> HI!HI!
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>> 73
>> Jonesy
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>
> Who has time to operate mobile when there are so many retired crazies
> on the road around here? :(
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>
> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

1549. FS: 2 Motorola GP68 VHF Portables

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 03:08:46 UTC
From: Carolina Radio <sales@carolina-radio.com>
Message-ID: <1111720126.910762.155610@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16322

I have available 2 GP68 VHF Portables (Used)

136-174 Mhz. 20 Channel. Field Programmable, 3 hour charger, Antenna,
Belt clip, Battery
For more info check

http://www.carolina-radio.com/vhf.html

For PHOTOS, check

http://www.carolina-radio.com/gp68vhf

1550. Best HT value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 04:16:30 UTC
From: John Harlow <johnharlow@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <mu-dnf-ONb2IDN7fRVn-jw@comcast.com>
Source record: 16323

I'm looking at a Kenwood TH-F6A and an Icom IC-T90A. I think the Kenwood is a bit better but of course $50 more.

Is there a better choice I might be overlooking?

P.S. I'd really like to find an airband TX as I'm a pilot too...

1551. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST Stereo Shotgun Mike $12:-(

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 04:26:46 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <cqM0e.8938$DO6.91@fe09.lga>
Source record: 16324
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

They came from a studio that closed down, locally.
Sold 4 mikes so far, 2-AT835ST & 2-AT815ST, no problems & no complaints
either. I am not a Stereo head but they were quickly tested & are fine.
Matter of fact, they went for over $225 & not as nice as this one.
If you look at the audia-techinca mikes on line, even they have no tags that
I can see, only a white tag to show the positions of the little slide
switch's!
What more can I say to you Doubters?

"PTRAVEL" <ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net...
>
> "C.J.Patten" <cjpatten@KNOWSPAMrogers.com> wrote in message
> news:G8idna1qdPaV_KHfRVn-pg@rogers.com...
>> Any thoughts on this auction guys? It's an expensive mic being auctioned
>> for next to nothing.
>>
>> Untested as-is - do these things break frequently or is it a good bet it
>> still works?
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>
> From the Ebay listing:
>
> "This Stereo Microphone sure looks & measures like this Audio Technica
> model AT835ST.
>
> Best of all, it's LIKE-NEW:-)
>
> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it &
> its exactly like the spec sheet."
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> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?
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>> "RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote in message
>> news:xDW_d.20675$o52.2420@fe12.lga...
>>> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=41466&item=7308970902&rd=1
>>>
>>> Plus Much more stuff here>

>>> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZmyradioroom
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1552. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 04:29:16 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <wsM0e.8939$zO6.6907@fe09.lga>
Source record: 16325
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

"Let me know if you hear complaints from ebay concerning your Usenet
abuse/spamming x-postd
shite, fatboy."

A Jack-ass in every crowd that knows NOT how to use a filter but likes to
Whine-alot.

"Scan da bands" <RK22@msn.com> wrote in message
news:42403ae8$0$23343$8f2e0ebb@news.shared-secrets.com...
> Let me know if you hear complaints from ebay concerning your Usenet
> abuse/spamming x-postd
> shite, fatboy.
>>
> "RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote in message
> news:85X%d.4286$de4.1794@fe10.lga...
>> If thats the case, I would have heard complaints from the previous 6
>> winners who gave many Kudos for getting a great mike for <1/4 of the
>> value.
>> I think they should be aware of "chicken Littles" like you who know NOT
>> what they speak off!
>>
>> "OFFICIAL RAM BLUEBOOK VALUATION" <nowhere@nowhere.com> wrote in message
>> news:BE633581.23607%nowhere@fe05.buzzardnews.com...
>>> In article 3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net, "PTRAVEL"
>>> <ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote:
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>>>> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it
>>>> & its
>>>> exactly like the spec sheet."
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>>>> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?
>>>
>>> It's a counterfeit.
>>>
>>> Probably sourced from known counterfeiters SOUND EMPORIUM, known
>>> scammers.
>>>
>>> RIPOFF ALERT!
>>>
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1553. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 04:39:47 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42439609.D4D1E2B8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16326

John Franklin wrote:
>
> Get a Collins KWM-2..... THEY have meters and
> knobs.....and TUBES TOO!

No thanks, the last transmitter I took care of was a 130 KW Comark UHF TV transmitter with the antenna on a 1749 foot tower and it had a 5 MW ERP from Orange City, Florida. I prefer working on high end receivers and their design problems but I had to leave the business due to health problems. This was my last project: http://www.l-3com.com/te/PDF/Microdyne/RCB-2000.pdf I worked as an engineering tech to help move it from hand built prototypes to the production floor.
It sold for about $80,000 when I left Microdyne.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1554. Re: Yaesu VX-2R memory and battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 05:20:48 UTC
From: nana <nana@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <3ahldkF6cc1srU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16327

"Bruce W.1" <no@email.com> wrote in message news:gJK0e.10668>
> My queston is, what sort of internal battery maintains the VX-2R memory?
> And how long will it last without the main battery? Might my internal
> battery now be dead? If the internal battery is also Li-ion then it's
> probably best to not store it in the refrigerator if there is a small
> load.
>
> Bruce AF8F

It probably doesn't have an internal battery but more likely a 1F capacitor or similar, so you will need to keep the batteries charged (for this you must remove it from the fridge) or the memory cap may go flat in a week or two. Once the battery pack is charged, it may also take a few days for the memory cap to fully recharge too.

Couldn't you find a bigger room for your shack?

Nana

1555. Re: impromptu dipole

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 05:22:18 UTC
From: tom <cyberhun@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <eeN0e.773137$Xk.435678@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 16328

I just got the rig all set up a few minutes ago with a vertical groundplane --- a design I chose because it obviated the need for any kind of matching due to it's intrinsic, unbalanced 50 ohms impedance. Works like a charm too, thanks to everyone for all the excellent advice, its very much appreciated.

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73
Tom
VA7FAB
Skype Name:
va7fab_tom_in_vancouver

1556. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 05:49:36 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <he9741hqgaes51tkgcu9lmsjr94dmq6345@4ax.com>
Source record: 16329

>Curious;
>Where would you want the dimmer control to be located on your ideal 706?
>If you say as another layer to some menu function, well, that's where it
>is now, and even the unit powers down during the process, the eeprom is
>non-volatile so nothing is lost, or is it the slight pop you hear in the
>speaker when powering down?
>Like I say, just curious, I like mine a lot, but it's still new, and
>maybe time will jade my fondness. <g>

I would like it to be in the menus while in operation. I know it
would add depth to the menu, but i find it ridiculous that I have to
turn the rig off when I want a brightener display or not. I usually
leave it on dim but there are times I prefer the display light off and
then on when I want to use it. and back off again. However, i
recently ran across a situation where I wanted to brighten it for a
short while. If I am in QSO, I don't want to turn the rig off and on
again. I can't hear very well with the receiver turned off.

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

1557. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 05:49:59 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <mj9741t9cd98fuupaqdgmaccvjet1mn559@4ax.com>
Source record: 16330

>Curious;
>Where would you want the dimmer control to be located on your ideal 706?
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>is now, and even the unit powers down during the process, the eeprom is
>non-volatile so nothing is lost, or is it the slight pop you hear in the
>speaker when powering down?
>Like I say, just curious, I like mine a lot, but it's still new, and
>maybe time will jade my fondness. <g>

PS I have the MK II, not G version.

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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

1558. Re: Best HT value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 06:32:53 UTC
From: Howard <mensch90249@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <89b7411ovckkdjkljsgokolp4an2fa018k@4ax.com>
Source record: 16331

On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 23:16:30 -0500, "John Harlow"
<johnharlow@gmail.com> wrote:

>I'm looking at a Kenwood TH-F6A and an Icom IC-T90A. I think the Kenwood is
>a bit better but of course $50 more.
>
>Is there a better choice I might be overlooking?
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>P.S. I'd really like to find an airband TX as I'm a pilot too...
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Yaesu makes (or at least made at one time) the VXA-700 which is 2
meter & airband, it shows up on the AES site but not on the Yaesu site
.... isn't a bargain either at $420!
AES: http://www.aesham.com/index.html

As to the TH-F6 it is a decent handheld, though don't expect much from
the HF receive. It does allow you to monitor two bands at a time and
that can be a plus - not familiar with the Icom to offer any useful
comments. Also, the TH-F6 it is a bit more prone to intermod than
either the Yaesu FT-50 that I used to use (and keep as a backup).
It is hard to compare the Kenwood and Icom in that the former offers
220 mHz and the later 6 meters - not quite apples to apples
comparison. Given that difference, I'd look at which of those 2 bands
(6 meters vs 220 mHz) has more activity in your area and let that
drive your choice. I've owned & used products from Kenwood, Yaesu and
Icom and have been satisfied with all - each one does have it's own
quirks in regard to how they get programmed, default step sizes etc.

Hope that provides some help,
Howard

1559. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 14:27:11 UTC
From: John Harlow <johnharlow@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <19WdneC_w9ervdnfRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 16332

> The highway patrol is gonna frown on that 17" monitor up on the
> dashboard.

...if they notice it over the monitor on their OWN dashboard.

1560. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 14:41:39 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <DqV0e.8317$S46.1927@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16333

I worked in broadcasting too..........got tired of the heat from the big jugs in the xmitter. He said he didn't like LCD..........would he prefer LEDS that consume MORE current? I always liked the Collins r-390A recvr, good box.

John

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message news:42439609.D4D1E2B8@earthlink.net...
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> http://www.l-3com.com/te/PDF/Microdyne/RCB-2000.pdf I worked as an
> engineering tech to help move it from hand built prototypes to the
> production floor.
> It sold for about $80,000 when I left Microdyne.
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> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

1561. FA Collins like amp, TenTec Paragon II, More

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 15:26:14 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <m4W0e.5187$Dz4.4006@okepread01>
Source record: 16334

Please see my auctions ending Sunday for a Collins look alike amp, the Henry
2KD-2, a very nice TenTec Paragon II station, a Kenwood KB-1 knob,
a Kenwood SP-520 Speaker, and a couple of Gonset converters from the 1950s.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug

1562. Re: Best HT value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 15:43:48 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d225jc$25o7$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16343

Gee, I'm still using an FT-530. I have replaced the knobs, antenna and about 4 battery packs (all still available) and did some maint on it. It was a good deal at roughly $230 just before being discontinued. They are probably very cheap now and have the neat feature of not having to sharpen your lil' pinkie to use the keypad. Speaker is kind of small (aren't they all now) but if that's a problem, get a big commercial HT.

Years ago, real hams made bids on old HT-200s and rebuilt them to get on the air. The really fortunate found HT-220's in good condition. My first "HT" was a packset that required several batteries to power the tube transmitter. After replacing the Transmitter strip with a VHF Engineering kit board, it could go anywhere and go weeks on a set of batteries. There was even room for extra pencils, paper and Logbooks in the battery tray.

I would suggest for starters, join ARRL and check out the QST product reviews on their website:
http://www.arrl.org/tis/ and look at the many ham ads.

PS You wont find airband TX anywhere in a ham radio. If you NEED an airband radio, get one. You don't scrimp on AV gas do you? There may be some that will work in the ham band. There are portable Airband radios that will do everything from GPS to ILS.

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> Icom and have been satisfied with all - each one does have it's own
> quirks in regard to how they get programmed, default step sizes
etc.
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> Hope that provides some help,
> Howard

1563. (",) Do You Want To Know For Sure You Are Going To Heaven?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 15:46:23 UTC
From: Ron038655@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111765583.808805.145530@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16335

http://www.want-to-be-sure.blogspot.com << Click On Link

1564. Re: Yaesu VX-2R memory and battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 18:35:13 UTC
From: "Bruce W.1" <no@email.com>
Message-ID: <BRY0e.10943$ZB6.6588@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16336

nana wrote:
>
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> or similar, so you will need to keep the batteries charged (for this you
> must remove it from the fridge) or the memory cap may go flat in a week or
> two. Once the battery pack is charged, it may also take a few days for the
> memory cap to fully recharge too.
>
> Couldn't you find a bigger room for your shack?
>
> Nana
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You're probably right about the capacitor.

This radio has 1300 memories. Rather than go thru its conventional
programming process again I decided to make an interface cable to my PC
and program it with Commander software:
http://www.kc8unj.com/index.html

Thanks.

1565. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 18:37:08 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42445A3D.C2C288FF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16337

John Franklin wrote:
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> jugs in the xmitter. He said he didn't like LCD..........would he prefer
> LEDS that consume MORE current? I always liked the Collins r-390A recvr,
> good box.
>
> John

I worked around a 5 MW ERP TV station, No heat problems working on the 130 KW Comark transmitter but it was a royal pain to flush the cooling system and refill the antifreeze every year. Truck loads of distilled bottled water in five gallon bottles because the well water at the site was so hard. We used a cleaner called Tyglos (sp) to remove any scaling from the plumbing but we had to keep it out of the three 65 KW Klystrons. We had to drain the system, disconnect the tubes and bypass them then flush the system. I bought some fiberglass duct board to put around the heat exchanger and used a "Salamander" heater to bring the system up to normal temperature so the cleaner would work.

I have a National NC-183R on the bench right now to rebuild. Its a better radio than either of the Radio Shack DX-300 or DX-375 radios but I can't use it when the power lines are down after a hurricane. So, I keep the DX-375 and a Sony SRF-49 around for the hurricane season.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1566. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 18:42:47 UTC
From: John Franklin <jpfrank@peoplepc.com>
Message-ID: <HYY0e.3704$z.2981@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16338

That's why my wife and I left Florida, last years 4 hurricanes were more
that too much!

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:42445A3D.C2C288FF@earthlink.net...
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>
> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

1567. Part for Motorola Deviation Meter Solved! 85L52

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 19:05:20 UTC
From: WA9FVP <willco788@ameritech.net>
Message-ID: <1111777520.089600.57110@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16339

For more than a year I was searching the Internat for an obsolete IC that's used in a Motorola S1344AAB Frequency Counter/Auto Tune Deviation Meter. The Motorola part number 51-80329A60 is actually a DM85L52 manufactuerd by National Semiconductor (the IC is stamped 528 055178). I was able to get the data sheet from a friend that had an old NS data book from the early 80's. The part is a decade counter/latch with tristate outputs and will cause readout or counting problems or an incorrect frequency display. The counter also uses a DM85L51 that crosses to a 74LS173.

In the early 70's the unit was Manufactured by Systron Donner for Motorola. Systron Donner's model number was SLN6407A-75. They also manufactured a frequency counter model 6252 that's identical to the counter section of the 1344AAB. Other SD frequency counters, like the 6250 or 6202 use the same part.

If your looking for that part and you don't want to spend hundreds of dollars buying a minimum quantity from a surplus dealer, Look for any of the above SD models on Ebay. If your lucky and get one for about $25, cannibalize it for parts.

Jack
WA9FVP

1568. test1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 20:52:59 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <LS_0e.455992$w62.73551@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16340

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1569. FA:807,813,VT-4-C,45,46 +Mullard +MO..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 20:59:41 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <1Z_0e.8175$cg1.6147@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16341
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

See these tubes and other items at the address below. More tubes, parts, radios coming soon:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Check back often or place this address in your 'favorites', tnx Heytubeguy

1570. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-25 21:37:36 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42448498.17BFDAC2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16342

John Franklin wrote:
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> > Michael A. Terrell
> > Central Florida

I'm old, sick and on disability so I'd rather take my chances than go
through the stress of moving again. I'm here till I die.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1571. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 00:45:48 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <1149c5upu4k0qb8@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16344

Here, here or hear, hear (never did know the right spelling for that)
but, hear,here...I too am too old and disabled to move from this
precious gulf coast, BUT, I won't have a green, or blue, or damn near
red LCD on any rig/receiver in my house when I'm found dead in it.

Butch said that

Michael A. Terrell wrote:
> John Franklin wrote:
>
>> That's why my wife and I left Florida, last years 4 hurricanes were more
>>that too much!
>>
>>"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
>>news:42445A3D.C2C288FF@earthlink.net...
>>
>>>John Franklin wrote:
>>>
>>> I have a National NC-183R on the bench right now to rebuild. Its a
>>>better radio than either of the Radio Shack DX-300 or DX-375 radios but
>>>I can't use it when the power lines are down after a hurricane. So, I
>>>keep the DX-375 and a Sony SRF-49 around for the hurricane season.
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>>>Michael A. Terrell
>>>Central Florida
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>
> I'm old, sick and on disability so I'd rather take my chances than go
> through the stress of moving again. I'm here till I die.
>

1572. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 01:29:14 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3ajs79F6bklm8U1@individual.net>
Source record: 16345
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Scsii CD changer.
No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

1573. Am I the only one still useing the AZDEN PCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 01:42:04 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0503251540330.29972@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 16346

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am I the only one left who still uses the AZDEN pcs3000 for base
station use on VHF (2meters)????
Joe

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* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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1574. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 02:55:26 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <ya41e.1518$Go4.57@trnddc05>
Source record: 16347

no,

you are not alone. LCD displays and seemingly endless sub menus have kept me from purchasing newer gear.

the most hi tech piece of gear in the shack here is a kenwood ts-940 and a ts-711-a. other than that, it has tubes in it. one rig i regret selling is the kenwood ts-830. simplicity at it's finest. it's all on the front panel.

i have listened several times on 75 meters to people "tuning" the modern rigs. mostly, the yeasu ft-1000 whatever series. it must be my poor ears because i can not tell that much of a difference on ssb from the newer stuff to the older. kenwoods have always had great ssb audio. but if i am in the mood to listen to great audio, i tune in the 80 meter AM crowd and listen to them on my hammarlund receiver.

everyone's millage varies, i suppose. i had a chance to purchase a icom 756 pro for what i thought was a reasonable price. when i began researching the rig, i found that not only were the lcd screens prone to failure, you could not get replacement screens for them. too much of a crap shoot for me with people wanting 800 +/- for them.

i have several friends with lcd screen rigs. between the screen and the menus, i'd rather keep what i have.

best 73 mike ku4yp

1575. WTB 1998 CD ARRL Handbook

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 07:56:08 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <7w81e.67258$Q83.56400@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16248

WTB 1998 CD ARRL Handbook second CD Handbook released... good condition for reasonable price to complete a CD collection.

Reply here or at NOSPAM addy Thanks 73

WB9SMX@ARRL.NETNOSPAM

1576. Re: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 15:00:01 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <SNe1e.707$9D.590@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16249
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

"Hey fatboy, I'm tired of your cross-posted spam. I will now report every
one
of your abusive spam posts to ebay. Say buh-bye to your account, tubby."

So what you are saying, you retarded nut that has nothing better to do is
that ONLY MY POSTS ARE SPAM?
But the others are not?

"Scan da bands" <RK22@msn.com> wrote in message
news:42403a5d$0$19489$8f2e0ebb@news.shared-secrets.com...
> Hey fatboy, I'm tired of your cross-posted spam. I will now report every
> one of your abusive spam posts to ebay. Say buh-bye to your account,
> tubby.
>>
> "RICH-WA2RQY" <wa2rqy@optonline.net> wrote in message
> news:eYW%d.4232$Ed4.119@fe10.lga...
>> No Bids @ $10
>>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5761524102&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>>
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1577. Re: Best HT value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 15:42:54 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@TheObvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <um0b415qggqkf7ipjldr7uqgu4gtr0uvhs@4ax.com>
Source record: 16250

On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 23:16:30 -0500, "John Harlow"
<johnharlow@gmail.com> wrote:

>I'm looking at a Kenwood TH-F6A and an Icom IC-T90A. I think the Kenwood is
>a bit better but of course $50 more.
>
>Is there a better choice I might be overlooking?
>
>P.S. I'd really like to find an airband TX as I'm a pilot too...

I guess it depends if you want 220 or 6m. I went with the Yaesu FT-60.
2M, 440, 1000 channels $200.

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To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1578. Re: Am I the only one still useing the AZDEN PCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 16:03:30 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <mr1b415lurtqbta2hu5q4nb10iumbq9gm2@4ax.com>
Source record: 16251

I have a friend who is using a 2000 as a base right now. He can't turn off the PS without losing the memory. He hasn't had much luck finding the battery so he can replace it nor can he find a service or users manual.

Buck
N4pgw

On Fri, 25 Mar 2005 15:42:04 -1000, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net> wrote:

>am I the only one left who still uses the AZDEN pcs3000 for base
>station use on VHF (2meters)????
> Joe
>
>
>**
>* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
>* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

1579. Re: Am I the only one still useing the AZDEN PCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 16:37:51 UTC
From: bob <noone@nowhere.org>
Message-ID: <Lcg1e.95646$vO1.590201@nnrp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 16252

Any battery of like-chemistry and voltage will do.

Buck wrote:
> I have a friend who is using a 2000 as a base right now. He can't
> turn off the PS without losing the memory. He hasn't had much luck
> finding the battery so he can replace it nor can he find a service or
> users manual.
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> Buck
> N4pgw
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> On Fri, 25 Mar 2005 15:42:04 -1000, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
> wrote:
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>
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>>station use on VHF (2meters)????
>> Joe
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>>* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
>>**
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1580. New group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 21:17:58 UTC
From: Mama Bear <MamaBear@NoSpam.noo>
Message-ID: <Xns9625917A03EFFMama@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 16253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Short_Wave-and-Amateur_Radio/

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- Mama Bear

1581. Nice Collins stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-26 22:09:49 UTC
From: herb <herbs@intergate.com>
Message-ID: <114bndiqj2l4gb9@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16254

http://www.electronicparts.homestead.com/

1582. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 01:23:58 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <kr1c415pulce80i3s5h122uieihdrmj65j@4ax.com>
Source record: 16255

On Thu, 24 Mar 2005 15:35:45 GMT, laofhdhforkjcvc@yahoo.com (Odd Ball)
wrote:

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>
> I just finished looking at the Tentec Orion, and I thought it was
>ugly. I did not care for the Icom computer screen radios, or the
>Kenwood orange LCD screen radios either. I want real knobs to turn,
>real buttons to push, and a real analog meter to look at.
> I sit in front of a computer all day at work. I don't want to look
>at another computer screen when I get home and turn on my ham radio.
>Am I the only one that thinks a radio should look like a radio, and
>not an over sized Palm Pilot with a mic jack and a coax connector?
>
>-OB

That's fine, do you want to pay twice as much for a radio? Knobs,
buttons, switches, potentiometers, analog meters, gear- or
string-driven frequency readouts, huge faceplates of finely sculptured
aluminum, etecetera, all cost boucoup money.

On the other hand, a few function switches, encoders and software
devices with an LCD readout is a lot cheaper.

An alternative is to buy old stuff off Ebay -- of course, you'll need
to know how to work on radios if you go that route...

Bob
k5qwg

1583. Re: Am I the only one still useing the AZDEN PCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 01:32:24 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d252f10a3s@news4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16258

I have an old PCS3000 -- at least I think that's the model number.

In June 2003 we sold our house and moved into an apartment. Then, in Jan 2005 we moved from NE TN to the Mississippi Gulf Coast and are building a house. As a result, all my gear is in storage except for a FT-857D in my truck -- so -- I don't recall the Azden model number.

But -- I do recall replacing the battery. I just unsoldered the dead NiCad and soldered in one of like voltage. Sort of tight space to work in but that's all it took.

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Joe S.

"Buck" <iam@this.site> wrote in message
news:mr1b415lurtqbta2hu5q4nb10iumbq9gm2@4ax.com...
>
> I have a friend who is using a 2000 as a base right now. He can't
> turn off the PS without losing the memory. He hasn't had much luck
> finding the battery so he can replace it nor can he find a service or
> users manual.
>
> Buck
> N4pgw
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> On Fri, 25 Mar 2005 15:42:04 -1000, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
> wrote:
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> >am I the only one left who still uses the AZDEN pcs3000 for base
> >station use on VHF (2meters)????
> > Joe
> >
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> >**
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> >* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
> >**
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> --
> 73 for now
> Buck
> N4PGW

1584. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 01:34:03 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d252i10a6v@news4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16257

Am I the only one who still likes radios with tubes and dial strings? And rectifiers that glow blue? And big ol' transformers that keep your coffee warm?

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Joe S.

"Odd Ball" <laofhdhforkjcvc@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:4242dcd4.66964830@127.0.0.1...
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>
> I just finished looking at the Tentec Orion, and I thought it was
> ugly. I did not care for the Icom computer screen radios, or the
> Kenwood orange LCD screen radios either. I want real knobs to turn,
> real buttons to push, and a real analog meter to look at.
> I sit in front of a computer all day at work. I don't want to look
> at another computer screen when I get home and turn on my ham radio.
> Am I the only one that thinks a radio should look like a radio, and
> not an over sized Palm Pilot with a mic jack and a coax connector?
>
> -OB
>

1585. Re: Best HT value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 01:50:25 UTC
From: K3SLS <k.3.s.l.s@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <Bjo1e.68421$wl4.1986475@twister.southeast.rr.com>
Source record: 16256

Check here:

http://www.vertexstandard.com/indexVS.cfm?cmd=DisplayProducts&ProdCatID=204&ProdID=18&DivisionID=2

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73 de K3SLS/FM03qu/EchoLink 55379

"John Harlow" <johnharlow@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:mu-dnf-ONb2IDN7fRVn-jw@comcast.com...
> I'm looking at a Kenwood TH-F6A and an Icom IC-T90A. I think the
> Kenwood is
> a bit better but of course $50 more.
>
> Is there a better choice I might be overlooking?
>
> P.S. I'd really like to find an airband TX as I'm a pilot too...
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>
>

1586. Icom 2200H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 02:44:13 UTC
From: stonegroundwords@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111891453.225608.108900@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16259

Anyone out there own one of these radios? If so, what has been your experience with it? Thanks. Mac

1587. Re: Best HT value?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 03:21:09 UTC
From: John Harlow <johnharlow@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <ydidnQvsubKButvfRVn-qw@comcast.com>
Source record: 16260

John Harlow wrote:
> I'm looking at a Kenwood TH-F6A and an Icom IC-T90A. I think the
> Kenwood is a bit better but of course $50 more.
>
> Is there a better choice I might be overlooking?
>
> P.S. I'd really like to find an airband TX as I'm a pilot too...

Thanks all for the input. After much consideration, I've decided to go with the TH-F6A and keep my old IC-A3 in my flight bag.

1588. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 03:30:22 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9625C6ECEEE40spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 16261

> Am I the only one who still likes radios with tubes and dial strings?
> And rectifiers that glow blue? And big ol' transformers that keep
> your coffee warm?
>

I get all nostalgic over those, too, but I really don't miss burnt
fingers and the threat of sudden death while working around them, anymore.

:^)

Ed

1589. fa test do not read

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 04:27:15 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <DCq1e.1684$vd.493@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 16262

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.
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1590. The Greatest News Ever!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 05:02:16 UTC
From: Ron_Grossi_038@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111899736.899971.157960@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16263

http://www.jcil.blogspot.com << The Greatest News Ever!

1591. Re: Icom 2200H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 14:58:55 UTC
From: DL7JSK <truckdrivingman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d26hnf$t4i$05$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 16264

Hi
I had the 2100H,was a wonderful radio.Except additional digital stuff,the
2200 is nearly identical to the 2100.I would highly recommend this radio

73
Tom

<stonegroundwords@yahoo.com> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
news:1111891453.225608.108900@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Anyone out there own one of these radios? If so, what has been your
> experience with it? Thanks. Mac
>

1592. FA: Many Nice Radio Items ENDING TONITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 16:01:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nPA1e.9851$FL3.5569@fe09.lga>
Source record: 16265
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Here they all are, way to much stuff to list, all are nice & clean with Nice Pics, no Dark, fuzzy, non-descript pics.
Happy Holidays!
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1593. Re: The Greatest News Ever!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 17:32:16 UTC
From: John <ac5tx@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <A6C1e.4076$yq2.652@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16266

Jesus said "He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved" Mark 16:15
<Ron_Grossi_038@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1111899736.899971.157960@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.jcil.blogspot.com << The Greatest News Ever!
>

1594. Re: Icom 2200H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 17:41:00 UTC
From: stonegroundwords@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111945260.917998.111020@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16267

The thing is, look at the Icom brochures on the 2100, the 2200, and the V8000. The ONLY one that mentions stable even at high duty cycles is the 2100. Some have had trouble with the V8000 finals and there is only one review on the 2200 posted on www.eham.net, so it is hard to know if the 2200 is going to be a good one. I know Icom fixed the problem with the early 2100s and the newer ones have that fix. These are the ones that have the 133 mic, called the 2100H 25N. Even though that one is now being discontinued, I may just go with it. I had a V8000 recently that had RFI problems due to computers and I sent it back for a different rig. Not a good thing with computers in the shack and the cars these days.

1595. RF control on R-392

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 20:38:45 UTC
From: moody1951@aol.com
Message-ID: <1111955925.323790.207940@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16268

My RF control pot doesn't control the RF gain anymore. Do you think it's a bad potentioneter or failure to get AGC? Please help.

Reggie

1596. INFO WANTED:Regency Counter EC-175

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 21:05:57 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <VeF1e.468849$w62.288683@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16269

Anyone have ANY info on this counter,pse advise, tnx heytubeguy

Also at WS&#65533;E via ARRL

1597. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 21:16:26 UTC
From: SR <gumby@nospam.dammit.com>
Message-ID: <Ts2dnZcKGbolv9rfRVn-tA@giganews.com>
Source record: 16270

And the neophyte asked...

Blue glow? I thought all vacuum tubes glowed orange at best. What's
happening to cause the tube to run so hot?

SR

"Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in message
news:d252i10a6v@news4.newsguy.com...
> Am I the only one who still likes radios with tubes and dial strings? And
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> Joe S.
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1598. Re: Am I the only one still useing the AZDEN PCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 21:38:04 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0503271133380.18086@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 16271

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**************************************************
* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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On Sat, 26 Mar 2005, Joe S. wrote:

> I have an old PCS3000 -- at least I think that's the model number.
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> In June 2003 we sold our house and moved into an apartment. Then, in Jan
> 2005 we moved from NE TN to the Mississippi Gulf Coast and are building a
> house. As a result, all my gear is in storage except for a FT-857D in my
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>> N4PGW

The PCS3000 did'nt have any Nicad inside it. It had a tiny
2 pin plug that you powered via your 12v dc supply which in turn
kept any of the freqcys you put in its 8 chnls in memory.
so we must be talkin about another AZDEN
Joe

1599. Re: New group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 22:10:51 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <LbG1e.24558$191.20548@trnddc02>
Source record: 16272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Not another....sigh

Mama Bear wrote:

> http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Short_Wave-and-Amateur_Radio/
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>

1600. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 22:30:28 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <StG1e.67555$7z6.58474@lakeread04>
Source record: 16273

Some of the old rectifiers had a blue glow to them.

SR wrote:
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I have never met a liberal street cop.

1601. Re: Am I the only one still useing the AZDEN PCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-27 23:08:00 UTC
From: restamp@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <k1H1e.21360$rL3.17720@fe2.columbus.rr.com>
Source record: 16274

In article <Pine.BSI.4.61.0503271133380.18086@malasada.lava.net>,
Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net> wrote:
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>On Sat, 26 Mar 2005, Joe S. wrote:
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>> "Buck" <iam@this.site> wrote in message
>> news:mr1b415lurtqbta2hu5q4nb10iumbq9gm2@4ax.com...
>>
>>> On Fri, 25 Mar 2005 15:42:04 -1000, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
>>> wrote:
>>>
>>>> am I the only one left who still uses the AZDEN pcs3000 for base
>>>> station use on VHF (2meters)????
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>>> I have a friend who is using a 2000 as a base right now. He can't
>>> turn off the PS without losing the memory. He hasn't had much luck
>>> finding the battery so he can replace it nor can he find a service or
>>> users manual.
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>> I have an old PCS3000 -- at least I think that's the model number.
>>
>> In June 2003 we sold our house and moved into an apartment. Then, in Jan
>> 2005 we moved from NE TN to the Mississippi Gulf Coast and are building a
>> house. As a result, all my gear is in storage except for a FT-857D in my
>> truck -- so -- I don't recall the Azden model number.
>>
>> But -- I do recall replacing the battery. I just unsoldered the dead NiCad
>> and soldered in one of like voltage. Sort of tight space to work in but
>> that's all it took.
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>2 pin plug that you powered via your 12v dc supply which in turn
>kept any of the freqcys you put in its 8 chnls in memory.
>so we must be talkin about another AZDEN

According to my manual (and the empirical evidence, although I
have never replaced it): "The content of memory stored by the
user is backed up by the nickel-cadmium battery..." It's listed
elsewhere as being a 4.8V battery, so it's probably four cells.
They must have used a good one, too, as mine still holds a
charge as long as it is used regularly.

The old PCS3000 is a quirky rig, but it sure has a sensitive
front end, even after all these years.

Rob

1602. Re: Icom 2200H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 00:59:06 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <uFI1e.6145$H06.3219@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16275

<stonegroundwords@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1111945260.917998.111020@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
> The thing is, look at the Icom brochures on the 2100, the 2200, and the
> V8000. The ONLY one that mentions stable even at high duty cycles is
> the 2100. Some have had trouble with the V8000 finals and there is
> only one review on the 2200 posted on www.eham.net, so it is hard to
> know if the 2200 is going to be a good one. I know Icom fixed the
> problem with the early 2100s and the newer ones have that fix. These
> are the ones that have the 133 mic, called the 2100H 25N. Even though
> that one is now being discontinued, I may just go with it. I had a
> V8000 recently that had RFI problems due to computers and I sent it
> back for a different rig. Not a good thing with computers in the shack
> and the cars these days.

Have been running an IC-2100H at full output as packet
link radio for a couple years. Works fine.

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

1603. R-1051/URR TECHNICAL MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 01:05:30 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <114em2mtekcquf5@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16276

FOR SALE

Technical Manual/Maintenance Instructions (Volume I)
for Radio Receiver, R-1051/URR dtd 01 MAR 1977

NSN: NAVELEX 0967-LP-970-9010

CONTENTS

Section 1: General Information
Section 2: Operation (Contained in Vol. II, NAVELEX
0967-LP-970-9020, not part of this sale)
Section 3: Functional Description
Section 4: Troubleshooting
Section 5: Maintenance
Section 6: Parts List
Section 7: Installation
Illustrations: Includes functional block and schematic
diagrams.

Condition: Very good, a pencil note here and there,
includes blue vinyl front and back covers.

Price: $30.00 - includes shipping via U.S. Mail to
addressees in the lower 48 states.

Terms: U.S. Postal Money Order

Return Policy: No returns on this item.

Contact: Bob Carter, W5BTC dc2light@radix.net

1604. Re: Am I the only one still useing the AZDEN PCS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 01:48:19 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d27non0127t@news2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16278

Maybe it's not a 3000 -- I really don't recall -- all I know is that I unsoldered or cut the leads or somehow removed a NiCad similar to the ones used in early computers and replaced it with one that had longer leads so it would be easy to replace next time.

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"Joseph Fenn" <jfenn@lava.net> wrote in message
news:Pine.BSI.4.61.0503271133380.18086@malasada.lava.net...
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> * Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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> 2 pin plug that you powered via your 12v dc supply which in turn
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> so we must be talkin about another AZDEN
> Joe
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1605. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 01:49:46 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d27nrd0129n@news2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16279

"nitespark" <nitespark@cox.net> wrote in message
news:StG1e.67555$7z6.58474@lakeread04...
> Some of the old rectifiers had a blue glow to them.

And they flickered as you talked because the current load on the power supply changed with the modulation -- sort of like an aurora display right there on the floor. On the floor because the power supply was too damn heavy to sit on the desk.

Modulation is a whole 'nother thread.

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> > And the neophyte asked...
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1606. FA: AM-FM BROADCASTING - Equipment, Operations and Maintenance - A Howard Sams Book

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 02:00:43 UTC
From: Tara <tng@tttnghjeru8s.com>
Message-ID: <270320052100437345%tng@tttnghjeru8s.com>
Source record: 16277
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4539213503

1607. Re: Icom 2200H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 02:35:43 UTC
From: stonegroundwords@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1111977343.530181.249920@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16280

Thanks Hank. I just wonder if the 2200 is that strong.
Mac

1608. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 09:17:07 UTC
From: Bruce Fletcher <r1card1an@bt1nternet.c0m>
Message-ID: <d28i2j$9tb$2@hercules.btinternet.com>
Source record: 16281

nitespark wrote:
> Some of the old rectifiers had a blue glow to them.

Mercury arc rectifiers? A bit large for domestic use!
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Bruce Fletcher
Stronsay, Orkney UK
<www.stronsay.co.uk/claremont>

1609. The Greatest News Ever!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 09:21:24 UTC
From: Ron_Grossi_038@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1112001684.626395.275690@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16282

http://www.jcil.blogspot.com << The Greatest News Ever!

1610. Can you help Id this wooden radio from 1920/30's please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 10:43:48 UTC
From: gettapart4u@ntlworld.com
Message-ID: <EdR1e.155$_I5.53@newsfe5-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 16283

Hi thank you for looking
I need some help to identify a radio. I can't find a name badge.
It appears almost complete and we may sell it as a restoration project or
break it and sell the bits
Any help will be appreciated.
www.nqrp.co.uk

1611. Re: FS: Motorola Programming Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 14:10:06 UTC
From: Bill <Bill@birchnet.demon.co.uk>
Message-ID: <f1zScZNtABSCFwzx@birchnet.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 16284

In message <mqn5419rp2c2oqprnpeqjhg1an9adu35pb@4ax.com>, Evan Platt
<evan@TheObvious.espphotography.com> writes
>On 23 Mar 2005 14:20:51 -0800, "Carolina Radio"
><sales@carolina-radio.com> wrote:
>
>>Tired of trying to use your older software on those new Windows XP, USB
>>and fast computers?
>
>A Motorola dealer selling a laptop full of Motorola RSS?
>
>A soon to be out of business Motorola dealer...

I just bought a compilation CD of even more Motorola software from a guy
on Ebay UK, it was nicely produced, even to the comment "This is for
your own use and not for resale - it must not be duplicated in any way"
Our local Motorola reps reply was not repeatable here!!!!!!!!!! This
was passed to their legal department and I've not seen the guy selling
anything since, Motorola or otherwise.

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Bill

1612. Re: Am I the only one that does'nt like LCD screen ham radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 15:30:59 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <7mV1e.77259$Q83.42612@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16285

BTW they have a news group rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors just for the "ol
ways" folks.
Good luck sparky

1613. FA Microwave Klystrons

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 16:58:16 UTC
From: Sanie <spamless@spamnot.com>
Message-ID: <3aqrcjF6df1fpU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16286

Microwave Klystrons NOS have 3 up for sale
They gotta go,

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=97198&item=7504225473&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1614. Kenwood TH-F6/F7 - UHF band MOSFET fried - need component location info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-28 19:47:45 UTC
From: StuartA <nospam.g3sna@sjatech.com>
Message-ID: <42485f60$0$8741$db0fefd9@news.zen.co.uk>
Source record: 16287

Hi,

Can anyone help me? I seem to have fried the MOSFET that drives the UHF band (265 - 600MHz)receive circuit - I accidently transmited on 446Mhz with high power on my extended Tx modded HT. My TH-F7 is fine on the LF bands and on VHF but it is now very deaf on UHF - 430MHz. I have read elsewhere that the transistor can be replaced with a CF739 and I have managed to obtain a couple of these devices. My problem is - how do I locate this transistor?

Looking at the schematic it looks like Q62 is the device I need to change. Can anyone show me on a diagram or photo where this transistor is on the PCB? The TH-F6 and TH-F7 are basically the same so info for the TH-F6 will probably help me.

Many thanks in advance - I'm sure somebody must have this info but I have not managed to find it by myself.

73 de Stuart G3SNA g3sna@msn.com

1615. Heath Cantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 00:33:07 UTC
From: Paul and Linda Cooper <plcooper@starband.net>
Message-ID: <80611$4248a20d$943f94d8$24098@STARBAND.NET>
Source record: 16288

WTB Heath Cantenna, no oil.

1616. FA:Telrex Beam info:20M,15M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 00:42:57 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <lw12e.475883$w62.404692@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio,amateur.homebrew

Info just posted on TELREX beams: 20M326,326B,536, 15M312 + take a look at other stuff too. Have more TELREX antenna information coming as well:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, Heytubeguy

1617. PK-232 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 03:17:34 UTC
From: Topaz305RK <k7sam@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <wb-dndUpZZPjVdXfRVn-iQ@vnet-inc.com>
Source record: 16290

Posting this for a friend.

He has an old AEA PK-232 unit and a new computer with Windows XP. He is wondering what software folks are using to run this unit, if anyone still is. Any info would be greatly appreciated.

Sam - K7SAM

1618. Re: The Greatest News Ever!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 04:20:01 UTC
From: John <ac5tx@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <RH42e.4365$yq2.2609@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16291

For as many of you as were baptized into Christ did put on Christ,
Galatians 3:27
<Ron_Grossi_038@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1112001684.626395.275690@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.jcil.blogspot.com << The Greatest News Ever!
>

1619. 35Amp/12v Transformer wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 05:25:48 UTC
From: Karl Shoemaker <wa7ycp@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <4248E6DC.F042C78D@yahoo.com>
Source record: 16292

The vender (Hosfelt) ran out of these nice power transformers and I'd like to get at least one more. The part numbers on the transformer is: 430-7001-4, EIA 6-9534, CLASS 180 H1 MEXICO. They are about 4 1/2" x 4", etc.

wa7ycp@yahoo.com if you have a lead.

Thanks !!

1620. FS TenTec Paragon II Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 05:58:50 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <i862e.7309$Dz4.3531@okepread01>
Source record: 16293

If you have been looking for a very clean Ten Tec Paragon II station, here is a nice one. The station consists of the Paragon II transceiver with the AM and 2.4 SSB filters, the matching Ten Tec 962 Power Supply, and the Ten Tec 705 microphone. This equipment is in very fine shape and includes the original shipping boxes and the original manual for the Paragon II and the original factory brochure for the Paragon II.

The equipment is in very good cosmetic condition. There are a few very small scratches on the cabinets and trim rings, but nothing serious. The equipment works great. SSB audio is fantastic on receive, and I get great audio reports on SSB transmissions. It appears to meet all factory specifications. The transceiver operates on CW, SSB, AM, and FM. It puts out 100 watts. The equipment has been in a smoke free environment. I don't believe you will be disappointed in this gear. Digital pictures available upon request. Price is $1450 for the complete station plus shipping.

Thanks, Charlie Hugg

1621. Re: Heath Cantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 06:40:49 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <3_b2e.72012$c72.9881@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16199

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40067&item=5762849778&rd=1

"Paul and Linda Cooper" <plcooper@starband.net> wrote in message
news:80611$4248a20d$943f94d8$24098@STARBAND.NET...
> WTB Heath Cantenna, no oil.

1622. Re: The Greatest News Ever!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 08:00:20 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <a5ydnZr34KmAltTfRVn-gw@comcast.com>
Source record: 16294

John wrote:
> For as many of you as were baptized into Christ did put on Christ,
> Galatians 3:27

Would you give it a rest already? Unless Jesus has some radio equipment
he needs help with, this is way off topic.

1623. Re: PK-232 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 08:05:18 UTC
From: Maurice ON4BAM <on4bam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <ht2i411l0e6p6c5qrmhgmh6b3skkearei7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16295

On Mon, 28 Mar 2005 20:17:34 -0700, "Topaz305RK" <k7sam@arrl.net>
wrote:

>He has an old AEA PK-232 unit and a new computer with Windows XP. He is
>wondering what software folks are using to run this unit, if anyone still
>is. Any info would be greatly appreciated.

PK-232's are still used a lot.
For packet I use AGW with UIview (APRS) or Winpack (packet)

Other modes can be worked with http://www.cssincorp.com/pkterm/
The PK-232 can even, be upgraded with todays digital modes
http://www.timewave.com

Bye Maurice
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Hamradio: ON4BAM / M0CIL / 9H3Z http://www.on4bam.com/
Travelstories from Alaska, Scotland, South Africa,Iceland,
Faroe Isl., Australia, Norway, Svalbard and IOTA activations

1624. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 08:49:27 UTC
From: OFFICIAL RAM BLUEBOOK VALUATION <nowhere@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <BE6F53B7.23968%nowhere@fe02.buzzardnews.com>
Source record: 16296
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

In article 3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net, "PTRAVEL"
<ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it & its
> exactly like the spec sheet."
>
> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?

It's a counterfeit.

Probably sourced from known counterfeiters SOUND EMPORIUM, known scammers.

RIPOFF ALERT!

1625. Re: FS TenTec Paragon II Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 11:16:29 UTC
From: Jim <K4SQR@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1112094989.403228.186990@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16297

Charlie;
One clarification should be made: the 6 Khz & 2.4 Khz filters were standard in the Paragon II; without the 2.4 filters the rig would not work!
GL from a long term Ten-Tec owner,
Jim

Charlie Hugg wrote:
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> Thanks, Charlie Hugg

1626. kenwood vfo 230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 12:36:15 UTC
From: fuse19@aol.com
Message-ID: <1112099775.251260.122640@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16198

any one know of a place that works on the kenwood vfo 230 this one got unplug when the reciver was turned on than it wouldn't work agn no led's lites up fuse is ok and voltage present inside maybe a 5volt reg. shorted ? it was working perfect before thanks del k9fcm

1627. FA:Orban 8000A FM Professional Broadcast Processor..Very Nice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 13:52:53 UTC
From: Ken <gold@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <42496A8F.2060708@nucleus.com>
Source record: 16200

Up for auction, with Low Low reserve, a Professional Orban 8000A
broadcast processors.
This unit would be perfect for a new LPFM start up or as a back-up
processor to your main unit in a larger broadcast station. See and bid at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=23793&item=7311692367
Thanks for l@@king!

1628. Yaesu FT 980 Mars Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 14:29:55 UTC
From: Murray Neece/ RadioRanch <radioranch@qth.com>
Message-ID: <114ipms3kluti95@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16201

Anyone know it or where to find it please? Thanks Murray

1629. Re: Heath Cantenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 14:48:57 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ukqi41pch6gu7fogqnteg43mggcljb9kst@4ax.com>
Source record: 16202

On Mon, 28 Mar 2005 16:33:07 -0800, Paul and Linda Cooper
<plcooper@starband.net> wrote:

>WTB Heath Cantenna, no oil.

See web sites for MFJ and Ameritron

bob
k5qwg

1630. Re: FS TenTec Paragon II Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 14:56:35 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <fpqi41lljka4t0q6953i8urkat678v5rfa@4ax.com>
Source record: 16203

On Mon, 28 Mar 2005 23:58:50 -0600, "Charlie Hugg"
<hug-a-bug1@cox.net> wrote:

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> Thanks, Charlie Hugg
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FYI, way over-priced. The Ten-Tec used/demo list from the factory has
used Omni VIs for less than you're asking for the older Paragon II

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k5qwg

1631. Re: PK-232 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 15:11:02 UTC
From: Dino Papas <kl0s@cox.net>
Message-ID: <kl0s-4310B6.10110229032005@news.east.cox.net>
Source record: 16204

Try:

http://www.glaswerks.com/xpware/

XPWare works very well with XP and the PK-232.

GL -- Dino KL0S/4

In article <ht2i411l0e6p6c5qrmhgmh6b3skkearei7@4ax.com>,
Maurice ON4BAM <on4bam@yahoo.com> wrote:

> On Mon, 28 Mar 2005 20:17:34 -0700, "Topaz305RK" <k7sam@arrl.net>
> wrote:
>
>
> >He has an old AEA PK-232 unit and a new computer with Windows XP. He is
> >wondering what software folks are using to run this unit, if anyone still
> >is. Any info would be greatly appreciated.
>
> PK-232's are still used a lot.
> For packet I use AGW with UIview (APRS) or Winpack (packet)
>
> Other modes can be worked with http://www.cssincorp.com/pkterm/
> The PK-232 can even, be upgraded with todays digital modes
> http://www.timewave.com
>
>
>
> Bye Maurice

1632. Re: Yaesu FT 980 Mars Mod?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:21:09 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <42498e88$0$7749@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 16205

http://www.mods.dk/

"Murray Neece/ RadioRanch" <radioranch@qth.com> wrote in message
news:114ipms3kluti95@corp.supernews.com...
> Anyone know it or where to find it please? Thanks Murray
>
>

1633. FA: US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS HEADPHONES-WWII > WM.J. MURDOCK NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:51:59 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2Bg2e.11727$Vw1.5921@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16206
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Much more stuff, pse look around
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4720&item=6521318436&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1634. FA: US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS WE BC-458-A ARC-5 TRANSMITTER WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:53:23 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ICg2e.11728$tr1.5047@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16207
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Much more stuff, pse look around, Click on See sellers other Auctions:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5763168505&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1635. FA: TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K OHMS For Crystal Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:54:12 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <7Dg2e.11729$Tx1.8728@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16208
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Much more stuff, pse look around, Click on See sellers other Auctions:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48705&item=5763168542&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1636. FA: NEW HUSTLER BBLT-144A TRUNK-LIP ANTENNA 2-MTRS@200watts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:56:39 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pFg2e.11730$ez1.1463@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16209
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Much more stuff, pse look around, Click on See sellers other Auctions:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4674&item=5763168562&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1637. FA: $10>KLM PA-2-140B MOBILE RF AMPLIFIER 2-MTRS FM 2in-140out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:57:41 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nGg2e.11731$Xy1.2845@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16211
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Much more stuff, pse look around, Click on See sellers other Auctions:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48700&item=5763168587&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1638. FA: $10>HEATHKIT IM-13 TUBE TYPE VTVM with TEST PROBE, HANDY NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:58:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9Hg2e.11732$xw1.10950@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16210
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Much more stuff, pse look around, Click on See sellers other Auctions:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=58275&item=7503594289&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1639. FA: $10> FIVE (5) FT-243 HAM BAND RADIO CRYSTALS 40mtrs & WARC's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 17:59:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ilg2e.11733$CA1.5314@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16212
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Much more stuff, pse look around, Click on See sellers other Auctions:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5763168632&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1640. Digital Amateur TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 18:11:12 UTC
From: "J.F. FOURCADIER" <no_spam@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <42499a40$0$11703$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 16213

Hello !

The poor man's Digital ATV transmitter:

Build this simple and cheap 70 MHz exciter and start to transmit Digital Television !

http://perso.wanadoo.fr/jf.fourcadier/television/exciter/exciter_e.htm

Jean-Franï¿½ois FOURCADIER, F4DAY

website : http://perso.wanadoo.fr/jf.fourcadier/

1641. FA:GE VT-4-C PAIR, 7 Hrs letf $78

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 19:37:04 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <A7i2e.480736$w62.46934@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16214
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio,amateur.homebrew

PAIR OF NOS GE GL-211, VT-4-C ONLY 7 hours left, + other items

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

tnx Heytubeguy

1642. Off topic but read, software warning

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-29 23:40:02 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <114jpqjrctr1i07@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

If you go shopping for a 10 min ID timer for your pc and you run accross one called hamRtime just leave it alone. It will screw with your pc and it can not be removed.

Magee KF5DE

1643. Re: kenwood vfo 230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 02:01:25 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <VLn2e.11416$S46.9766@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16216

Check with Milt Lord, Cartersville GA, N4DA.

Dan/W4NTI

<fuse19@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1112099775.251260.122640@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
> any one know of a place that works on the kenwood vfo 230 this one got
> unplug when the reciver was turned on than it wouldn't work agn no
> led's lites up fuse is ok and voltage present inside maybe a 5volt reg.
> shorted ? it was working perfect before thanks del k9fcm
>

1644. New group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 02:06:27 UTC
From: Voice of freedom <VoiceFreedom@freedom.naa>
Message-ID: <Xns9628C25E5393BVoiceFreedomfreedomn@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 16217
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.shortwave

No spam, no nonsense:
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Short_Wave-and-Amateur_Radio

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A Voice Of Freedom in the
United States of America

1645. thought you might be interested in this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 02:19:12 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <424A0CA0.50309@OPTONLINE.NET>
Source record: 16218

About two weeks ago I posted an article on e-ham.net
that I snipped from mods.dk about the 706mkIIg finals
being obsolete.

I did some investigating and determined that Icom is
replacing the SRFJ7044 power FET with the RD70HVF, the
same power FET that's used in the Icom IC-2720 dual band.
If you check the product reviews in eHam.net under;

Transceivers: VHF/UHF Base/Mobile (non hand-held)/
ICOM IC-2720H

You will see several complaints about finals burning
out in the IC-2720.

In one of the threads a ham complained that the final transistor
in his two week old IC-2720 caught on fire and damaged the radio
beyond repair. Icom replaced it. The 706 Mk2G uses 3 RD70HVF
power FET's (two for HF and 1 for VHF/UHF. The finals were changed
during production in the MK2G about 2 years ago.

I hope that Icom isn't using the same finals in the
IC706MKIIG that are causing problems in IC-2720!! :-(

Here a repeat of the mods.dk article.
---------Snip--------

The 706MKIIG radio has 2 different versions of the PA
board. The older PA board's finals (1590002690)aka
(srfj7044) are no longer available and would require
replacement of the PA board. The newer style PA board
transistors are part# 1560001190 (rd70HVF) and can be
ordered by The 2 styles of transistors are not
interchangeable.

The complete PA board is part# 98413600 and sells for
apx $442. The catch 22 is that this board is the old
style board, with the old transistors. We do not have
the new style boards available yet so, if the finals
fail again, it's another board replacement.

Kevin McClinton, W7JRL
Technical Support Representative

ICOM America, Inc.
2380 116th Ave. NE
Bellevue, WA 98004

Ph. (425) 454-7619
Fax (425) 637-8417
www.icomamerica.com

---------Snip--------

1646. TM-741A Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 06:20:17 UTC
From: Chuck <w9bik@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <qtmdndVXxIvy29ffRVn-iA@comcast.com>
Source record: 16219

I have a TM-741A tribander with 50/144/450 modules installed. The unit was inactive for several years, but was working great at the time of last usage - no problems whatsoever.

I recently tried to put it back on the air and when I applied power and pressed the power switch "-on-" was displayed in the center of the display and the three band control LED's were lit red.

After that, pressing the power switch repeatedly had no effect -- the unit would not turn off until I shut off the power supply. No other switches or combination of switches had any effect. The only thing I can get to work is the display test (F+MHz+Power On) after shutting off the power supply, letting the unit sit un-powered for a while, then applying power and pressing that key combination.

While the display test is up, if the VFO switch is pressed the display test ends and a "0" appears in the band A area of the display. This remains until the unit is powered down and re-powered.

If the unit is powered down while the display is "-on-" and powered up again within a minute or so, the unit powers bacj up to the "-on-" display without touching the power on button.

I found the two solder-in lithium batteries to be dead. One battery is for the display unit, the other is for the control unit. I replaced both batteries with new Kenwood part numbered batteries, which now check good in-circuit. The symptoms described above did not change after replacing the batteries.

I'm stumped. I was looking for some sort of physical master reset switch on the control board, but found nothing. I tried all of the switch combinations listed for various memory reset functions with no change in symptoms. The service manual is of little help -- does not cover any troubleshooting or battery replacement procedures.

Anyone have any helpful thoughts (other than sending it to Kenwood for repair - my next step)???

Thanks
Chuck W9BIK

1647. Re: FS TenTec Paragon II Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 12:05:56 UTC
From: "Edward A. Feustel" <efeustel@direcway.com>
Message-ID: <424a96f9$1_1@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 16220

"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
news:fpqi41lljka4t0q6953i8urkat678v5rfa@4ax.com...
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power supply are included. The II is a much more competent rig than the I.

Regards, N5EI
A Paragon II owner/user
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1648. ICOM IC-PCR100 DECODE FILTRE CW USB SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 13:46:06 UTC
From: n/d n/d <jfdebellerive@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <nOx2e.8945$w63.802501@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16221

Hello
I have a radio ICOM IC-PCR100. I have only the modes FM, WFM and AM. I wish to use modes SSB, CW and USB. Could you tell me if there is a software or a decoder than can do it.
Thank you.
JF

1649. Re: FS TenTec Paragon II Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 14:04:58 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <e4cl41pkfj9ikvno3o027hfa424rkallh1@4ax.com>
Source record: 16222

On Wed, 30 Mar 2005 07:05:56 -0500, "Edward A. Feustel"
<efeustel@direcway.com> wrote:

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>"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
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>Regards, N5EI
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A recent used listing from the factory had a Paragon 785 at $795, and
Omni VIs from $1195 to $1695.

But hey, I'm not buying anyway; I'll go stick my nose someplace else
:-)

Bob
k5qwg

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1650. FA: Vintage Yaesu Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 18:31:58 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <wgC2e.143094$%U2.65122@lakeread01>
Source record: 16223
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in new/excellent condition:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

1651. Question on Kenwood TM-V7A computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 19:49:13 UTC
From: Roger Leone <raleoneTAKEOUT@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <ZoD2e.8118$zl.7192@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16224

Thanks for reading this. My friend Keith KA6FEW built this interface:
http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=2220

He is having trouble getting the PC to communicate with the radio. I don't own one of the radios and haven't tried it myself but he tends to come to me with his questions. If you have built this and got it to work, I would appreciate hearing from you. My first concern is this radio seems to have only a TNC port for packet operation. Does that port also allow data communication between radio and PC?

73,

Roger K6XQ

1652. Re: Question on Kenwood TM-V7A computer interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 20:02:14 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <114m1e61fd3o43c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16225

In article <ZoD2e.8118$zl.7192@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>,
Roger Leone <raleoneTAKEOUT@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

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>appreciate hearing from you. My first concern is this radio seems to have
>only a TNC port for packet operation. Does that port also allow data
>communication between radio and PC?

I built a somewhat similar circuit for use with a TM-G707A.

It did work, but was somewhat "quirky". I sometimes had to
power-cycle the radio two or three times, and/or connect and
disconnect the cable to the PC or the radio once or twice, to get the
radio to "see" that there was a serial interface connected. The radio
seemed somewhat sensitive to the ordering of power-on vs. having the
interface plugged in vs. having the RTS line asserted.

I switched over to Kenwood's own serial interface when my own quit
working entirely (I never did bother to tear it apart and figure out
why) and I've noticed that the same order-sensitivity seems to exist
to some extent with the Kenwood interface.

Now, as to the capabilities of this port: on the TM-G707A there are
at least four different features available:

- 1200-baud packet radio capability (audio input goes to the mic
circuit, I suspect).

- 9600-baud packet radio (audio input probably goes directly to the
modulator, bypassing the audio frequency shaping)

- One-wire bidirectional serial line (per this PG-4S interface) which
can be used to program the radio's memory and modes with the free
Kenwood software, or retrieve the memory/mode settings for editing
and storage. As far as I can tell, there's no general-purpose
radio control available via this line - you can't "remote control"
the radio operation via a PC - it's just for memory programming.

- Diagnostic/setup mode - shorting two of the pins together, holding
down a couple of buttons on the head, and powering the radio on
will put it into a service-setup mode which allows you to adjust a
number of internal parameters (e.g. deviation levels).

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1653. 30' Tower For Sale CHEAP!!!!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-30 22:58:48 UTC
From: respiratorytalk@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1112223527.981083.206660@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16226

I'm selling a 30' aluminum tower...of course an added mast will make it taller.

It is in (3) 10' sections (M-13) (retail: $232.95 ea plus shipping)
It has a center tower mount to lock in a mast (CM-1300).(retail: $33.95 plus shipping)
It also has a hinged base system. (HB-13) (retail: $171.95 plus shipping)

Missing is the CHB-13 Footing Assembly which I had to leave at my old residence because it was sunk in concrete. I provider a Glen MArtin link so you can buy that part directly. I also provided the link to demonstate the bargain price I am offering this thing for.

I am asking $400.
You pickup. I'm in Little Falls, NJ.
It should fit into a pickup truck just fine.
Tower was shipped to me on a crate. I don't want to go through that trouble to ship it out.

This thing assembles pretty easy. Once the tower is together and wired, you basically walk it into it's upright position and screw on some big bolts to the hinge plate. I also have the bolts and washers.

Note: This tower got slightly damaged when I first received it. Apparently the fork of a lift truck banged into a could of cross sections. I removed some and replaced some. Tower is okay

Tower was initially purchased at...
www.glenmartin.com/catalog/page7.html

I can be contacted the quickest at
shamrock2020@webtv.net

Email me for my phone number

1654. www.batteryspace.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-31 06:33:45 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <114n6eb7hbaug3e@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I found these batteries tonight for 29.00 for 12, discount price 16.99
plus 8 dollars shipping for 24.?? I'll do business with them again.
They have just about everything you could ask for in nicads.

Butch KF5DE
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12 AA 2300 mAh NiMH Batteries + 3 Plastic battery holders -- Never lost
cell!

Part#: MH-AA2250APZx12BOX3

(Qty: 1 x $16.99

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From: "Edward A. Feustel" <efeustel@direcway.com>
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>>Regards, N5EI
>>A Paragon II owner/user
>
> A recent used listing from the factory had a Paragon 785 at $795, and
> Omni VIs from $1195 to $1695.
>
> But hey, I'm not buying anyway; I'll go stick my nose someplace else
> :-)
>
> Bob
> k5qwg

>
You are correct about the price of the 585. But that is a Paragon I. The
Paragon2 is a 586.
It costs substantially more because computer control , FM, and a number of
other options were
standard and built in.
Regards,
Ed, N5EI

-----== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com - Unlimited-Uncensored-Secure Usenet News==----
http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+ Newsgroups
----= East and West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =----

1656. FA:Complete CRL Legacy On Air Processing Chain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-31 13:34:35 UTC
From: Ken <gold@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <424C093D.30509@nucleus.com>
Source record: 16229

Complete On-Air Processing chain with Legacy CRL equipment
Superb condition, low low reserve, see and bid:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=23793&item=7312161273
This unit would be perfect for a new LPFM start up or as a main
processor in a larger broadcast station.
PLUS! Other procesing items :Orban 8000a.
Check it out!
Thanks for looking!

1657. M2 2M SSB 9element / 15ft boom installed - Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-31 18:01:57 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <114oep6jiin6920@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 16230
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This antenna went together in about an hour (I took my time) and it plays beautifully at 35ft with a 1.2:1 swr. I also have an M2 Horizontal Loop at 40ft and of course the beam out performs the omni loop but the loop is my main listening antenna for 2M SSB. Also have a Ringo Ranger II up at about 30ft for repeaters and fm mobiles. Pics of all 3 and tech data links at

1. http://www.ad5th.com/VHF.html One of my first contacts was EM52>Em41 about 160 miles....during a tornado watch!

73 / DX

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

1658. Re: M2 2M SSB 9element / 15ft boom installed - Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-31 18:23:09 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <6tfo419vlqb88u07l6ljdre1avi3kigup8@4ax.com>
Source record: 16231
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 31 Mar 2005 12:01:57 -0600, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com>
wrote:

>1. http://www.ad5th.com/VHF.html One of my first contacts was EM52>Em41
>about 160 miles....during a tornado watch!

Hi Charlie,

Good set of pictures. You used the night sky and the day's clouds to
good advantage to give contrast. The moon shot was a nice touch too.

I especially like using the last 4 inches of transmission line used as
mast.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

1659. FS: Coax Connectors & Microwave Components

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-31 19:24:28 UTC
From: Murray Pasternack <w6krc@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <q7Y2e.62977$le4.51752@fed1read04>
Source record: 16232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

Please email w6krc@arrl.net for a detailed list of connectors, adapters,
coax switches, isolators, & klystons.

1660. Re: M2 2M SSB 9element / 15ft boom installed - Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-31 21:08:22 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <114opmmeonjgb24@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 16233
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Richard,
That last 4 inches of line for a mast is history now. I had purchased a mast mounting kit from M2 but when I installed it I was unable to tune the loop down below about 2:1..so I put the mount away but the swr was erratic during weather and wind. So..I got the bracket back out and looked it over and "voila" I realized I had been mounting the antenna on it incorrectly. Now the bracket works like a charm and all is well.

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
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> good advantage to give contrast. The moon shot was a nice touch too.
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> mast.
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> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

1661. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-03-31 22:50:51 UTC
From: Ron <ronton@southslope.net>
Message-ID: <d2hus1agd1@news.netins.net>
Source record: 16234

Try part number 606-CM7219 from mouser.com, $0.35 each.

Ron - K0QVF

Dick wrote:

> My Icom IC-28H has gone dark. Looks like both lamps are gone. The
> schematic lists these lamps as HRS-7219A-G40. I found a couple of
> places that had minimum orders of $100 and $300 respectively. That's
> out. I read a message on eham.net where a ham had replaced these
> lamps with amber LED's and appropriate resistors. Anyone done this?
> Other options?
>
> Dick - W6CCD

1662. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 00:44:55 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <1p5p419lekr6uha386uo2vai29mpc0gs9p@4ax.com>
Source record: 16235

Thanks. I had found that lamp in the Mouser catalog. However, the
last time I applied power to the IC-28H, one of the lamps came back to
life. When I observe it from the backside of the circuit board, the
lamp has a definite green glow. I assume this is what gives the green
look to the display. I read a message from one person who used amber
LED's to give it an amber display. This leads me to conclude that the
color of the lamp light is what determines the color of the display.
I have not seen any 7219 lamps on the Internet that are green. Still
looking.

Dick

On Thu, 31 Mar 2005 16:50:51 -0600, Ron <ronton@southslope.net> wrote:

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>Ron - K0QVF
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>> lamps with amber LED's and appropriate resistors. Anyone done this?
>> Other options?
>>
>> Dick - W6CCD

1663. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 00:57:17 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <114p73db0c4k315@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16236

In article <1p5p419lekr6uha386uo2vai29mpc0gs9p@4ax.com>,
Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

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>color of the lamp light is what determines the color of the display.
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>looking.

How about using a standard bulb (as in the Mouser catalog) and giving
it a light coat of green nail polish? A light-green LED with series
dropping resistor might also give you the desired hue.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1664. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 01:05:51 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <7h7p415qi2onep6kctvibfl1f18n5r11en@4ax.com>
Source record: 16237

On Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:57:17 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
wrote:

>In article <1p5p419lekr6uha386uo2vai29mpc0gs9p@4ax.com>,
>Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
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>>Thanks. I had found that lamp in the Mouser catalog. However, the
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>it a light coat of green nail polish? A light-green LED with series
>dropping resistor might also give you the desired hue.

I have been thinking about trying the amber LED's. I also sent an
e-mail to Icom to see what they can tell me.

Dick

1665. Mosley NOS, TA-53M

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 02:20:42 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <_d23e.29506$cg1.18089@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16238
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Have a mint NOS Mosley multi-band antenna STILL IN UN-OPENED CARTON*, TA-53M** (See Mosley site for all specs); lists for ~$803 + shipping + tax. Sale for $503 = $300 + tax total savings. * Note: hardware box did not survive the 'delivery service'though all the hardware items are still sealed in the large, clear, plastic 'sack' and the 12 coils are in great shape. I will rebox for shipment. Antenna box, ~6x6x7ft 3", is stamped at 41 lbs- though I have not checked this weight. You pay exact shipping via UPS or FedEx--no 'Handling' or 'extra packing' fees! I will have 2 digital pics by mid-day on 04-01-05 (not an April joke). You can pay via Pay Pal if you wish.
**4 element, 5 band, 600W-RTTY, 1.5kw-CW, 2.5KW-SSB; 14ft 2" OD boom.

Will try here before going to Ebay. Tnx heytubeguy, Joe

1666. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 02:52:54 UTC
From: Ron <ronton@southslope.net>
Message-ID: <d2id1q$f5h$1@news.netins.net>
Source record: 16239

On my IC-28H there are green boots over clear lamps. Just take the boot
off the old lamps and put them on the new ones.

Ron - K0QVF

Dick wrote:
> On Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:57:17 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
> wrote:
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>
>>In article <1p5p419lekr6uha386uo2vai29mpc0gs9p@4ax.com>,
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>>it a light coat of green nail polish? A light-green LED with series
>>dropping resistor might also give you the desired hue.
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> I have been thinking about trying the amber LED's. I also sent an
> e-mail to Icom to see what they can tell me.
>
> Dick

1667. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 19:18:34 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ji7r415djgs72f2ej469op01lp4ahjsuqu@4ax.com>
Source record: 16240

On Thu, 31 Mar 2005 18:05:51 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

>On Fri, 01 Apr 2005 00:57:17 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
>wrote:
>
>>In article <1p5p419lekr6uha386uo2vai29mpc0gs9p@4ax.com>,
>>Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
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>>it a light coat of green nail polish? A light-green LED with series
>>dropping resistor might also give you the desired hue.
>
>I have been thinking about trying the amber LED's. I also sent an
>e-mail to Icom to see what they can tell me.
>
>Dick

I got my answer back from Icom. Answers the question about the green
lamps.

Dick

Good Morning.....

Thanks for your e-mail.

The lamps are clear in color. The display color comes from the filter
that is behind the display. The stocking part number for the lamps
is: 5080000130. You can purchase them from our parts department.
Their e-mail address is: parts@icomamerica.com or you can telephone
them at: 425-454-8155. Hope this will help.

Best Regards;

Mike Hilton
Technical Support Representative

ICOM America, Inc.
2380 116th Ave. NE
Bellevue, WA 98004
Ph. (425) 454-7619
Fax (425) 637-8417
www.icomamerica.com

1668. FA:Manuals/Catalogs:Millen,Gonset,Eldico,Wilson +MO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 19:46:35 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <vyh3e.32001$cg1.10954@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

See these manuals and catalogs at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, more items coming soon......heytubeguy

1669. Re: kenwood vfo 230

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 21:20:34 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d2keji$1mg8$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16242

Try this first:

They don't like to be unplugged. I have found by running the
internal vfo from end to end and programming to the memory then back
into ext a few times will unconfuse it.

When power is lost, the VFO forgets what model it's plugged into.
You can supply 3.5 - 5 v to the memory line with a cordless phone
battery to fix that. A diode across a limit resistor will keep the
battery trickle charged and keep the memory for a day.

If you can't get it to work I can take care of it in California and
do the mod.

Jim, ac6tk

"Dan/W4NTI" <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote in message
news:VLn2e.11416$S46.9766@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> Check with Milt Lord, Cartersville GA, N4DA.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> <fuse19@aol.com> wrote in message
> news:1112099775.251260.122640@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
> > any one know of a place that works on the kenwood vfo 230 this
one got
> > unplug when the reciver was turned on than it wouldn't work agn
no
> > led's lites up fuse is ok and voltage present inside maybe a
5volt reg.
> > shorted ? it was working perfect before thanks del k9fcm
> >
>
>

1670. Re: PK-232 Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 21:27:28 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d2kejk$1mg8$2@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16243

PC Packrat 2 for DOS has been tested on several machines with real
and some USB-serial converters.

Hyperterminal will work as well as any dumb terminal.

ac6tk

"Dino Papas" <kl0s@cox.net> wrote in message
news:kl0s-4310B6.10110229032005@news.east.cox.net...
> Try:
>
> http://www.glaswerks.com/xpware/
>
> XPWare works very well with XP and the PK-232.
>
> GL -- Dino KL0S/4
>
>
> In article <ht2i411l0e6p6c5qrmhgmh6b3skkearei7@4ax.com>,
> Maurice ON4BAM <on4bam@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
> > On Mon, 28 Mar 2005 20:17:34 -0700, "Topaz305RK" <k7sam@arrl.net>
> > wrote:
> >
> >
> > >He has an old AEA PK-232 unit and a new computer with Windows
XP. He is
> > >wondering what software folks are using to run this unit, if
anyone still
> > >is. Any info would be greatly appreciated.
> >
> > PK-232's are still used a lot.
> > For packet I use AGW with UIview (APRS) or Winpack (packet)
> >
> > Other modes can be worked with http://www.cssincorp.com/pkterm/
> > The PK-232 can even, be upgraded with todays digital modes
> > http://www.timewave.com
> >
> >
> >
> > Bye Maurice

1671. Anyone ever deal with this company.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-01 23:40:37 UTC
From: helmsman@mindspring.com
Message-ID: <hsmr415tccfiig6gb5f4ntg8qrjm4fo637@4ax.com>
Source record: 16244

http://www.sarrio.com/

TIA

1672. Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 00:09:32 UTC
From: jantman <usenet@jasonantman.com>
Message-ID: <1112400571.996307.90830@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'll keep this simple.

I have a mobile radio mounted in my car. It's an Icom 207H 2m Mobile. I need to somehow (as easily, cheaply, and quickly reversible as possible) restrict the transmit distance to something quite short (say, between 50 and 200 feet, at the maximum). What's the best and easiest way to do this, while still keeping something that can be easily reversed?

Will simply running the radio on low power (5W) with no antenna do the trick, keeping in mind that the radio is inside a metal car? Or should I somehow shield the end of the coax and/or the body of the radio?

It will only be used to transmit in fairly short bursts, say 10 seconds max, and at the maximum one burst per hour or two.

Thanks,
A newbie,

J. Antman

radio@jasonantman.com

1673. Re: Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 00:12:49 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <d2knuf$78t$1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 16246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"jantman" <usenet@jasonantman.com> wrote in message
news:1112400571.996307.90830@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
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> reversed?
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> trick, keeping in mind that the radio is inside a metal car? Or should
> I somehow shield the end of the coax and/or the body of the radio?
>
> It will only be used to transmit in fairly short bursts, say 10 seconds
> max, and at the maximum one burst per hour or two.

A dummy load should suit that purpose.. even the best shielded ones should
have enough leakage to be heard that far.

1674. Re: Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 00:12:49 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <d2ko1s$79d$1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 16247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"jantman" <usenet@jasonantman.com> wrote in message
news:1112400571.996307.90830@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
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> max, and at the maximum one burst per hour or two.

A dummy load should suit that purpose.. even the best shielded ones should
have enough leakage to be heard that far.

1675. Re: Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 00:30:46 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <114rptmd6o6eg9d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I'll keep this simple.
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>I have a mobile radio mounted in my car. It's an Icom 207H 2m Mobile. I
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>possible) restrict the transmit distance to something quite short (say,
>between 50 and 200 feet, at the maximum). What's the best and easiest
>way to do this, while still keeping something that can be easily
>reversed?

Disconnect radio from antenna.

Connect radio to good-quality VHF-rated dummy load.

>Will simply running the radio on low power (5W) with no antenna do the
>trick, keeping in mind that the radio is inside a metal car?

It will quite possibly damage the radio's RF finals. Some radios have
good high-SWR protection, others do not. How lucky to you feel today?

Use a dummy load, and minimum transmit power. Enough RF will leak out
of the radio and coax to allow you to hear it tolerably well over
short distances, and it should pick up enough of whatever signal you
transmit from an HT to be able to receive well enough.

> Or should
>I somehow shield the end of the coax and/or the body of the radio?

terminate the end of the coax with a 50-ohm dummy load.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1676. Re: Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 01:46:16 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <t5ur41dajl7rlr6bivctq9kgobup5el6bp@4ax.com>
Source record: 16149
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 1 Apr 2005 16:09:32 -0800, "jantman" <usenet@jasonantman.com>
wrote:

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>I somehow shield the end of the coax and/or the body of the radio?
>
>It will only be used to transmit in fairly short bursts, say 10 seconds
>max, and at the maximum one burst per hour or two.
>
>Thanks,

There is a strong possibility that if you operate the rig with a dead
short or open for the antenna that you will kill the finals more
quickly than you think.

Use a dummy load and see if that helps. Additionally, you may get
enough 1 watt resistors to put in parallel to make up 50 ohms at 5 or
more watts. That will work well and not risk damage to your rig.

using the dummy load inside the car will probably still allow it to
ttransmit outside for quite a ways.

Good luck
Buck
N4PGW

Buck
--
For what it's worth.

1677. Re: Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 01:46:43 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cb799607251d3f19896ff@localhost>
Source record: 16150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <1112400571.996307.90830@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>,
usenet@jasonantman.com says...

> I'll keep this simple.
>
> I have a mobile radio mounted in my car. It's an Icom 207H 2m Mobile. I
> need to somehow (as easily, cheaply, and quickly reversible as
> possible) restrict the transmit distance to something quite short (say,
> between 50 and 200 feet, at the maximum). What's the best and easiest
> way to do this, while still keeping something that can be easily
> reversed?

Attach a good quality dummy load to the antenna connector, and
make sure your TX power is set at low. That should keep the emissions
down.

> Will simply running the radio on low power (5W) with no antenna do the
> trick, keeping in mind that the radio is inside a metal car? Or should
> I somehow shield the end of the coax and/or the body of the radio?

If you value your radio's transmitter stages, NEVER run it without
either an antenna or dummy load. Period.

Was that not covered in your ham radio license study material?

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

1678. FS Kenwood TS-2000 and Kenwood TS-50 Both like new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 02:44:58 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <fDn3e.14274$vK6.11514@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16151

I have two Radios in as New Condition. Boxes, manuals, mics and power
cords
One is the Kenwood TS-2000 DSP rig that does it all. HF, 6m, 2m and
440. $1400.00
The other is also a HF mobile, Kenwood TS-50, less than 3 hours of use
only in the house. $500.00
Both purchaced new around last Christmas, I'm selling these for a
friend, both prices are firm plus shipping
Thank you, Chris

1679. Re: FS Kenwood TS-2000 and Kenwood TS-50 Both like new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 04:26:06 UTC
From: KU2S <ku2s@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <og7s415jqg3g35fgi5ptqa00nieqrdj9mo@4ax.com>
Source record: 16152

On Fri, 01 Apr 2005 21:44:58 -0500, Chris <ck@ckradio.net> wrote:

>I have two Radios in as New Condition. Boxes, manuals, mics and power
>cords
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>only in the house. $500.00
>Both purchaced new around last Christmas, I'm selling these for a
>friend, both prices are firm plus shipping
>Thank you, Chris

A brand new TS-2000 at http://www.gigaparts.com is now going for $1639
with $100 off, making it $1539... Doesn't seem like you're offering
that great a deal. Quite honestly, if they've been out of the box at
all, and buying from an unknown party, I'm guessing you'll have to
knock at least another $300 off the price of the TS-2000, and I don't
see the TS-50 as being all that attractive a deal either...

Raymond Sirois
SysOp: The Lost Chord BBS
607-733-5745
telnet://thelostchord.dns2go.com:6000

1680. Re: FS Kenwood TS-2000 and Kenwood TS-50 Both like new

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 14:34:13 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <4LudnVDS1s3qMNPfRVn-gg@comcast.com>
Source record: 16153

"KU2S" <ku2s@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:og7s415jqg3g35fgi5ptqa00nieqrdj9mo@4ax.com...
> On Fri, 01 Apr 2005 21:44:58 -0500, Chris <ck@ckradio.net> wrote:
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>>cords
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>
>
> Raymond Sirois
> SysOp: The Lost Chord BBS
> 607-733-5745
> telnet://thelostchord.dns2go.com:6000

I agree. For those prices, a smart person would spend the little bit extra for a new one and get a WARRANTY. Without that, they aren't worth more than about two thirds the price of a new one no matter how good a condition they are in.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

1681. FA: US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS WM.J. MURDOCK HEADPHONES-WWII NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:08:40 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <asz3e.5419$o46.4442@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16154
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4720&item=6521318436&rd=1

1682. FA: Cheep>US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS WE BC-458-A ARC-5 TRANSMITTER WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:11:07 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <tuz3e.5421$p76.1111@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16155
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.insignia,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,us.military.army

Cheep @$29
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5763168505&rd=1

1683. FA: TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K OHMS For Crystal Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:12:25 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Hvz3e.5422$H76.877@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16156
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K OHMS For Crystal Radio

1684. FA: Last Day>TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K OHMS For Crystal Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:16:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Lzz3e.5423$3p4.5219@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16157
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48705&item=5763168542&rd=1

1685. FA: Big$30>KLM PA-2-140B MOBILE RF AMPLIFIER 2-MTRS FM 2in-140out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:17:55 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <RAz3e.5424$vX5.122@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16158
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48700&item=5763168587&rd=1

1686. FA: $26>HEATHKIT IM-13 TUBE TYPE VTVM with TEST PROBE, HANDY NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:18:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <GBz3e.5425$eb6.4949@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16159
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=58275&item=7503594289&rd=1

1687. FA: FIVE (5) FT-243 HAM BAND RADIO CRYSTALS 40mtrs & WARC's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:19:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <yCz3e.5426$Ud6.3254@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16160
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Big $11:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5763168632&rd=1

1688. FA: US ARMY MC-385-C HEADSET ADAPTER for HS-33 HS-38 WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:21:01 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <LDz3e.5427$1V5.5405@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16161
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.insignia,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

No Bids>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4720&item=6522762508&rd=1

1689. Re: FA: Last Day>TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K OHMS For Crystal Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 16:46:18 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <72jt41ls0prkp0fch1frih9tgkg5560d5f@4ax.com>
Source record: 16162
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 2 Apr 2005 11:16:45 -0500, "cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net>
wrote:

>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48705&item=5763168542&rd=1
>
>
Aren't these still available new from AES?

1690. FA: PAIR(2EA) OF MOTOROLA HT600 PORTABLE RADIOS-NO RESERVE-GOING CHEAP-GOOD WALKIE-TALKIES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 17:13:30 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <%oA3e.2938$k57.2140@fed1read07>
Source record: 16163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: PAIR(2EA) OF MOTOROLA HT600 PORTABLE RADIOS-NO RESERVE-GOING CHEAP-GOOD WALKIE-TALKIES-WORK GOOD

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7504702999&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1691. FA:Radio to Telephone Interconnect interface-Works Great W/Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 17:17:24 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <FsA3e.2939$k57.650@fed1read07>
Source record: 16164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7504711993&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1692. Re: Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 18:38:47 UTC
From: jantman <usenet@jasonantman.com>
Message-ID: <1112467127.114748.164490@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16165
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks to everyone for the replies. It turns out that the whole thing no longer matters. The idea was to use the rig to activate a nearby relay, based off of an old, re-programmed Motorola Minitor-II two-tone paging reciever. However, I'm having some issues triggering the pager, so the project is scrapped.

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1693. MOTOROLA TECHNICAL MANUAL - P AND H SERIES HANDIE-TALKIE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 20:14:45 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <114tv9j4fbcho36@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16166

MOTOROLA TECHNICAL MANUAL FOR SALE
Type Equipment: P and H Series Handie-Talkie, 136-174 MC, 1 & 3-5 W
RF Power
Manual Number: 68P81005A40-A
Manual Date: 11/24/1961
Condition: Excellent, complete, hand-written notation here and there
Price: $10 includes delivery via Media Rate U.S. Mail to lower 48 states
Pay By: U.S. Postal Money Order
Delivered Via: U.S. Mail
Return Policy: No returns on this item
Contact: Bob Carter, W5BTC, dc2light@radix.net

1694. FA: Johnson Viking Valiant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 20:45:40 UTC
From: Rob Switzer <robert_RmVswitzer@RmVverizon.net>
Message-ID: <UvD3e.2116$7b.1610@trndny01>
Source record: 16167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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tnx,
KA2CZU

1695. Re: FA: Last Day>TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2K OHMS For Crystal Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 21:32:07 UTC
From: RHF <rhf-newsgroups@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <1112477527.650404.189660@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16168
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

CT,
.
TRIMM Dependable 2000 ohm (?) Headphones
http://www.yesterdaysradios.com/forsale/forsale12.html
Work well, had attached to Crystal Radio to test
.
hth ~ RHF
.

1696. Daiwa MR-750

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-02 21:37:35 UTC
From: "Charles P.L. Stokes" <wb4pvt@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <zgE3e.4278$pU5.3734@trnddc06>
Source record: 16169

I'm looking for a control box for a Daiwa MR-750.
wb4pvt
Charlie

1697. FA: Last Day Vintage Yaesu Original Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-03 01:34:31 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <HKH3e.154000$%U2.42633@lakeread01>
Source record: 16170
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Most in new/excellent condition:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

1698. Re: Minimizing transmit distance

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-03 05:10:17 UTC
From: cl <clfurentN@Syahoo.com>
Message-ID: <pWK3e.59780$NC6.2720@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 16171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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news:1112467127.114748.164490@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> had no problem remembering the 'easy' stuff...when taking a test at
> least.
>

Based on what you're saying, I have a hunch what are you trying to do, is test the Minitor with a 2 meter rig? I am betting you were using a "PL" tone to try to open it up to receive. Not sure what you know about Minitor IIs, but there are probably no less than 2 reeds in it. A "single" tone, won't do it. And you couldn't possibly switch tones fast enough to make it work. It is milliseconds of a difference. If you'd like some help with the Minitor II, give me a yell privately. I repair them all the time.

cl

1699. FA:1 day left:Bill Orr Articles, VOA Maps...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-03 17:40:20 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <8UV3e.510751$w62.154953@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16172
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

See at address below + other manuals, items coming as well:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx heytubeguy

1700. SINAD Measurements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-03 18:22:10 UTC
From: johnpwr@verizon.net
Message-ID: <1112552530.931522.98780@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16173

I just got a SINAD Meter at a flea market; as usual no manual.

It's a model 1410 by GAW Co., Inc.

If someone is familiar with the controls could you give a brief
description on the adjustment of the front-panel controls:

1. Tuning
2. Balance
3. What response should I get in the SINAD position?

I ask this question, because I get no meter indication what so ever;
probably why it was for sale.

//John

1701. FA: Heath HG-10 VFO and power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-04 02:04:13 UTC
From: ROBERT SWITZER <robert_switzer@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <xg14e.2798$4b.2280@trndny09>
Source record: 16174
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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tnx,
KA2CZU

1702. FA: Astatic JT-40 JT-30 Bullet Microphone Stand Vintage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-04 12:06:38 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <i5a4e.809$bl3.93536@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 16175

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5764562845

1703. Fa: CRL Legacy Chain,Inovonics,Orban and more!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-04 13:20:27 UTC
From: Ken <gold@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <42513F26.80705@nucleus.com>
Source record: 16176

Up for auction with low or now reserve:
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Inovonics 220
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http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsofocusZbsQQsacatZ-1QQcatrefZC5QQfbdZ1QQsspagenameZhQ3AhQ3Aadvsearch Q3AUSQQfromZR6QQnojsprZyQQpfidZ0QQfswcZ1QQsaslopZ1QQsaslZpostman56QQflsZ4QQflocZ1QQsargnZ-1QQsaslcZ0QQsalicZ1QQsaatcZ1QQsadisZ200QQfposZT3AQ203S6QQsacurZ0QQsacqyopZgeQQftrtZ1QQftrvZ1QQfsopZ1QQfsooZ1QQfclZ3QQfrppZ50

1704. Need schematic for Spectrum SCT-110

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-04 13:35:08 UTC
From: Andrew Mitz <arm@nih.gov>
Message-ID: <gob4e.24$fZ5.54@mencken.net.nih.gov>
Source record: 16177

Need to fix our repeater. Does anyone have a schematic for the Spectrum
Communications SCT-110 (circa 1986). Thanks!
Andy WA3LTJ

barm@bgnode.borg (remove b's)

1705. Re: SINAD Measurements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-04 20:22:49 UTC
From: Geert Jan de Groot <nomail@example.com>
Message-ID: <4251a219$0$141$e4fe514c@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 16178

> I just got a SINAD Meter at a flea market; as usual no manual.
> If someone is familiar with the controls could you give a brief
> description on the adjustment of the front-panel controls:
> 1. Tuning
> 2. Balance
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A SINAD meter meters the difference between signal and noise
(gee, what a surprize).

Typically, these things have an audio input and a notch.
They measure the audio level before and after the notch.
The difference in levels between these two signals is the
signal to noise ratio or SINAD.

You use them with a RF signal generator to adjust receivers.
Modulate the signal generator with 1000Hz, 3kHz deviation
(did I mention SINAD is an FM thing?).

Assume that the 1000Hz signal is 20dB stronger than the background
noise. The complete signal has a level of X; the signal after the
notch has a level that will be 20 dB down (as it will only have
the background noise). The SINAD will be 20 dB.

Your box is adjustable; I suspect tuning sets the notch frequency,
balance sets the signal levels and SINAD is the signal level difference.

These are actually pretty useful devices if you want to squeeze
the last dB out of a receiver. If you don't have one, you can get by
by using a _good_ comms speaker and aim it directly at your ear,
then fiddle for minimal noise, reduce RF signal, fiddle receiver again, etc.
That's what I did before I got one and you can get reasonable close
this way too.

73,

Geert Jan PE1HZG

1706. TEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 02:00:49 UTC
From: Admiral Nelson <SEAVIEW5@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2jm4e.22522$no7.12023@fe09.lga>
Source record: 16179

TEST

1707. Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 05:48:12 UTC
From: "Bruce W.1" <no@email.com>
Message-ID: <wEp4e.15129$ZB6.13437@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16180

Does anyone make a telescoping HT antenna meant to operate (1/4 wave)
over a broad band of frequencies with marking for those frequencies?

Most HT's can be modified to operate outside the amateur bands, like on
GMRS, MURS, FRS, etc. But I don't like doing this without a proper antenna.

It would be simple enough to make a 1/4 wave telescoping antenna with
calibration marks for everything VHF and UHF, just extend it to the
right length. It would have an easy way to set it to the right length.
Does anyone make an antenna like this?

TNX,
Bruce AF8F

1708. FA: EIGHT(8) NOS HC-6 FT-243 RADIO CRYSTALS for 6 & 2mtr AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 13:57:16 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <%Ow4e.113$nI3.82@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16181
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

No Bids!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5764708002&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1709. FA: SHURE model 51S SONODYNE DYNAMIC MICROPHONE HARP-JAZZ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:00:06 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <FRw4e.114$ZJ3.55@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16183
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Cheep & nice shape!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48707&item=5764707920&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1710. FA: NICE HEATHKIT HM-102 SWR/WATTMETER, 2KW, REMOTE-ABLE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:01:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ASw4e.115$BO3.45@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16182
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

No Bids @$9.99
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48701&item=5764707935&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1711. FA: $9.99>HUSTLER #MOT 950MHZ MOBILE SCANNER ANTENNA Fire-POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:01:59 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qTw4e.116$Qj3.86@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16184
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=14956&item=5764707950&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1712. FA: FOUR(4) BIG VARIABLE HV CAPACITORS, CARDWELL NATIONAL:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:02:54 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <hUw4e.117$pP3.16@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16185
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Big $11:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4662&item=7505184298&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1713. FA: EIMAC 4-125A RF OUTPUT AMPLIFIER TUBE A NICE BIG ONE:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:03:58 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <hVw4e.118$OO3.18@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16186
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

No Bids Either @$9.99.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5764707993&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1714. FA: "TONS" (4lbs) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS Any Builders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:04:59 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <eWw4e.119$NK3.93@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16187
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Great stuff here!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4664&item=7505184325&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1715. Re: $9.99>HUSTLER #MOT 950MHZ MOBILE SCANNER ANTENNA Fire-POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:06:30 UTC
From: Landshark <s3buell@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <GXw4e.17103$zl.287@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16188
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Rich, again could you just make one post with all the items?
You are in clear violation of ebay rules and are spamming
per your ISP. I do like some of your items, but don't want
to have a large amount of bandwidth wasted when you
make one post per item.

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:qTw4e.116$Qj3.86@fe10.lga...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=14956&item=5764707950&rd=1&ssPage
Name=WDVW
>

1716. FA: FOUR(4) VINTAGE TRANSISTOR RADIO EARPHONES NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 14:10:01 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <X_w4e.122$bU3.14@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16189
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=932&item=6522762564&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1717. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 15:38:47 UTC
From: Joe User <nobody@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <d2ubgvhm1@info2.uah.edu>
Source record: 16190

Bruce W.1 wrote:
> Does anyone make a telescoping HT antenna meant to operate (1/4 wave)
> over a broad band of frequencies with marking for those frequencies?

I think I saw one that was advertised as 1/4 wave on 70cm when closed,
1/4 wave on 2m when fully extended. Can't remember the brand, or where
I saw it, though.

-j

1718. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 16:18:24 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <1155eigqeif1a17@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16191

In article <wEp4e.15129$ZB6.13437@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>,
Bruce W.1 <no@email.com> wrote:

>Does anyone make a telescoping HT antenna meant to operate (1/4 wave)
>over a broad band of frequencies with marking for those frequencies?

I've seen one or two such on a dealer's table at a local hamfest,
although I'm not sure that they come pre-marked - the package gave
instructions for the number of segments to collapse to achieve
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but I can't be sure.

>Most HT's can be modified to operate outside the amateur bands, like on
>GMRS, MURS, FRS, etc. But I don't like doing this without a proper antenna.

You really shouldn't do it (well, at least, not transmit) even _with_
a proper antenna. Very few, if any amateur-radio HTs are certificated
for transmission on those bands, and using an "opened-up" ham HT to
transmit (even if you have a suitable GMRS license) is a rules
violation which could cost you your amateur ticket.

FRS and GMRS have very strict technical rules about the frequency
accuracy of their oscillators due to the tight inter-channel spacings,
and it's likely that at least some ham HTs are too sloppy in design
(or too poorly calibrated) to hit the frequencies accurately.

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1719. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 17:15:41 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <grh5511u7eng0ttlqeqpimirhfqleatlip@4ax.com>
Source record: 16192

On Tue, 05 Apr 2005 10:38:47 -0500, Joe User <nobody@nowhere.com>
wrote:

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Radio Shack sells one. I have one, but I wouldn't want to hang it on
an HT connector. Too heavy. I use it on a Bearcat scanner.
http://www.radioshack.com/product.asp?catalog%5Fname=CTLG&product%5Fid=20-161

Dick - W6CCD

1720. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 19:13:14 UTC
From: cl <clfurentN@Syahoo.com>
Message-ID: <JrB4e.60719$NC6.17363@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 16193

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:grh5511u7eng0ttlqeqpimirhfqleatlip@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 05 Apr 2005 10:38:47 -0500, Joe User <nobody@nowhere.com>
> wrote:
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I can agree with Dick... I have 2 such Radio Shack antennas. I use one for
my Service Monitor, the other is for any other test purpose I may have, NOT
for replacement for an H.T. A tad too heavy. They were heavy for like the
HTX 202, if you used it on one of the micro radios out now days, the thing
would be top heavy.

cl

1721. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 19:24:17 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d2v371csf1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16194

I agree. You run into the same problems that Public Safety radios have to deal with. That is, trying to operate over a wide range perhaps 150 -174 MHz with a high power radio. Certainly the 1/4 wave is the best you can do to avoid shutdown of the radio.

For Dual-band 2m/440 operation and in particular when operating MARS, a 1/4 wave 144 MHz antenna will provide a more satisfactory load at UHF as well, although with a compromised pattern on those frequencies.

One of the most frightening tests I performed with 2m/440 ham antennas was that they were extremely sharp in bandwidth and resulted in extreme SWR beyond -+ 2-3 MHz on either band.

Public safety personnel often don't understand how hams can have high performance dual band antennas and they can't. Some suspiciously consider a conspiracy. The simple answer lies in the frequency coordination of the repeater frequencies on both bands, and the narrow but coincidental sliver of frequencies we use for mobile operation.

If you have a telescopic whip you are blessed. Carry a tape measure and chart with you.

Of course there are other issues regarding MURS, GMRS and FRS that are completely awkward and you might as well carry a real FRS radio along with a Commercial radio with a bank devoted to the ham bands on your bat-belt.

I contest the mentality that says you should "open up" a ham radio for "emergency use only" because you compromise the emergency situation by not using a radio up to the task. You can use a "church-key" as a can opener, but if you are truly serious you will pack a can opener.

Jim, ac6tk

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message news:1155eigqeif1a17@corp.supernews.com...
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1722. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-05 23:38:17 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0504051333570.8664@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 16195

I for one take the easy way out on all bands, vhf hf etc.
Use "tuners". At least your protecting whatever rigs ouput
you have. It does'nt speak to efficiency that way, but I get
rather good results with my G6 VHF antenna on all modes and
on MARS freqcys also which are out of the HAM band limits.
HF same thing. MFJ diferential T tuner with roller coil gets
me anywhere I want to go from 3.5 mhz on down to 30 mhz.
Kokomo Joe

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
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1723. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 00:17:00 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ka965151sblqekiif6ir7uh6f45parrf9v@4ax.com>
Source record: 16196

On Tue, 05 Apr 2005 05:48:12 GMT, "Bruce W.1" <no@email.com> wrote:

>Does anyone make a telescoping HT antenna meant to operate (1/4 wave)
>over a broad band of frequencies with marking for those frequencies?
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>Most HT's can be modified to operate outside the amateur bands, like on
>GMRS, MURS, FRS, etc. But I don't like doing this without a proper antenna.
>
>It would be simple enough to make a 1/4 wave telescoping antenna with
>calibration marks for everything VHF and UHF, just extend it to the
>right length. It would have an easy way to set it to the right length.
> Does anyone make an antenna like this?
>
>TNX,
>Bruce AF8F

Why don't you get your own telescoping whip, attach it to a connector
for your radio, and using the formulas for frequency and antenna
lengh, mark the whip yourself? The only question is whether your handi
talkie input isn't already pre-configured strictly for the helio-wound
rubber duckie that comes with it.

For example, the rubber duckie that comes with my 2 meter Icom T2-H,
at 147 Mhz, has an swr of 3.0, and an impedance of just under 400
ohms, according to my MFJ 269 antenna analyzer. But the antenna works
fine on the handie talkie.

bob
k5qwg

bob
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1724. FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 02:02:33 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d2vfvs0go4@news4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16197

A month ago I treated myself to a Yaesu FT-857D and ATAS-120 antenna. Installed the rig on my old truck -- I work the 0400 to 1300 shift at a building materials supplier 35 miles from home. I use the rig to chat on HF and VHF to and from work -- when the bands are dead, I SWL on the FT-857.

I am very pleased with the rig and can hardly wait to get my new house built and move out of this damn apartment into a place with real antennas.

Question for you FT-857 people: The main tuning dial has a really soft touch -- the slightest movement knocks it off freq. When I'm cruising along in an old truck at 0330 with my right hand resting on the gearshift, trying to tune the main tuning dial, it's tough to get a station tuned in. I guess I could change the tuning rate to the lowest possible, but, that's another problem. Is there any way to adjust the drag on the main tuning knob so it's a bit stiffer and so the knob doesn't move so readily? I think not but thought I'd ask.

Thanks.

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Joe

1725. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 02:37:12 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <1156iqo5oeuhob9@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16098

In article <ka965151sblqekiif6ir7uh6f45parrf9v@4ax.com>,
Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote:

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>at 147 Mhz, has an swr of 3.0, and an impedance of just under 400
>ohms, according to my MFJ 269 antenna analyzer. But the antenna works
>fine on the handie talkie.

You might want to try repeating the measurement with the MFJ 259 held
up beside your head as if it were an HT.

I've been told that HT duck antennas are often tweaked for best match
and lowest SWR when used in this position, with a significant amount
of capacitive coupling to the user's head. Measurements of a couple
of 'em with my 269 seemed to support this - they "read" a lot better
in a "typical HT use" position than they do if the analyzer is being
held out at arm's length.

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1726. FA KENWOOD TS-2000 LIKE NEW, FREE SHIPPING CONUS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 05:10:03 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <L4K4e.29728$f%4.14080@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16099

Purchased in January from AES, I used it for a week chose to go with
Icom 756Pro3 instead.

1727. Re: FA KENWOOD TS-2000 LIKE NEW, FREE SHIPPING CONUS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 05:14:11 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <D8K4e.29732$f%4.7412@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16100

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5765096277

Chris wrote:

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> with Icom 756Pro3 instead.

1728. Re: FA KENWOOD TS-2000 LIKE NEW, FREE SHIPPING CONUS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 09:49:41 UTC
From: Admiral Nelson <SEAVIEW5@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ygO4e.1181$Su5.1096@fe11.lga>
Source record: 16101

Hi Chris, did you try to return it back to AES?
Just curious..
73

Chris wrote:

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> with Icom 756Pro3 instead.

1729. Old Radio Tube Literature for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 13:02:29 UTC
From: Dave Watts <watts-d@rmc.ca>
Message-ID: <4253e5ae$1@rmcnt03a.rmc.ca>
Source record: 16102

I have the following tube and radio literature for sale:

1. Radio Craft Radio Reference Annuals from 1937 and 1938 Very Good condition $10 each

2. Radio Handbook 7th edition by the editors of "Radio" 1940 Good condition $20

3. RCA Tube Handbook HB-3 Volumes 1-2, 5-6,7-8 Excellent condition $60

4. RCA Receiving Tube Manual RC-26 (2 copies) Very Good condition $20 each

5. GE Essential Characteristics 1963 and 1964 version Very Good condition $15 each

6. Marconi Radiotron Characteristics Manual

7. Set of 3 books a) Allied Radio Data Handbook 1943

b)Practical Radio Circuits by RadioCraft 1938

c)Public Address Installation 1934

<>All are in very good condition with complete covers $25 for all 3

8. Binder of Raytheon Tube info from 1955 to 1960 $15

Email for pics or more info if desired.

1730. OT, what is this RX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 14:36:59 UTC
From: Thierry <->
Message-ID: <4253f40c$1@news.vo.lu>
Source record: 16103

Hi,

Among OT, do you know this RX, brand and model ?

http://www.astrosurf.org/lombry/Radio/rx-hallicrafters-s-38.jpg

I suspected it was an Hallicraft S-38 but it looks like a model from Trio,
which one ??
probably manufactured in 1946 (sold $48).

Thanks in advance

Thierry, ON4SKY

1731. cool site for free ipods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 15:20:22 UTC
From: bookboy26@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1112800821.967983.151600@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16104

Yea it's true. I don't know if anyone has tried this yet, but I was not sure if it was real. So anyway, I did actually do the deal and I just received my free ipod in the mail today. I assumed this was a fake, and just a scam to get me to sign up for stuff, but its actually real. This Isn't much of a rant, but I recommend anyone interested to give it a try.

http://www.freeiPods.com/default.aspx?referer=9025306

Oh and heres some links proving it's legit. U do not have to take my word for it. Its also been on CNN but I cant seem to find the link.

1732. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 15:44:53 UTC
From: "Bruce W.1" <no@email.com>
Message-ID: <VtT4e.15553$ZB6.1753@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16105

Dave Platt wrote:
> In article <ka965151sblqekiif6ir7uh6f45parrf9v@4ax.com>,
> Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote:
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>>For example, the rubber duckie that comes with my 2 meter Icom T2-H,
>>at 147 Mhz, has an swr of 3.0, and an impedance of just under 400
>>ohms, according to my MFJ 269 antenna analyzer. But the antenna works
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A perfect quarter wave is 36 ohms. Yet HT's are happy driving an external 50 ohm antenna.

I do have a few telescoping antennas. This might be the best solution. I was hoping someone made one built like a tape measure. A tiny SWR meter that mounted between the HT and antenna would be a nice solution.

I'll admit I like to have the ability to at least jump over to the FRS or the GMRS.

1733. Built-in TNC in portable transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 15:55:12 UTC
From: ixarka <ixarka@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1112802912.408683.123810@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16106

Hey,

I'm fairly new to the whole ham arena, but a project I'm working on has necessitated the use of some ham hardware. I'm looking to build a portable ground station of sorts for talking with amateur satellites. Specifically, an amateur satellite that will be operating at 437 Mhz at 1200 baud. Basically, I'd like a mobile version of what's in the lab at my university (antenna on the roof, radio + TNC indoors).

I've been looking at some portable devices that fulfill these requirements (like the Kenwood THD7A(G) or Kenwood TM-D700). But, after talking to some people and reading some things on the web, I've come across literature that say that devices such as these, with build-in TNC's, aren't nearly as reliable as a radio hooked up to a laptop doing the TNC in software. Is this true? Are there any general issues that portable units with built-in TNC's have that I should be aware before I buy one?

The other option I have is to buy a radio and use a laptop to simulate the TNC in software. Does anyone have any experience with these portable units versus a laptop functioning as the TNC and hooked up to a radio?

Thanks and any advice would be much appreciated.

1734. Re: FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 16:43:43 UTC
From: JD <dixon@cae.ca>
Message-ID: <d313jv$34r$1@dns3.cae.ca>
Source record: 16107

I think I recently saw the solution for that on the www. igpix.com website.
If not try eham. I too find mine very feather touch and usually lock the
knob to not hit it and go off by mistake!!!
John, VE3DIX

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news:d2vfvs0go4@news4.newsguy.com...
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1735. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 17:25:20 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11586s0m381ld63@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16108

In article <VtT4e.15553$ZB6.1753@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>,
Bruce W.1 <no@email.com> wrote:

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>external 50 ohm antenna.

Well, for one thing, the transmitter "sees" the total load - the
quarterwave's radiation resistance, the radiation resistance of
whatever is servicing as the ground plane / counterpoise / other half
of the dipole, and the losses of both. The role of GP/counterpoise is
usually taken by a combination of the HT's metal body, and the user's
skin (capacitively coupled to the HT body). The radiation resistance
and losses of the HT body and user's skin are difficult to predict,
and no doubt vary all over the place depending on the situation, sweat
levels, phase of moon, etc., but I imagine they're high enough to
boost the total feedpoint impedance up well above 36 ohms.

For another things, HT finals _have_ to be reasonably tolerant of poor
matches, or the failure rate would be astronomical - there's just too
much variation in antenna feedpoint impedance to allow such devices to
be designed with finicky, sensitive finals. I would guess that modern
HTs all use internally-ballasted multiple-emitter RF transistors which
are very conservatively rated (e.g. voltage breakdown ratings of
several times higher than the power supply voltage, plenty of excess
current-dissipation margin due to the ballasting) and may include
automatic high-SWR power foldback circuitry as well.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1736. Re: FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 17:26:03 UTC
From: JD <dixon@cae.ca>
Message-ID: <d3163c$b6b$1@dns3.cae.ca>
Source record: 16109

I meant www.rigpix.com
"JD" <dixon@cae.ca> wrote in message news:d313jv$34r$1@dns3.cae.ca...
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1737. Re: FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 17:43:32 UTC
From: JD <dixon@cae.ca>
Message-ID: <d31744$n0j$1@dns3.cae.ca>
Source record: 16110

Found it on www.ham.dmz.ro
"The tuning knob on the FT-857 free wheels too easily. If you prefer a tighter knob with more drag, here is what to do per a Vertex Standard Technicion.

Remove the rubber ring around the big tuning knob. Using an allen wrench, loosen the allen screw and remove the knob off it's shaft.

On the shaft you will now see a steel spring. This spring can either add tension or loosen the tension on the knob's shaft. To add more drag just tighten the spring's tension on the shaft. Do the opposite for making less tension on the knob. After you adjust to your likes, put the knob back on, tighten the allen screw, and put back on the rubber ring on knob."

Hope this helps

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1738. Re: cool site for free ipods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 18:46:27 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@theobvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <5ib851pa9gghhb8ohtsrargiuktlkeeql8@4ax.com>
Source record: 16112

On 6 Apr 2005 08:20:22 -0700, bookboy26@yahoo.com wrote:

>Yea it's true.

And it's freezing in hell.

>I don't know if anyone has tried this
>yet, but I was not sure if it was real.

Everyone has tried it, and it isn't real.

>So anyway, I did actually do the deal and I just received my free
>ipod in the mail today.

Riiiiight.

>Oh and heres some links proving it's legit. U do not
>have to take my word for it. Its also been on CNN but
>I cant seem to find the link.

Where are the links?
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To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1739. Re: FA KENWOOD TS-2000 LIKE NEW, FREE SHIPPING CONUS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 18:46:53 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@theobvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <jkb851hbcu62r8nm6blkn0blf0odabpv59@4ax.com>
Source record: 16111

On Wed, 06 Apr 2005 05:49:41 -0400, Admiral Nelson
<SEAVIEW5@optonline.net> wrote:

>Hi Chris, did you try to return it back to AES?
>Just curious..

Most places won't allow a return past 30 days, no?
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To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1740. Re: $9.99>HUSTLER #MOT 950MHZ MOBILE SCANNER ANTENNA Fire-POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 18:48:07 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@theobvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <pmb851t605s5u63eappk63tgs0i36ufcd7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16114

On Tue, 05 Apr 2005 14:06:30 GMT, "Landshark" <s3buell@sbcglobal.net>
wrote:

>Rich, again could you just make one post with all the items?
>You are in clear violation of ebay rules and are spamming
>per your ISP. I do like some of your items, but don't want
>to have a large amount of bandwidth wasted when you
>make one post per item.

He's worthy of a plonking...

Done.
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To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1741. Re: FA: $9.99>HUSTLER #MOT 950MHZ MOBILE SCANNER ANTENNA Fire-POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 18:48:16 UTC
From: Evan Platt <evan@theobvious.espphotography.com>
Message-ID: <8nb8511c21gvb1semaugqkuq4e38rmrsdu@4ax.com>
Source record: 16113

On Tue, 5 Apr 2005 10:01:59 -0400, "cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net>
wrote:

>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category

<PLONK>
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To reply, remove TheObvious from my e-mail address.

1742. Re: OT, what is this RX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-06 23:49:08 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <Uz_4e.1483$go4.465@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16115

It is a Lafayette Model KT-200.

Dan/W4NTI

"Thierry" <-> wrote in message news:4253f40c$1@news.vo.lu...
> Hi,
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> Among OT, do you know this RX, brand and model ?
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> http://www.astrosurf.org/lombry/Radio/rx-hallicrafters-s-38.jpg
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> Thierry, ON4SKY
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1743. Re: OT, what is this RX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 00:05:01 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <NO_4e.351$L64.61@okepread07>
Source record: 16116

It's a Trio 9R-4J which Kenwood (Trio) built also for Lafayette. Lafayette sold the kit as the
model KT-200 and the assembled version as the HE-10. The set's tuning dial is copied from the
Hallicrafters S-38.

http://www.shlrc.mq.edu.au/%7Erobinson/museum/trio.html

73 de Glenn AA5PK

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1744. Re: FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 04:38:44 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <4254B9E3.9BC1D44D@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 16117

Joe:

Why would you use the main tuning knob (the big one on the right) while mobile anyway? It's far too much trouble and takes your eyes off of the road (at least where I have the control head for mine mounted, at seat level just behind the gearshift in my Tacoma pickup).

I just set the rig for 1-khz and use the lower left hand knob on the rig. If you press the power button momentarily, it goes into "fast" mode (a little running guy sort of icon appears in the lower right hand corner of the display) and it moves 2-khz per indent. Only if someone is on a ham band and "between the slots" do I actually use the big tuning knob on the right.

Another thing to know. If you press the lower left knob in, the tuning moves to 1 Mhz per indent. This is useful for quick moves from one area to another if you are looking for swl that isn't near a standard ham band.

If you are using the ATAS-120, you'll find that swl receive is affected by the tuning of the antenna, just like transmitting. So long as you are close to the band you last tuned it's ok, but the farther away you get, the less sensitive the receiver will seem to be.

Also, check around the 'net and find the information on the "hidden menus" and write down all of the settings that you get for the factory settings. I've had several people indicate they've lost some of the settings from starting their car while the radio is operating (the input voltage drops below 12 volts and it does something to cause the settings to be lost). The most common complaint if this happens is a "mute receiver" or "dead receiver" because the sensitivity goes to pot.

Even knowing that, I routinely start my truck while the radio is on, and have never had a problem (but I live in Hawaii, and the temperature here doesn't drop all that low unless you drive up to the top of the mountain, so battery capacity isn't all that much of an issue compared to living in the great white north...)

I really like my 857, it's going on 16 months old now, and still haven't exhaustively explored most of the menus because I use it mobile all of the time. I did give up the ATAS-120 though, because I kept breaking off the whips on overhanging branches, and got tired of re-soldering various connections due to high vibration where it was mounted.

Thanks
-_Rick

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1745. Re: OT, what is this RX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 14:48:10 UTC
From: Thierry <->
Message-ID: <4255482c@news.vo.lu>
Source record: 16118

"Glenn" <aa5pk@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:NO_4e.351$L64.61@okepread07...
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Thanks to you and Dan.
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1746. Re: Broadband HT antenna?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 15:42:30 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <02la51d8hft2ongvlpleo4s80bf8socbu7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16120

On Wed, 06 Apr 2005 02:37:12 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
wrote:

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>held out at arm's length.

Hmm, maybe I don't have as much upstairs as I thought -- moving my
head towards the antenna doesn't do much -- but moving my hand towards
the antenna does affect things -- this is all highly approximate
measuring with the MFJ 269; guess it's a miracle these HTs work as
well as they do... touchy little devils to measure...

bob
k5qwg

1747. test only

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 15:43:46 UTC
From: dave c <n7da@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <KqCdnRP-I8z2zsjfRVn-sg@scnresearch.com>
Source record: 16119

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1748. FS: 706MKIIG(reduced), Icom R1 & 2 base antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 16:53:30 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <eAd5e.535044$w62.514408@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16121
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Icom IC-706MKIIG w/FL223 SSB filter, and remote installation kit.
Never mobile, non-smoker, no mods!!! Like the day it came out of the box.
$850.00 shipped! Cont. US Only. USPS money orders only.

Icom R1 handheld comm. receiver in mint condition with original box, manual,
charger and good internal battery. 100khz-1.3ghz no gaps.
$150.00 plus shipping.

Cushcraft AR-6 6 meter base antenna. I believe it is around 3db gain.
$40.00

Diamond X510MA 144/440mhz dual-band base antenna. 8.6db gain
VHF/11.4db gain UHF. $125.00
(Both antenna's won't be taken down until it warms up. They are still
in use at the moment. These are for pickup only.)

All equipment is shipped in cont. US only. USPS money orders only.

Lou

pottsladd13@yahoo.com

1749. Rohn 25 For sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 18:06:55 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <3Fe5e.23$nH4.22@trndny05>
Source record: 16122
Cross-posted to: nj.forsale,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have 4-10ft sections of Rohn 25 and one 9ft top and standard Base for
sale.
49ft total.
1-standard base
No rust up for one year in VGC . On ground for 1.
$275
Located in Central NJ.
Doug
N2PLR

1750. Rohn 25 forsale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 18:09:33 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <xHe5e.1051$Xm3.178@trndny01>
Source record: 16123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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1751. rohn 25 Forsale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 18:12:02 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <SJe5e.79$ff4.52@trndny08>
Source record: 16124

I have 4-10ft sections of Rohn 25 and one 9ft top and standard Base for
sale.
49ft total.
1-standard base
No rust up for one year in VGC . On ground for 1.
$275
Located in Central NJ.
Doug
N2PLR

1752. FS:ICOM IC-271H VHF All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 19:12:01 UTC
From: Bob Stamper <bobstamp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <Uwf5e.28853$UW6.16023@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16125

I have for sale an ICOM IC-271H All Mode transceiver in excellent condition.It comes with the mic ,manual,and box.It has the tone encoder installed.It has never been used in a smoking environment.It has a 100 watt power output & is continuously adjustable from 10 to 100 watts.The frequency range is from 143.8 to 148.2 MHz.This is a great rig for general or satellite use.
I am asking $500.00 shipped to any lower 48 address.

Regards
Bob N4KTS

1753. FS: ICOM IC-471A UHF All Mode

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 19:21:13 UTC
From: Bob Stamper <bobstamp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <xFf5e.28862$UW6.5809@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16126

I have for sale in excellent condition an Icom IC-471A all mode UHF transceiver.It comes with the mic & manual.Also included is the optional UT-15 tone encoder/CTCSS unit.The frequency range is from 430.0 to 450.0 MHz all mode.I also have the optional IC-PS25 internal power supply,I will include it free as it needs repair.The rig has never been used in a smoking environment.This is a great rig for general or satellite use.
I am asking $400.00 shipped to any lower 48 address.

Regards
Bob N4KTS

1754. WTB: Tokyo Hi Power HL-50B Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 19:26:32 UTC
From: PJC <clarksonpeter@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1112901991.939956.311410@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16127

I'm looking for an HL-50B HF Amp for my FT-817. If you have one you would like to sell, please email me.

Thanks!

1755. FS: ICOM IC-PS55 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 19:28:46 UTC
From: Bob Stamper <bobstamp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <CMf5e.28870$UW6.28@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16128

I have for sale an ICOM IC-PS55 power supply.It is rated at 13.8 VDC at 20 amps.it has the standard 6 pin molex plug.It will power any 12 volt 100 watt transceiver.The power supply is turned on & off via the radio on off switch on the following models: IC-735,IC-725,IC-728,IC-271 & IC-471.I am sure there are other models also.
I am asking $80.00 shipped to any lower 48 address.

Regards
Bob N4KTS

1756. Re: OT, what is this RX ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-07 23:28:35 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <Dmj5e.5212$44.3605@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16129

Thats good info. I got one of em. Thanks.

Dan/W4NTI

"Glenn" <aa5pk@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:NO_4e.351$L64.61@okepread07...
> It's a Trio 9R-4J which Kenwood (Trio) built also for Lafayette.
> Lafayette sold the kit as the model KT-200 and the assembled version as
> the HE-10. The set's tuning dial is copied from the Hallicrafters S-38.
>
> http://www.shlrc.mq.edu.au/%7Erobinson/museum/trio.html
>
> 73 de Glenn AA5PK
>
> "Thierry" <-> wrote in message news:4253f40c$1@news.vo.lu...
>> Hi,
>>
>> Among OT, do you know this RX, brand and model ?
>>
>> http://www.astrosurf.org/lombry/Radio/rx-hallicrafters-s-38.jpg
>>
>> I suspected it was an Hallicraft S-38 but it looks like a model from
>> Trio,
>> which one ??
>> probably manufactured in 1946 (sold $48).
>>
>> Thanks in advance
>>
>> Thierry, ON4SKY
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1757. Re: FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 00:48:59 UTC
From: Steve Silverwood <kb6ojs@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cbdc3dfe94e00ee9896a4@news-server.socal.rr.com>
Source record: 16130

In article <d2vfvs0go4@news4.newsguy.com>, nobody@nowhere.net says...
> A month ago I treated myself to a Yaesu FT-857D and ATAS-120 antenna.
> Installed the rig on my old truck -- I work the 0400 to 1300 shift at a
> building materials supplier 35 miles from home. I use the rig to chat on HF
> and VHF to and from work -- when the bands are dead, I SWL on the FT-857.
>
> I am very pleased with the rig and can hardly wait to get my new house built
> and move out of this damn apartment into a place with real antennas.
>
> Question for you FT-857 people: The main tuning dial has a really soft
> touch -- the slightest movement knocks it off freq. When I'm cruising along
> in an old truck at 0330 with my right hand resting on the gearshift, trying
> to tune the main tuning dial, it's tough to get a station tuned in. I guess
> I could change the tuning rate to the lowest possible, but, that's another
> problem. Is there any way to adjust the drag on the main tuning knob so
> it's a bit stiffer and so the knob doesn't move so readily? I think not but
> thought I'd ask.

I know on the 817 (the 857's little brother) there's a lock button that
can be used to disable the main tuning knob. Might there be such a
critter on the 857's control panel?

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-- //Steve//

Steve Silverwood, KB6OJS
Fountain Valley, CA
Email: kb6ojs@arrl.net

1758. Re: SINAD Measurements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 01:31:07 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d34mu0$1dkl$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 16131

Many so called techs don't even know how to use them. You might find
out in a class. They are most used in verifying specifications. You
don't know how many experts have been unable to show me.

There should be no need for adjustment of the meter itself unless you
want to screw it up. If you don't know how to use it there won't be
an indication.

General instructions are available in Publication EIA/TIA-204-D

Jim, ac6tk

<johnpwr@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:1112552530.931522.98780@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> I just got a SINAD Meter at a flea market; as usual no manual.
>
> It's a model 1410 by GAW Co., Inc.
>
> If someone is familiar with the controls could you give a brief
> description on the adjustment of the front-panel controls:
>
> 1. Tuning
> 2. Balance
> 3. What response should I get in the SINAD position?
>
> I ask this question, because I get no meter indication what so
ever;
> probably why it was for sale.
>
>
> //John
>

1759. Re: SINAD Measurements

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 02:10:03 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <%Jl5e.5290$44.3482@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16132

"JB" <ac6tk@cybertime.net> wrote in message
news:d34mu0$1dkl$1@madmax.keyway.net...
> Many so called techs don't even know how to use them. You might find
> out in a class. They are most used in verifying specifications. You
> don't know how many experts have been unable to show me.
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Unlike some of the "automatic" sinad meters such as the Helper sinadder the 1410 has to be adjusted by the user. Set the signal generator to a very high output (enough to insusre a full dead quiting signal on a FM receiver) . Then crank in about 4 KC of deviation of a 1 khz tone (assuming a 5 kc receiver) , The Tuning and Balance are adjusted for the best null, meter to the left or 0 side. The signal generator is then lowered into the low microvolt area tuil the meter reads -12 on the red scale if 12 dv is the desired sinad point. You then read off the scale on the generator to find the 12 db sinad point.

1760. Re: 706MKIIG(reduced), Icom R1 & 2 base antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 03:24:34 UTC
From: Topaz305RK <k7sam@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <DeCdnbMnL8mMZMjfRVn-1g@vnet-inc.com>
Source record: 16133
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Icom 706 MKIIG - $899.99 Brandy spanking new at Giga Parts

1761. FA: Orban 800A FM Stereo Broadcast Processor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 12:31:35 UTC
From: Ken <gold@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <42568683.8020009@nucleus.com>
Source record: 16134

Up for auction, with Low Low reserve, a Professional Orban 8000AFM broadcast processor.
This unit would be perfect for a new LPFM start up or as a back-up processor to your main unit in a larger broadcast station. See and bid at:http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7313765508

Thanks for L@@king!

1762. Agrelo DFjr, radio direction finder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 14:12:15 UTC
From: Michael Malloy <mmalloy@wi.rr.com>
Message-ID: <3jw5e.10921$215.9137@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 16135

I have an Agrelo DFjr.radio direction finder for sale. It has antennas
cut for two meters. Interfaces with a GPS.
Asking $200.00

1763. Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 15:00:33 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <l0x5e.10156$6k4.985151@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16136
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Checkout http://www.monitor.co.uk/ . I just discovered it, appears to be very new. Well organized, clean, clear photos, graphics, descriptions of why and how-to for modifications to the Radio Shack/Tandy DX-394 General Coverage Communications Receiver. Also has PDFs of manuals and schematic.

Along with the 850 plus member user group at http://groups.yahoo.com/group/RADIOSHACKDX394/ and the collection of mods at http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ModelId=573, this new site helps make the DX-394 the most thoroughly hacked, researched and documented radio in the world.

Tom

1764. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 15:49:36 UTC
From: roger <rogers.mail@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <kKx5e.16481$kr.11752@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16137
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

And also the biggest load of junk on the market
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1765. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 16:29:44 UTC
From: Mike Lee <swift240@yahoo.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Yjy5e.42133$C12.14653@fe1.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 16138
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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I find the site pretty good myself.

Mike.

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http://uk.geocities.com/swift240/mikes_page_1.html

1766. Wanted RIGrunner Type Power Strip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 17:06:47 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DSy5e.4920$nn5.4467@okepread06>
Source record: 16139

I am looking to purchase or tade for a RIGrunner Type Power Strip.
Just about any model will do. MFJ or PowerPack also.
What do you have?
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

1767. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 17:53:06 UTC
From: PowerHouse Communications <PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net>
Message-ID: <0yz5e.14$Bh1.1@fe06.lga>
Source record: 16140
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I'm quite positive he was talking about the radio, not the site...

"Mike Lee" <swift240@yahoo.co.uk> wrote in message
news:Yjy5e.42133$C12.14653@fe1.news.blueyonder.co.uk...
> I find the site pretty good myself.
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1768. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 19:11:25 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <xHA5e.10558$6k4.1031303@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16141
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Not according to reputable reviewers:

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by Jonathan Marks & Tom Sundstrom - 4 out of 5 star "Value Rating"
http://www.rnw.nl/realradio/dx394.html

2. QST Magazine review of DX-394A et al from 1997
PDF file of review of DX-394 and Drake SW1 sub-$300 receivers and Yaesu
FT-920 MF/HF/6 Meter Transceiver
http://hamradio.online.ru/ftp/pr9710.pdf

3. Kurzwellenempf&#65533;nger Realistic DX 394
http://www.dr-boesch.ch/radio/realistic-dx394-test3.htm (German)
http://tools.search.yahoo.com/language/translation/translatedPage.php?tt=url&text=http%3a//www.dr-boesch.ch/radio/realistic-dx394-test3.htm&lp=de_en&.intl=us
(English machine translation - it's a hoot to read!)

4. eHam.net Reviews - Radio Shack DX-394
Collection of reviews by owners under Receivers: General Coverage. Average
3.8 out of 5.
http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/2108

5. DXing.com Modern Shortwave Receiver Survey
DX-394 is below the DX-302 on the same page. Rating was increased from 1H to
3H about Jan 28/2004.
http://www.dxing.com/rx/dx302.htm

6. Passport to World Band Radio Review
1997 review from PWBR concludes: "Overall, the Radio Shack/Realistic DX-394
is a decent receiver for relatively little money. But it's no barn burner. "
http://groups.yahoo.com/group/RADIOSHACKDX394/files/Reviews/

One person's junk is another's treasure.

Tom

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1769. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 19:30:07 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <3ZA5e.10568$6k4.1032769@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16144
Cross-posted to:
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Correction: the rating was increased about Jan 28/2005, not 2004, correcting an obvious mistake. This longstanding, unsubstantiated 1H rating on DXing.com probably adversely affected the opinions of some uninformed individuals.

Tom

1770. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

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Date: 2005-04-08 19:34:40 UTC
From: roger <rogers.mail@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <k1B5e.16524$kr.15250@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16142
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

I have owned one in the past, it had one with the K-Filters in and it was
still the biggest load of rubbish I ever had the misfortune to own.
They are nothing more than a childs toy. Get yourself a decent receiver for
gods sake, even those cheap Tecsun things blow the dx394 away on EVERYTHING,
Man they are a joke.!
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> http://tools.search.yahoo.com/language/translation/translatedPage.php?tt=url&text=http%3a//www.dr-boesch.ch/radio/realistic-dx394-test3.htm&lp=de_en&.intl=us
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Date: 2005-04-08 19:38:46 UTC
From: fcathell@msn.com
Message-ID: <1112989126.867796.235480@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16143
Cross-posted to:
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Well done site! Damn, some of these mods look familiar!

Frank

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> http://www.rnw.nl/realradio/dx394.html
>
> 2. QST Magazine review of DX-394A et al from 1997
> PDF file of review of DX-394 and Drake SW1 sub-$300 receivers and
Yaesu
> FT-920 MF/HF/6 Meter Transceiver
> http://hamradio.online.ru/ftp/pr9710.pdf
>
> 3. Kurzwellenempfänger Realistic DX 394
> http://www.dr-boesch.ch/radio/realistic-dx394-test3.htm (German)
>
http://tools.search.yahoo.com/language/translation/translatedPage.php?tt=url&text=http%3a/
/www.dr-boesch.ch/radio/realistic-dx394-test3.htm&lp=de_en&.intl=us

> (English machine translation - it's a hoot to read!)
>
> 4. eHam.net Reviews - Radio Shack DX-394
> Collection of reviews by owners under Receivers: General Coverage.
Average
> 3.8 out of 5.
> http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/2108
>
> 5. DXing.com Modern Shortwave Receiver Survey
> DX-394 is below the DX-302 on the same page. Rating was increased
from 1H to
> 3H about Jan 28/2004.
> http://www.dxing.com/rx/dx302.htm
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> 6. Passport to World Band Radio Review
> 1997 review from PWBR concludes: "Overall, the Radio Shack/Realistic
DX-394
> is a decent receiver for relatively little money. But it's no barn
burner. "
> http://groups.yahoo.com/group/RADIOSHACKDX394/files/Reviews/
>
> One person's junk is another's treasure.
>
> Tom
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> > "Tom Holden" <holden_family@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
> > news:l0x5e.10156$6k4.985151@news20.bellglobal.com...
> >> Checkout http://www.monitor.co.uk/ . I just discovered it, appears
to be
> >> very new. Well organized, clean, clear photos, graphics,
descriptions of
> >> why and how-to for modifications to the Radio Shack/Tandy DX-394
General
> >> Coverage Communications Receiver. Also has PDFs of manuals and
schematic.
> >>
> >> Along with the 850 plus member user group at
> >> http://groups.yahoo.com/group/RADIOSHACKDX394/ and the collection
of mods
> >> at http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ModelId=573, this new site helps
make the
> >> DX-394 the most thoroughly hacked, researched and documented radio
in the
> >> world.
> >>
> >> Tom
> >>
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1772. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 19:47:24 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <gdB5e.10579$6k4.1034250@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16146
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

They sure do, Frank! I sent the webmaster a message complimenting him on his work with the comment that the one thing missing was credit to the inventors of the mods, "from the pioneering Frank Cathell to whoever had developed these new ones I had never seen before". I have no idea who is behind the site and whether it's motivated by anything other than enthusiasm to share what he/she has done. It's first class, all the way.

73, Tom

<fcathell@msn.com> wrote in message
news:1112989126.867796.235480@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
Well done site! Damn, some of these mods look familiar!

Frank

1773. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 20:00:07 UTC
From: roger <rogers.mail@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <bpB5e.16528$kr.5151@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16145
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

A rating of 3 is still crap!

"Tom Holden" <holden_family@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:3ZA5e.10568$6k4.1032769@news20.bellglobal.com...
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> rating on DXing.com probably adversely affected the opinions of some
> uninformed individuals.
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> Tom
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1774. Re: 706MKIIG(reduced), Icom R1 & 2 base antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 20:09:38 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6yB5e.542024$w62.434324@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16147
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

yes, and another $80-100 for the filter, what's your point?

1775. Re: FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 21:11:23 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d36s1m01cgg@news2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 16050

So, after giving up your ATAS, what do you use?

Thanks.

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Joe

"Rick Frazier" <rickf@rickfrazier.com> wrote in message
news:4254B9E3.9BC1D44D@rickfrazier.com...
> Joe:
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> Why would you use the main tuning knob (the big one on the right) while
mobile
> anyway? It's far too much trouble and takes your eyes off of the road (at
least
> where I have the control head for mine mounted, at seat level just behind
the
> gearshift in my Tacoma pickup).
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> I just set the rig for 1-khz and use the lower left hand knob on the rig.
If
> you press the power button momentarily, it goes into "fast" mode (a little
> running guy sort of icon appears in the lower right hand corner of the
display)
> and it moves 2-khz per indent. Only if someone is on a ham band and
"between
> the slots" do I actually use the big tuning knob on the right.
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> Another thing to know. If you press the lower left knob in, the tuning
moves to
> 1 Mhz per indent. This is useful for quick moves from one area to another
if
> you are looking for swl that isn't near a standard ham band.
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> If you are using the ATAS-120, you'll find that swl receive is affected by
the
> tuning of the antenna, just like transmitting. So long as you are close
to the
> band you last tuned it's ok, but the farther away you get, the less
sensitive
> the receiver will seem to be.
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> Also, check around the 'net and find the information on the "hidden menus"

and
> write down all of the settings that you get for the factory settings.
I've had
> several people indicate they've lost some of the settings from starting
their
> car while the radio is operating (the input voltage drops below 12 volts
and it
> does something to cause the settings to be lost). The most common
complaint if
> this happens is a "mute receiver" or "dead receiver" because the
sensitivity
> goes to pot.
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> Even knowing that, I routinely start my truck while the radio is on, and
have
> never had a problem (but I live in Hawaii, and the temperature here
doesn't drop
> all that low unless you drive up to the top of the mountain, so battery
capacity
> isn't all that much of an issue compared to living in the great white
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> time. I did give up the ATAS-120 though, because I kept breaking off the
whips
> on overhanging branches, and got tired of re-soldering various connections
due
> to high vibration where it was mounted.
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> Thanks
> -_Rick
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> "Joe S." wrote:
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> > A month ago I treated myself to a Yaesu FT-857D and ATAS-120 antenna.
> > Installed the rig on my old truck -- I work the 0400 to 1300 shift at a
> > building materials supplier 35 miles from home. I use the rig to chat
on HF
> > and VHF to and from work -- when the bands are dead, I SWL on the
FT-857.
> >
> > I am very pleased with the rig and can hardly wait to get my new house
built
> > and move out of this damn apartment into a place with real antennas.
> >
> > Question for you FT-857 people: The main tuning dial has a really soft
> > touch -- the slightest movement knocks it off freq. When I'm cruising
along
> > in an old truck at 0330 with my right hand resting on the gearshift,

trying
> > to tune the main tuning dial, it's tough to get a station tuned in. I
guess
> > I could change the tuning rate to the lowest possible, but, that's
another
> > problem. Is there any way to adjust the drag on the main tuning knob so
> > it's a bit stiffer and so the knob doesn't move so readily? I think not
but
> > thought I'd ask.
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> > Thanks.
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> > -----
> > Joe
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1776. FA:MO' Tubes: 812A,12AX7,5Y3(USN).+ STUFF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 21:15:31 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <TvC5e.542304$w62.201889@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16048
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

See at address below:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

tnx for stopping for a look, 73 Heytubeguy

1777. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 21:27:24 UTC
From: roger <rogers.mail@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <0HC5e.16551$kr.7249@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16049
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey, Tom! I'm only having a laugh, they are OK, I got one myself. nice to
see you not rise to the bait. :-))
regards
SW

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1778. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 21:36:16 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <kPC5e.12031$6k4.1044480@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16051
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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news:bpB5e.16528$kr.5151@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net...
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Not according to DXing.com who gave it 3: " A rating of 1 to 5 stars for the
model as a value on the used market.
HHHHH Excellent HHHH Very Good HHH Good HH Fair H Poor. "

That Panasonic RF-4900 you sold for ?85.90 is rated by the same folks at 2
(HH) - that's closer to crap, but still 'Fair'. On Mar 30, you posted that
you wanted to swap it for a DX-394
http://groups.google.ca/groups?q=rogers.mail%40ntlworld.com&start=10&hl=en&lr=&selm=hZz2e.826%24wQ2.632%
40newsfe5-gui.ntli.net&rnum=12 .
Sounds like an upgrade from a 'Fair' to a 'Good' value radio and
inconsistent with your expressed opinion.

The Kenwood R-2000 you were selling off in 2003 is rated at 4 (HHHH) by
DXing.com. That's 1H more than the DX-394 and it sells for 2-3 times the
price on the used market. Just a little less crappy, was it? ;-)

73, Tom

1779. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 21:48:25 UTC
From: roger <rogers.mail@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <J_C5e.16555$kr.9410@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 16052
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Seems like you did rise to the bait then Tom
Just shows what a sad b*****d you really are, doesn't it. :-))
SW

"Tom Holden" <holden_family@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
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> 73, Tom
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1780. FA: Trans-Oceanic Shortwave Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-08 23:46:54 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <OJE5e.34883$lz2.8566@fed1read07>
Source record: 16053
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Trans-Oceanic Short-wave Radio

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6523081247&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

1781. 250TH TRANSMITTING TUBE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 00:43:27 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <115e99dmm65t2d6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16054

TRANSMITTING TUBE FOR SALE

ITEM: JAN-CDR-250TH
MFR: General Electronics
QTY: 1

CONDITION: Appears to never have been used and is in like-new condition. Comes in original box. Filament ohms continuous. Has been kept in my radio room for as long as I can remember.

PRICE: $35.00 includes shipping to U.S. addressees in lower 48 states.

CONDITION OF SALE: The above material representations are correct and given in good faith. Aside from these statements, no guarantee is expressed or implied.

CONTACT: Bob Carter, W5BTC dc2light@radix.net

1782. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 00:52:34 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <115e9qpd78a7o08@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16055
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio

Never run into this problem before, I have a nicad charger that Ive used
for years and it charges AAA, AA, C, D, and 9 volt. Great little box.
Now I just received a pack of Ni-MH AA size and need to know if my nicad
charger will be ok to charge them? Will I do damage to the NiMHs?

Butch KF5DE

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> Tom
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1783. Oh,..sorry 'bout this

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 01:28:51 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <115ebuqd2q42486@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16056

didn't realise I hadn't started a new thread with my recharg question.
Butch

1784. WTB: SMALL TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 02:04:44 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <0LG5e.543457$w62.392614@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a small transformer rated at 125-130 output @ 40-100 ma and
6.3v as well. Need for small project. Used ok if good. tnx heytubeguy

1785. Re: Great New DX-394 Mods & Website (DX-398/ATS-909/FRG-7 coming)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 02:39:59 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <115eg3vnasfv96b@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16058
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio

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>charger will be ok to charge them? Will I do damage to the NiMHs?

As I understand it: NiMH batteries do "prefer" a somewhat different
charging regime than NiCd batteries - they're less tolerant of being
overcharged.

A NiCd "smart" charger will usually charge the batteries with a
constant current, and monitor the voltage across the battery. When
the batteries hit full charge, they begin to heat up, and the voltage
across them decreases somewhat. The charger will detect the voltage
drop (a "negative delta V") and shut off the charge. Fast chargers
usually include a temperature sensor, as well, and a failsafe timer.

NiMH batteries can be charged with a similar regime, but it's
apparently not a good idea to wait until the delta-V goes negative...
by that point the NiMH battery has heated up quite a bit, and that's
not good for its lifetime. A NiMH smart charger will cut off the
charge current when the voltage across the battery stops rising ("zero
delta V"), before the battery heats up very much.

NiCd batteries can be trickle-charged at a low rate, and I believe
I've read that this is not a good approach to use for NiMH batteries
(or, if you do it, the trickle current must be a good deal lower).

See if you can find the data sheet for the Maxim MAX712 and MAX713
charge controller chips - they have a lot of the details.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1786. Re: FT-857 question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 08:32:12 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <425793A5.DD8F339A@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 16059

Joe:

Several Iron Horse "hamsticks", one for each band I transmit on. As I generally run on 20 meters going uphill to work in the morning and 40 meters downhill to the QTH in the late afternoon (local net on 7.088 in Hawaii) and my trip is about 45 minutes each way, it isn't all that inconvenient. I've got an extension out the side of my trailer hitch mount that is just in front of the back bumper, with a pipe extending about 18" up to a spring and quick disconnect where the hamsticks connect. It took a bit of retuning when adding the riser, but the hamsticks seem to get a lower swr and slightly wider bandwidth this way, and I certainly get out with this setup.

This morning I heard a fellow in Germany on the way up to work (though there was such a pileup of high power stations I didn't have much chance to get to him before I had to start work), and routinely communicate with a number of mainland US stations without difficulty. Given that I haven't even bent one of the whips on the hamsticks, even though the tips aren't much below the level the ATAS tips were, I'm more than happy with the setup. I can't say the ATAS was a really bad antenna, just not optimum for my particular setup. I've got sticks from 75 meters to 10 meters, and get out pretty well on all of them (I haven't tried the 75 meters beyond the Hawaiian islands yet, but that'll come in a few weeks when I move, and probably won't have the QTH rig plumbed to an antenna for a couple of weeks after that.

Thanks
--Rick AH7H

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> > >
> > > Question for you FT-857 people: The main tuning dial has a really soft
> > > touch -- the slightest movement knocks it off freq. When I'm cruising
> along
> > > in an old truck at 0330 with my right hand resting on the gearshift,
> trying
> > > to tune the main tuning dial, it's tough to get a station tuned in. I
> guess
> > > I could change the tuning rate to the lowest possible, but, that's
> another
> > > problem. Is there any way to adjust the drag on the main tuning knob so
> > > it's a bit stiffer and so the knob doesn't move so readily? I think not
> but
> > > thought I'd ask.
> > >
> > > Thanks.
> > >
> > > --
> > >
> > > -----
> > > Joe
> >

1787. FA: SHURE model 51S SONODYNE DYNAMIC MICROPHONE HARP-JAZZ 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 13:50:25 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <B4R5e.207$yl4.161@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16060
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48707&item=5764707920&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1788. FA: $10> NICE HEATHKIT HM-102 SWR/WATTMETER, 2KW, REMOTE-ABLE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 13:51:34 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <F5R5e.208$fp4.141@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16061
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48701&item=5764707935&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1789. FA: No Bids:-(HUSTLER #MOT 950MHZ MOBILE SCANNER ANTENNA Fire-POLICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 13:53:06 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <57R5e.209$mp4.118@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16062
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=14956&item=5764707950&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1790. FA: $10> FOUR(4) BIG VARIABLE HV CAPACITORS, CARDWELL NATIONAL:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 13:57:31 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ebR5e.210$hv4.77@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16063
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Best deal out there>>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4662&item=7505184298&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1791. FA: $10> EIMAC 4-125A RF OUTPUT AMPLIFIER TUBE A NICE BIG ONE:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 13:58:36 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <gcR5e.211$qw4.123@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16064
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5764707993&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1792. FA: "TONS" (4lbs) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS Any Builders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 13:59:58 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xdR5e.213$ni4.180@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16065
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

At a big $12>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4664&item=7505184325&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1793. Re: SMALL TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 17:44:39 UTC
From: gb <onw9mapsgb@no.arrl.spam.net>
Message-ID: <uZWdnWzLrvoVicXfRVn-sQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 16066
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Heytubeguy" <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:0LG5e.543457$w62.392614@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net...
> Looking for a small transformer rated at 125-130 output @ 40-100 ma and
> 6.3v as well. Need for small project. Used ok if good. tnx heytubeguy
IF you find a junked Heahtkit IM-18 (or earlier of this series) VTVM ... it
had a transformer with about those ratings.

Greg

1794. Re: Icom IC-28H Backlight Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 17:54:36 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <eb5g511dn8300d80keq66bdd08nqagkq7i@4ax.com>
Source record: 16067

On Thu, 31 Mar 2005 20:52:54 -0600, Ron <ronton@southslope.net> wrote:

>On my IC-28H there are green boots over clear lamps. Just take the boot
>off the old lamps and put them on the new ones.
>
>Ron - K0QVF

A follow-up to my original post. I purchased the lamps from Mouser as was suggested earlier. I bought 10 because I couldn't see paying postage on $.58 worth of lamps. Now I have some spares.

As Ron said, the green comes from little, vinyl boots that the lamps fit into. Once you get the old lamps out, you just carefully peel the boots off. Replacing the lamps is easy as the pads are large and easy to solder to. The hard part is in taking the head off the radio. There are numerous plugs that have to come out so you can get access to the backside of the display PCB. Be careful when you unplug them as there are two sockets for several of them. You want to get the plugs back into the correct sockets. I'm back in business with full display lighting. Thanks everyone for the suggestions.

73, Dick - W6CCD

1795. Re: 706MKIIG(reduced), Icom R1 & 2 base antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 18:12:55 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <rl6g511h1rmimbd97nc6n5cn0i0auep5d4@4ax.com>
Source record: 16068
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 08 Apr 2005 20:09:38 GMT, "Aspen37"
<pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com> wrote:

>yes, and another $80-100 for the filter, what's your point?
>

His only point is whether it is worth it to save $140 or so on a
second-hand rig from a total stranger that may or may not be working
properly and has no warranty.

No big deal.

bob
k5qwg

1796. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 20:18:59 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3bqrljF6jljluU1@individual.net>
Source record: 16069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Scsii CD changer.
No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

1797. Kenwood model 741 triband mobile: power-on problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-09 23:12:51 UTC
From: pawlwog@yahoo.ca
Message-ID: <b32b78e3.0504091512.75c89267@posting.google.com>
Source record: 16070

I have a Kenwood model 741 three band mobile with a strange problem.
If the power is interrupted momentarily it will not restart properly.
The word "on" appears and remains for about a minute before the rig
turns off automatically. Resetting the microprocessor and replacing
the two lithium backup batteries didn't help. However, if I
deliberately interrupt the power supply many times on and off while it
displays "on" it will ultimately, by chance, boot-up properly and work
perfectly until the next power interruption. I have $1500 CDN invested
in this rig and I would dearly love to fix it; does anyone have any
ideas?

Paul

1798. users group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 08:51:15 UTC
From: Butch <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <115hq86ngb1h05f@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16071

Anyone know if there is a users group anywhere for IC-02AT, and also
Knwd TM-28A, thanks in advance

Butch KF5DE

1799. FA: Astatic JT-40 JT-30 Bullet Microphone Stand Vintage - LAST DAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 12:50:22 UTC
From: Paul Sherman <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <ii96e.547$Cz3.49014@monger.newsread.com>
Source record: 16072

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5764562845

1800. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 16:11:28 UTC
From: Omega <2121@insightbb.com>
Message-ID: <Qec6e.3654$GJ.3140@attbi_s71>
Source record: 16073
Cross-posted to: alt.survival,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

<editor@netpath.net> wrote in message
news:1113106287.553979.283420@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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: who has actually has used 2-meter simplex during a major area disaster
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: to pump gas - is that a good mobile CB setup is better for emergencies
: than a good mobile 2-meter setup. That's because the CB will go
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: are either down or tied up due to an emergency - or if you are in some
: locale either lacking repeater coverage or where you don't know the
: active local 2-meter repeater. The "idiot days" of CB - when every car
: had one - are long over here in North Carolina; only truckers, hunters,
: and farmers seem to have mobile rigs here now. I now use CB almost to
: the total exclusion of 2-meter - though I have excellent setups for
: both in my car.
: FRS does have its uses. Like keeping in contact with others on
: campouts, skiing, or in limited areas in Iraq (now a major use). A
: major downside of FRS is the total inability to attach a good antenna.
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Long term one needs to be on HF, thus at least a General class ham license.
VHF (2 meter ham), UHF (440 ham, GMRS/FRS) have their uses for local commo.
That is why the Army just purchased 20,000 ICOM F43G radios (440 MHZ) for
squad level commo. But the Army also purchased a lot of Harris HF radios as
well (AN/PRC-150).

Even SatCom has its uses. What one needs is all of it....

1801. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 19:04:57 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <poti51dd2prnjg7qeh3ffhku8s4ljsqhu7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16074

On Sun, 10 Apr 2005 16:11:28 GMT, "Omega" <2121(d)@insightbb.com>
wrote:

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>: major downside of FRS is the total inability to attach a good antenna.

I really have to disagree with that. There is no way a 4-watt output
AM CB is going to communicate as far as a 50-watt output FM 2-meter
radio to a 5/8-wave antenna on the roof. In addition, if you are
talking about a real emergency, like a forest fire, where ARES/RACES
has been activated, the local hams will set up a portable repeater on
2-meters if the normal repeaters have been compromised. There is a
place for CB, and many have both, but it's not because CB has a
greater range simplex than does a good 2-meter radio setup.

Dick - W6CCD

1802. 1 Watt FM transmitter: need help with buzz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 19:17:02 UTC
From: venexia@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1113160622.376757.322280@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16075

I bought a one watt Ramsey FM transmitter to distribute whole house audio .... it's overkill, I admit, but better too much power than to little.

I don't don't know a ton about radio tech, so I thought I'd ask you geniuses for advice.

I am getting a wicked buzz from the transmitter. You can hear it plainly when I tune an FM receiver to the broadcast frequency when there is no music being broadast. I called Ramsey, but they weren't the most helpful (maybe because I'm so non-proficient in radio stuff).

Since my audio source was a computer, I considered the possibility that there was RF coming out of the PC, or that there was a PC related ground problem. So I tried using an iPod as the source, powered by battery.

And to get even more anal about it, I powered the transmitter itself from a car battery with the iPod attached.

Still the buzz. Arghhh.

Could it be my cabling? what is the absolute best way to insulate the cables? Where can I buy such superinsulated beasts? I need a stereo mini plug on one end and left/right rca jacks on the other.

I would be so grateful for advicce!

1803. 1 Watt FM transmitter: need help with buzz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 19:19:33 UTC
From: venexia@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1113160773.165028.144390@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16076

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What else can I do to suppress the noise??

I would be so grateful for advice!

1804. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 19:34:28 UTC
From: Petronoia <Petronoia@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <isvi51d4uve721b68ke4bhbe20csc0pshc@4ax.com>
Source record: 16077
Cross-posted to: alt.survival,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 10 Apr 2005 16:11:28 GMT, "Omega" <2121(d)@insightbb.com>
wrote:

>That is why the Army just purchased 20,000 ICOM F43G radios (440 MHZ) for
>squad level commo.

Squad comms are in the 390's on 14 channels.Those are modified
Icom's.. not stock.

1805. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 21:06:51 UTC
From: Omega <2121@insightbb.com>
Message-ID: <Lzg6e.2793$xL4.1614@attbi_s72>
Source record: 16078
Cross-posted to: alt.survival,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

"Petronoia" <Petronoia@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:hdvi51d84tgn2tngobu248djm0g7ponu7v@4ax.com...
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: And neither of which is as good as even leased space on a commercial
: repeater or trunk system, with high-level sites that have emergency
: power backup.
:
: You can run low-cost used commercial equipment, and even encryption if
: you want.
:
: With the widespread adoption of Nextel, there are a LOT of quiet
: leased systems, even in urban areas where you can negotiate a VERY
: cheap monthly rate for a few users.
:
: Oh and BTW, the government's plan to "turn off" civilian GPS in the
: next major incident has the unintended consequence of killing any
: Cellular/ Nextel or even Simulcast radio system that relies on the GPS
: time clock for synch.
:
: oops.

You information on the ICOM program is out of date. The soldier intercom
has been replaced by the F43G

This is basically a 400 to 450 Mhz radio, with a more power than the FRS
radios that many of the troops are uing on their own. It is basically a
squad level radio, not meant for long range commo. However I do not think
that 20,000 is going to be enough.

BTW, you could purchase your own radio for about $400.

Icom America Wins Large U.S. Army Order for New Radios

F43G Series Offers U.S. Army Soldiers Sophisticated Two-Way Radios

Bellevue, WA - The U.S. Army has selected the Icom F43G series portable
transceiver for in-the-field soldier communications. "We are honored by the

U.S. Army's selection of Icom's two-way radios for soldiers in the field," says Hiro Nakaoka, President of Icom America Inc.

The Icom F43G radios are part of a package known collectively as the Military Bundle. Other elements of the Bundle include a headset, an encryption module, and the accessories needed to complete the custom package. But it's the F43G radios that are the core of the Bundle. These radios were tested extensively by the Army's Battle Lab before a purchase recommendation was made.

The GSA purchase deal is for over 20,000 Bundles and represents the largest government order in Icom America's 25 year history. This order follows on the heels of an earlier, high profile U.S Army order from Icom America - the Soldier Intercom. The new order uses Icom's new, next generation F43G series portable radios. These radios offer more power for today's urban-patrolling soldiers. The extra power helps radio signals "wiggle" around buildings, vehicles and other obstacles.

"We have over 5 years of experience supplying radios to first line Army units," said Chris Lougee, Vice President for Icom America. "The Icom Soldier Intercom was the first use of two-way radios at the squad level. It proved the viability of radios to replace hand and arm signals for coordinating squad actions on an objective." These new models increase transmission security, reduce size and weight, and supply improved battery performance, he added.

The largest previous government order was in 2000, for the U.S. Army's Soldier Intercom portable radio. This new radio differs from the Soldier Intercom in numerous ways. The previous Soldier Intercom was ordered by the Army with specifications for lowering the power level to 1/10th of a single watt.

Icom America's parent company, Icom Inc., was founded in Osaka, Japan. Icom is a publicly held Japanese corporation; its stock is traded on the Osaka and Tokyo Stock Exchange. Icom began as an engineering and manufacturing company, making advanced, compact solid-state radio equipment for use by amateur radio enthusiasts. Icom has since grown to become an industry leader with a product line that includes state-of-the-art communications equipment for land mobile and marine use as well as avionics. Icom America's headquarters are in Bellevue, Washington.

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Wide frequency range and large channel capacity
The IC-F43G series covers a wide frequency range in one version (Two versions available, 400-470MHz or 450-512 (520) MHz). The 256 memory channel

capacity with 16 memory banks allows you to divide and store a variety of ?exible channel groupings. Easy memory channel selection with a simple rotation of the rotary channel knob.

Small and lightweight body
The IC-F43G series sheds size and weight compared with previous models, weighing just 300g (including BP-231) and measuring only 53(W)×120(H)×32.5(D) mm*. The aluminum die-cast chassis and polycarbonate casing combination meets MIL standard speci?cations.
* 10.6 oz, 23/32(W)x 423/32(H)x19/32(D)

1806. Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 21:28:43 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <k76j51tkir1f942fhm027hvk921ru7hok7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16079

This seems to be my month for pilot lamps going out. Does anyone have a service manual on the Kenwood TM-732A? I need to know what kind of lamps are used at PL1, PL2, PL3 and PL4. They are used to illuminate the LCD display. They are incandescent, and appear to be similar to the 12V, 7219 lamps like my Icom uses. However, they are wired in series as pairs with a 10-ohm resistor in line with each pair. That would lead me to believe that they are not 12V.

1807. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 21:30:18 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <d3c5p2$p2e$1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 16080

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:poti51dd2prnjg7qeh3ffhku8s4ljsqhu7@4ax.com...
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> place for CB, and many have both, but it's not because CB has a
> greater range simplex than does a good 2-meter radio setup.
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> Dick - W6CCD

I have talked from Tigard to east Portland on a stock AM CB with no
problems. I cannot make the same trip with 2m rig (even a 75 watt setup and
a 5/8 antenna) because of intervening terrain. QRP HF does have it's
benefits.

1808. Re: 1 Watt FM transmitter: need help with buzz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-10 21:32:28 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <NXg6e.17536$1S4.1764469@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 16081

<venexia@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1113160622.376757.322280@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>I bought a one watt Ramsey FM transmitter to distribute whole house
> audio .... it's overkill, I admit, but better too much power than to
> little.
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> I don't don't know a ton about radio tech, so I thought I'd ask you
> geniuses for advice.
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> plainly when I tune an FM receiver to the broadcast frequency when
> there is no music being broadast. I called Ramsey, but they weren't the
> most helpful (maybe because I'm so non-proficient in radio stuff).
>
> Since my audio source was a computer, I considered the possibility that
> there was RF coming out of the PC, or that there was a PC related
> ground problem. So I tried using an iPod as the source, powered by
> battery.
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> And to get even more anal about it, I powered the transmitter itself
> from a car battery with the iPod attached.
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> Still the buzz. Arghhh.
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> Could it be my cabling? what is the absolute best way to insulate the
> cables? Where can I buy such superinsulated beasts? I need a stereo
> mini plug on one end and left/right rca jacks on the other.
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> I would be so grateful for advicce!
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Not sure what the transmitter is - is it a kit you put together or was it a 'black box' you just connect up and play with? Does it buzz with no input? Or with just, say, a battery-powered transistor radio hooked up to the input? How hard are you driving it - are you possibly over-driving the input?

Frankly, it's over-kill to the extent of probably being illegal, but what the heck, you're not near me. But if it wasn't a kit, take it back and make them make it work.

Cheers.

Ken

1809. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 00:28:46 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <9egj519gej8nc8a7d1gvbph70p3mc16dfa@4ax.com>
Source record: 16082

On Mon, 11 Apr 2005 06:30:18 +0900, "Brenda Ann"
<brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:

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>"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
>news:poti51dd2prnjg7qeh3ffhku8s4ljsqhu7@4ax.com...
>> On Sun, 10 Apr 2005 16:11:28 GMT, "Omega" <2121(d)@insightbb.com>
>> wrote:
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>> >
>> ><editor@netpath.net> wrote in message
>> >news:1113106287.553979.283420@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>> >: My view - as a longtime ham-radio operator who used to diss CB - and
>> >: who has actually has used 2-meter simplex during a major area disaster
>> >: to locate one of the very few area gas stations still with electricity
>> >: to pump gas - is that a good mobile CB setup is better for emergencies
>> >: than a good mobile 2-meter setup. That's because the CB will go
>> >: further simplex (no repeater) than the 2-meter rig will when repeaters
>> >: are either down or tied up due to an emergency - or if you are in some
>> >: locale either lacking repeater coverage or where you don't know the
>> >: active local 2-meter repeater. The "idiot days" of CB - when every car
>> >: had one - are long over here in North Carolina; only truckers, hunters,
>> >: and farmers seem to have mobile rigs here now. I now use CB almost to
>> >: the total exclusion of 2-meter - though I have excellent setups for
>> >: both in my car.
>> >: FRS does have its uses. Like keeping in contact with others on
>> >: campouts, skiing, or in limited areas in Iraq (now a major use). A
>> >: major downside of FRS is the total inability to attach a good antenna.
>>
>> I really have to disagree with that. There is no way a 4-watt output
>> AM CB is going to communicate as far as a 50-watt output FM 2-meter
>> radio to a 5/8-wave antenna on the roof. In addition, if you are
>> talking about a real emergency, like a forest fire, where ARES/RACES
>> has been activated, the local hams will set up a portable repeater on
>> 2-meters if the normal repeaters have been compromised. There is a
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If you did, one of you had a fixed antenna, like a beam or quad. Or one of you was on a hill. Did you have exactly the same conditions on both ends? Same locations, similar antennas, etc.? I.E. if there was a beam on one end for CB, was there a similar gain beam on 2-meters? I have used CB from all kinds of vehicles since it was originally authorized, and 2-meters since it had commercially available equipment (over 50 years) and I have never seen a situation where an unmodified CB could under similar conditions outdo 2-meters. Unless we are talking about skip of course, and there would be no skip between Tigard and Phoenix. Typically, you are lucky if you can get 5 miles mobile to mobile with stock CB's.

1810. Re: 1 Watt FM transmitter: need help with buzz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 01:37:08 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <8xk6e.3988$yq6.3670@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 16083

Since the buzz is still there when you power it from a battery,
try removing all cables except power. Does it still buzz?
Is the battery connected to a charger?

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... Hank

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http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli
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1811. Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 02:45:02 UTC
From: straydog <advocacy@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.61.0504110234040.1747@sdf.lonestar.org>
Source record: 16084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

A ham friend told me that he heard that DSPs really work at least a little bit. He doesn't have one and neither do I (although many of the newer and more expensive rigs have them, and there are one or two outboard DSPs that are available that can be added to older rigs in some ways). I don't know all that they can do (auto null heterodynes? auto noise reduction [what kind of noise reduction?]? audio enhancement [or audio bandpass shaping] of some kind?) but if static crashes can be really removed or attenuated, that would be of use to me. Auto null of heterodynes would be nice on those occassions when tuner-uppers decide to tune up on my frequency in which I am already in two way contact with others (on ssb phone). And, maybe there are some other useful characteristics I don't know about. But, are these really effective? For example, a 20 db heterodyne null is not much. Nulls have to be about 50-60 db to be useful.

I'll take any kind of comments, suggestions, refernces to testing, or personal experience, pro & con recomendations, ...anything...

Art, W4PON

1812. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 03:05:23 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <TPl6e.2130$MZ2.243817@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

There are some good demos at
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cheap Radio Shack DSP40 that performs at the lower end of the scale as far
as these go. It does a remarkable job of multiple heterodyne reduction and
selectable audio passband but its noise blanker is next to useless and it
does not do noise reduction other than through selectivity.

Tom

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1813. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 03:36:11 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4259F0A8.BCA7B8D8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 16086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> selectable audio passband but its noise blanker is next to useless and it
> does not do noise reduction other than through selectivity.
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> Tom

The performance of a DSP is very dependant on the software it runs
under.

--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1814. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 05:29:59 UTC
From: Leon Heller <leon_heller@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <425a0b57$0$292$cc9e4d1f@news-text.dial.pipex.com>
Source record: 16087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

http://www.geocities.com/leon_heller
"straydog" <advocacy@sdf.lonestar.org> wrote in message
news:Pine.NEB.4.61.0504110234040.1747@sdf.lonestar.org...
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> personal experience, pro & con recomendations, ...anything...

If they didn't work, none of the current military radio systems would be any
use - they all use DSP! I've designed an audio processing DSP system using
one of the new dsPIC devices and a codec - just two small chips. The codec
includes a mic pre-amp and headphone amp.

73, Leon

1815. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 08:16:07 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1113207367.943385.55120@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

straydog wrote:
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Snip to...

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> personal experience, pro & con recomendations, ...anything...

I've not had a lot of opportunity to use DSP for Amateur
applications, however I have used it in the Icom IC-718 for Civil Air
Patrol applications.

Several of CAP's 4mHz frequencies suffer from foreign hetrodynes
and other ectopics. The DSP has been over 90% effective in making the
channel "usable".

73

Steve, K4YZ
(TennesseeCAP 250)

1816. Radio Frequency Coils...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 09:11:05 UTC
From: Oliver Gebele <oliver.gebele@tiscali.de>
Message-ID: <d3dm00$1fuo$1@ulysses.news.tiscali.de>
Source record: 16090

Hi there,

i always read RFC (radio frequency coil)
in those schematics, 80m-transmitters
(aka 3.5MHz). But what value do i have to
use? What's the design criteria?
Could anyone give advice, please.

TIA & 73, Oliver, DG2OG

1817. info sought on RACAL MA.295 change-over switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 09:27:10 UTC
From: Henk Gooijen <gooi@oce.nl>
Message-ID: <425A42EE.B81576B3@oce.nl>
Source record: 16089

Hello all,

I got a RACAL MA.295 antenna change-over switch I would like to use.
It has on the front 3 N connectors labeled "antenna", "receiver" and
"transmitter" and a fuse holder plus 2 lamps (power on and transmit).
Inside is a transformer plus some diodes, a relay and a big coaxial
relay.
I do not want to rip up the wiring, so I was wondering if somebody
happens to have documentation of this thing.

73, Henk, PA8PDP
gooi<at>oce<dot>nl

1818. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 11:05:37 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <9Ss6e.4602$xN.3842@fe05.lga>
Source record: 16091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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news:Pine.NEB.4.61.0504110234040.1747@sdf.lonestar.org...

> A ham friend told me that he heard that DSPs really work at least a little

Of course they work. How well, as Michael points out, depends on the
software.

> are available that can be added to older rigs in some ways). I don't know
> all that they can do (auto null heterodynes? auto noise reduction [what

DSPs can be programmed to do almost anything, but in amateur radios, they
generally are used to reduce noise and null hetrodynes.

> of some kind?) but if static crashes can be really removed or attenuated,

In general, the point of DSPs tends not to be to remove static crashes.
Some of the newer noise blankers are, in fact, processors that might be hard
to distinguish from DSPs. They tend to do a very good job on pulse noise,
but I haven't tripped across any that are even decent on static crashes.

> really effective? For example, a 20 db heterodyne null is not much. Nulls
> have to be about 50-60 db to be useful.

Remember, these things are software rather than filters. The stronger the
heterodyne, the easier it is for the software to recognize it.
Unfortunately, it's not magic. A really strong heterodyne is going to be
driving your AGC and perhaps overloading some amps in your chain, so it
isn't like it magically disappears with no other effect. Still, very often
the DSP can make life more pleasant in the presence of lids.

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1819. Re: Radio Frequency Coils...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 13:26:17 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <d3dtto$c1e$1@hercules.btinternet.com>
Source record: 16092

> i always read RFC (radio frequency coil)
> in those schematics, 80m-transmitters
> (aka 3.5MHz). But what value do i have to
> use? What's the design criteria?
> Could anyone give advice, please.
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They are Radio Frequency CHOKE coils. (RFC)

They are required to have a fairly high impedance, like 10,000 or
20,000 ohms, at the lowest frequency of interest and over the widest
range of frequencies as possible.

For the 160m or 80m bands, 1 or 2 milli-Henrys will do.

For the 10m band about 100 uH will suffice.

But values are VERY non-critical,

They should be wound with several fairly close together, but not
touching, banks of turns. This is to minimise self-capacitance across
the coil and reduce the probability of unwanted resonance at much
higher frequencies.

Reg, G4FGQ

1820. Re: Kenwood model 741 triband mobile: power-on problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 16:24:57 UTC
From: John <noaddress@noaddress.invalid>
Message-ID: <3qednSWIX_yPOMffRVn-tA@comcast.com>
Source record: 16094

"Paul Buchan" <pawlwog@yahoo.ca> wrote in message
news:b32b78e3.0504091512.75c89267@posting.google.com...
>I have a Kenwood model 741 three band mobile with a strange problem.
> If the power is interrupted momentarily it will not restart properly.
> The word "on" appears and remains for about a minute before the rig
> turns off automatically. Resetting the microprocessor and replacing
> the two lithium backup batteries didn't help. However, if I
> deliberately interrupt the power supply many times on and off while it
> displays "on" it will ultimately, by chance, boot-up properly and work
> perfectly until the next power interruption. I have $1500 CDN invested
> in this rig and I would dearly love to fix it; does anyone have any
> ideas?
>
> Paul

Go to the Kenwood web site and look for the amateur radio
service bulletins. The first two entries describe memory loss
problems for the TM-231A. Basically the power on reset
circuit fails and does a partial reset on power on. I have a
TM-331A and a TM-431A that have this problem. I haven't
tried to do the repair yet. I also have a 741 that is starting to
act up but it's not really bad yet. The 741 is the same vintage
as the 231 and probably has a similar circuit. I would also
make sure the pins that connect the band modules to the
main chassis are clean and not bent. The 4 wire cable that
connects the control panel to the chassis also should be
checked for good connections.

John

1821. 440 amplifier kits?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 17:53:29 UTC
From: "Bruce W.1" <no@email.com>
Message-ID: <tQy6e.581$716.208@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16093

I've been looking around for a 70 cm band amplifier kit (to give my HT a little more power), but can't find one. And it seems that Mirage (MFJ) is the only company that even sells a 440 amplifier nowadays.

I found a few older 440 amps on eBay, but I'd kind of like to build it myself.

Does anyone know a source for a 440 amplifier kit?

Thanks for your help.

Bruce AF8F

1822. Re: Kenwood model 741 triband mobile: power-on problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-11 19:40:45 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <425ad2c0$0$15228@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 16095

> "Paul Buchan" <pawlwog@yahoo.ca> wrote
> >I have a Kenwood model 741 three band mobile with a strange problem.
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properly........

I have a couple newer micro-p controlled rigs that act the same way. PIA
compared to older rigs. Simplest solution is to hardwire the mobile to the
battery and *always* turn it off while starting the motor.

1823. HT Battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 00:13:09 UTC
From: Jeff <jts1981@nospam.highland.net>
Message-ID: <d3f3r7$b1qi$1@news3.infoave.net>
Source record: 16096

I recently bought a yaesu vx-150. The manual doesnt state how long the battery should be left on charge. I figure there is a formula to figure this out. the battery is the fnb-64, which is 7.2 volts and 700 mAh. The wall charger is 12 volts and 500 mAh. Just querious, thanks for any help.

If replying direct, remove the nospam form my email address, thanks again.

Jeff
KI4ECX

1824. Re: HT Battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 00:25:07 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9635B137A8E23spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 16097

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> battery should be left on charge. I figure there is a formula to
> figure this out. the battery is the fnb-64, which is 7.2 volts and 700
> mAh. The wall charger is 12 volts and 500 mAh. Just querious, thanks
> for any help.

Jeff, don't know how silimar to my FT60 your VX150 is, but charging time
for my similar Yaesu radio is 10 hours.

A rule of thumb for your question above, recommended normal charge for
a NiCd battery is 110%. I don't know if that wall charger of yours
charges the battery at a 500mA rate, or if that is just the maximum current
capability of the wall unit. Maybe someone else here can help?

Ed K7AAT

1825. FS. TOWER_MOTOR_ROTOR_FOLD_OVER_SELF_SUPPORTING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 00:35:12 UTC
From: ME <aeschelon@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sg5m5116s6d85fh49rph2hti8sp4irpbof@4ax.com>
Source record: 15998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It is with great misgivings that I am about to sell my
precious tower.

I am moving and also getting older and not going to put up
the tower at he new location.

I have a Telex 55 foot, fold-over, MOTORIZED,
self-supporting tower that is in excellent shape. This is a
SERIOUSLY HEAVY-DUTY TOWER.

This has a commercially built rotor control box that
controls a prop pitch motor that would turn a tank. The
prop-pitch motor is included and already mounted. For a few
bucks more, I will include the t-6061 mast and even a
fiberglass cross-mast.

This jewel is in my backyard and is currently up.

After I take it down, it will be ready to put up and get on
the air. I have everything with it including the in-shack
control box (HAM_M).

I NEED TO DETERMINE if anyone is seriously interested in
this because I have other things that I need to do rather
than take down a tower that there is not a serious prospect
for.

The tower is in Houston, Texas but is well worth a drive to
Texas

I am expecting to offer this for around $2500.00 FIRM.

Thanks

reply to aeschelon@hotmail.com

1826. Re: Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 01:04:00 UTC
From: W7RBR <rbriver@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <SaCdnVpcV4MWg8bfRVn-hA@comcast.com>
Source record: 15999

Try here:

http://www.pacparts.com/electronics/model.cfm?mfg=KENWOOD&model_id=TM732A&back=0&action=list_part&CFID=14626&CFTOKEN=84216408

Cheers,
Rick
W7RBR

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:k76j51tkir1f942fhm027hvk921ru7hok7@4ax.com...
> This seems to be my month for pilot lamps going out. Does anyone have
> a service manual on the Kenwood TM-732A? I need to know what kind of
> lamps are used at PL1, PL2, PL3 and PL4. They are used to illuminate
> the LCD display. They are incandescent, and appear to be similar to
> the 12V, 7219 lamps like my Icom uses. However, they are wired in
> series as pairs with a 10-ohm resistor in line with each pair. That
> would lead me to believe that they are not 12V.
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1827. Re: HT Battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 01:04:14 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <fh7m51pq69je8opud27svmncd4b314tfhc@4ax.com>
Source record: 16000

On Mon, 11 Apr 2005 20:13:09 -0400, "Jeff"
<jts1981@nospam.highland.net> wrote:

>I recently bought a yaesu vx-150. The manual doesnt state how long the
>battery should be left on charge. I figure there is a formula to figure this
>out. the battery is the fnb-64, which is 7.2 volts and 700 mAh. The wall
>charger is 12 volts and 500 mAh. Just querious, thanks for any help.
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Don't have the formula handy, but my VX-150 is happy with 8-10 hours
for a full charge on the original battery using the Yaesu charger made
for it.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

1828. Re: HT Battery question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 01:19:55 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <115m8hrq2kkmvd1@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 16001

In article <d3f3r7$b1qi$1@news3.infoave.net>,
Jeff <jts1981@nospam.highland.net> wrote:

>I recently bought a yaesu vx-150. The manual doesnt state how long the
>battery should be left on charge. I figure there is a formula to figure this
>out. the battery is the fnb-64, which is 7.2 volts and 700 mAh. The wall
>charger is 12 volts and 500 mAh. Just querious, thanks for any help.

To be certain, you'd have to actually measure the rate at which the
charger is delivering current. It may be less than 500 mA - that may
be the "nearly short-circuited load" safety current rating rather than
the actual rate of delivery. You could measure this with a
milliammeter and a bit of care, I think.

You can figure that NiCd batteries, if fully discharged, are going to
require a total charge delivery which exceeds their rated capacity by
some amount - the charging process is not 100% efficient. A fairly
common slow-charge regime is a rate of C/10 (that is, one tenth of the
rated capacity), delivered for a period of around 14 hours. In the
case of your radio that would be 70 mA for 14 hours.

If the charger is actually delivering a higher current, you'd divide
that into the 700 mAh capacity to figure the number of hours required
for a 100% charge delivery (e.g. 2 hours at 350 mA), and then add a
finagle factor of maybe 30-40% to compensate for the inherent
inefficiency of the charging process.

A good fast-charger will have a "smart" charge cutoff circuit - it'll
detect the state of full charge (the battery heats up and its terminal
voltage starts to decrease a bit) and turn off the current or switch
to a low trickle-charge rate.

Naturally, if you're starting with a battery which is not fully
discharged, it will take less time to "top it up" than it would
require for a full charge.

The best two bits of advice I can give you, with regard to NiCd
batteries, is:

- Don't run them down *all* of the way. When they start to fade
out - at the first sign that the "battery monster" is chewing down
on your radio's ability to transmit or receive - turn the radio off
and/or switch to another battery pack. Running down a NiCd battery
all the way to zerch is likely to reverse-charge at least one of the
cells and damage it. When the voltage drops to 1 volt per cell
(6 volts in the case of your FNB-64 pack) there's very little
power left in it... unplug and recharge!

- Don't let them toast away on a charger (even a trickle charger) for days at a time. Recharge them properly and then unplug the radio from the charger.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1829. Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 01:22:46 UTC
From: "Charles P.L. Stokes" <wb4pvt@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <GpF6e.8630$jd6.2651@trnddc07>
Source record: 16002

Anyone know anything about this Cold Solder Tool they try to sell on TV for
$19.95?
wb4pvt

1830. Re: Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 01:38:03 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <7f9m51l82n862k1pnpglqjs7puosug5snc@4ax.com>
Source record: 16003

Thanks. Interesting site. Somewhat surprised at the price of the
lamps. $3.57 each. They look very similar to the ones I purchased
from Mouser for 29-cents for my Icom. Must be something special about
them. Or maybe it's just because it comes from Kenwood.

Dick - W6CCD

On Mon, 11 Apr 2005 18:04:00 -0700, "W7RBR" <rbriver@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Try here:
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>http://www.pacparts.com/electronics/model.cfm?mfg=KENWOOD&model_id=TM732A&back=0&action=l
ist_part&CFID=14626&CFTOKEN=84216408
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>Cheers,
>Rick
>W7RBR
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>"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
>news:k76j51tkir1f942fhm027hvk921ru7hok7@4ax.com...
>> This seems to be my month for pilot lamps going out. Does anyone have
>> a service manual on the Kenwood TM-732A? I need to know what kind of
>> lamps are used at PL1, PL2, PL3 and PL4. They are used to illuminate
>> the LCD display. They are incandescent, and appear to be similar to
>> the 12V, 7219 lamps like my Icom uses. However, they are wired in
>> series as pairs with a 10-ohm resistor in line with each pair. That
>> would lead me to believe that they are not 12V.
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1831. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 02:56:28 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <wNG6e.3796$BJ3.1656@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 16004

Some folks say it's junk, but I've never tried one. Radio Shack also sells
'em.

"Charles P.L. Stokes" <wb4pvt@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:GpF6e.8630$jd6.2651@trnddc07...
> Anyone know anything about this Cold Solder Tool they try to sell on TV
for
> $19.95?
> wb4pvt
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1832. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 02:58:23 UTC
From: Dale Parfitt <par@parelectronics.com>
Message-ID: <jPG6e.13370$0c2.1545@trnddc08>
Source record: 16005

"Charles P.L. Stokes" <wb4pvt@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:GpF6e.8630$jd6.2651@trnddc07...
> Anyone know anything about this Cold Solder Tool they try to sell on TV
for
> $19.95?
> wb4pvt
>
> Not at all useful for electronics.
Dale W4OP

1833. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 03:18:40 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <h6fm519mqnea1ch4sbjpp58i2baali0bo6@4ax.com>
Source record: 16006

On Sun, 10 Apr 2005 17:28:46 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

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>If you did, one of you had a fixed antenna, like a beam or quad. Or
>one of you was on a hill. Did you have exactly the same conditions on
>both ends? Same locations, similar antennas, etc.? I.E. if there was
>a beam on one end for CB, was there a similar gain beam on 2-meters?
>I have used CB from all kinds of vehicles since it was originally
>authorized, and 2-meters since it had commercially available equipment
>(over 50 years) and I have never seen a situation where an unmodified
>CB could under similar conditions outdo 2-meters. Unless we are
>talking about skip of course, and there would be no skip between
>Tigard and Phoenix. Typically, you are lucky if you can get 5 miles
>mobile to mobile with stock CB's.

It's been awhile, but on the highway, I seem to recall about 3, 4,
maybe 5 miles, max, with my old Rat-shack 5-watt AM CB rig, on flat
mid-Texas plains.

When I tune the local simplex frequency on 2-meter FM, I hear guys all
over a city of a million folks talking with decent strength.

bob
k5qwg

1834. 1KW linear, what about nearby antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 03:37:32 UTC
From: Pat MacKinnon <pmk2003q3@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <ZnH6e.1529$5u4.5807@nnrp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 16007

I just bought an Icom PW-1 solid state kilowatt amplifier.
On my tower, I have an HF multiband antenna that is rated for 1200W, but 8' above it on the top of the same mast is my triband (2m/70cm/23cm) vertical.

My question (being new to the kilowatt club) is what proximity concerns might I have? I have a 2nd roof mounted mast about 30' away from the beam with a discone and a 6m-70cm log antenna on it.

To put it simply, is there a minimum distance I should keep other antennas away from the main HF array? I would prefer to not burn out the front end of any of my other radios.

Any experiences or advice on this one?

Thanks,
Pat, VE3PMK

1835. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 05:28:02 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <71nm519a20er150ij21pr35skooc03rkl7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16008

On Tue, 12 Apr 2005 03:18:40 GMT, Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
wrote:

>On Sun, 10 Apr 2005 17:28:46 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
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>>authorized, and 2-meters since it had commercially available equipment
>>(over 50 years) and I have never seen a situation where an unmodified
>>CB could under similar conditions outdo 2-meters. Unless we are
>>talking about skip of course, and there would be no skip between
>>Tigard and Phoenix. Typically, you are lucky if you can get 5 miles
>>mobile to mobile with stock CB's.
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>maybe 5 miles, max, with my old Rat-shack 5-watt AM CB rig, on flat
>mid-Texas plains.
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>When I tune the local simplex frequency on 2-meter FM, I hear guys all
>over a city of a million folks talking with decent strength.
>
>bob
>k5qwg

I agree completely. And I see I should have said between Tigard and
Portland, not Phoenix. Must be because I live in Arizona. :-)

Dick - W6CCD

1836. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 05:54:37 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <d3fnmh$5lm$1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 16009

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:71nm519a20er150ij21pr35skooc03rkl7@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 12 Apr 2005 03:18:40 GMT, Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
> wrote:
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> >On Sun, 10 Apr 2005 17:28:46 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
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> >over a city of a million folks talking with decent strength.
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> >bob
> >k5qwg
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> I agree completely. And I see I should have said between Tigard and
> Portland, not Phoenix. Must be because I live in Arizona. :-)
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> Dick - W6CCD

Well see, now.. that's the problem.. y'all are flatlanders. :)

Yes, most any amount of power on VHF will go for astounding distances (I've talked with 4 watts from Salem to a repeater on the WA side of the Columbia River, about 60 miles distant) over flat land or to a high point. Problem is, Oregon doesn't have a lot of flat land, especially the Portland area. Hell, we have an extinct volcano right there in town, plus several other

hills, including the west hills between Portland and Tigard (about 14 miles). To talk simplex with my friend over in Tigard on 2m, I had to use a beam and bounce my signal off a commercial radio tower on top of Healey Heights.

1837. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 10:41:04 UTC
From: Steve <hogrunner@ev1.net>
Message-ID: <425BA5C0.E6CC3B61@ev1.net>
Source record: 16010

Charles stick with standard 50/50 mix of lead acid solder
for most electrical connections. At 850 F makes good solid
connnection, that cold solder gun will not give you
that. Also im told in cold weather condx, fittings have
been known to come undone.

my nickels worth.....

steve in tx.....

1838. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:00:08 UTC
From: Dale Parfitt <par@parelectronics.com>
Message-ID: <sDP6e.20736$B12.10921@trnddc09>
Source record: 16014

"Steve" <hogrunner@ev1.net> wrote in message
news:425BA5C0.E6CC3B61@ev1.net...
> Charles stick with standard 50/50 mix of lead acid solder
> for most electrical connections. At 850 F makes good solid
> connnection, that cold solder gun will not give you
> that. Also im told in cold weather condx, fittings have
> been known to come undone.
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> my nickels worth.....
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> steve in tx.....
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I don't believe anyone would seriously recommend acid core solder for
electronics work- a sure fire way to ruin your equipment. 60/40 rosin core
has been the industry standard for as long as I can remember.
Dale W4OP

1839. FA: TWO(2) WESTERN ELECTRIC US ARMY 313C TUBES WWII 1944 NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:41:12 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <WdQ6e.1055$Ff3.233@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16011
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5766239980&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1840. FA: TWO(2) USA 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES Tested-Handy to have!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:42:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <LeQ6e.1056$Yc3.894@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16016
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5766240014&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1841. FA: TWO(2) RCA CUNNINGHAM type 01-A & 112A RADIO TUBES OLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:42:57 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <AfQ6e.1057$dg3.1030@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16013
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=73379&item=5766240035&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1842. FA: TWO(2) NOS 6JS6C RF OUTPUT TUBES Tested-Handy to have!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:43:51 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qgQ6e.1058$Hg3.1027@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16015
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

$15.00>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5766240057&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1843. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:45:28 UTC
From: mbfudd@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <76kn51hk19fq28knegobfls7t7153a99ud@4ax.com>
Source record: 16017

An absolute piece of junk, not even worthy of taking up space in my
tool drawer!

Steve W.

On Tue, 12 Apr 2005 01:22:46 GMT, "Charles P.L. Stokes"
<wb4pvt@verizon.net> wrote:

>Anyone know anything about this Cold Solder Tool they try to sell on TV for
>$19.95?
>wb4pvt
>

1844. FA: ICOM IC-O2AT HANDY-TALKIE for 2MTR FM, A CLASSIC & NEAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:45:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <diQ6e.1060$nf3.700@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16012
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Cheep>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40066&item=5766240083&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1845. FA: $10> EIGHT(8) VINTAGE GENERAL ELECTRIC 2N167 TRANSISTORS-'55

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:46:54 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <gjQ6e.1061$0h3.674@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16018
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4666&item=7506843054&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1846. FA: COLLINS R-390A 70H-12 PTO w/TUBE, NICE SHAPE & NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:47:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4kQ6e.1062$ai3.581@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16019
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

Big $32>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5766240109&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1847. FA: CLASSIC & POPULAR DRAKE T-4XB TRANSMITTER COMPLETE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 13:48:37 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <UkQ6e.1063$Ed3.426@fe10.lga>
Source record: 16020
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5766240147&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1848. Re: 1KW linear, what about nearby antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 14:05:25 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <425bd5a7$0$15777@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 16021

"Pat MacKinnon" <pmk2003q3@sympatico.ca> wrote
> I just bought an Icom PW-1 solid state kilowatt amplifier.
> On my tower, I have an HF multiband antenna that is rated for 1200W, but
> 8' above it on the top of the same mast is my triband (2m/70cm/23cm)
> vertical.

If the other antenae are directly above your HF vertical you should have no problems. The radiation pattern is a toroid (donut) shape and antennae above and below are in the 'hole'. I use a 6m/2m/70cm vertical above a pair of 40/75m inverted 'Vs' driven by 600 watts and haven't smoked anything yet. However RF is magic and YMMV.

1849. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 14:14:01 UTC
From: Joe User <nobody@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <d3gl60$f6m$1@info2.uah.edu>
Source record: 16022

Steve wrote:
> Charles stick with standard 50/50 mix of lead acid solder
> for most electrical connections.

Acid core solder will eat your electronics - save it for patching metal buckets or something. Use rosin core solder for electronics.

the 50/50 refers to the lead/tin ratio.

> At 850 F makes good solid
> connnection,

850 sounds a bit hot; sometimes the 750 on our unit here at work seems a bit hot.

-Jason
kg4wsv

1850. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 14:26:05 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <425BDA7D.6040600@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 16023

Boy, I wonder how long his equipment worked ???

Rosin core solder for electronics, even a real CB'er would know that.
Stay away from that cold heat pen, it is not good for electronics.

Steve wrote: <hogrunner@ev1.net>
> Charles stick with standard 50/50 mix of lead acid solder
> for most electrical connections. At 850 F makes good solid
> connnection, that cold solder gun will not give you
> that. Also im told in cold weather condx, fittings have
> been known to come undone.
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> my nickels worth.....
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> steve in tx.....
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1851. Signal present line from a GP300

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 14:49:07 UTC
From: andyj81@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1113317347.938119.277050@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16024

Hi with the GP300 by motorola, is there anyway of obtaining a line that would change its' state when the squelch was broken, giving a PIC processor an indication of state, ie if there is no traffic on the frequ then transmit data ?

Is there any such indicator that can be sourced from the PL / CTCSS chip etc. Providing that CTCSS was used.

HELP !!!

Andy.

andyj81@hotmail.com

1852. Re: 1KW linear, what about nearby antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 15:04:05 UTC
From: Pat <phoneguy99.delete@delete.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <UrR6e.3043$MZ2.524986@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 16025

My HF antenna is a Beam, not a vertical.
Sorry, I should have better articulated that.

The 6 band HF beam is 1' above the thrust bearing, and ~ 8' above the beam is the triband vertical (at the very top of the mast.)
That said, there will definitely be a significant RF field above and below the beam, as well as to the obvious front and back of the beam.

So, is there a danger of inducing destructive voltages to the vertical above? What about other antennas on my roof near the tower?

My beam is well above the roof line, but as I have two tripods on the roof, each with assorted verticals and beams {6m - 70cm LogP, two discones, a 902 yagi, and 902 vertical, and a 220MHz vertical.) These are each 25 to 30 feet away from the HF beam. There's also a distorted G5RV (aka: has a 90 degree turn near the end of the long leg as to stay on the property) running off the roof to some trees along the back fence.

So you see my concern about having a 1KW RF source in proximity to all the other antennas.

'73, VE3PMK

1853. Re: FA: TWO(2) RCA CUNNINGHAM type 01-A & 112A RADIO TUBES OLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 15:10:53 UTC
From: Cmd Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <sNSdnf-riIvunMHfRVn-ug@gbronline.com>
Source record: 16028
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:
> http://cgi.ebay.com/w
>
>
so why do you have to spam this group with your stupid ebay ads when
there are groups just for such purposes?

1854. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 16:53:57 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <F2T6e.1999$%v6.1769@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 16026

Here's the eham reviews of this soldering iron:
http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/4623

"Charles P.L. Stokes" <wb4pvt@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:GpF6e.8630$jd6.2651@trnddc07...
> Anyone know anything about this Cold Solder Tool they try to sell on TV
for
> $19.95?
> wb4pvt
>
>

1855. Re: FA: TWO(2) USA 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES Tested-Handy to have!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 17:00:17 UTC
From: "Billy Boy (78's Rule!)" <bcrowell@excite.com>
Message-ID: <1113325217.138791.199760@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 16027
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Have you ever wondered how some ruully, rully, big RF tubes would work
as audio amplifiers? Like maybe a 3-500Z?

1856. Re: FA: TWO(2) USA 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES Tested-Handy to have!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 17:32:09 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <d3h0mp$4o2$6@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 16029
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

In <1113325217.138791.199760@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com> (rec.radio.amateur.equipment), "Billy Boy (78's Rule!)" wrote:
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> as audio amplifiers? Like maybe a 3-500Z?

Many of the Eimac power triodes and tetrodes are rated for use at AF.

The 3CX400A7/8874 is a compact high-mu power triode
intended for use in zero bias Class B amplifiers in
audio or RF applications. Operation with zero bias
simplifies circuitry and cathode driven operation is
attractive since a power gain as high as twenty can be
obtained.

The 5CX1500A is designed for use as a Class AB1 linear
amplifier in audio or radio frequency applications. Its
characteristic low intermodulation distortion makes it
especially suitable for single sideband service. The
tube is also recommended for use as a Class C RF power
amplifier in CW, FM and AM service.

The 5CX1500A is good for 3200 Watts as a class AB1 audio power amp:

MAXIMUM RATINGS TYPICAL OPERATION
Class Type of Service Plate Voltage (Volts) Plate current (Amps) Plate Voltage (Volts) Screen Voltage (Volts) Plate Current (Amps) Drive Power (Watts) Output Power (kiloWatts)
AB1 AF Amplifier or Modulated 4,000 1.0 3,800 500 1.3 -- 3.22

A look through the catalog at <http://www.cpii.com/eimac/index.html>
is very instructive.

--
Mike Andrews, W5EGO
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

1857. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 18:55:08 UTC
From: Peter Barbella <nonobar@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <gQU6e.14294$nH4.4122@trndny05>
Source record: 16030
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Isn't the effectiveness of DSP critically dependent upon the A/D converter;
its dynamic range, it's number of bits and it's sampling speed?

Pete
KB1LZH

"straydog" <advocacy@sdf.lonestar.org> wrote in message
news:Pine.NEB.4.61.0504110234040.1747@sdf.lonestar.org...
>
> A ham friend told me that he heard that DSPs really work at least a little
> bit. He doesn't have one and neither do I (although many of the newer and
> more expensive rigs have them, and there are one or two outboard DSPs that
> are available that can be added to older rigs in some ways). I don't know
> all that they can do (auto null heterodynes? auto noise reduction [what
> kind of noise reduction?]? audio enhancement [or audio bandpass shaping]
> of some kind?) but if static crashes can be really removed or attenuated,
> that would be of use to me. Auto null of heterodynes would be nice on
> those
> occassions when tuner-uppers decide to tune up on my frequency in which I
> am already in two way contact with others (on ssb phone). And, maybe there
> are some other useful characteristics I don't know about. But, are these
> really effective? For example, a 20 db heterodyne null is not much. Nulls
> have to be about 50-60 db to be useful.
>
> I'll take any kind of comments, suggestions, refernces to testing, or
> personal experience, pro & con recomendations, ...anything...
>
> Art, W4PON
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>

1858. Thanks to all who responded....was: Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 19:13:42 UTC
From: straydog <advocacy@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.61.0504121859030.3428@ukato.freeshell.org>
Source record: 16031
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Re: Peter's comment below; I don't know enough about DSPs to answer. I got a few ideas and notions from all that responded. Me? I was most interested to learn whether any DSPs could do noise reduction of any kind. Heterodyne from lid tuner-uppers would be nice, too, and so would passband width and position.

I did google "DSP & ham radio" and quite a bit came up and it will take me some time to check out enough to figure out if it might be worth chucking out $200+ on a decent outboard unit (I can't justify laying out a big chunk of money on a really modern xcvr with built in DSP just for those relatively rare moments when I have pulse noise, hash noise, or a heterodyne, or someone with spillover from an adjacent frequency), so I need something that works pretty good. One guy said there is no "magic" meaning to me that maybe I should not expect rabbits to come out of hats easily and quickly. My friend with whom I have weekly ragchew ssb QSOs told me that just putting on headphones helped him read me when I was weak and his noise level was high. Also, it helped him a lot when I bought a linear and went from barefoot to four 811As. But, if a nearby QSO starts and thier audio is broad, the spillover can be annoying if they are stronger. Thus, if I could "DSP" a narrower passband and shift the frequency (or at least shift the "knee"), that might be useful.

Regarding efficacy, I remember back some 3-4 decades ago they were coming out with audio compandors that "compressed" 2.5+ khz of audio bandwidth into a signal about 1.2 khz wide, thus saving bandwidth but the gadgets never caught on bigtime and some gossip said that the extra "audio punch" and thus power boost (3 db-ish) really didn't end up doing that much. So, that is one example of a fancy-schmantzy gadget that didn't last long. This new PSK-31 audio jazz is also out there (the box is about $500 ?) and you need one at both ends of the voice QSO and I have not yet heard many of them (the review said that if the signal drops too low, the voice info just stops coming through the speaker, so it has its caveats, too).

Again, thanks to all those who made comments.

Art, W4PON

======= no change to below, included for reference and context ====
On Tue, 12 Apr 2005, Peter Barbella wrote:

> Date: Tue, 12 Apr 2005 18:55:08 GMT
> From: Peter Barbella <nonobar@verizon.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors, rec.antiques.radio+phono,

> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,
> rec.radio.amateur.policy
> Subject: Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?
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1859. Re: Cold Solder

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 19:23:53 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <s08o51579uvthg1bqbs9hkaspda6dm6aa7@4ax.com>
Source record: 16032

On Tue, 12 Apr 2005 16:53:57 GMT, "Hamguy" <hamguy@arrl.net> wrote:

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>Here's the eham reviews of this soldering iron:
>http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/4623
>
Truth in advertising. It makes cold solder joints.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
--
At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

1860. FA:TELREX Ant. Catalogs x17

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 19:49:29 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <dDV6e.68928$cg1.20016@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 16033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

17 Telrex antenna catalogs + other stuff too at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

tnx , heytubeguy

1861. WTB: Simpson 635HV Voltmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 20:32:18 UTC
From: mstone321@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <3bd25cad.0504121232.604bb0f5@posting.google.com>
Source record: 16034

Let me know what you have...

mstone321 at yahoo dot com

Matt

1862. Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 23:12:33 UTC
From: Jeff <jeff_164@NOSPAMhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <CBY6e.18259$1S4.1823663@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 16035
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

Hi,
I need the concentric knob pair for an Eddystone 990R - the original light
grey type with brushed aluminium end insert. This pair is the RF/IF gain control knobs.

Have tried Dave Simmons in the UK, but no response to requests.
Also have placed ad in the Eddystone User Group newsletter, no results.

Please remove NOSPAM in return email address
JEFF
ZL3JK

1863. Re: FA: TWO(2) RCA CUNNINGHAM type 01-A & 112A RADIO TUBES OLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 23:20:02 UTC
From: KC8GXW <KC8GXW@centurytel.net>
Message-ID: <qLWdnaCMUtUGysHfRVn-tw@centurytel.net>
Source record: 16036
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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> there are groups just for such purposes?
Or put all your FA stuff in 1 post!

1864. WANTED: Motorola Micor Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-12 23:32:08 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <425C5A78.7EE5B0CC@erols.com>
Source record: 16037

Particularly interested in the 100 watt power amplifier, model
TLD-1692 for 2 meters.

Murray, K3BEQ

1865. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 04:11:24 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <MZ07e.16977$JO6.14672@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 16038
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

i hate to dissapoint you but currently i dont even have one concentric knob,let alone two

if one cant find concentric knobs,seek advice from your doctor or maybe a plastic surgeon can fursnish you with a concentric knob.

my one knob,is precoious to me,its the only thing that will stir my morning coffee in which i drink from a large pint size mug

i wish you luck

regards,Paul

"Jeff" <jeff_164@NOSPAMhotmail.com> wrote in message
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1866. Re: 1KW linear, what about nearby antennas?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 04:20:46 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <425C9EC6.125049E6@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 16039

Pat:

It's a horrible problem, and there's nothing you can really do about it except put it back in the box and ship it to me in Hawaii. That'll put it far enough away you won't have to worry about cooking any of the other front ends....

hi hi hi....

On a serious note, you probably don't have much to worry about due to the difference of frequencies between various rigs. I have two HF rigs in my shack (Icom 751A and 746Pro) and with one on the X9 Beam and the other on the Carolina Windom (that uses the tower for support of one end) I do get some significant bleed through, but not enough energy to cause damage to either one.

If you typically work on a single band, you can put band traps (coax stubs cut to block a given band) on the radios you are worried about... Another choice is to make up a good antenna switch center that grounds the inputs to other (hf at least) rigs when you are pushing 1KW on HF. I'm working through the control logic for one right now... Want to be able to switch any of 5 antennas into choice of the two radios, with ground blanking for the receiving rig when transmitting on the other. The logic to do the grounding is trivial, but am still thinking about how I'm going to guarantee I don't get two rigs on the same antenna, and ground all unused antennas. 746 Pro will have priority if both rigs select the same antenna, and want to put other rig into dummy load if antenna selection conflict exists... Once I get past doing my income taxes, I'll actually start thinking about how to implement the logic.

Good Luck!

--Rick AH7H

Pat MacKinnon wrote:

> I just bought an Icom PW-1 solid state kilowatt amplifier.
> On my tower, I have an HF multiband antenna that is rated for 1200W, but
> 8' above it on the top of the same mast is my triband (2m/70cm/23cm)
> vertical.
>
> My question (being new to the kilowatt club) is what proximity concerns
> might I have? I have a 2nd roof mounted mast about 30' away from the
> beam with a discone and a 6m-70cm log antenna on it.
>
> To put it simply, is there a minimum distance I should keep other
> antennas away from the main HF array? I would prefer to not burn out the

> front end of any of my other radios.
>
> Any experiences or advice on this one?
>
> Thanks,
> Pat, VE3PMK

1867. Re: FA: TWO(2) RCA CUNNINGHAM type 01-A & 112A RADIO TUBES OLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 04:56:41 UTC
From: Landshark <s3buell@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <dE17e.1119$J12.965@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 16040
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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> so why do you have to spam this group with your stupid ebay ads when there
> are groups just for such purposes?

Complain to his ISP and to EBAY. Make sure that you
include the entire post with headers, EBay does not like
it when their clients Spam and have strict policies.

Landshark

--
Is it so frightening to have me at your shoulder?
Thunder and lightning couldn't be bolder.
I'll write on your tombstone, ``I thank you for dinner.''
This game that we animals play is a winner.

1868. Which diodes to install

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 05:22:51 UTC
From: THOR <thor5@usfamily.net>
Message-ID: <P027e.377$XL1.1341@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 16041

I am rebuilding the power supply on a Johnson Messenger 250 and the schematics call for 200v - 1.5 amp diodes. All I can find are 200v 1 amp or 200 v 3 amp. (at Radio Shack)

What should I do? or where should I look to get the proper diodes. Your help would be greatly appreciated.

1869. Re: Which diodes to install

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 11:12:09 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <425cfedf$1_4@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 16042

You should use the 200V 3 amp diodes. Any voltage/current rating diode that meets or exceeds the original spec and fits the available space will work. You should also consider buying parts at Mouser, where you'll find them at a fraction of the cost of the RS parts. There's no minimum order and the shipping cost is easily covered by the savings if you're buying several parts at one time.

K8AC

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1870. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 11:53:46 UTC
From: "Edward A. Feustel" <efeustel@direcway.com>
Message-ID: <425d0919$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 16043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Pete
> KB1LZH
Yes, and the AGC system that makes maximum use of the A/D and D/A range.
See for example the organization of the Ten Tec Orion.
Ed,
N5EI

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1871. FS yeasu ft7800 dual band mobile radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 14:08:00 UTC
From: Mwin33 <Mwin33@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <-tednQbxyrJRusDfRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 16044

I have a yeasu ft 7800 like brand new in the box with pc software and cable.
I used this radio in the house for 2 weeks and did not want to put it in the
car so its up forsale.
I bought this radio and software and cable new from the store.
The software and cable have never been used.
$250 shipped lower 48 states only.

1872. FS:ICOM IC-PS55 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 18:58:42 UTC
From: Bob Stamper <bobstamp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <rXd7e.76382$wo1.58009@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

I have for sale an ICOM IC-PS55 power supply.It is rated at 13.8 VDC at 20 amps.it has the standard 6 pin molex plug.It will power any 12 volt 100 watt transceiver.The power supply is turned on & off via the radio on off switch on the following models: IC-735,IC-725,IC-728,IC-271 & IC-471.I am sure there are other models also.
I am asking $70.00 shipped to any lower 48 address.

Regards
Bob N4KTS

1873. FS: ICOM IC-271H transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 19:01:19 UTC
From: Bob Stamper <bobstamp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <UZd7e.76383$wo1.32521@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 16046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale an ICOM IC-271H All Mode transceiver in excellent condition.It comes with the mic ,manual,and box.It has the tone encoder installed.It has never been used in a smoking environment.It has a 100 watt power output & is continuously adjustable from 10 to 100 watts.The frequency range is from 143.8 to 148.2 MHz.This is a great rig for general or satellite use.
I am asking $450.00 shipped to any lower 48 address.

Regards
Bob N4KTS

1874. FS: ICOM IC471A transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 19:03:49 UTC
From: Bob Stamper <bobstamp@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <e0e7e.76384$wo1.42507@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15948
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap

I have for sale in excellent condition an Icom IC-471A all mode UHF transceiver.It comes with the mic & manual.Also included is the optional UT-15 tone encoder/CTCSS unit.The frequency range is from 430.0 to 450.0 MHz all mode.I also have the optional IC-PS25 internal power supply,I will include it free as it needs repair.The rig has never been used in a smoking environment.This is a great rig for general or satellite use.
I am asking $350.00 shipped to any lower 48 address.

Regards
Bob N4KTS

1875. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 19:06:07 UTC
From: Paul Keinanen <keinanen@sci.fi>
Message-ID: <bhnq51hn65oh9fh9cir5h55o5b3e2rposs@4ax.com>
Source record: 16047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>Yes, and the AGC system that makes maximum use of the A/D and D/A range.
>See for example the organization of the Ten Tec Orion.

If the DSP system really needs some kind of AGC, then it is a useless
toy :-).

If you have a strong and a weak signal in the ADC input bandwidth and
the system gain depends on the strong signal, then the weak signal is
going to be drowned into the (quantisation)noise whenever the
amplitude of the strong signal is increased.

Any properly working DSP system should be designed in a way that it is
capable of properly converting the thermal noise as well as the
combination of all strong signals in the input.

The only justification for using AGC in front of a DSP system is that
if antennas with dramatically different efficiencies are used. For
instance, if the receiver input is switched between a full sized
dipole on 160 m and a ferrite rod (with perhaps -40 dB gain), then it
is quite acceptable to modify the gain with some kind of AGC, but this
could be handled as well with some antenna specific gain presets.

If the system is working an hour on a specific band with a specific
antenna, you should not need any kind of AGC depending on the actual
signal level. If you need AGC for this, then you are going to have
problems, if you are trying to receive any weak signal close to a
strong signal.

Paul OH3LWR

1876. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 19:31:11 UTC
From: robert casey <wa2ise@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <3se7e.6417$sp3.4597@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15949
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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sampled at least twice the highest signal frequency to be digitized.
One has to avoid saturation (overflow) else the rest of the
signal gets blanked during the overflows.

sklee@ati.com

1877. FA: SMALL XFMR FOUND, TNX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 21:16:05 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <p_f7e.72638$cg1.5663@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tnx of all who had this item-I now have one-ur help was greatly appreciated,
Joe, heytubeguy

1878. FA: Waters Model 374 1500 watt dummy load/wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 22:38:59 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <4ch7e.12593$d43.1798@lakeread03>
Source record: 15951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Nice addition to your Collins or other vintage station:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5767256823&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

1879. Re: Which diodes to install

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-13 23:06:11 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <DBh7e.5304$go4.2092@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15952

"THOR" <thor5@usfamily.net> wrote in message
news:P027e.377$XL1.1341@news.uswest.net...
> I am rebuilding the power supply on a Johnson Messenger 250 and the
> schematics call for 200v - 1.5 amp diodes. All I can find are 200v 1 amp
> or 200 v 3 amp. (at Radio Shack)
>
> What should I do? or where should I look to get the proper diodes. Your
> help would be greatly appreciated.
>

For noncritical applications you can go to any higher voltage diode , even
up to 1000 or 1.5 K volt diodes. The current rating is about the same .
You can find some 3 amp diodes that are about the same size as the 1 amp
diodes. YOu can go up to almost any reasonable amp rating on the diodes.

You may look on Ebay for some of the diodes.

1880. R390 For sale in NJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 00:38:48 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <sYi7e.5984$Fm5.2678@trndny09>
Source record: 15953
Cross-posted to: alt.military.collecting,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a R390 for sale. Unit works fine..
Has Both meters.
Cosmetically good.
only thing is that it has a r390a data tag on it.
selling to replace in rack unit with a matching 390a. see pic on website
link below
the r390 is the lighter gray unit.

http://mysite.verizon.net/vzeeiuy2/id15.html

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I will not ship.
Located in NJ
I plan on being at the Warminster show in PA on the 1st of May.
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1881. Re: R390 For sale in NJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 00:43:12 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <A0j7e.16539$nH4.7417@trndny05>
Source record: 15954

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1882. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 01:57:18 UTC
From: Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@Yahoo.Com>
Message-ID: <08GdnR09Na4tUMDfRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 15955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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"Lloyd" <lloyd@no.spam> wrote in message
news:ggg87017833.2458F8789@tarrnews.net...
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> truncation problem is overcome.

I wasn't aware such devices were common place. Do you have any favorite
part numbers that are of this type? (E.g., from Analog Devices, TI, etc.)

1883. Info Wanted on Kenwood TK-431

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 03:55:35 UTC
From: John <johndoh787@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <XQl7e.13494$H_5.3056@trnddc01>
Source record: 15956

I have searched the entire Internet and can't find any info on the Kenwood TK-431. Can it be used on the 902-928 MHz Ham band?

1884. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 11:03:41 UTC
From: Paul Keinanen <keinanen@sci.fi>
Message-ID: <5qcs51hfrpohf0m496b11706atdfesp67q@4ax.com>
Source record: 15957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 13 Apr 2005 20:21:05 GMT, "Lloyd" <lloyd@no.spam> wrote:

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The LSB should be less than the band or thermal noise in the _input_ bandwidth, so that it would act as dithering noise. For terrestrial VHF/UHF/SHF systems, the antenna temperature is close to 300 K and thus a noise density of -174 dBm/Hz. Assuming 10 kHz ADC input bandwidth, the equivalent noise power would be -134 dBm. In order to be able to correctly convert a strong signal _and_ the broad band noise riding on it correctly, the maximum signal level at the antenna for 16, 20 and 24 bits would be -38 dBm, -14 dBm resp. +10 dBm or assuming 50 ohm antenna impedance 2.7 mV, 44 mV resp. 710 mV. Not very common values on VHF/UHF.

At HF, the band noise is typically at least 20 dB stronger, so the gain in front of the ADC can be reduced and thus the maximum antenna voltage would be at least 10 times larger, so even the 16 bit converter would tolerate a single S9+55 dB signal.

However, in order to be able recover weak narrow band that would be buried in the 10 kHz broadband noise, quite good linearity is required for the dithering process. The dithering noise properties are also critical, e.g. if it contains mostly impulse noise instead of white thermal noise. You may have to move the ADC LSB deeper into the noise floor, which would reduce the maximum input voltage allowed or require more bits.

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>> signal gets blanked during the overflows.
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>Not really. All you need is any modern floating point ADC, and the
>truncation problem is overcome. Back in the old days of integer ADCs,

>you had the weak / strong signal problem as well as the overflow /
>underflow problem. Modern ADCs typically generate IEEE format
>floating point numbers "on the fly" by using triple or even quadruple
>banks of digitizers, all contained in a small amount of chip real
>estate, and all controlled by a small microprocessor.

The exponent is just the gain in front of the ADC and the mantissa is the real converted data bits. If the exponent bits varies constantly, this just reflects the "AGC" control voltage of the preamplifier. The number of mantissa bits is the critical thing for a radio receiver. The mantissa bits must still be able to represent the broadband noise riding on strong signals. In practical terms, the exponent could only be used to reflect the broadband noise and antenna gain on a particular band and remain constant as long as the receiver is on that band.

Of course, if we could get a true IEEE float data type ADC with 24 significant bits in the mantissa and nearly 1500 dB dynamic range, there would not be much problems in data conversions :-).

While the use of floating point formats greatly simplifies range problems associated with multiplications and divisions, it still does not do any good for additions and subtractions, so you still have to watch for repeated additions of very small values to a large value and possibly regroup the repeated small number additions.

Paul OH3LWR

1885. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 13:56:14 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <d3lspu$j3b$1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 15958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@Yahoo.Com> wrote:
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Most of the folks doing FP (for radar work, for instance) use a pair
of converters and successive-approximation logic to do scaling.

I'm also going to point out here that there are two different kinds of
DSP systems being discussed here.

First of all there are audio processors, which take the demodulated audio
from the receiver, digitize it, and process it. This is what the original
poster is talking about, and these gadgets work pretty well to deal with
heterodyne whistles. Some of them also work pretty well on impulse noise,
at least better than the noise limiter on an R-390. There is a wide
variety of them on the market, each of which has an audio-speed D/A and
A/D pair. The dynamic range required really isn't very high since the
AGC of the receiver has done all the hard part for you. 16-bit converters
are cheap and plentiful and more than enough. For the most part, though,
these devices are noise reduction units and can't do much about improving
receiver selectivity or reducing passband group delay.

SECONDLY, and a totally different animal, there are DSP systems that
directly digitize the receiver IF, and do IF filtration and demodulation
in the digital domain. They may _also_ do some audio processing, but
the big deal with these is that they now have very sharp IF filters
without substantial ringing, and they have extremely good demodulation
without a lot of group delay problems in general. These systems require
much wider input dynamic range, which is usually accomplished with
prescaling. These can be found built into the latest generation of
communications receiver, although folks like Watkins-Johnson also make
retrofit units that you could hang off your old Hallicrafters if you
don't mind paying a few hundred times what the radio costs.
--scott
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"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

1886. Re: FS: ICOM IC-271H transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 14:10:26 UTC
From: n4xce@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <1113487826.566134.299800@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap

Bob Stamper wrote:
> I have for sale an ICOM IC-271H All Mode transceiver in excellent
> condition.It comes with the mic ,manual,and box.It has the tone
encoder
> installed.It has never been used in a smoking environment.It has a
100 watt
> power output & is continuously adjustable from 10 to 100 watts.The
frequency
> range is from 143.8 to 148.2 MHz.This is a great rig for general or
> satellite use.
> I am asking $450.00 shipped to any lower 48 address.
>
> Regards
> Bob N4KTS

would you be interested in tradeing for any equipment.I have a new in
the box LDG AT1000 1000 watt autotuner ,several Nye Viking 3 kw tuners
, and a bunch of Tentec rigs ie Delta II,s Argonaut 515,s 509,s
Argosy,s and Argosy II,s two nib SGC 2020 ADSP2,s and a lot of other
equipment.Thanks David N4XCE .email or 1-251-478-8823

1887. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 18:51:17 UTC
From: Brian <8t0y@kcl.com>
Message-ID: <FYy7e.29741$pA6.11326@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 15960
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"PromaBoss" <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
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if one cant find concentric knobs,seek advice from your doctor or maybe a plastic surgeon can fursnish you with a concentric knob.

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1888. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 19:23:48 UTC
From: mikeFNB <mikefnb@moc.dlrowltn>
Message-ID: <8rz7e.13486$C2.5790@newsfe3-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 15961
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

well i thought it was funny...anyway.

mike

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1889. Yaesu FT 290 R2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 22:01:43 UTC
From: MR!ALAN ROBERT <alan.robert@homecall.co.uk>
Message-ID: <425ee87c_1@mk-nntp-2.news.uk.tiscali.com>
Source record: 15962

Hi
Wonder if anyone has an FTE-2 Tone Burst Generator for a 290 mk2? Need one for my US Version, are standard on European model. Would consider whole scrap radio also.
Many thanks
Alan GI 6 PYP

1890. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 22:44:46 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <ynC7e.29909$pA6.21315@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 15963
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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1891. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 22:46:13 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <VoC7e.29918$pA6.4585@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 15964
Cross-posted to:
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glad you did

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regards,Paul

1892. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-14 23:03:17 UTC
From: Dave S <djsmartremovethisbit@optusnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <425ef6f5$0$8365$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 15965
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

Paul

Actually, you DID cross-post - albeit inadvertantly. Your latest post went to:

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It's the automatic "reply to" action of Outlook Express (which I use) and possibly other mailers. I read it on aus.radio.amateur.misc.

As I say, inadvertant. The deliberate (targetted) cross-post was by the person that began the thread.

Did I personally find your humour offensive? Not particularly. But I always keep in mind the potential audience - particularly WRT age - so I certainly think it was inappropriate in forums of this type.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 03:29:33 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <xyG7e.3390$WP4.1166@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15966
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1894. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 03:35:47 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <nEG7e.3421$WP4.322@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15967
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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1895. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 03:38:30 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <WGG7e.3433$WP4.2768@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15968
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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i wish you luck

regards,Paul

"Jeff" <jeff_164@NOSPAMhotmail.com> wrote in message
news:CBY6e.18259$1S4.1823663@news.xtra.co.nz...
Hi,
I need the concentric knob pair for an Eddystone 990R - the original light
grey type with brushed aluminium end insert. This pair is the RF/IF gain control knobs.

Have tried Dave Simmons in the UK, but no response to requests.
Also have placed ad in the Eddystone User Group newsletter, no results.

Please remove NOSPAM in return email address
JEFF
ZL3JK

1896. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 05:24:38 UTC
From: Dave S <djsmartremovethisbit@optusnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <425f5053$0$5595$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 15969
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

Wonderful attitude I'm sure!

Actually, people tell you how to behave all the time, and I'm sure you obey - otherwise you would not have your liberty.

It's called society.

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1897. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 05:39:52 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <425f53ca@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15970
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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1898. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 08:32:28 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <w_K7e.4419$443.3999@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15972
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

society stinks anyway
i have little to do with society,people woth aspergers syndrome live in
there own world,whixh is what the word autism means.

i make no apologies for that,i dont and never will accept anyone io consider
to be beneath me telling me what to do

if you dont like it tough luck

its perfectly ok behaviour one has the right as long as its not personal
insults

go out into streetr

ok people wearing FCUK cltohes

people watchiong bib brither/poeople drinking/people smoking/people taking
drugs/girls wearing clothes that hardly cover there boides,going to pubs
anbd clubs underage,the filth is out there.

all i said was on joke now remember you do not own Usenet if you dont like
it,then diont dare tell me what to do

you will come off worse i assure you,imean in terms of mails as any reply
you give i reply back
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ignore by all means as then i wont reply to your stupid comments will i as
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so put me on ignore list,very childish of you but go for it

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 08:33:13 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <d%K7e.4420$443.278@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15971
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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1900. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 08:35:08 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <01L7e.4423$443.2150@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15973
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

i refuse to let bullies like you and others telling me what jokes i can say
have the last word,any post on here i will reply to

i did not start this cross posting thread in first place,when i hit repy for
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1901. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 08:40:01 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <425f7e02$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15974
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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Not quite sure what that was language wise , in English again if you
would please .

1902. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 11:05:10 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <GdN7e.4573$443.2562@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15975
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

keep repyling and i will reply back

so chice is yours dont say anything or i will come back

how did you know i still used a potty,only so i can save it up and throw
whats in it at people.

you would look good with my piss and shit ovrer youtr head
<lucifer@eternal-flames.gov> wrote in message
news:cf5v51d2i4537bhl777vepslr1o0fss9on@4ax.com...
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1903. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 13:49:02 UTC
From: Dave Holford <holford@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <425FC64E.2D396DCA@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 15976
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Keep trying,

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1904. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 14:35:25 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <NiQ7e.4764$443.3658@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15977
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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ordination problems which affect my typing/writing and how i say and do
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"Dave Holford" <holford@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:425FC64E.2D396DCA@sympatico.ca...
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1905. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 16:29:44 UTC
From: PromaBoss <sdgdf@dfgdf.com>
Message-ID: <425febf8$0$42312$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net>
Source record: 15978
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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1906. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 16:39:10 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <425fee2d$0$42315$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net>
Source record: 15979
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

thhe above post wss noy by me even my speeling isnt thar bad

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1907. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 18:07:22 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <upT7e.8528$lt4.2645@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15980
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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1908. Re: Wanted: Concentric knob pair for Eddystone 990R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-15 18:28:50 UTC
From: PromaBoss <Promaboss1@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <426007e2$0$42297$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net>
Source record: 15981
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,aus.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

for gudness sake stop pretending to be mew and get a life

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1909. Testing config & AGC???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 01:30:08 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <BUZ7e.1584$mS1.1381@okepread04>
Source record: 15982

I'm trying to evaluate incoming signal strength
using my soundcard and a program called
"Cool Edit Pro 2.1". This rather sophisticated
package allows measurments down to 0.001
db.

I was wondering should I turn off my AGC on
my FT-857D for these measurements?

I take 10 readings within 1 second then switch
antennas and repeat. I average out the readings
and then decide which antenna is best for that
signal. I also look at background noise levels as
a reference.

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73's es gd dx de Ken KGWX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
Digital On Six #350,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

1910. (no subject)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 12:07:05 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ad78e.2144$sG3.31@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15983

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1911. FA: HENRY 2 METER AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 12:10:13 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <wg78e.2154$sG3.1787@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15984

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5767586161&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

1912. FA: HENRY 2 METER AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 12:12:05 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <gi78e.2164$sG3.1933@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15985

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1913. WTB Kenwood TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 12:41:12 UTC
From: enigma_y_2000@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <rG78e.2$Hk1.815@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 15986

Hi,

I want to buy a Kenwood TR-7950. Please state condition, price. Email me.

Thanks,

Bob WB0IQT

1914. VHF-UHF All modes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 13:17:34 UTC
From: radiofun <radiofun@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <Of88e.19556$8Z6.5219@attbi_s21>
Source record: 15987

Got a question for anyone with all-mode VHF-UHF experience. I want some input on the several rigs available for this. Yaesu FT-847, 897, 857, Icom 706, 910, etc. Any pros and cons on these radios, or suggestions?? I'm planning on getting something for SSB in the VHF-UHF spectrum, and don't know a lot about it up there. Thanks for your help.

Bill

1915. Re: VHF-UHF All modes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 13:20:54 UTC
From: "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <Wi88e.20589$Bb3.12502@attbi_s22>
Source record: 15988

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You might look at

http://www.df9ic.de/tech/trxtest/trxtest.html

http://lea.hamradio.si/~s53ww/xvrt/xvrt.htm

They're both full of valuable info for any serious VHF user.

W4ZCB
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1916. FA: $10>TWO(2) WESTERN ELECTRIC US ARMY 313C TUBES WWII 1944 NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:08:43 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <K%88e.1704$V02.61@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15989
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5766239980&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1917. FA:$10>TWO(2) USA 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES Tested-Handy to have!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:09:22 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <l098e.1705$V02.771@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15990
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5766240014&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1918. FA: $10>TWO(2) RCA CUNNINGHAM type 01-A & 112A RADIO TUBES OLD!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:11:09 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0298e.1706$V02.1480@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15991
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=73379&item=5766240035&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1919. FA: TWO(2) NOS 6JS6C RF OUTPUT TUBES Tested-Handy to have!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:12:02 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <R298e.1707$V02.362@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15992
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

CHEEP:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5766240057&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1920. FA: ICOM IC-O2AT HANDY-TALKIE for 2MTR FM, A CLASSIC & NEAT $40.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:13:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Q398e.1710$V02.1157@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15993
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Too Cheep!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40066&item=5766240083&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1921. FA: COLLINS R-390A 70H-12 PTO w/TUBE, NICE SHAPE & NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:13:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <s498e.1711$V02.491@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15994
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5766240109&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1922. FA: $50? CLASSIC & POPULAR DRAKE T-4XB TRANSMITTER COMPLETE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:14:40 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <j598e.1712$V02.810@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15995
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5766240147&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

1923. FA: "TONS" (4lbs) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS Any Builders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:15:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <5698e.1713$V02.547@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15996
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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1924. ICOM 751 problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 14:35:56 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <d3r7sc$1pm$1@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 15997

My Icom 751 (first model, not a 751A) suddenly developed a problem this morning: the green "RECEIVE" LED started flashing irregularly, with the receive audio dropping out when it was off. All controls have been checked and are in their normal operating positions, squelch pot is all the way CCW, and this is true in all modes. The "NARROW" LED comes on for RTTY and CW when I select it, but I have audio only while the green "RECEIVE" LED is on.

At first I thought it was just the receive side of the rig. Further scrutiny shows that while the "XMIT" LED comes on when I transmit, the dummy load sees nothing from the transmitter and I have no meter indication with the meter switch in the Ic or Po positions; Vc shows good voltage.

Looks like I have a sick rig. I hope it's simple and doesn't require unobtainium parts.

Ideas, anyone? I guess I'll tear into it with meter and scope later today, when I was planning to be using it instead. *sigh*

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Mike Andrews, W5EGO
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

1925. Re: ICOM 751 problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 15:58:35 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <d3rcnb$4s7$1@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 15898

Mike Andrews <mikea@mikea.ath.cx> wrote:
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One further note:

When I crank the RF gain back from its accustomed full-CW (max gain)
position, the "RECEIVE" LED comes back on solid and I get receive audio
again in all modes. Still no XMIT output, though, even though the "XMIT"
LED comes on.

I think I just might have a power supply problem, or something in the RX
pulling the PS down to where the TX decides it doesn't want to try, or
maybe something else.

"Through the ICOM 751 with scope and meter" time, I guess. At least I have
the factory schematics, full though they may be of teeny-tiny lettering and
ling, intertwining air-lines with stuff breaking out of them at odd places.
I sure hope the labels on those air-lines are good.

Any -- and I mean _ANY_ -- help, advice, and comments will be very most
welcome.

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Mike Andrews, W5EGO
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

1926. Re: VHF-UHF All modes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 17:33:13 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <42614C59.8050805@optonline.net>
Source record: 15899

HI, check this also.
The FT-847 gives the most bang for your buck!!
For VHF UHF SSB work it is a wonderful radio!! The receiver is HOT!
Remember, it's a satellite radio, so it needs to be hot!
I have no problems on HF also.
The only problem I have (as many) is the volume control has sort of a
tick to it.
Instead of smooth operation (95% of the control is fine)
It goes sort of like this.....
0 = vol off 10 = full vol.
1.... 2.....3.....5..... 6..... 7.....8.....9.....10...
In other words it jumps from a 3 to a 5.
Not worth getting a tizzy about.
You can get a used 847 from about $750 - $1000 in good working order.

http://www.uksmg.org/ft847.htm

73 and good luck

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radiofun wrote:

>Got a question for anyone with all-mode VHF-UHF experience. I want some
>input on the several rigs available for this. Yaesu FT-847, 897, 857, Icom
>706, 910, etc. Any pros and cons on these radios, or suggestions?? I'm
>planning on getting something for SSB in the VHF-UHF spectrum, and don't
>know a lot about it up there. Thanks for your help.
>
>Bill
>
>
>
>

1927. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 17:38:34 UTC
From: Petronoia <Petronoia@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <kbj261h6addsj4c8ip1q4d5br439irgqhf@4ax.com>
Source record: 15900
Cross-posted to: alt.survival,misc.survivalism,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner

On Sun, 10 Apr 2005 21:06:51 GMT, "Omega" <2121(d)@insightbb.com>
wrote:

>You information on the ICOM program is out of date. The soldier intercom
>has been replaced by the F43G

Indeed it is.

Glad to see the grunts will actually be getting something useful, and
with and encryption option.

1928. FS: PRO-2040 100ch Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-16 19:25:02 UTC
From: Juan <n7rcm@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <iEd8e.7287$yq6.2332@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15901

Pro-2040 100 channel scanner. Comes with power supply and antenna. Unit is
in very good condition.
You can go to this site and see the specs and features, download the manual
for it too.

http://support.radioshack.com/support_electronics/17770.htm

Asking $85 obo and that includes shipping and paypal fees

1929. FS FL-52a cw filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 00:25:14 UTC
From: gil <gi1pi@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1113697514.104132.255060@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15902

Icom FL-52a cw narrow 500hz filter good condition in box, $120.
shipped.

Gil N2WJW

1930. FS: MC-85 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 01:17:15 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <iKGdnbRLTIK-JPzfRVn-vw@comcast.com>
Source record: 15903

Have a MC-80 Kenwood amp mic for sale. Have original box
If you want pics ask.
Condition is about 7 out of 10
Make an offer plus shipping

Steve

1931. standard hx400 programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 06:34:08 UTC
From: lmcomms <lmcommsNOsPaM@eftel.net.au>
Message-ID: <42620363@news.eftel.com>
Source record: 15904

hi all
need help programming some hx400's
i have the software still but the a3500 went belly up years
ago
has anyone worked out howto without the programmer?
have a eprom burner so just need to know if someone has come up with some
new software
gx3000's use the same algo
regards from aussie
m

1932. Re: ICOM 751 problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 06:42:18 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0504162037400.15209@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 15905

I have the same rig Mike. Have'nt seen exactly your problem, but did
you ever replace your battery backed ram board. I did! I bought
it from Italy guy named Roberto Nardo. The ramboard is battery
backed with a lithium cell. If the battery sinks below a certain
level you have lost your entire operating system. With the one
I bought from Italy you wont loose the entire system if battery
dies, just the 30 memory chnls are lost. You can still carry on
normally from the freqcy dial on whatever freqs you want to use.
Kokomo Joe

****
* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO *
* Army MARS State Coordinator for Hawaii *
****

On Sat, 16 Apr 2005, Mike Andrews wrote:

> My Icom 751 (first model, not a 751A) suddenly developed a problem
> this morning: the green "RECEIVE" LED started flashing irregularly,
> with the receive audio dropping out when it was off. All controls have
> been checked and are in their normal operating positions, squelch pot
> is all the way CCW, and this is true in all modes. The "NARROW" LED
> comes on for RTTY and CW when I select it, but I have audio only while
> the green "RECEIVE" LED is on.
>
> At first I thought it was just the receive side of the rig. Further
> scrutiny shows that while the "XMIT" LED comes on when I transmit,
> the dummy load sees nothing from the transmitter and I have no meter
> indication with the meter switch in the Ic or Po positions; Vc shows
> good voltage.
>
> Looks like I have a sick rig. I hope it's simple and doesn't require
> unobtainium parts.
>
> Ideas, anyone? I guess I'll tear into it with meter and scope later
> today, when I was planning to be using it instead. *sigh*
>
> --
> Mike Andrews, W5EGO
> mikea@mikea.ath.cx
> Tired old sysadmin
>

1933. cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 17:13:34 UTC
From: fuse19@aol.com
Message-ID: <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15906

i bought a nice kenwood vfo 230 and it smell's so strong of cigarette smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm

1934. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 18:44:51 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1ccc4e7d5b3bc5d098970a@localhost>
Source record: 15907

In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
fuse19@aol.com says...

> i bought a nice kenwood vfo 230 and it smell's so strong of cigarette
> smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
> smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm

I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.

'i bought' should have been 'I bought' (uppercase when referring
to yourself).

'kenwood' should also be uppercased as 'Kenwood' since it's being
used as a proper name.

"smell's" should be typed as 'smells,' and the same with 'ideas'
instead of "idea's."

Finally, you seem to have an aversion to the use of periods.

Now, with all that out of the way... A good way to get rid of
smoker stench is through the use of a citrus-based household cleaner,
such as that found in hardware stores.

There are a couple of caveats to use of the stuff. First, it will
eat some types of plastic for breakfast. If you're going to try it on
plastic, try a small amount on a small and inconspicuous area first.

Second: No matter what you use it on, it would be a Good Thing to
go over the surface(s) cleaned with a water-dampened cloth after hitting
it with the solvent. That should neutralize any potential for long-term
finish damage.

Happy cleaning.

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Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

1935. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 20:31:40 UTC
From: Team Hendricks <no1is@home.com>
Message-ID: <MIz8e.4908$Qu2.524@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 15908

"Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null> wrote in message
news:MPG.1ccc4e7d5b3bc5d098970a@localhost...
> In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
> fuse19@aol.com says...
>
> I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.

Jesus Christ, get over yourself.
The man asked for help not a damn English lesson.

1936. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 21:20:13 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <2kA8e.76745$f%4.9125@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15909

wheeew**** dont inkurage him
someone with thier head that far up there assss cant possibly give any gud advice on anythin that smell's

LOL

"Team Hendricks" <no1is@home.com> wrote in message
news:MIz8e.4908$Qu2.524@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com...
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> "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null> wrote in message
> news:MPG.1ccc4e7d5b3bc5d098970a@localhost...
>> In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
>> fuse19@aol.com says...
>>
>> I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.
>
> Jesus Christ, get over yourself.
> The man asked for help not a damn English lesson.
>

1937. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 21:22:40 UTC
From: Team Hendricks <no1is@home.com>
Message-ID: <AsA8e.5160$0V2.751@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 15910

Thats funny right there, i dont care who you are!
Git-R-Done!

"Mr Fed UP" <mrfedup@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:2kA8e.76745$f%4.9125@bignews1.bellsouth.net...
> wheeew**** dont inkurage him
> someone with thier head that far up there assss cant possibly give any gud
> advice on anythin that smell's
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> LOL
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>
>

1938. Re: Testing config & AGC???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 21:40:32 UTC
From: Gary Schafer <gaschafer@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <7ul561duljr0dft39mtmv8askmfv36aroc@4ax.com>
Source record: 15911

Yes you must turn off the agc. Then the audio output will be linear
with respect to incoming signal strength. You will probably have to
adjust the rf gain to avoid overloading the receiver with the agc off.
Once a reference level is set then you can compare the two antennas
difference.

73
Gary K4FMX

On Fri, 15 Apr 2005 20:30:08 -0500, "Ken Bessler"
<kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote:

>I'm trying to evaluate incoming signal strength
>using my soundcard and a program called
>"Cool Edit Pro 2.1". This rather sophisticated
>package allows measurments down to 0.001
>db.
>
>I was wondering should I turn off my AGC on
>my FT-857D for these measurements?
>
>I take 10 readings within 1 second then switch
>antennas and repeat. I average out the readings
>and then decide which antenna is best for that
>signal. I also look at background noise levels as
>a reference.

1939. S/N ratio question - have I got this right?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 22:30:17 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <ZrB8e.2850$mS1.499@okepread04>
Source record: 15912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Someone check my math, please? I'm using
a program called "Cool Edit Pro" which can
give me very accurate readings of tone levels
coming from my FT-857D into my soundcard.

I'm trying to develop my own way of evaluating
my new vertical's (Cushcraft R7000) performance
compared to my dipole. I'm starting by tuning
700 hz off of WWV's 10 mhz carrier and recording
the tone I get in USB mode with my AGC off. I
switched antennas during the recording and took
2 samples:

1st example Cushcraft R7000
Noise @ 2k = -39.27db
Signal @ .7k = -7.26db
S/N difference = 32.01db
S/n Ratio = 14.662

2nd example 40m ladderline fed dipole
Noise @ 2k = -30.11db
Signal @ .7k = -8.864db
S/N difference = 21.246db
S/n Ratio = 10.622

For some reason my program gives me the back-
ground and signal levels in negative DB. I used
this formula to come up with a S/N ratio:

S/N = 20 log10(-dbs/-dbn)

Can someone check my math? My guess is
that my R7000 is better at WWV for this test.

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73's es gd dx de Ken KGWX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
Digital On Six #350,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
VX-2R & FT-857

1940. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 23:08:58 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4262eca7$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15913

Dr. Anton T. Squeegee wrote:

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>
> I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.
>
>
Bridge > build > get over it , damn you must have one big broom handle
up your tail pipe .

1941. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 23:13:45 UTC
From: Fred Finklemister <nokidding@nokidding.org>
Message-ID: <nokidding-832FEA.18134517042005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15914

In article <MIz8e.4908$Qu2.524@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>,
"Team Hendricks" <no1is@home.com> wrote:

> "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null> wrote in message
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> > I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.
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> Jesus Christ, get over yourself.
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What is wrong with a little english and punctuation lesson. Learning
never hurt anyone, or did it?

1942. HF MOBILE OF THE MONTH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 23:32:57 UTC
From: K2BJ <webmaster@k2bj.com>
Message-ID: <JmC8e.2837$mG3.1844@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 15915

Submit pictures and show off your HF mobile setup and see many others already on line...

http://www.k2bj.com

1943. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-17 23:36:32 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <1qC8e.19522$1S4.1948910@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 15916

<fuse19@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>i bought a nice kenwood vfo 230 and it smell's so strong of cigarette
> smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
> smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm
>

If it has fan filters they may require cleaning/replacing.

Ken

1944. Re: S/N ratio question - have I got this right?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 00:30:04 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <4262ff8d$0$3714$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 15917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ken Bessler wrote:

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> a program called "Cool Edit Pro" which can
> give me very accurate readings of tone levels
> coming from my FT-857D into my soundcard.
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> my new vertical's (Cushcraft R7000) performance
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> S/N = 20 log10(-dbs/-dbn)
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> Can someone check my math? My guess is
> that my R7000 is better at WWV for this test.
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CoolEdit always references with 0 as the maximum signal level; i.e.,
32768/-32767 are max for 16 bit recordings. This viewing mode is
selected with View -> Vertical Scale Format -> Sample Values. You may
also select Decibels, Normalized Values, etc.

I have CoolEdit 2000. Is yours a newer one since the company was bought
out?

When you did the level check, how was that done? Did you select Analyze -> Statistics and run it against a marked area in the recording for an average? If so, how long was the average? Did you run a filter first to isolate the signal from the "noise"? Or did you run the FFT function?

tom
K0TAR

1945. Re: S/N ratio question - have I got this right?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 00:30:30 UTC
From: Frank <ve6cb@nospam.telus.net>
Message-ID: <GcD8e.36747$VF5.12300@edtnps89>
Source record: 15918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:ZrB8e.2850$mS1.499@okepread04...
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> a program called "Cool Edit Pro" which can
> give me very accurate readings of tone levels
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> Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055,
> Digital On Six #350,
> List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups:
> VX-2R & FT-857

Signal to noise ratio is the difference between the signal and the noise.
i.e. In your
first example: -8.864-(-30.11) = 21.264 dB.

Not sure what you mean by quoting levels in "dB", since it must be
referenced to a
specific value. Assume it is "dBm".

A sky wave signal should be averaged of a long period to estimate the actual
signal level.
Also the RF gain must be backed off so the receiver is not saturating from
the input signal.

Your "20log10" is the expression used when calculating the dB ratio between
two voltages.
Assume you mean "Log to the base 10".

Hope this helps.

73,

Frank

1946. Re: S/N ratio question - have I got this right?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 00:42:19 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <4263026c$0$3711$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 15919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tom Ring wrote:
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> 32768/-32767 are max for 16 bit recordings. This viewing mode is
> selected with View -> Vertical Scale Format -> Sample Values. You may
> also select Decibels, Normalized Values, etc.
>

Sorry, I should have said 0dB, and then that samples are referenced to
integer values which can be viwed, etc.

This damned sinusitus. I can begin to see why people who are really
sick, as opposed to what I have, get to the point where they want to
give up trying to continue to live.

tom
K0TAR

1947. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 00:52:27 UTC
From: bob <noone@nowhere.org>
Message-ID: <_wD8e.2294$5u4.8480@nnrp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 15920

I have had fantastic success de-stenching kit simply by locking it in a small room with a good ozonator on full output for a week.

Even the microphone, when hung a few inches in front of the output breeze directly in the stream, is rendered completely odorless.

Good luck!

fuse19@aol.com wrote:
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> smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
> smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm
>

1948. Re: S/N ratio question - have I got this right?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 01:11:43 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <jPD8e.2856$mS1.2158@okepread04>
Source record: 15921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Tom Ring" <news0002@taring.org> wrote in message
news:4262ff8d$0$3714$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net...
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> first to isolate the signal from the "noise"? Or did you run the FFT
> function?
>
> tom
> K0TAR

I have 2.1 and I'm still learning. I didn't do a level check
- I was only wanting to compare 2 antennas, not establish
an actuall DBv reference.

Ken KG0WX

1949. Re: HF MOBILE OF THE MONTH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 02:36:12 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnd6678s.1bo2.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 15922

On Sun, 17 Apr 2005 23:32:57 GMT, K2BJ wrote:
> Submit pictures and show off your HF mobile setup and see many others
> already on line...
>
> http://www.k2bj.com

It's been a long weekend -- it's late -- I'm tired.....
So, maybe that's why I cannot "... see many others already on line."

I can find your "How To Submit" link.
Where's the "How To View" link?

73
Jonesy
--
| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

1950. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 02:55:35 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <nobody@frontier.net>
Message-ID: <slrnd668d7.1bo2.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 15923

On Sun, 17 Apr 2005 11:44:51 -0700, Dr Anton T Squeegee wrote:
> In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
> fuse19@aol.com says...
>
>> i bought a nice kenwood vfo 230 and it smell's so strong of cigarette
>> smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
>> smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm

...
> "smell's" should be typed as 'smells,' and the same with 'ideas'
> instead of "idea's."

Only two punctuation marks in the whole body and they were both in error.

And, observe the "electronic's" in the Subject:.

1951. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 09:32:33 UTC
From: Fred Finklemister <nokidding@nokidding.org>
Message-ID: <nokidding-A5BE51.04323318042005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15924

In article <slrnd668d7.1bo2.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>,
drwxr-xr-x <nobody@frontier.net> wrote:

> On Sun, 17 Apr 2005 11:44:51 -0700, Dr Anton T Squeegee wrote:
> > In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
> > fuse19@aol.com says...
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> And, observe the "electronic's" in the Subject:.

<gasp> yes, like electronic's = electronic is <double gasp>

1952. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 09:38:26 UTC
From: Fred Finklemister <nokidding@nokidding.org>
Message-ID: <nokidding-B65FA6.04382618042005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15925

In article <_wD8e.2294$5u4.8480@nnrp1.uunet.ca>,
bob <noone@nowhere.org> wrote:

> I have had fantastic success de-stenching kit simply by locking it in a
> small room with a good ozonator on full output for a week.
>
> Even the microphone, when hung a few inches in front of the output
> breeze directly in the stream, is rendered completely odorless.
>
>
> Good luck!
>
>
> fuse19@aol.com wrote:
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> > smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
> > smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm
> >

You might want to be careful subjecting your electronic gear to ozone as
it is a very corrosive gas and can deteriorate rubber, plastic and
electronic components.

1953. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 09:45:59 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <426381f4$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15926

Fred Finklemister wrote:
> In article <_wD8e.2294$5u4.8480@nnrp1.uunet.ca>,
> bob <noone@nowhere.org> wrote:
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>
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>>
>>Even the microphone, when hung a few inches in front of the output
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>>>smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
>>>smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm
>>>
>
>
> You might want to be careful subjecting your electronic gear to ozone as
> it is a very corrosive gas and can deteriorate rubber, plastic and
> electronic components.
Just wipe the surfaces over with vanilla extract ..

1954. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 10:38:08 UTC
From: fuse19@aol.com
Message-ID: <1113820688.089992.229240@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15927

fuse19@aol.com wrote:
> i bought a nice kenwood vfo 230 and it smell's so strong of
cigarette
> smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
> smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm

thanks to all that replyed some good ideas and than others that are
out to just use the space just to say nothing that matters thanks del
k9fcm

1955. kenwood part need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 11:56:33 UTC
From: "Branko, 9a3st" <branko_9a3st@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <d407a7mtr1@ss405.t-com.hr>
Source record: 15929

I need car unit (x50-3160-00)
for my TS-690S.
Do you know some shop or service when i can order
this part?
(Shipping in USA or CROATIA)
Thank you, 9a3st

1956. kenwood part need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 11:57:24 UTC
From: "Branko, 9a3st" <branko_9a3st@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <d407bc$n21$1@ss405.t-com.hr>
Source record: 15928

I need car unit (x50-3160-00)
for my TS-690S.
Do you know some shop or service when i can order
this part?
(Shipping in USA or CROATIA)
Thank you, 9a3st

1957. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 13:17:37 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4263B366.1ECC71A0@earthlink.net>
Source record: 15930

Fred Finklemister wrote:
>
> <gasp> yes, like electronic's = electronic is <double gasp>

No. Electronics is the pural of electronic.

Electronic's is a possessive meaning that whatever follows belongs to
electronic.

--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1958. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 13:19:22 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4263B3CF.12D02C1D@earthlink.net>
Source record: 15931

Fred Finklemister wrote:
>
> You might want to be careful subjecting your electronic gear to ozone as
> it is a very corrosive gas and can deteriorate rubber, plastic and
> electronic components.

Ozone is a strong oxidizer. Rubber and plastic don't corrode, but
they do oxidize.

--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

1959. FS Drake,Yaesu , JRC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 14:02:41 UTC
From: brm@netcabo.pt
Message-ID: <d5ce176d.0504180602.28709b18@posting.google.com>
Source record: 15932

FS or SWAP
Yaesu FR-101
Drake MN-2700
Leader LB-310 A
JRC JST-100
Yaesu FT-301D (not working)
Eprom eraser PROMAX BM130
Drake VFO RV 4C
Sony XV-5000CE (video corrector)
Yaesu FC-757AT
Yaesu FP-757GX
Yaesu FTV-707 (144)
Modulo de 144 para Yaesu FT-726
Leader LPM-880 (meter/dummy)
Radio Goniometro TAIYO TD-A282

73 from CT1BRM
JM Nunes

1960. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 15:13:41 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d40j4c$s60$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15933

Regular scented dishwashing detergent bath is safest for plastic pieces and makes a good bath for everything.
Citrus cleaners will work faster but may be too harsh. I use a variety of acid brushes cut down and soft tooth brushes and paint brushes. I learned all about it with inside telephone systems. I have had to throw away some mics after immersion.

VFO230 will have fragile plastic, encoder and markings, so very weak solutions there. Housing should be dipped in a stronger solution and brushed. Boards will be a problem as anything you do will wash debris under the chips causing shorts between pins. If you do dip the boards, it is risky but use clean de-ionized water in the final rinse.

1961. Re: VHF-UHF All modes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 15:17:40 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d40j4d$s60$2@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15934

I'm diggin' my TS2000x busy box.

1962. Re: kenwood part need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 16:14:41 UTC
From: kenwood_guy <kwguy_@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <4263DCDE.3B34075A@nospam.com>
Source record: 15935

http://www.kenwoodparts.com

"Branko, 9a3st" wrote:

> I need car unit (x50-3160-00)
> for my TS-690S.
> Do you know some shop or service when i can order
> this part?
> (Shipping in USA or CROATIA)
> Thank you, 9a3st

1963. Kenwood TR-9130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 16:56:31 UTC
From: "Gary \"Joe\" Mayfield" <gary_mayfield@spamfree.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sNydnWJnaeVXe_7fRVn-pQ@midco.net>
Source record: 15936

Greetings,

I have a Kenwood TR-9130 2 meter all mode that behaves in the following manner:

The display is blank.

Turning the squelch knob will make the green receive light come on and static come out of the speaker.

On transmit the red light will come on (the speaker will silence if there is sound), but the meter does not move and there is no power out.

I am assuming the radio has lost lock, does anyone have any suggestions on this radio?

Thanks and 73,
Joe
kk0sd

1964. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 19:27:33 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11682h5r92ethea@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15937

In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
<fuse19@aol.com> wrote:

>i bought a nice kenwood vfo 230 and it smell's so strong of cigarette
>smoke it is sicking it is outside any good idea's how to get it
>smelling good agn thanks del k9fcm

I saw an article in an audio magazine some years ago, by a guy who was
servicing a stereo receiver which had this problem.

His advice was to open it up, and leave it outdoors in bright summer
sunshine for several days to several weeks. The heat helps drive out
the smelly volatile compounds from the tobacco-smoke tars, and the
ultraviolet light breaks down the tars.

Depending on the equipment's construction and what it can tolerate in
terms of solvents, you may also want to try a washdown with a
plastic-safe circuit-board cleaner - one designed to remove flux
residues and organic contaminanants without damaging components.

Switches, potentiometers, and other sliding contacts will probably
need to be cleaned to remove the tobacco tars... a properly-
formulated contact cleaner spray, or a liquid applied on chamois swabs
or other cleaning pads, should be used for this.

Unfortunately, tobacco-smoke tar is tough and tenacious. Consumer
Reports apparently uses it as their "hard to remove" contaminant when
testing glass-cleaning products.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1965. Vacuum Variable Capacitor Cross-Reference.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 20:56:59 UTC
From: Sandlapper <k4nau@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <xPidnZ5SY--FgvnfRVn-rg@comcast.com>
Source record: 15938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi Folks,

Anyone out there have the specs on an EEV(English Electric Valve) Variable Vacuum Capacitor
#UC600A-6-70, or failing that, have a cross-reference for it to Jennings, Comet, etc.?? Need to determine the range and voltage.

Thanks,
Butch K4NAU

1966. HF ANTENNA TO SALE - SOMMER XP707

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 21:12:55 UTC
From: Jos&#65533; Lopes <fartolopes@mail.telepac.pt>
Message-ID: <426422eb$0$27131$a729d347@news.telepac.pt>
Source record: 15939

I am interested to sale my hf antenna above mentioned that is in very good conditions.

Reason: need to renew and create a new set up of antennas.

Antenna: Sommer (DJ2UT Beam)
Model: XP 707
Bands: 10, 12, 15, 17, 20, 30 and 40 meters
Balun: The balun furnished with the Sommer antennas is a low-loss air core type using RG142 (BU) Teflon cable. The balun will handle 2.9 kW continuous output at 30 MHz with a loss of only 0.05 dB.
This antenna it still on my tower and working very well.
For price please send one email to:
fartolopes@mail.telepac.pt

The transports costs will be at the resposability of the buyer.
If you are interestes we can sed some actual pictures, and for all the informations concerning gain and front/back, please go to the oficial site:
http://www.sommerantennas.com/beaminfo.html
Best 73, Lopes - CT1CJJ

1967. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-18 23:14:59 UTC
From: Team Hendricks <no1is@home.com>
Message-ID: <TbX8e.5772$0V2.4954@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 15940

"Fred Finklemister" <nokidding@nokidding.org> wrote in message
news:nokidding-832FEA.18134517042005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article <MIz8e.4908$Qu2.524@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>,
> "Team Hendricks" <no1is@home.com> wrote:
>
>> "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null> wrote in message
>> news:MPG.1ccc4e7d5b3bc5d098970a@localhost...
>> > In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
>> > fuse19@aol.com says...
>> >
>> > I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.
>>
>> Jesus Christ, get over yourself.
>> The man asked for help not a damn English lesson.
>
> What is wrong with a little english and punctuation lesson. Learning
> never hurt anyone, or did it?

What is wrong with using a little tact?
Does chastising someone in public help them to learn?

1968. WTB dead AOR AR 1000 for case parts and knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 01:08:23 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <d41lh6$68m$1@news1.kornet.net>
Source record: 15941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Please contact me with price and condition.

TIA

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Illigitimus non tatum carborundum

(Don't let the bastards wear you down)

1969. G5RV for motorhome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 01:51:22 UTC
From: greenbaum2@comcast.net
Message-ID: <1113875482.441635.51770@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15942

I am planning to install a half sized G5RV on the top of my motorhome. When I get to the front and back of the roof, I will still have about six feet of antenna remaining. Should I run it vertically down the side of the coach or across the top at right angles. The coach body and roof is fiberglas.

Thanks,

Carl
WM3E

1970. Kenwood TM733a - Display stays dim

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 02:30:31 UTC
From: Spudz <fdsfhj@asdskj.com>
Message-ID: <1113877716.f01888074f9aa778ec6b27a57a620509@teranews>
Source record: 15943

I acquired a TM733a which seems to work fine however the display remains dim no matter what setting is used to chjange it - is it most likely something as simple as a burned out display bulb, or possibly something related to the CPU? The control for brightness is able to turn the display OFF but cycling though the different values D1, D2, etc make no noticeable change in the brightness. Thanks.

1971. Kenwood 941a FA 2meters 440 and 1.2ghz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 12:11:59 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <jA69e.10481$ff4.1416@trndny08>
Source record: 15944

Kenwood tribander for sale
1.2ghz 2 meters and 440.
with decode board.
Thanks
For looking

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZr392

1972. FA:Aero Coil('27) & Taylor Tube ('40) Catalogs....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 12:56:39 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <be79e.607020$w62.67624@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

See at :

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking. Will have new email address come May? as I may be changing ISP. heytubeguy

1973. FA: Heathkit "BLUE Series" Test Gear Cheep @ $20 & $10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 15:03:17 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <T499e.3052$sG3.2603@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15946
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Here is the entire list>>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1974. FA:SIMPSON BUILT for WESTERN-UNION T-360 VOM> A BEAUTY>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 15:04:27 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Z599e.3053$sG3.1816@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15947
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Here is the entire list>>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1975. FA: @$10> "TONS" (4lbs) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS>Any Builders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 15:05:26 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <U699e.3054$sG3.1650@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15848
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Here is the entire list>>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1976. FA: No Bids on 2-SONY BP-60 Pro-Video Batteries

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 15:08:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <l999e.3056$sG3.2213@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15849
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.audio.pro.live-sound,alt.rec.audio.high-end,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

Here is the entire list>>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1977. FA: No Bids:-(1956 FLEETWOOD 870 REMOTE CONTROLLER RARE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 15:11:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Wc99e.3058$sG3.284@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15850
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Here is the entire list>>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

1978. Re: Vacuum Variable Capacitor Cross-Reference.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 16:50:18 UTC
From: Highland Ham <abcgm0csz.kn6whxyz@abcntlworldxyz.com>
Message-ID: <eFa9e.14521$443.1070@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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> Vacuum Capacitor
> #UC600A-6-70, or failing that, have a cross-reference for it to Jennings,
> Comet, etc.?? Need to determine the range and voltage.
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This being a homebrew =home'do' newsgroup ,may I suggest you check the capacitance range with (for example) a MFJ 259B analyser (bought or borrowed). This enables you to check capacitance range at RF frequencies up to 170 MHz.

Max operating voltage can be checked with a 'HiPot' tester which can be homebrewed or perhaps borrowed (local radio club member) If you have other High Voltage components to be tested , it is very much worthwhile to homebrew a Hipot tester.
Have a look at Rich Measures AG6K's website .
I am the happy owner of a Danish made 30kV non-destructive insulation tester ,bought from a surplus store for equiv. $ 30.-
This instrument determines the breakdown voltage (in 3 ranges : 0 - 3 , 30 and 30 kV) of components at a current down to 1 microampere.

Frank GM0CSZ / KN6WH.

1979. Need serial number for FT-847 supercontrol version 2.5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-19 21:11:17 UTC
From: Andr&#65533; <aoosterbaan@home.nl>
Message-ID: <d43s5ihid1@news3.tilbu1.nb.home.nl>
Source record: 15852

Can anybody help me on a number that works so i can use this program witout limits.

1980. Re: Need serial number for FT-847 supercontrol version 2.5

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-20 00:39:19 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Xwh9e.8863$yq6.6303@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15853

"Andr" <aoosterbaan@home.nl> wrote in message
news:d43s5ihid1@news3.tilbu1.nb.home.nl...
> Can anybody help me on a number that works so i can use this program
> witout limits.

No problem at all.
Send me $750.00 and I will give it to you.

--

... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

1981. Need Heath SB-401/303 aligned in Canada.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-20 01:55:54 UTC
From: Robert Myers <rsmyers@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <4265B6AA.927D05B0@rogers.com>
Source record: 15854

Sorry for the cross posts. I'm trying to locate someone.

I'm looking for a ham living in Calgary who was going to align my
Heathkit SB-401/SB-303 combo last year (or was it two years ago?). I
lost the email address and phone number --- everything. He mentioned he
could also align my Cardon "Spitfire" as well (if that rings a bell).
I'd like to ship the pair off for alignment now that it's warm weather.

Also, if there is anyone else who can do this, please contact me in case
I can't find the above person.

Thanks very much.
--- Rob
VE3 JQL
(Ottawa ON Canada)

1982. FA: Diamond SX-200 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-20 04:43:25 UTC
From: sgw <stonegroundwords@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1113972205.406151.304850@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15855

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5768848298&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for looking.

1983. FA: Kenwood MC-45 Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-20 04:44:52 UTC
From: sgw <stonegroundwords@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1113972292.915154.54610@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15856

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5768852182&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for looking.

1984. FA: HENRY 130 WATT 2 METER AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-20 09:30:14 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <lip9e.14740$ZQ1.6457@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15857

Listing this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5767586161
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5767586161&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

73

1985. TS-711 and TS-811

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-20 20:31:06 UTC
From: me <hr_gear@charter.net>
Message-ID: <fsed615iob19l1ce63vtna1e7h9qb3irpo@4ax.com>
Source record: 15858

I have for sale a nice clean set of Kenwood radios.
They can be see/bought at Dayton this year.
If interested in these and other satellite gear please email me.

1986. Any Kenwood TM733A owners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-20 23:44:09 UTC
From: Mike <blahblahblah@blahblahblah.com>
Message-ID: <1114040649.a4b594b3a749aa864ef9a5ea6684dc1e@teranews>
Source record: 15859

I just acquired a TM733a and am unable to input a freq directly from the mic keypad in VFO mode - the other keys across the top work though, VFO, MR, etc - is there some trick to this, or maybe the keypad has issues? thanks Mike

1987. For Auction: 2 meter tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-21 00:08:36 UTC
From: burt <k1oik@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <I7mdnX89Z_yecvvfRVn-1A@comcast.com>
Source record: 15860

For Auction: 2 meter tranceiver
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5768933234&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

1988. WTB: HQ-140-X KNOB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-21 00:19:36 UTC
From: CSFD <csfd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <skC9e.1219$Xb4.1033@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Help!
I need the "crystal selectivity" knob off a Hammurlund HQ-140-X receiver.
It is located on the front face panel on the lower left side of the
receiver.
Any help would be appreciated in locating this black knob!

1989. Re: Any Kenwood TM733A owners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-21 00:39:02 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <116dth64h2e8bc3@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15862

In article <1114040649.a4b594b3a749aa864ef9a5ea6684dc1e@teranews>,
Mike <blahblahblah@blahblahblah.com> wrote:

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>keypad has issues? thanks Mike

There's a trick to it.

First, press [F] + [VFO] + POWER ON. This assigns the "Enter" function to
the PF button on the microphone.

Then, to enter a frequency directly:

Press BAND SEL to select the desired band.
Press VFO.
Press microphone PF.

You can then enter the digits whose places are indicated by "-" on the
display. Press any mic button other than a digit or PF to cancel
direct entry and return to VFO mode.

I'd strongly suggest that you go to www.mods.dk, click Kenwood and
then Manuals, and download the TM733a manual. It looks as if this
radio's human interface is very non-intuitive!

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

1990. FA Pair of FT50r portables

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-21 01:53:38 UTC
From: r392 <r392@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <CID9e.14159$ha3.10830@trndny02>
Source record: 15863

FA Pair of FT50r portables.
Thanks
Doug
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZr392

1991. Re: SMALL TRANSFORMER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-21 03:13:50 UTC
From: Gizmofiddler <file13@nojunkmail.com>
Message-ID: <4267162e$1_2@newspeer2.tds.net>
Source record: 15864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Also a junked GR-64 Heathkit Shortwave receiver is close, but the filament output is 12.6 V. I used one to make a 90VDC/2VDC battery eliminator for an old 1936 farm radio - works great.
I imagine alot of the Heathkit signal generators, signal tracers, etc.. would have similar transformers - you could check specs of online manuals then zero in on your exact needs.
~Gizmofiddler

"Heytubeguy" <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message news:0LG5e.543457$w62.392614@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net...
> Looking for a small transformer rated at 125-130 output @ 40-100 ma and
> 6.3v as well. Need for small project. Used ok if good. tnx heytubeguy
>

1992. FA: ANTIQUE NIB Swinging choke,1 day left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-21 12:47:17 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <phN9e.619304$w62.131534@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Jefferson swinging choke NOS, + Aero coil catalog: see at

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking. heytubeguy

1993. Re: Any Kenwood TM733A owners?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-21 13:26:17 UTC
From: Spudz <fdsfhj@asdskj.com>
Message-ID: <1114089877.42562a8f5248806972b7ff7086a98d15@teranews>
Source record: 15866

Thanks Dave, that worked!
Mike

On Thu, 21 Apr 2005 00:39:02 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
wrote:

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>radio's human interface is very non-intuitive!

1994. kenwood vfo 230 doesn't work ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-22 10:30:30 UTC
From: fuse19@aol.com
Message-ID: <1114165830.668655.236780@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15867

i have a kenwood vfo 230 that quit when it got unplug from the radio when the radio was still turned on the LEDS wont light up now or the vfo their is no vfo output eather the fuse is ok and voltage is preasent at the diodes inside i have been in repair for 50 yrs so have a idea about electronics just havent work on any of this kind of equiptment any ideas sure would be helpfull and would be greatly apreacated thanks del k9fcm

1995. Need manual for Heathkit GWA-14-1 power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-22 12:05:12 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <YL5ae.1$Vp1.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.cb

Looking for a manual and schematic for the Heathkit
GWA-14-1 power supply. This is the base-station p/s
for the GW-14A mobile CB radio. Anyone have this
manual and willing to make me a copy?

73,
Dean K5DH

1996. FA Late RE Collins S-Line and Henry 2KD-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-22 15:14:52 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Jx8ae.22220$up2.5914@okepread01>
Source record: 15868

Please have a look at my auctions going off this weekend. There are some very nice Collins rigs including a RE 75S-3C receiver and a 32S-3 transmitter.
Also an almost mint Henry 2KD-2 desk top amp that looks like Collins gear.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug

1997. AMPLIFIER-LOUDSPEAKER COLLINS 76F-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 14:50:33 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <116ko5mn7fk33f5@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15870

MILITARY EQUIPMENT FOR SALE

Nomenclature: Amplifier-Loudspeaker
Mfr: Collins Radio Company
FSCM: 13499
Type: 76F-1
S/N: 7
P/N: 522-2722-00
MCN: 1073
Contract: F34601-68-M-1028 U.S.
Connector: Burndy BT07C 8-4P

Physical condition: Excellent, unissued,
unused.

Electrical condition: Untested.

Price: $30.00 includes shipping to U.S
addressees in lower 48 states.

Return policy: No returns on this item.

Material location: Saint Mary's County, MD

Contact: Bob Carter, W5BTC
Email: dc2light@radix.net

1998. Telereader

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 14:55:12 UTC
From: "a.mazeran" <a.mazeran@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <426a62af$0$842$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 15873

Looking for a manual or schematic for the Telereader CWR 670
73,
Albert
F6GPB

1999. FA: LAST Day>HEATHKIT IB-5282 AUDIO GENERATOR "BLUE SERIES" EXC+ NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 14:57:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Nntae.11133$V02.800@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15872
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Still at $11.50:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7508508575&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2000. FA: VINTAGE CONRAC FLEETWOOD 870 TV CONTROLLER 1954 RARE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 14:58:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Hotae.11134$V02.4644@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15871

Big $9.99>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5767817279&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2001. FA>Last day>HEATHKIT IB-5281 RLC BRIDGE "BLUE SERIES" EXC+ SHAPE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 14:59:55 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Jptae.11135$V02.4823@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15876
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7508508583&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2002. FA:SIMPSON BUILT for WESTERN-UNION T-360 VOM> A BEAUTY>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 15:00:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <wqtae.11136$V02.10475@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15875
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7508508556&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2003. FA: "TONS" (4lbs) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS>Any Builders?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 15:01:42 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ortae.11137$V02.3469@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15874
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Big $10>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7508516549&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2004. FS Alliance HD-73 Rotor Control Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 16:19:52 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DAuae.22925$up2.19305@okepread01>
Source record: 15877

I have for sale an Alliance HD-73 Rotor Control Box only, no rotor. It does work and is all there but there are some small scuffs and scratches on the front
panel, otherwise it is in nice shape. No manual. Price is $35. Thanks,
Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2005. FS Vintage Clegg FM-27B VHF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 17:07:57 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Ihvae.22929$up2.4566@okepread01>
Source record: 15878

FS: Clegg model FM-27B 2-meter amateur transceiver. It is a 146.0 to 147.99 MHz, narrow-band (5 KHz), 25 watt mobile transceiver. The radio utilizes a 'crystalplexer' frequency synthesizer system to generate the transmit and receive channels. The receiver works fine, but have not checked out the transmitter. Don't have a manual and frankly can't figure out how to get the cabinet off. The cabinet is in good condition, having only a few very scratches. The front panel has some tarnish and scratches. Include is the original microphone, power cord, locking mounting bracket (no key). Price is $40 shipping in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2006. Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 17:23:00 UTC
From: Ben Peddell <klightspeed@klightspeed.is-a-geek.net>
Message-ID: <d4e09kghi1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15879
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

I don't know which newsgroup would be the best place to ask this.

A local FM radio station is transmitting on multiple frequencies above and
below its normal frequency.
Its normal frequency is 93.5MHz, and it's also transmitting on 500kHz
steps between 91.5MHz and 95.5MHz, with the outer bands a few decibels
above the noise floor.
I hooked a multimeter up to the input of the 5-stroke signal meter on my
radio, and here's the values I got:
91.5MHz: 130mV
92.0MHz: 235mV
92.5MHz: 290mV
92.7MHz: local station: 250mV
93.0MHz: 330mV
93.5MHz: 290mV
94.0MHz: 330mV
94.5MHz: 255mV
95.1MHz: local station: 300mV
95.5MHz: 50mV
noise floor: up to 20mV

The most realistic waveform I can get with that data is very strong
(>1000mV) pulses about 500ns wide, with weak (~100mV) reversed regions
between.
I don't have an oscilloscope to verify this, though.
Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
equipment, and what was it caused by?

2007. Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-23 21:58:53 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <116lha4nlqo206c@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15880
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Heil Clear Speech Speaker arrived today and I got busy installing it. I gave it a quick operational check then took it apart and photographed it inside and out. I also scanned the Owner's Manual and created a pdf file from it. I did have to add an Amidon core to the power lead and the signal input lead since with 1KW I had RFI feedback. The cores resolved it 100%.

I am so very pleased and yes after the 746 Pro dopes all it can to reduce noise the Heil Clear Speech Speaker can and does further reduce the audio noise dramatically. I purposely tuned several weak and noisy stations on HF and VHF and the dsp speaker did make an unworkable signal literally arm chair copy..no kidding. Years ago I had the AmCom Clear Speech Base box on my TS450 and it gave similar results. These things really do work.

See photos and download manual here....

1. http://www.ad5th.com/HEIL_CLEAR_SPEECH_SPEAKER.html

Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

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Charlie
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2008. Re: kenwood vfo 230 doesn't work ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 00:32:54 UTC
From: tina <tina@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <426AE91C.2E005E85@nospam.com>
Source record: 15881

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TS-520_820_530_830/

73 tina

fuse19@aol.com wrote:

> i have a kenwood vfo 230 that quit when it got unplug from the radio
> when the radio was still turned on the LEDS wont light up now or the
> vfo their is no vfo output eather the fuse is ok and voltage is
> preasent at the diodes inside i have been in repair for 50 yrs so
> have a idea about electronics just havent work on any of this kind of
> equiptment any ideas sure would be helpfull and would be greatly
> apreacated thanks del k9fcm

2009. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 00:52:14 UTC
From: Thomas Nofsinger <tinofs@engineer.nova.org>
Message-ID: <5KGdnaMZGLcjcPffRVn-1g@comcast.com>
Source record: 15882
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thank you for the review. I always wondered a little bit about those
speakers --- 73

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> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
> Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
> www.deepsouthnet.net
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2010. Heathkit SA-2040: what's worst SWR it tune out.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 01:37:01 UTC
From: Robert Myers <rsmyers@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <426AF83D.90DA3BD8@rogers.com>
Source record: 15883

Does anyone know what the worst SWR the Heathkit SA-2040 can tune out (to below 2:1 say).

Thanks,
--- Rob

2011. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 02:42:23 UTC
From: BillMe <BillMe@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <1114309940.efd2b9a85359b38db35d01e029b2e022@tigs709>
Source record: 15884
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie,

I have a Am-Comm Clear Speech and find it indispensable for mobile work. Do you see a significant difference between the Heil and Am-Comm?

Tnx and 73,

BIll, K3PGB

wabate At dandyDotnet

On Sat, 23 Apr 2005 16:58:53 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote:

>www.ad5th.com

2012. Re: Heathkit SA-2040: what's worst SWR it tune out.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 02:56:35 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <426B0AE3.1080008@netscape.net>
Source record: 15885

Robert Myers wrote:
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> Thanks,
> --- Rob
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Don't think it's that simple. Multiple impedances map into the same
swr. But the limits of the tuner are based on impedances. That's why a
tuner might match high SWR for some cable lengths but not others.

SWR is just a scalar number that's easy to measure and very useful when
you're just trying to get to 1:1 where it maps directly into properly
terminated cable.
mike

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Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
.
Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Wanted, 12.1" LCD for Gateway Solo 5300. Samsung LT121SU-121
Wanted 12" LCD for Compaq Armada 7770MT.
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

2013. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 03:40:13 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <116m5ab2pqdpl70@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15886
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yes....the Heil has better sound and has adjustable levels of dsp although I typically leave mine on the highest level. I like the headphone jack and tone control neither of which my CS Base had.

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

"BillMe" <BillMe@nowhere.com> wrote in message news:1114309940.efd2b9a85359b38db35d01e029b2e022@tigs709...
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> BIll, K3PGB
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> wabate At dandyDotnet
>
> On Sat, 23 Apr 2005 16:58:53 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com>
> wrote:
>
>>www.ad5th.com
>

2014. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 04:17:58 UTC
From: mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Message-ID: <d4f6lmgnm1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15887
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

In <d4e09kghi1@xuxa.iecc.com> (rec.radio.amateur.equipment), Ben Peddell wrote:
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> 92.0MHz: 235mV
> 92.5MHz: 290mV
> 92.7MHz: local station: 250mV
> 93.0MHz: 330mV
> 93.5MHz: 290mV
> 94.0MHz: 330mV
> 94.5MHz: 255mV
> 95.1MHz: local station: 300mV
> 95.5MHz: 50mV
> noise floor: up to 20mV

Interesting. Some of this could be subcarriers for stuff like Talking
Books; I know there is at least one station in the OKC.ok.us area
that transmits a subcarrier for broadcasts to the blind and visually
handicapped, since my late wife used to have a receiver for it. Possibly
other subcarriers are Muzak or similar broadcast "background music"
services.

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> (>1000mV) pulses about 500ns wide, with weak (~100mV) reversed regions
> between.
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> Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
> equipment, and what was it caused by?

Can you get someone to look at that that with a spectrum analyzer? Can you
get hold of an NBFM receiver?

If it's really something wrong with _them_, then I'm sure their engineer
would be very glad to know before the FCC sends a pink slip. And if they're
transmitting special-purpose subcarriers, the engineer will be able to tell
you about it.

--
Mike Andrews W5EGO 5WPM
mikea@mikea.ath.cx Extra
Tired old sysadmin working on his code speed

2015. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 04:17:58 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d4f6lmgnk1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15888
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

Are you certain they are putting out multiple signals -- or -- is their
signal simply overloading your equipment and generating spurious responses
that look like multiple signals? Remember, a commercial FM broadcast
station is putting out a zillion or so watts ERP -- that can cause a lot of
overload for a short distance around the antenna.

--

Joe S.

"Ben Peddell" <klightspeed@klightspeed.is-a-geek.net> wrote in message
news:d4e09kghi1@xuxa.iecc.com...
> I don't know which newsgroup would be the best place to ask this.
>
> A local FM radio station is transmitting on multiple frequencies above and
> below its normal frequency.
> Its normal frequency is 93.5MHz, and it's also transmitting on 500kHz
> steps between 91.5MHz and 95.5MHz, with the outer bands a few decibels
> above the noise floor.
> I hooked a multimeter up to the input of the 5-stroke signal meter on my
> radio, and here's the values I got:
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> 92.7MHz: local station: 250mV
> 93.0MHz: 330mV
> 93.5MHz: 290mV
> 94.0MHz: 330mV
> 94.5MHz: 255mV
> 95.1MHz: local station: 300mV
> 95.5MHz: 50mV
> noise floor: up to 20mV
>
> The most realistic waveform I can get with that data is very strong
> (>1000mV) pulses about 500ns wide, with weak (~100mV) reversed regions
> between.
> I don't have an oscilloscope to verify this, though.
> Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
> equipment, and what was it caused by?
>

2016. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 04:17:59 UTC
From: kevcat <kevcat@dodo.com.au>
Message-ID: <d4f6lngnq1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15889
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

might just be that the radio is being overloaded by the local radio
station and this is showing up as images

have you tried this test on another radio reciever?

Kev

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> between.
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> Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
> equipment, and what was it caused by?

2017. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 04:18:00 UTC
From: Doug Smith W9WI <w9wi@invalid.invalid>
Message-ID: <d4f6logns1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15891
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

Ben Peddell wrote:
> A local FM radio station is transmitting on multiple frequencies above and
> below its normal frequency.
> Its normal frequency is 93.5MHz, and it's also transmitting on 500kHz
> steps between 91.5MHz and 95.5MHz, with the outer bands a few decibels

> Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
> equipment, and what was it caused by?

I've heard this, caused by a transmitter fault. (the station, on 92.9,
was transmitting every 400KHz - which really raised havoc with the local
stations on 92.1 and 93.7!) It was like that for a few hours on a
Saturday, then promptly cleared up.
--
Doug Smith W9WI
Pleasant View (Nashville), TN EM66
http://www.w9wi.com

2018. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 04:18:02 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <d4f6lqgoc1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15890
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

On 23 Apr 2005 17:23:00 GMT, Ben Peddell
<klightspeed@klightspeed.is-a-geek.net> wrote:

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>between.
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>Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
>equipment, and what was it caused by?

What is a five stroke signal meter? Red bars on a consumer stereo?

You use a field intensity meter or a spectrum analyzer to measure
signal strength. An oscilloscope isn't really very useful.

2019. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 04:23:33 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <7bFae.936$qL5.19446912@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15893
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Can't afford one right now... so... I made the sign of the cross over the speakers, said 10 Hail Marys and genuflexed(sp?) in front of the transceiver... I think it is working!

Regards,
John
"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message news:116lha4nlqo206c@news.supernews.com...
> The Heil Clear Speech Speaker arrived today and I got busy installing it. I
> gave it a quick operational check then took it apart and photographed it
> inside and out. I also scanned the Owner's Manual and created a pdf file
> from it. I did have to add an Amidon core to the power lead and the signal
> input lead since with 1KW I had RFI feedback. The cores resolved it 100%.
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> I am so very pleased and yes after the 746 Pro dopes all it can to reduce
> noise the Heil Clear Speech Speaker can and does further reduce the audio
> noise dramatically. I purposely tuned several weak and noisy stations on HF
> and VHF and the dsp speaker did make an unworkable signal literally arm
> chair copy..no kidding. Years ago I had the AmCom Clear Speech Base box on
> my TS450 and it gave similar results. These things really do work.
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> See photos and download manual here....
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> 1. http://www.ad5th.com/HEIL_CLEAR_SPEECH_SPEAKER.html
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2020. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 04:30:31 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <FhFae.937$lt5.19414162@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15892
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

All kidding aside... a digital speech processing app is an excellent idea. However, you can get them for free (download off the internet!) Then, by using either the line in (preferred) or mic input on the sound card of your computer, and your computer speakers or sound card output--you can process that audio to unfathomable depths!

Regards,
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2021. Re: Do DSPs (digital signal processors) really work?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 05:24:36 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <r4Gae.940$eR7.19836006@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Why not just download some DSP software, hook an audio out to the line in of
your computer sound card and try some processing for yourself?

Regards,
John

"straydog" <advocacy@sdf.lonestar.org> wrote in message
news:Pine.NEB.4.61.0504110234040.1747@sdf.lonestar.org...
>
> A ham friend told me that he heard that DSPs really work at least a little
> bit. He doesn't have one and neither do I (although many of the newer and
> more expensive rigs have them, and there are one or two outboard DSPs that
> are available that can be added to older rigs in some ways). I don't know
> all that they can do (auto null heterodynes? auto noise reduction [what
> kind of noise reduction?]? audio enhancement [or audio bandpass shaping]
> of some kind?) but if static crashes can be really removed or attenuated,
> that would be of use to me. Auto null of heterodynes would be nice on
> those
> occassions when tuner-uppers decide to tune up on my frequency in which I
> am already in two way contact with others (on ssb phone). And, maybe there
> are some other useful characteristics I don't know about. But, are these
> really effective? For example, a 20 db heterodyne null is not much. Nulls
> have to be about 50-60 db to be useful.
>
> I'll take any kind of comments, suggestions, refernces to testing, or
> personal experience, pro & con recomendations, ...anything...
>
> Art, W4PON
>
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>

2022. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 08:49:54 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <116mnev9k7hmr67@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15895
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Shouldn't that be 10 "Heil Mary's?"

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

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2023. Re: N8WWM in Trouble again!?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 10:55:58 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050424065558.989$nf_-_@newsreader.com>
Source record: 15896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

lardass_lloydie@yahoo.com wrote:
> Nomen Nescio wrote:
> > You freebanders better knock it off.
> > The FCC just formed a Freeband Strike Unit, and they
> > already cited a bunch of Freebanders.
>
> They are looking into no code techs like you
>
They got N8WWM already.

If you see the fugly felon doug at Dayton ask him these questions.

(he will be attempting to sell some trash there if I didn't
scare him away again)

1. How is the court ordered shrink working out for you?

2. How's the court ordered job hunt going?

3. How's the court ordered wage withholding going?

4. Have you made the rain report for jamming repeaters again, Doug?

5. Have you threatened to kick anyone elses ass, only to have them show
up at your section 8 slum and prove what a fucking coward you are, maggot?

Here's what the felon looks like:

http://img258.echo.cx/img258/8190/fuglydogiecloseupgif7bt.jpg

and

http://img258.echo.cx/my.php?image=dogieupclosefugly2nk.jpg

2024. For Auction: Icom 230 Two meter FM Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 12:14:16 UTC
From: burt <k1oik@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <fsCdnQ6YIdNfEPbfRVn-1w@comcast.com>
Source record: 15897

For Auction: Icom 230 Two meter FM Transceiver
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5768933234&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

2025. FS Radio shack 10m Transciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 12:27:28 UTC
From: John A Ward <w3oj@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <QgMae.6545$Fc.1161@trnddc01>
Source record: 15798

For sale brand new in a box Radio shack 10 meter transciever, swr meter and antenna.
$65.00 plus shipping.
John w3oj
w3oj@verizon.net

2026. Re: Heathkit SA-2040: what's worst SWR it tune out.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 13:08:35 UTC
From: Steve <fullwaveguy@flash.net>
Message-ID: <426B9A53.660788C3@flash.net>
Source record: 15799

Rob, got a 2040 also, mine has 28 uh roller inductor
in the middle and it hanldes extreme loads! Dont know
what your trying to tune, but have 2 loops here and its a
breeze to work with! sometimes a single wire antenna
poses a threat to the tuner. got a analyzer here and it
seems to tell the truth more often than not!
Key is a good ground, and is a must!

steve.... gud luck.

2027. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 13:55:29 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <426ba621$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 15800
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

BillMe wrote:
> I have a Am-Comm Clear Speech and find it indispensable for mobile
> work.

Ditto!
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73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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2028. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 14:01:39 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <426ba793$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 15802
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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A tad difficult while driving my GMC pickup.
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2029. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 14:02:11 UTC
From: "Steven R. Adell - KF2TI" <kf2ti@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cd5b7199c01d1a0989690@news.west.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15801
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <426ba621$1_2@127.0.0.1>, w5dxp@hotmail.com says...
> BillMe wrote:
> > I have a Am-Comm Clear Speech and find it indispensable for mobile
> > work.
>
> Ditto!
>

I looked but could not find the dimensions for the ClearSpeech. I am
very tight for space and have the speaker on my mobile wish list

The pictures aren't any help as there is no reference point

ANy help would be appreciated

Thanks

Steve KF2TI

2030. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 14:17:20 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <426bab40$1_2@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 15803
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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My Am-Comm is 5.5"w x 4.5"h x 2.5"deep. I have it
mounted close to my ear velcro'ed to the rear
window in my GMC pickup.
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73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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2031. FS PANEL METER LOT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 14:43:55 UTC
From: Chris NI4L <ni4l@charter.net>
Message-ID: <9gOae.20607$Ow2.14913@fe06.lga>
Source record: 15804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a nice collection of panel meters 16 total for sale.
I will only sell as one lot as i do not wish to make a bunch of trips to the PO. I hope you can understand. All measurements are of the FACE not the Hole cutout.
I will list L/R as pic shows. 1)AC AMPERES 0-15 Simpson 3"x3" 2) AC VOLTS 0-500 Simpson 3 1/4"x3 1/4" 3) AC MILLIAMPERES 0-10 3 1/4"X3 1/4" Simpson 4)KILOVOLTS DC 0-5 Weston 3"x3" 5) AMPERES DC 0-50 Simpson 3"x3" 6)AMPERES DC 0-30 Westinghouse 3"x3" 7)VOLTS DC Weston 0-200 3 1/2" 8)AC VOLTS 0-50 Triplet 3 1/2" 9) DC VOLTS -10-+10 0 CENTER 2"X 3/4" 10)DC AMPERES 0-5 Shurite 2 5/8"x2 5/8" 11) AC VOLTS 0-300 Shurite 2 5/8"x2 5/8" 12)DC VOLTS 3 SCALES 0-1000 0-400 0-200 Westinghouse 4"x4" 13)DC MILLIAMPERES 0-500 Hickok 3 1/2" 14)DC MILLIAMPERES 0-200 Triplet 3 1/2" 15) DC VOLTS 0-300 Weston 2 5/8" 16) AC HOURS IN USE 240 AC Engler 2 3/4" All meters do work and in nice shape. Some of these are hard to come by, I would like 125.00 shipped for all OBO. Can do PayPal.
http://swap.qth.com/view_ad.php?counter=467361

thanks for looking
Chris NI4L

2032. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 15:10:11 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <rFOae.5$4t5.752732@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15805
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Laptop, palm???

Regards,
John

"Cecil Moore" <w5dxp@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:426ba793$1_2@127.0.0.1...
> John Smith wrote:
>> All kidding aside... a digital speech processing app is an excellent
>> idea.
>> However, you can get them for free (download off the internet!) Then, by
>> using either the line in (preferred) or mic input on the sound card of
>> your computer, and your computer speakers or sound card output--you can
>> process that audio to unfathomable depths!
>
> A tad difficult while driving my GMC pickup.
> --
> 73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp
>
>
> -----== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com - Unlimited-Uncensored-Secure Usenet
> News==----
> http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! >100,000
> Newsgroups
> ---= East/West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =---

2033. Re: Heathkit SA-2040: what's worst SWR it tune out.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 15:10:53 UTC
From: Robert Myers <rsmyers@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <426BB6FD.13C9975D@rogers.com>
Source record: 15806

Hi Steve,

Thanks for the information.
Good ground where, though? Around the antenna, like 'wires in the lawn.'
Or, a good ground from your transmitter to ground, or good ground
from your SA-2040 to ground (or both via separate braids to a common
ground point --- like a cold water pipe. Not too sure. Can you elaborate?

How did you create your good ground? How about if I soldered a 5 ft.,
3/4 inch braid to the point where the cold water feed from the city
enters the basement --- I can set up the whole station right in that
location then (within that 5 feet I mean, because the basement is
unfinished. How are you doing your grounding?

Thanks for the help.
--- Rob

Steve wrote:

> Rob, got a 2040 also, mine has 28 uh roller inductor
> in the middle and it hanldes extreme loads! Dont know
> what your trying to tune, but have 2 loops here and its a
> breeze to work with! sometimes a single wire antenna
> poses a threat to the tuner. got a analyzer here and it
> seems to tell the truth more often than not!
> Key is a good ground, and is a must!
>
> steve.... gud luck.

2034. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 15:11:04 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <gGOae.6$e83.499848@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15807
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hmmmm, or Heil Hitler! Heil Bush?????

Regards,
John

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:116mnev9k7hmr67@news.supernews.com...
> Shouldn't that be 10 "Heil Mary's?"
>
> --
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
> Live Blues Music
> www.492acousticblues.com
>
>
>
>
> "John Smith" <assemblywizard@gmail.com> wrote in message
> news:7bFae.936$qL5.19446912@news.sisna.com...
>> Can't afford one right now... so... I made the sign of the cross over the
>> speakers, said 10 Hail Marys and genuflexed(sp?) in front of the
>> transceiver... I think it is working!
>>
>> Regards,
>> John
>> "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
>> news:116lha4nlqo206c@news.supernews.com...
>>> The Heil Clear Speech Speaker arrived today and I got busy installing
>>> it. I
>>> gave it a quick operational check then took it apart and photographed it
>>> inside and out. I also scanned the Owner's Manual and created a pdf
>>> file
>>> from it. I did have to add an Amidon core to the power lead and the
>>> signal
>>> input lead since with 1KW I had RFI feedback. The cores resolved it
>>> 100%.
>>>
>>> I am so very pleased and yes after the 746 Pro dopes all it can to
>>> reduce
>>> noise the Heil Clear Speech Speaker can and does further reduce the

>>> audio
>>> noise dramatically. I purposely tuned several weak and noisy stations
>>> on HF
>>> and VHF and the dsp speaker did make an unworkable signal literally arm
>>> chair copy..no kidding. Years ago I had the AmCom Clear Speech Base box
>>> on
>>> my TS450 and it gave similar results. These things really do work.
>>>
>>> See photos and download manual here....
>>>
>>> 1. http://www.ad5th.com/HEIL_CLEAR_SPEECH_SPEAKER.html
>>>
>>> Charlie
>>> Ham Radio - AD5TH
>>> www.ad5th.com
>>> Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
>>> www.deepsouthnet.net
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2035. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 16:38:39 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <rgin61hekpo28qaimt6ao5k8jkb3f6cdc0@4ax.com>
Source record: 15808
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 23 Apr 2005 16:58:53 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com>
wrote:

>The Heil Clear Speech Speaker arrived today and I got busy installing it. I
>gave it a quick operational check then took it apart and photographed it
>inside and out. I also scanned the Owner's Manual and created a pdf file
>from it. I did have to add an Amidon core to the power lead and the signal
>input lead since with 1KW I had RFI feedback. The cores resolved it 100%.
>
>I am so very pleased and yes after the 746 Pro dopes all it can to reduce
>noise the Heil Clear Speech Speaker can and does further reduce the audio
>noise dramatically. I purposely tuned several weak and noisy stations on HF
>and VHF and the dsp speaker did make an unworkable signal literally arm
>chair copy..no kidding. Years ago I had the AmCom Clear Speech Base box on
>my TS450 and it gave similar results. These things really do work.
>
>See photos and download manual here....
>
>1. http://www.ad5th.com/HEIL_CLEAR_SPEECH_SPEAKER.html
>
>Charlie
>Ham Radio - AD5TH
>www.ad5th.com
>Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
>www.deepsouthnet.net

Question -- got a buzz at this QTH; sounds like powerline hash; the
ordinary analogue noise-blankers on my Icom 735 and JRC NRD-525 will
take out the noise, but introduce heavy distortion on the received
signal. Will the the ClearSpeech digital doobies take out the noise
without distorting the signal?

Bob
k5qwg

2036. FA: LAFAYETTE DYNA-COM 40 and ARGONNE CRYSTAL ELEMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 17:00:20 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <sgQae.16992$ZQ1.10392@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15809

Posting this for a friend

Lafayette Dyna-Com 40
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5769800012

Argonne crystal mic elements, NEW
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5769860057

2037. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 17:21:38 UTC
From: "Steven R. Adell - KF2TI" <kf2ti@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cd5e5d2a16f8dc7989691@news.west.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15810
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <426bab40$1_2@127.0.0.1>, w5dxp@hotmail.com says...
> Steven R. Adell - KF2TI wrote:
> > I looked but could not find the dimensions for the ClearSpeech. I am
> > very tight for space and have the speaker on my mobile wish list
> > ANy help would be appreciated
>
> My Am-Comm is 5.5"w x 4.5"h x 2.5"deep. I have it
> mounted close to my ear velcro'ed to the rear
> window in my GMC pickup.
>

Thank you. I have the perfect spot and it will just fit

2038. FA Henry 2KD-2 amp and Collins S-Line, over soon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 21:16:30 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <E0Uae.24225$up2.9627@okepread01>
Source record: 15811

Please see my Henry 2KD-2 Amplifier on e-Bay. Auction is over soon. This is near mint and matches Collins gear. Also up for auction
is a very nice Collins S-Line including a 75S-3C and a 32S-3. See at:
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2039. WTB: NEED SX-9 (S-9) Hallicrafters manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 21:17:21 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <B1Uae.109202$cg1.44492@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Desperately in need of manual for Hali SX-9 - a basket case in need of much surgery.
Pse advise if you have a copy / new for sale. Tnx Joe WS&#65533;E

2040. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 21:17:25 UTC
From: Tsunami Australia <glen@gocconline.com-despam>
Message-ID: <d4h2d5edq1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15816
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

Ben Peddell wrote:
> I don't know which newsgroup would be the best place to ask this.
>
> A local FM radio station is transmitting on multiple frequencies above and
> below its normal frequency.
> Its normal frequency is 93.5MHz, and it's also transmitting on 500kHz
> steps between 91.5MHz and 95.5MHz, with the outer bands a few decibels
> above the noise floor.
> I hooked a multimeter up to the input of the 5-stroke signal meter on my
> radio, and here's the values I got:
> 91.5MHz: 130mV
> 92.0MHz: 235mV
> 92.5MHz: 290mV
> 92.7MHz: local station: 250mV
> 93.0MHz: 330mV
> 93.5MHz: 290mV
> 94.0MHz: 330mV
> 94.5MHz: 255mV
> 95.1MHz: local station: 300mV
> 95.5MHz: 50mV
> noise floor: up to 20mV
>
> The most realistic waveform I can get with that data is very strong
> (>1000mV) pulses about 500ns wide, with weak (~100mV) reversed regions
> between.
> I don't have an oscilloscope to verify this, though.
> Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
> equipment, and what was it caused by?
>
How close to the transmitter are you? I remember living across the road
from a Tourist FM88 station and it had a dirty transmitter, but because
my equipment didn't cost thousands (for filtering etc) and wasn't new
they said they couldn't do anything (more like wouldn't). I could pick
it up on my old receiver in various places from 4mhz-800mhz.

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****
Glen O'Riley
Penrith, NSW, 2750
****
ACREM - NSW Operations Coordinator
NSW Rural Fire Service - Firefighter
NSW State Emergency Services - Member

Angel Flight - Earth Angel
Storm Chaser
****

2041. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 21:17:26 UTC
From: "Ralph A. Schmid, DK5RAS" <nospam@radio-link.net>
Message-ID: <d4h2d6eds1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15817
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

Doug Smith W9WI <w9wi@invalid.invalid> wrote:

>I've heard this, caused by a transmitter fault.

We have this sometimes with police radio transmitters. It is one
single make of transmitter which shows this problem now and then -
exchanging the PA cures it. With those radios the signal shows up
every 80 KHz.

regards - Ralph

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Want to get in touch? http://www.radio-link.net/whereisralph.txt

2042. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 21:17:27 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <d4h2d7$ee1$1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15815
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

"Mike Andrews" <mikea@mikea.ath.cx> wrote in message
news:d4f6lmgnm1@xuxa.iecc.com...
> In <d4e09kghi1@xuxa.iecc.com> (rec.radio.amateur.equipment), Ben Peddell
wrote:
> > I don't know which newsgroup would be the best place to ask this.
>
> > A local FM radio station is transmitting on multiple frequencies above
and
> > below its normal frequency.
> > Its normal frequency is 93.5MHz, and it's also transmitting on 500kHz
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> > radio, and here's the values I got:
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> > 94.0MHz: 330mV
> > 94.5MHz: 255mV
> > 95.1MHz: local station: 300mV
> > 95.5MHz: 50mV
> > noise floor: up to 20mV
>
> Interesting. Some of this could be subcarriers for stuff like Talking
> Books; I know there is at least one station in the OKC.ok.us area
> that transmits a subcarrier for broadcasts to the blind and visually
> handicapped, since my late wife used to have a receiver for it. Possibly
> other subcarriers are Muzak or similar broadcast "background music"
> services.

Being that far off the normal frequency is not subcarriers. The bandwidth
is 200 KHz. Of this about 150 KHZ is used for the normal FM data. Of what
is left over sometimes this is used for the talking books, background music
for stores, pagers, and other things.
If you are recieving the station at 500 khz or more away then you have
defective equipment or the station is transmitting way out of what it is
suspose to be.

2043. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 21:17:29 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <d4h2d9$ee7$1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15814
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

Your receiver is probably being overloaded by the strong signal.

Do somthing, or anything, to attenuate the signal received from the
antenna.

2044. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 21:17:31 UTC
From: Ben Peddell <klightspeed@klightspeed.is-a-geek.net>
Message-ID: <d4h2dbeeh1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15813
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

I'm replying to multiple responses here.

On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:17:58 +0000, Joe S. wrote:
> Are you certain they are putting out multiple signals -- or -- is their
> signal simply overloading your equipment and generating spurious responses
> that look like multiple signals? Remember, a commercial FM broadcast
> station is putting out a zillion or so watts ERP -- that can cause a lot of
> overload for a short distance around the antenna.

Actually, 100W (from page 7 of
<http://www.aba.gov.au/broadcasters/pdfrtf/radio_4.pdf>)

On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:17:59 +0000, kevcat wrote:
> might just be that the radio is being overloaded by the local radio
> station and this is showing up as images
>
> have you tried this test on another radio reciever?

All of the radios in the house get exactly the same thing.

On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:17:58 +0000, Mike Andrews wrote:
> Interesting. Some of this could be subcarriers for stuff like Talking
> Books; I know there is at least one station in the OKC.ok.us area
> that transmits a subcarrier for broadcasts to the blind and visually
> handicapped, since my late wife used to have a receiver for it. Possibly
> other subcarriers are Muzak or similar broadcast "background music"
> services.

You'd think that such a thing would have a bandwidth of less than 400kHz.
This thing has a bandwidth of close to 4MHz, with _exactly_ the same FM
signal on _every_ harmonic between +2MHz and -2MHz.

On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:18:02 +0000, David wrote:
> What is a five stroke signal meter? Red bars on a consumer stereo?

Yes.

>
> You use a field intensity meter or a spectrum analyzer to measure
> signal strength. An oscilloscope isn't really very useful.

True.

BTW, we're in Australia, so it'd be the ABA (Australian Broadcasting
Authority) in place of the FCC.
I'll have to bring it to the attention of the manager of Reef Rhema (one

of my friends) when I see her tonight.
I've been trying to bring it to the attention of Vision FM, but seem to
have failed.

2045. FS: Ryan Communications 30 meter CW-QRP transmitter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 23:32:55 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1114385575.809775.324670@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15818

FS: Ryan Communications 30 meter CW-QRP transmitter. Milliwatts to five watts with 9 volts to 14 volts. Comes with an extra final & a crystal for 10.106 MHz, the 30m QRP stand-by frequency. FULLY assembled and two different size crystal sockets are on the tx board. I use my three other Ryan transmitters with my Sony 7600 receiver and it makes for a great little portable ham station. ONLY $29.95 w/ crystal, instructions and extra final amp transistor!!! (Plus $5.95 First Class USPS mail & insurance.) wa8mea@hotmail.com.

73, Bill - WA8MEA
Spring Antenna FUN!! Visit: http://qth.com/dwm

2046. Re: TS-711 and TS-811

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-24 23:53:49 UTC
From: Dennis Kaylor <k4oxg@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <hkWae.10867$716.1061@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 15819

i sent you an email direct asking about what other Satellite stuff you
have to sell but no reply
what ya got

me wrote:
> I have for sale a nice clean set of Kenwood radios.
> They can be see/bought at Dayton this year.
> If interested in these and other satellite gear please email me.

2047. Re: NEED SX-9 (S-9) Hallicrafters manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-25 07:58:03 UTC
From: yeah man <radio@sometime.com>
Message-ID: <426ca30a$1@news.comindico.com.au>
Source record: 15820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bloody hell mate. You know how to pick them.
This page has nearly all of them but ....yes you guessed it. ...
http://bama.edebris.com/manuals/hallicra/
But look at them anyway. You might find a similiar circuit.

"Heytubeguy" <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:B1Uae.109202$cg1.44492@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net...
> Desperately in need of manual for Hali SX-9 - a basket case in need of
much
> surgery.
> Pse advise if you have a copy / new for sale. Tnx Joe WS?E
>
>
>

2048. simoco srm100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-25 08:03:55 UTC
From: GEOFF <gkent@adam.com.au>
Message-ID: <1114416235.441572.282300@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15821

Does anyone have a web sight where i can gain sfftware for a srm1000
also i need the details for a cable from the pc to the radio, many
thanks.

Geoff Vk5kik

2049. WTB: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-25 12:34:29 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <pt5be.1$tp2.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to buy a used Icom 746PRO.

Must be in perfect working condition and in mint or near-mint cosmetic condition. Must come from a non-smoking environment. Must come with the original manual/box/packing/accessories. It would be nice to have the PS-125 power supplt, SP-21 spkr, and SM-20 desk mic, or some combination thereof, but not having some or all will not be a deal-breaker.

In first message, please state price, condition, damage/repair history, modifications if any, what accessories/options are included, and where you are located.

Thanks and 73,
Dean K5DH

2050. Re: Heathkit SA-2040: what's worst SWR it tune out.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-25 17:11:53 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ge8q61duhtjmiodeeee63nl0f5a5pvta7f@4ax.com>
Source record: 15822

On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 11:10:53 -0400, Robert Myers <rsmyers@rogers.com>
wrote:

>Hi Steve,
>
>Thanks for the information.
>Good ground where, though? Around the antenna, like 'wires in the lawn.'
>Or, a good ground from your transmitter to ground, or good ground
>from your SA-2040 to ground (or both via separate braids to a common
>ground point --- like a cold water pipe. Not too sure. Can you elaborate?
>
>How did you create your good ground? How about if I soldered a 5 ft.,
>3/4 inch braid to the point where the cold water feed from the city
>enters the basement --- I can set up the whole station right in that
>location then (within that 5 feet I mean, because the basement is
>unfinished. How are you doing your grounding?
>
>Thanks for the help.
>--- Rob

You may or may not need an RF ground, depending on whether you are
tuning a balanced or unbalanced antenna. I have 1/2" braid coming off
the back of my mfj tuner to a short length of copper pipe (I have rock
about 12" down), and then I have two 70-ft buried wires across the
lawn.

I'm still trying to decipher what constitutes a good or better tuner.
I recently got an older Murch 2000 transmatch whose components, the
two variable caps and the variable inductor, are about 50% bigger than
those in my mfj-989c, but the Mighty Fine Junk tunes bands the Murch
won't touch :-)

Oh, well...

bob
k5qwg

>
>Steve wrote:
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>> Rob, got a 2040 also, mine has 28 uh roller inductor
>> in the middle and it hanldes extreme loads! Dont know
>> what your trying to tune, but have 2 loops here and its a
>> breeze to work with! sometimes a single wire antenna
>> poses a threat to the tuner. got a analyzer here and it
>> seems to tell the truth more often than not!

>> Key is a good ground, and is a must!
>>
>> steve.... gud luck.

2051. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-25 19:21:42 UTC
From: Lou Dietrich <n2tu@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9rbbe.349$Hf6.258@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15823
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie,

Thanks for the review....I have one of the older versions...an AmCom speaker/ DSP combo...and wanted to give my "unbiased" input.

The speaker does take out some noise but, unfortunatley I cannot give it the same "unworkable to arm chair copy" review you have. I've used this with my MP, MP Mark V and currently with my mobile FT100D. All experiences have been the same; mediocre. There were few instances where the AmCom alone made a signifcant difference.

The voice quality is very degraded when the DSP is engaged and the audio level drops substantially and has a "talk in a barrel" quality. Having one of the earlier models, I found the heavily engaged, non-variable DSP to be quite annoying. Also, I found that the unit is definitely NOT required if you use the internal DSP of the rig. Yaesu DSP and noise reduction are more effective than the AmCom.

This is the second unit I've tried, having thought the first to be defective. AmCom was nice enough to replace the first.

Additionally, I see you found out that the unit is RFI prone. Remarkable that this should be the case for such as expensive accessory that is supposed to be functional in an RF environment.

In short, Good Luck with the unit....and thanks for the review....

N2TU

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:116lha4nlqo206c@news.supernews.com...
> The Heil Clear Speech Speaker arrived today and I got busy installing it.
> I
> gave it a quick operational check then took it apart and photographed it
> inside and out. I also scanned the Owner's Manual and created a pdf file
> from it. I did have to add an Amidon core to the power lead and the
> signal
> input lead since with 1KW I had RFI feedback. The cores resolved it 100%.
>
> I am so very pleased and yes after the 746 Pro dopes all it can to reduce
> noise the Heil Clear Speech Speaker can and does further reduce the audio
> noise dramatically. I purposely tuned several weak and noisy stations on
> HF
> and VHF and the dsp speaker did make an unworkable signal literally arm
> chair copy..no kidding. Years ago I had the AmCom Clear Speech Base box

> on
> my TS450 and it gave similar results. These things really do work.
>
> See photos and download manual here....
>
> 1. http://www.ad5th.com/HEIL_CLEAR_SPEECH_SPEAKER.html
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
> Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
> www.deepsouthnet.net
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2052. WTB TR-7950 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-25 23:47:49 UTC
From: enigma_y_2000@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <hc0r619ltm9u8j36ujur9f0ghoba2lv8pk@4ax.com>
Source record: 15825

Hi,

I would like to buy a service manual for Kenwood TR-7950 or 7930 for a
school Ham radio project.

Please email me.

enigma_y_2000@yahoo.com

Thanks,

Bob

2053. FA:ZENITH TRANS-OCEANIC ANTIQUE RADIO-NO RESERVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 03:17:28 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <dpibe.69931$lz2.11882@fed1read07>
Source record: 15826

FA: ZENITH TRANS-OCEANIC ANTIQUE RADIO-NO RESERVE

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6528099334&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2054. Re: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 04:10:17 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <116rflqo81f3qcc@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gee...not too picky are you? Let me guess you want all this for $500
max..right?

"dream on lil' dreamer..dream on...."

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

"=K=5=D=H=" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
news:pt5be.1$tp2.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
> Looking to buy a used Icom 746PRO.
>
> Must be in perfect working condition and in mint or
> near-mint cosmetic condition. Must come from a non-
> smoking environment. Must come with the original
> manual/box/packing/accessories. It would be nice to
> have the PS-125 power supplt, SP-21 spkr, and SM-20
> desk mic, or some combination thereof, but not having
> some or all will not be a deal-breaker.
>
> In first message, please state price, condition,
> damage/repair history, modifications if any, what
> accessories/options are included, and where you
> are located.
>
> Thanks and 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

2055. Re: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 04:24:20 UTC
From: farfromsane <NOFREAKINSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Ynjbe.86$Q34.3086377@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gee...it sounds to me like he wants one that:

A. Works as it should
B. Looks nice
C. Has items it originally came with
D. Doesn't smell like some ashtray in a stinky tavern

Good luck Dean!

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.com> wrote in message
news:116rflqo81f3qcc@news.supernews.com...
> Gee...not too picky are you? Let me guess you want all this for $500
> max..right?
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> "dream on lil' dreamer..dream on...."
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2056. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 05:14:21 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <d4kindqbv1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15828
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

On 24 Apr 2005 21:17:31 GMT, Ben Peddell
<klightspeed@klightspeed.is-a-geek.net> wrote:

>I'm replying to multiple responses here.
>
>On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:17:58 +0000, Joe S. wrote:
>> Are you certain they are putting out multiple signals -- or -- is their
>> signal simply overloading your equipment and generating spurious responses
>> that look like multiple signals? Remember, a commercial FM broadcast
>> station is putting out a zillion or so watts ERP -- that can cause a lot of
>> overload for a short distance around the antenna.
>
>Actually, 100W (from page 7 of
><http://www.aba.gov.au/broadcasters/pdfrtf/radio_4.pdf>)
>
>On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:17:59 +0000, kevcat wrote:
>> might just be that the radio is being overloaded by the local radio
>> station and this is showing up as images
>>
>> have you tried this test on another radio reciever?
>
>All of the radios in the house get exactly the same thing.
>
>
>On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:17:58 +0000, Mike Andrews wrote:
>> Interesting. Some of this could be subcarriers for stuff like Talking
>> Books; I know there is at least one station in the OKC.ok.us area
>> that transmits a subcarrier for broadcasts to the blind and visually
>> handicapped, since my late wife used to have a receiver for it. Possibly
>> other subcarriers are Muzak or similar broadcast "background music"
>> services.
>
>You'd think that such a thing would have a bandwidth of less than 400kHz.
>This thing has a bandwidth of close to 4MHz, with _exactly_ the same FM
>signal on _every_ harmonic between +2MHz and -2MHz.
>
>
>On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:18:02 +0000, David wrote:
>> What is a five stroke signal meter? Red bars on a consumer stereo?
>
>Yes.
>
>>

>> You use a field intensity meter or a spectrum analyzer to measure
>> signal strength. An oscilloscope isn't really very useful.
>
>True.
>
>
>BTW, we're in Australia, so it'd be the ABA (Australian Broadcasting
>Authority) in place of the FCC.
>I'll have to bring it to the attention of the manager of Reef Rhema (one
>of my friends) when I see her tonight.
>I've been trying to bring it to the attention of Vision FM, but seem to
>have failed.
>
So this is a community antenna with several stations transmitting
through the same antenna?

2057. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 05:14:22 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <d4kine$qc7$1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15829
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

Give them a call.
Talk to the engineer.
Tell her what you are hearing.
If they do have a problem, they will be very happy to know about it.

--

... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli
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news:d4h2dbeeh1@xuxa.iecc.com...
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> On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 04:17:58 +0000, Joe S. wrote:
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> have failed.
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2058. Re: Strange local broadcast radio transmitter problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 05:14:26 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <d4kini$qd5$1@xuxa.iecc.com>
Source record: 15830
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.broadcasting,alt.radio.scanner,aus.radio.broadcast,aus.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.broadcasting

Ben Peddell <klightspeed@klightspeed.is-a-geek.net> wrote:
>A local FM radio station is transmitting on multiple frequencies above and
>below its normal frequency.
>Its normal frequency is 93.5MHz, and it's also transmitting on 500kHz
>steps between 91.5MHz and 95.5MHz, with the outer bands a few decibels
>above the noise floor.

Maybe, but you're more likely to be seeing images inside the radio.

>Have any of you experienced this kind of problem with your
>equipment, and what was it caused by?

I see it all the time with cheap receivers. Look for an IF section that
is oscillating, for one thing.
--scott
--
"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

2059. Re: 706MKIIG(reduced), Icom R1 & 2 base antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 10:08:00 UTC
From: Gary <"gdn50 at usol dot com">
Message-ID: <3h4s61p3b4io0vqo8i67jc1pbjh4upmrp4@4ax.com>
Source record: 15832

On Thu, 7 Apr 2005 21:24:34 -0600, "Topaz305RK" <k7sam@arrl.net>
wrote:

>Icom 706 MKIIG - $899.99 Brandy spanking new at Giga Parts
>
Yaesu FT-857D - $699.00 at AES. I've owned both and the Icom's
display is bigger but the Yaesu has a really good functioning DSP. I
found the DSP in the Icom to be DSP in name only.

Just my .02

73 Gary K8IQ

2060. What equipment is ideal for me at Foundation level?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 12:36:19 UTC
From: gregsiddons@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3a769848.0504260436.7957ec1a@posting.google.com>
Source record: 15833

I'm looking around at starter equipment that is simple(!) for my ability level.

I like the idea of built-in ATUs for making my installation easier too. What do you suggest?

Also, what type of antenna should I be looking at?

Do I gather that I should be looking at HF equipment?

Many thanks... Greg

2061. Re: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 12:43:07 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <vHqbe.1$y_2.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15844
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Charlie,

Picky? No, I don't think so. I want a rig that works
right, hasn't been abused, doesn't reek of cigarette
smoke, and comes with what it's supposed to come with.
I don't think I'm being picky. I don't buy junk. I
buy nice gear. If I could get a nice one for $500, I
would jump on it! However, the going price seems to
be $750 to $1100, depending on the accessories and
options that are included. I fully expect to have to
spend that kind of money.

Not that it's any of your business, of course.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <116rflqo81f3qcc@news.supernews.com>, charlie@earthlink.com says...
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>Gee...not too picky are you? Let me guess you want all this for $500
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>Charlie
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>> have the PS-125 power supplt, SP-21 spkr, and SM-20

>> desk mic, or some combination thereof, but not having
>> some or all will not be a deal-breaker.
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>> damage/repair history, modifications if any, what
>> accessories/options are included, and where you
>> are located.
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>> Thanks and 73,
>> Dean K5DH
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2062. FA: $11?>CLASSIC HEATHKIT HR-10B HAM-BAND RECEIVER>Nicest Seen:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 13:51:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <bHrbe.1006$Hf6.950@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15834
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5769412511&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2063. FA: No Bids> GENERAL RADIO TYPE No. 1803-B VACUUM TUBE VOLTMETER NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 13:52:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <5Irbe.1007$Hf6.442@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15835
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510330953&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2064. FA: RELM MINI-COM PTU46B 4watt UHF WALKY-TALKIE>COMPLETE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 13:53:13 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <bJrbe.1008$Hf6.128@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15836
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

A big $11 so far:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510330919&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2065. FA: At $10>NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET>Hi-QUALITY>D-BEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 13:54:25 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <jKrbe.1009$Hf6.996@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15837
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Won't find any better for less then $100>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510335772&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2066. FA: US ARMY C-114-A COIL, LOADING MADE BY LIONEL 1945 WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 13:55:25 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <fLrbe.1010$Hf6.563@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15838
Cross-posted to: rec.collecting.military.insignia,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc
,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6527368907&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2067. FA: RICOH TLS 126C-FLEX PROMOTIONAL PLAYING CARDS 1969>RARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 13:56:08 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <WLrbe.1011$Hf6.532@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15839
Cross-posted to: rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510330901&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2068. FA: EIGHT(8) VINTAGE GENERAL ELECTRIC 2N167 TRANSISTORS-'55

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 13:59:14 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <QOrbe.1014$Hf6.756@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15841
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

at $10>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510335021&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2069. FA: $10>TWO(2) WESTERN ELECTRIC US ARMY 313C TUBES>WWII 1944 NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 14:00:04 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <CPrbe.1015$Hf6.242@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15840
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.insignia,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5769416557&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2070. Re: What equipment is ideal for me at Foundation level?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 15:53:32 UTC
From: Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.61.0504260837310.2616@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 15842

Hi Greg,

The answer to your question on "what equipment is ideal" greatly depends on your personal location and circumstances.

Some general thoughts:

If you're just starting out, get a less-expensive rig. You don't need to start out with something like an FT-1000. Are you interested in operating voice (FM/SSB, or even AM?), CW, or digital? Some rigs handle some modes better than others. Do your research.

> I like the idea of built-in ATUs for making my installation easier
> too. What do you suggest?

Automatic tuners can make life a lot easier. You don't need a rig with one built-in--there are good external ones that inexpensive. I've heard good stuff about the LDG Z-100. I have the LDG QRP autotuner, and it's great. I also have a manual MFJ 969, which is nice. Nothing fancy, but it works.

> Also, what type of antenna should I be looking at?

Depends on where you are and what your restrictions are. I'd contact a local Ham club and consult with the members about what would be appropriate.

> Do I gather that I should be looking at HF equipment?

Assuming you have a license permitting you to operate on the HF bands, yes.

73,

-Josh, AE6IQ

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senecal@mapson.cs.ucdavis.edu

Remove the reversed "nospam" in the address.

2071. Re: $11?>CLASSIC HEATHKIT HR-10B HAM-BAND RECEIVER>Nicest Seen:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 18:43:04 UTC
From: John <JF@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <TNGdne4YsdknFvPfRVn-jQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 15843
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

List this shit on ebay only

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2072. Re: What equipment is ideal for me at Foundation level?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 22:48:49 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <426ec562$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15845

Greg.S wrote:
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> too. What do you suggest?
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> Many thanks... Greg
I susgest you find your local radio club and make contact . your location ?

2073. Part for my TM-733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-26 23:20:29 UTC
From: RCole <rcole002@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <a2jt61ds5sqbvi7o3cc2ck91bl01u0b8tp@4ax.com>
Source record: 15846

Greetings. I have a TM-733 and I need to replace the front panel, the plastic frame that holds the display glass. Kenwood no longer carries this part. Any ideas? Thanks...

2074. Re: Part for my TM-733

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 00:15:21 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <39mt61dgp6dppu8t4c03qm0oc0ij7ck5m4@4ax.com>
Source record: 15847

On Tue, 26 Apr 2005 23:20:29 GMT, RCole <rcole002@twcny.rr.com> wrote:

>Greetings. I have a TM-733 and I need to replace the front panel, the
>plastic frame that holds the display glass. Kenwood no longer carries
>this part. Any ideas? Thanks...

I have a similar problem with my TM-732. I need the display itself.
The only thing I can think of is to advertise for one that has fried
the finals or something else that the owner doesn't want to fool with,
and just buy it for parts.

2075. FA: 6 Vintage Ham Radio Books - Handbooks, Antennas, Quads, RTTY, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 01:41:39 UTC
From: Aaron <aa@aaronvus6dfa.com>
Message-ID: <2604200521413915 16%aa@aaronvus6dfa.com>
Source record: 15748
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5770505749

2076. Kenwood tk 601 s information requested .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 02:18:58 UTC
From: Barry <service@cableable.com>
Message-ID: <426ef6a2$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15749

As a club project we are looking for software to re-program a couple of
these rigs onto our new 6 metre repeater so can any one offer assistance
, also looking for a suitable cable if the right price :_)
VK4KGW
Logan West Radio Group
Queensland
Australia

2077. Yaesu VFO (external) info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 03:36:34 UTC
From: Nevada_radio <radioactiveham@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6NDbe.1747$zu.47@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hello:

I have a Yaesu FT-902DM HF Transceiver with the Yaesu FTV-901R transverter, and i am trying to find out what Yaesu models of externel VFO's will work with this radio.

If anyone has this information, i would be very pleased to hear from you.

Thanks

Tom

2078. Wierd QSB effect on 6m recorded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 04:16:31 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <zmEbe.26011$mS1.3150@okepread04>
Source record: 15751

Last night I heard a strange effect on a 6m beacon some
81 miles away. It sounded like a bad antenna connection
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meters and coax switches, turning off my AGC, using
differant antennas, no help.

I asked a nearby station if he heard the QSB - nope!

Today, without changing anything, the QSB is gone.

If you have a mp3 player (who doesn't?) and want to d/l
a 939 kb file, you can hear a recording of the "mystery"
QSB effect I was hearing last night. It's at:

http://members.cox.net/kg0wx/

Thanks for everybody's help!

Just my 2¢ worth... 73's es gd dx de Ken KG0WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055, Digital On Six #350,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups: VX-2R & FT-857

2079. Re: What equipment is ideal for me at Foundation level?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 05:56:49 UTC
From: gregsiddons@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3a769848.0504262156.124f9972@posting.google.com>
Source record: 15752

Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu> wrote in message
news:<Pine.LNX.4.61.0504260837310.2616@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu>...
> Hi Greg,
>
> The answer to your question on "what equipment is ideal" greatly depends
> on your personal location and circumstances.
>
> Some general thoughts:
>
> If you're just starting out, get a less-expensive rig. You don't need to
> start out with something like an FT-1000. Are you interested in operating
> voice (FM/SSB, or even AM?), CW, or digital? Some rigs handle some modes
> better than others. Do your research.

Voice (no idea what band - a lot for me to learn yet!)

> > I like the idea of built-in ATUs for making my installation easier
> > too. What do you suggest?
>
> Automatic tuners can make life a lot easier. You don't need a rig with one
> built-in--there are good external ones that inexpensive. I've heard good
> stuff about the LDG Z-100. I have the LDG QRP autotuner, and it's great. I
> also have a manual MFJ 969, which is nice. Nothing fancy, but it works.

Okay, thank you I will look those up.

> > Also, what type of antenna should I be looking at?
>
> Depends on where you are and what your restrictions are. I'd contact a
> local Ham club and consult with the members about what would be
> appropriate.

Good idea. I'll speak to the Leicester Radio Society (LRS).

> > Do I gather that I should be looking at HF equipment?
>
> Assuming you have a license permitting you to operate on the HF bands,
> yes.
>
> 73,

Perhaps I should be clearer. Is HF the band I will be allowed to use
at foundation level? Hope that isn't a silly question.

> -Josh, AE6IQ

Thank you Josh for your help.

2080. TM-732A..What's It Worth?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 11:54:52 UTC
From: N5IFH <n5ifh@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <g4Lbe.11253$mG3.1630@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 15753

Greetings...I have two TM-732A's and I'm going to sell them both. Any ideas what a fair price might be? I can't even remember what I payed for the originally. Thanks...

2081. Re: Wierd QSB effect on 6m recorded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 12:33:52 UTC
From: Korben <n0ty@charter.net>
Message-ID: <bu2dnfkk4djkG_LfRVn-3w@centurytel.net>
Source record: 15754

Ken,

Perhaps your radio may be getting de-sensed? Depending on how close the source is, your radio may hear it, but not your friend's. Maybe the kid next door is using a 49 MHz RC car?

73,

Keith Little

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:zmEbe.26011$mS1.3150@okepread04...
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2082. Re: What equipment is ideal for me at Foundation level?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 13:16:29 UTC
From: gregsiddons@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <3a769848.0504270516.59c0117a@posting.google.com>
Source record: 15755

atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com> wrote in message news:<426ec562$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>...
> Greg.S wrote:
> > I'm looking around at starter equipment that is simple(!) for my
> > ability level.
> >
> > I like the idea of built-in ATUs for making my installation easier
> > too. What do you suggest?
> >
> > Also, what type of antenna should I be looking at?
> >
> > Do I gather that I should be looking at HF equipment?
> >
> > Many thanks... Greg
> I susgest you find your local radio club and make contact . your location ?

I'm in Bushby, Leicestershire. I'll contact Leicester's group. Thank you

2083. Yaesu, Drake, JRC FS or Swap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 15:18:21 UTC
From: brm@netcabo.pt
Message-ID: <d5ce176d.0504270718.7a7fe4d7@posting.google.com>
Source record: 15756

FS or SWAP
Yaesu FR-101
Drake MN-2700
Leader LB-310 A
JRC JST-100
Yaesu FT-301D (not working)
Eprom eraser PROMAX BM130
Drake VFO RV 4C
Sony XV-5000CE (video corrector)
Yaesu FC-757AT
Yaesu FP-757GX
Yaesu FTV-707 (144)
Modulo de 144 para Yaesu FT-726
Leader LPM-880 (meter/dummy)
Radio Goniometro TAIYO TD-A282

73 from CT1BRM
JM Nunes

http://pwp.netcabo.pt/brm/trocas.htm

2084. AWARD RULES: "POPE JEAN PAUL II - DXSPEDITIONER OF PEACE"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 16:51:39 UTC
From: Erminio Cioffi Squitieri <iz8ajq@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <vqPbe.67866$IN.1176279@twister2.libero.it>
Source record: 15757

AWARD: "POPE JEAN PAUL II - DXSPEDITIONER OF PEACE"

RULES

The section ARI of Sala Consilina (SA), ITALY, desiring to honor and to remember Karol Wojtyla , Pope Jean Paul II has founded the award "JEAN PAUL II - DXSPEDITIONER OF PEACE".

General requirements: Awards are available to all amateurs and SWLs for worked or heard at least 40 countries for BASE award of the 131 countries visited by Jean Paul II during his pontificate; 80 countries worked or heard for SILVER award and 131 countries worked or heard for GOLD award.

All the bands assigned to the Radio Amateur Service and all the modes are allowed, satellites included.

There are 4 versions of the award:
1) MIXED
2) PHONE
3) CW
4) DIGITAL MODES

To claim the Award the QSL cards are not required but they must be in possession of the applicant and could be requested anytime for checks.

To receive the forms for the award application and the list of the 131 countries visited by Pope Jean Paul II you can write to the award manager IZ8AJQ Erminio iz8ajq@amsat.org to receive them on your email address.

The fee is 10 Euro or 12 Dollars. To receive the Award as registered mail please add 3 Euro or 4 Dollars.

Application forms must be sent to this address:

ARI SEZIONE SALA CONSILINA
CASELLA POSTALE N.11
CAP 84036 SALA CONSILINA (SA)
ITALY

2085. Re: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 18:05:03 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <116vkv5ge08jeca@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I apologize for being so terse John..I really do. IMHO you'll be happiest
with a new rig.

73 / DX

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

"=K=5=D=H=" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
news:vHqbe.1$y_2.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
> Hi Charlie,
>
> Picky? No, I don't think so. I want a rig that works
> right, hasn't been abused, doesn't reek of cigarette
> smoke, and comes with what it's supposed to come with.
> I don't think I'm being picky. I don't buy junk. I
> buy nice gear. If I could get a nice one for $500, I
> would jump on it! However, the going price seems to
> be $750 to $1100, depending on the accessories and
> options that are included. I fully expect to have to
> spend that kind of money.
>
> Not that it's any of your business, of course.
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>
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> In article <116rflqo81f3qcc@news.supernews.com>, charlie@earthlink.com
> says...
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>>Gee...not too picky are you? Let me guess you want all this for $500
>>max..right?
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>>"dream on lil' dreamer..dream on...."
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>>Charlie

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>>"=K=5=D=H=" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
>>news:pt5be.1$tp2.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
>>> Looking to buy a used Icom 746PRO.
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>>> Must be in perfect working condition and in mint or
>>> near-mint cosmetic condition. Must come from a non-
>>> smoking environment. Must come with the original
>>> manual/box/packing/accessories. It would be nice to
>>> have the PS-125 power supplt, SP-21 spkr, and SM-20
>>> desk mic, or some combination thereof, but not having
>>> some or all will not be a deal-breaker.
>>>
>>> In first message, please state price, condition,
>>> damage/repair history, modifications if any, what
>>> accessories/options are included, and where you
>>> are located.
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>>> Thanks and 73,
>>> Dean K5DH
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>>
>

2086. Re: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 18:05:28 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <116vkvt1a8q2ld3@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15759
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WHOOPs..I meant -DEAN- and not -JOHN-

Sorry Dean...

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>>> Dean K5DH
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2087. VX-5R With Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 18:42:15 UTC
From: N5IFH <n5ifh@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <b2Rbe.8453$XF3.2462@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 15760

Greetings...I have a VX-5R and a bunch of accessories I would like to offer for sale. This is a package offer only!

VX-5R - Black - S/N: 9E061222
CD-15 Rapid Charger
Two FNB-58LI 1100mAh Battery Packs
MH-34 Speaker/Microphone
FBA-23 AA Battery Holder
Diamond SRH519 Antenna

Asking $300.00. US Postal Money Order only. Thanks....

2088. Nice Collins ART-13B on ebay right now...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 19:00:13 UTC
From: Mike <mlinger@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <d4onfu$e07$1@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 15761

For those interested in old stuff there is a nice Collins ART-13B transmitter with AC power supply on eBay right now. Check http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5769451647

2089. Re: Wierd QSB effect on 6m recorded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 19:46:48 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d4oq7701cc@news2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 15762

Aircraft flutter?

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"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:zmEbe.26011$mS1.3150@okepread04...
> Last night I heard a strange effect on a 6m beacon some
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>

2090. Re: Wierd QSB effect on 6m recorded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 20:54:21 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <1_Sbe.168$HL2.118@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15763

Sounds like lightning scatter.
Any storms around?

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli
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2091. Balanced-Twin Line as Tuned Circuit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-27 22:03:43 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <d4p27uqcf1@nwrdmz02.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 15764

New Program "TWINTUNE.exe"

Using a tuning capacitor across one end of a balanced-twin line with a
short circuit at the other, the combination of line and capacitor
behaves as a high-Q parallel-tuned circuit.

Applications include push-pull VHF power amplifiers and power
oscillators.

The program also assists with design of ordinary HF balanced-twin
open-wire transmission lines. Zo and attenuation is computed.

Download program TWINTUNE from website below in a few seconds and run
immediately.

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Regards from Reg, G4FGQ
For Free Radio Design Software go to
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
....

2092. Re: Yaesu VFO (external) info needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 02:40:10 UTC
From: Jim <k0jkj@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1114656010.506300.204460@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

The Place to go for Info about vintage Yaesu gear is
www.foxtango.org

73

Jim

2093. Re: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 02:53:06 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <vuj071luhvhhblmqeb4phki2ee4uapf0qh@4ax.com>
Source record: 15766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 26 Apr 2005 12:43:07 GMT, k5dh@raytheon.com (=K=5=D=H=) wrote:

>Hi Charlie,
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>Picky? No, I don't think so. I want a rig that works
>right, hasn't been abused, doesn't reek of cigarette
>smoke, and comes with what it's supposed to come with.
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>Dean K5DH

there are a few on ebay now fitting that description & price range...

bob
k5qwg

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2094. Re: Wierd QSB effect on 6m recorded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 05:27:16 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <_u_be.75$iU6.23@okepread01>
Source record: 15767

"Hank Oredson" <horedson@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:1_Sbe.168$HL2.118@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net...
> Sounds like lightning scatter.
> Any storms around?
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> --
>
> ... Hank

Yep! I sent similar postings to various lists and the file
has been picked over rather intensely. It has been noted
that the noise floor was constant and the rise/fall time
of the signal was instantanious.

Looks like it was lightning enhancement. Good 'ol
6 - always ready for a prank to our ears!

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Just my 2¢ worth... 73's es gd dx de Ken KG¢WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055, Digital On Six #350,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups: VX-2R & FT-857

2095. Re: Icom 746PRO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 12:24:07 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <HB4ce.2$134.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yep, got 'em in my "Watch This Item" list!

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <vuj071luhvhhblmqeb4phki2ee4uapf0qh@4ax.com>, NOSPAM@neosoft.com
says...
>
>there are a few on ebay now fitting that description & price range...
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2096. Re: Wierd QSB effect on 6m recorded

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 14:09:20 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <k86ce.1039$GQ5.302@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15768

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:_u_be.75$iU6.23@okepread01...
> "Hank Oredson" <horedson@earthlink.net> wrote in message
> news:1_Sbe.168$HL2.118@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net...
>> Sounds like lightning scatter.
>> Any storms around?
>>
>> --
>>
>> ... Hank
>
> Yep! I sent similar postings to various lists and the file
> has been picked over rather intensely. It has been noted
> that the noise floor was constant and the rise/fall time
> of the signal was instantanious.
>
> Looks like it was lightning enhancement. Good 'ol
> 6 - always ready for a prank to our ears!

Very big thunderheads will spill electrons into the ionosphere,
(via "sprites") and thus might also cause some Es like openings.

Six is fun, you get just about any possible kind of propagation.

--

... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

2097. Grundig Satellit 800 Forsale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 15:28:35 UTC
From: gopeder99@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1114702115.762382.213330@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15769

this thing is in excellent condition, works great, clean

comes with whip antenna and power supply

Looking to get around 350, price is negotiable

http://img.photobucket.com/albums/v178/gopeder99/grun.jpg

2098. Re: Heathkit SA-2040: what's worst SWR it tune out.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 15:55:22 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d4r13c$2j5j$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15770

It most often depends on the electrical equivalent of the
antenna system. Sometimes only minor changes in the
antenna system allow a tuner to do it's job. Your best bet
is to configure the antenna with a higher radiation resistance
than 50 ohms instead of lower. Try different grounds,
different antenna lengths, different tuners.

Often a different tuner configuration will allow a match.
To expect a single tuner to handle infinite matching situations
is ludicrous. Read up on the subject. The ARRL antenna
manuals are rich in theory. Consider that there may be many
undefined matching situations where infinite current or voltage
may be placed in the tuner that would burn or arc.

I have a 300w MFJ tuner (T net) that I bought used for $40 and
an LDG kit tuner (Reversible L net). They work just fine when I
design the antenna so that impossible matches are avoided.
Although the LDG may tune a greater range, that also causes
it to find a greater number of impossible matches.

Jim, ac6tk

"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
news:ge8q61duhtjmiodeeee63nl0f5a5pvta7f@4ax.com...
> On Sun, 24 Apr 2005 11:10:53 -0400, Robert Myers
<rsmyers@rogers.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Hi Steve,
> >
> >Thanks for the information.
> >Good ground where, though? Around the antenna, like 'wires in the
lawn.'
> >Or, a good ground from your transmitter to ground, or good ground
> >from your SA-2040 to ground (or both via separate braids to a
common
> >ground point --- like a cold water pipe. Not too sure. Can you
elaborate?
> >
> >How did you create your good ground? How about if I soldered a 5
ft.,
> >3/4 inch braid to the point where the cold water feed from the
city
> >enters the basement --- I can set up the whole station right in
that

> >location then (within that 5 feet I mean, because the basement is
> >unfinished. How are you doing your grounding?
> >
> >Thanks for the help.
> >--- Rob
>
> You may or may not need an RF ground, depending on whether you are
> tuning a balanced or unbalanced antenna. I have 1/2" braid coming
off
> the back of my mfj tuner to a short length of copper pipe (I have
rock
> about 12" down), and then I have two 70-ft buried wires across the
> lawn.
>
> I'm still trying to decipher what constitutes a good or better
tuner.
> I recently got an older Murch 2000 transmatch whose components, the
> two variable caps and the variable inductor, are about 50% bigger
than
> those in my mfj-989c, but the Mighty Fine Junk tunes bands the
Murch
> won't touch :-)
>
> Oh, well...
>
> bob
> k5qwg
>
>
>
> >
> >Steve wrote:
> >
> >> Rob, got a 2040 also, mine has 28 uh roller inductor
> >> in the middle and it hanldes extreme loads! Dont know
> >> what your trying to tune, but have 2 loops here and its a
> >> breeze to work with! sometimes a single wire antenna
> >> poses a threat to the tuner. got a analyzer here and it
> >> seems to tell the truth more often than not!
> >> Key is a good ground, and is a must!
> >>
> >> steve.... gud luck.
>

2099. Re: Heathkit SA-2040: what's worst SWR it tune out.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 16:40:37 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d4r3ni$2kk0$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15771

This is what happens on a much bigger scale:
http://www.wiseguysynth.com/larry/day.htm

2100. Re: What equipment is ideal for me at Foundation level?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-28 20:58:01 UTC
From: iwouldntknow <iwouldntknow@iwouldntknow.nospam.no>
Message-ID: <r9j271hfv4mg8pif1o2soanj50808bf7s2@4ax.com>
Source record: 15772

Hi Greg,

speak with the folks at the local club. Nothing better than a local to help you. If they cannot answer your questions, take to the internet. Many sites with info such as the RSGB site at http://www.rsgb.org.uk

If I am well informed you will be able to use HF but I suggest you look into something which will also cover 50 & 144Mhz such as the Yaesu FT847 (or similar - cheaper) radio's. In your area VHF is also being used and will give you a completely different perspective. For VHF you need (preferably) a horizontal beam.

Again - it will depend on what YOU want to do. This hobby has something for everyone....

73 and GL on the test!

On 26 Apr 2005 22:56:49 -0700, gregsiddons@hotmail.com (Greg.S) wrote:

>Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu> wrote in message
news:<Pine.LNX.4.61.0504260837310.2616@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu>...
>> Hi Greg,
>>
>> The answer to your question on "what equipment is ideal" greatly depends
>> on your personal location and circumstances.
>>
>> Some general thoughts:
>>
>> If you're just starting out, get a less-expensive rig. You don't need to
>> start out with something like an FT-1000. Are you interested in operating
>> voice (FM/SSB, or even AM?), CW, or digital? Some rigs handle some modes
>> better than others. Do your research.
>
>Voice (no idea what band - a lot for me to learn yet!)
>
>
>> > I like the idea of built-in ATUs for making my installation easier
>> > too. What do you suggest?
>>
>> Automatic tuners can make life a lot easier. You don't need a rig with one
>> built-in--there are good external ones that inexpensive. I've heard good
>> stuff about the LDG Z-100. I have the LDG QRP autotuner, and it's great. I
>> also have a manual MFJ 969, which is nice. Nothing fancy, but it works.
>
>Okay, thank you I will look those up.
>
>
>> > Also, what type of antenna should I be looking at?

>>
>> Depends on where you are and what your restrictions are. I'd contact a
>> local Ham club and consult with the members about what would be
>> appropriate.
>
>Good idea. I'll speak to the Leicester Radio Society (LRS).
>
>
>> > Do I gather that I should be looking at HF equipment?
>>
>> Assuming you have a license permitting you to operate on the HF bands,
>> yes.
>>
>> 73,
>
>Perhaps I should be clearer. Is HF the band I will be allowed to use
>at foundation level? Hope that isn't a silly question.
>
>
>> -Josh, AE6IQ
>
>Thank you Josh for your help.

2101. [Question] TRIO 9130 - Audio performances

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 10:12:01 UTC
From: Jean-Marc <F4DRH@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <4272066b$0$21630$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 15774

Hello,

I have just bought a TRIO 9130. It works well. But other OMs say that my audio is "metalic" or narrow ...

Is it a know characteristic of the TRIO ? Does anybody have information about it ?

I have not found anything on it on any product reviews on Internet.

Thanks for your help

Best regards

Jean-Marc
F4DRH
http://www.barbaxoops.com

2102. Doctor DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 11:32:08 UTC
From: "Maurizio L." <i0wmTOGLIMITUTTO@mclink.it>
Message-ID: <d4t5vq$30mt$1@newsreader2.mclink.it>
Source record: 15775

Does someone have the user manual the "AEA - Doctor DX for C 64?"
Thanks in advance.
73 es DX

2103. kenwood vfo 230 doesn't work any idea's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 11:51:34 UTC
From: fuse19@aol.com
Message-ID: <1114775494.481153.246540@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15776

have a kenwood vfo 230 that quit when it got unplug from the radio
when the radio was still turned on the LEDS wont light up now or the

vfo their is no vfo output eather the fuse is ok and voltage is
preasent at the diodes inside i have been in repair for 50 yrs so
have a idea about electronics just havent work on any of this kind of

equiptment any ideas sure would be helpfull and would be greatly
apreacated thanks del k9fcm

Reply

2104. FS icom ps125

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 21:28:57 UTC
From: Mwin33 <Mwin33@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <RaOdnTO9-qaGOu_fRVn-tg@comcast.com>
Source record: 15777

Forsale is a brand new icom ps125 power supply.
$165 shipped to the lower 48 states

2105. GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 23:09:24 UTC
From: Mitch Berkson <mitch_news@bermita.com>
Message-ID: <F8zce.3$2J6.0@lakeread06>
Source record: 15778

I'd like to use GMRS radios to run a rowing regatta (in the U.S.). These require an FCC license but the GMRS license (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/personal/generalmobile/) is limited to an individual and members of his household and relatives.

The Private Land Mobile Radio Service license (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/plmrs/) looks like it might be what I need, but I'm not sure about that. Also the fee for a PLMRS license for a non-profit is $55 per call sign. Can I use GMRS radios with a PLMRS license? Does each GMRS radio count as a separate call sign? Maybe this suggests that PLMRS is not the appropriate license?

Thanks for any help.

Mitch

2106. Re: [Question] TRIO 9130 - Audio performances

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 23:37:39 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4272C543.4050704@optonline.net>
Source record: 15779

Hi, I have the Kenwood 9130 (trio).
What mic are you using with it??
If your using a crystal mic like a D-104 it
not sound so hot, too sharp and crisp / tinny.
Try using a stock type hand mic and see what the difference is.
I bet that is the problem.
73

Jean-Marc wrote:

>Hello,
>
>I have just bought a TRIO 9130. It works well. But other OMs say that my
>audio is "metalic" or narrow ...
>
>Is it a know characteristic of the TRIO ? Does anybody have information
>about it ?
>
>I have not found anything on it on any product reviews on Internet.
>
>Thanks for your help
>
>Best regards
>
>Jean-Marc
>F4DRH
>http://www.barbaxoops.com
>
>
>
>

2107. FA: LAFAYETTE DYNA-COM 40 --ONE DAY LEFT / and ARGONNE NEW CRYSTAL ELEMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 23:44:29 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kFzce.2354$o32.573@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15780

I'm listing this for a friend.

Dyna-Com 40

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5769800012
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5769800012&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

Argonne Crystal microphone elements, NEW

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48707&item=5769860057
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48707&item=5769860057&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2108. FA: LAFAYETTE DYNA-COM 40 --ONE DAY LEFT / and ARGONNE NEW CRYSTAL ELEMENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-29 23:45:30 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <iGzce.2372$o32.286@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15781

I'm listing this for a friend.

Dyna-Com 40

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5769800012
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5769800012&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

Argonne Crystal microphone elements, NEW

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48707&item=5769860057
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48707&item=5769860057&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2109. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 04:40:35 UTC
From: editor@netpath.net
Message-ID: <1114836035.067464.283640@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15782

Dick wrote:
>I really have to disagree with that. There >is no way a 4-watt output AM CB is going >to communicate as far as a 50-watt output >FM 2-meter radio to a 5/8-wave antenna >on the roof.

But CB is likely to find more people - especially more local people - in many areas. CB is much more likely to find the guy in the pickup two cars ahead of you who just filled up after most gas stations in your county lost power in a major storm and with it the ability to pump gas - and thus tell you which are the few area stations that you can fill up at.
My area (Burlington, North Carolina) is fortunate to have a lot of downsized AT&T hams - so finding someone local on 2 meters is easy. But MANY areas aren't that way.

No $4 to park! No $6 admission!
http://stores.ebay.com/INTERNET-GUN-SHOW

2110. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 04:53:09 UTC
From: Michael Brandt <MBRANDT1@mn.rr.com>
Message-ID: <VaEce.47855$Nn.25510@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15783

I suggest calling the FCC. They will inform you of what
you can use under any particular license.

2111. Doctor DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 08:08:32 UTC
From: "Maurizio L." <i0wmTOGLIMITUTTO@mclink.it>
Message-ID: <d4veds$1ln0$1@newsreader1.mclink.it>
Source record: 15784

Does someone have the user manual the "AEA - Doctor DX for C 64?"
Thanks in advance.
73 es DX

2112. Re: Mobile radio - CB, FRS, or 2-meter ham?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 10:58:15 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <a5p671t992dio1k9784b08qt05cavvcmtv@4ax.com>
Source record: 15785

On 29 Apr 2005 21:40:35 -0700, editor@netpath.net wrote:

>Dick wrote:
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>AM CB is going >to communicate as far as a 50-watt output >FM 2-meter
>radio to a 5/8-wave antenna >on the roof.
>
> But CB is likely to find more people - especially more local people
>- in many areas. CB is much more likely to find the guy in the pickup
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>your county lost power in a major storm and with it the ability to pump
>gas - and thus tell you which are the few area stations that you can
>fill up at.
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>But MANY areas aren't that way.
>
>No $4 to park! No $6 admission!
>http://stores.ebay.com/INTERNET-GUN-SHOW

True enough. That's why I have always carried both.

Dick

2113. FA: CLASSIC HEATHKIT HR-10B HAM-BAND RECEIVER>Nicest Seen:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 13:50:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <F2Mce.21090$RP1.5648@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15786
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5769412511&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2114. FA: $10> GENERAL RADIO TYPE No. 1803-B VACUUM TUBE VOLTMETER NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 13:51:09 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <e3Mce.21091$RP1.6774@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15787

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510330953&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2115. FA: RELM MINI-COM PTU46B 4watt UHF WALKY-TALKIE>COMPLETE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 13:51:54 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Y3Mce.21092$RP1.9998@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15788
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510330919&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2116. FA: NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET>Hi-QUALITY>D-BEST

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 13:52:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <y4Mce.21093$RP1.20137@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15789

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7510335772&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2117. FA: $11> OPTIMUS SCT-86 STEREO CASSETTE RECORD/PLAY DECK>Dolby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 13:54:55 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <N6Mce.21095$RP1.7734@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15791
Cross-posted to:
alt.audio.equipment,alt.rec.audio.high-end,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5769412476&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2118. FA: $11>REALISTIC SCP-31 STEREO CASSETTE PLAYBACK DECK>Small NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 13:55:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <C7Mce.21096$RP1.13777@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15790
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5769412465&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2119. FA: $10>TWO(2) WESTERN ELECTRIC US ARMY 313C TUBES>WWII 1944 NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 13:57:10 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <U8Mce.21097$RP1.13162@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15792
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5769416557&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2120. FA: Tubes, Receivers, NOS Test Leads, Antennas, etc NO JUNK:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 14:00:22 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <UbMce.21099$RP1.20217@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15793
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

2121. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 14:34:15 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d50vu1nml1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 15603

"Mitch Berkson" <mitch_news@bermita.com> wrote in message
news:F8zce.3$2J6.0@lakeread06...
> I'd like to use GMRS radios to run a rowing regatta (in the U.S.). These
> require an FCC license but the GMRS license
> (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/personal/generalmobile/) is limited to
an
> individual and members of his household and relatives.
>
> The Private Land Mobile Radio Service license
> (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/plmrs/) looks like it might be what I
> need, but I'm not sure about that. Also the fee for a PLMRS license for a
> non-profit is $55 per call sign. Can I use GMRS radios with a PLMRS
> license? Does each GMRS radio count as a separate call sign? Maybe this
> suggests that PLMRS is not the appropriate license?
>
> Thanks for any help.
>
> Mitch
>

Have you considered a less complicated and cheaper solution? Approach a
local ham club, they might be very happy to handle the comms for your event.
In South Africa (where I am) such communication services comprise large part
of many club's activities. In fact 50 hours of such "community service" is
one of the ways (now that the Morse test is no longer the only one) that a
holder of a restricted licence can upgrade to a full licence.

73
Roger ZR3RC

2122. Re: diagram needed for SM-512

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 15:50:32 UTC
From: Karl Shoemaker <wa7ycp@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <4273A948.71E1C3F4@yahoo.com>
Source record: 15794

Still look'in

Karl Shoemaker wrote:
>
> I'm trying to figure out the power supply and switch section,for my
> Helper Instruments SM-512 however, the whole schematic would be a plus.
> Any help would be appreciated; my email is wa7ycp@yahoo.com
>
> thanks,
>
> Karl in Spokane
> --
> --
> For information go to:
>
> http://www.dalek.org

2123. FS icom ps125 power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 16:02:49 UTC
From: Mwin33 <Mwin33@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <Y-2dnXTSc_2xMe7fRVn-qQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 15795

I have a brand new in the box icom ps125 power supply forsale.
$165 shipped to the lower 48

2124. FS: Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 16:03:38 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Y8SdnZwN0PbAMe7fRVn-uA@comcast.com>
Source record: 15796

Have Rotor and control box.
Control says H-IV CD45

I took down a tower for a silent key
and this rotor and control box was on the tower.
I don't know how old it was but it works just fine
and has a lock. I wired it and rotated it from N to S
and all works fine..
Price is $150 plus shipping.

Also have some VHF UHF and antennas cheep.
10 meter Ringo
2 meter Ringo
2 Meter 13 el boomer
10 15 20 meter Hustler Vert

You can have all 4 antennas for $35
pickup near Boston, Ma.

Steve

2125. FS yeasu ft 840 with extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 16:14:44 UTC
From: Mwin33 <Mwin33@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <u5OdnZd-ia5qM-7fRVn-vQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 15797

I have a ft840 in the original box with manual mic and power cord.
I also have the optional Fm board installed and Am filter.
Comes from a smoke free home.
I also have a new service manual for the radio that will go with it.
$425 shipped to lower 48

2126. FA: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 16:56:56 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1114880216.716310.74400@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15599

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2127. FA: 6146A's, HR-10B Rcvr, Commercial H/T + Other great stuff:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 17:00:18 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1114880418.303810.87380@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15600

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

2128. LOOKING for a 440 mobile radio with bad transmitter.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 17:06:41 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <wWOce.21118$RP1.4195@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15601

HI all, Anyone out there have a 440 ham band mobile rig
with a good receiver and bad transmitter they want to get rid of??
The brand is not too important as long as it has some memories and
a good working receiver.

73 and thanks

LOOKING for a 440 mobile radio with bad transmitter.....

2129. MICOR Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 21:16:28 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ifrurg0.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com>
Source record: 15602
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wanted:

Motorola MICOR power supply - TPN1105A or TPN1106A - at a
reasonable (i.e. miniscule) price.

Can pick up in the Portland, OR metro area.

Please reply off-line - k2asp [at] arrl [dot] net

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

2130. Replacing Final PA stage for Icom IC-720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 22:55:28 UTC
From: "Chuck W." <cwyatt@w3minds.com>
Message-ID: <1114901728.340205.201360@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15604

I seem to have damaged the final PA stage on my rig, because it's now only putting out about a watt or less.

What am I in for in terms of cost to replace the final stage of this older Icom? Are parts even available?

Tnx & 73,

Chuck
KB5GC

2131. Re: Tubes, Receivers, NOS Test Leads, Antennas, etc NO JUNK:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 23:11:57 UTC
From: ergo99@comcast.net
Message-ID: <7-OdnZoBgIsnjenfRVn-rA@comcast.com>
Source record: 15605
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

TUBES????
go away

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:UbMce.21099$RP1.20217@fe10.lga...
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
>

2132. Re: FA: CLASSIC HEATHKIT HR-10B HAM-BAND RECEIVER>Nicest Seen:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 23:36:39 UTC
From: Cmd Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <7ISdnXRd5r52runfRVn-hA@gbronline.com>
Source record: 15609
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5769412511&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>
>

So how many times do you think you need to clutter up the groups with
your auctions. You already posted this once which is more than enough.

2133. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-04-30 23:48:06 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <rj587117sskk3qnmj7eu6dduk8ia7ttcnm@4ax.com>
Source record: 15606

On Sat, 30 Apr 2005 16:34:15 +0200, "Roger Conroy"
<rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote:

>"Mitch Berkson" <mitch_news@bermita.com> wrote in message
>news:F8zce.3$2J6.0@lakeread06...
>> I'd like to use GMRS radios to run a rowing regatta (in the U.S.). These
>> require an FCC license but the GMRS license
>> (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/personal/generalmobile/) is limited to
>an
>> individual and members of his household and relatives.
>>
>> The Private Land Mobile Radio Service license
>> (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/plmrs/) looks like it might be what I
>> need, but I'm not sure about that. Also the fee for a PLMRS license for a
>> non-profit is $55 per call sign. Can I use GMRS radios with a PLMRS
>> license? Does each GMRS radio count as a separate call sign? Maybe this
>> suggests that PLMRS is not the appropriate license?
>>
>> Mitch
>>
>Have you considered a less complicated and cheaper solution? Approach a
>local ham club, they might be very happy to handle the comms for your event.
>In South Africa (where I am) such communication services comprise large part
>of many club's activities. In fact 50 hours of such "community service" is
>one of the ways (now that the Morse test is no longer the only one) that a
>holder of a restricted licence can upgrade to a full licence.
>
>73
>Roger ZR3RC
>
Mitch:
What Roger said.

In my area (greater Boston/eastern Massachusetts in the USA) these
events, which hams call "public service events" are routinely covered
for all of their communications by hams.

Recently, I was one of about 300 hams who staffed the Boston Marathon
as part of the 7,000 volunteers who work the event. Tomorrow, I will
be out at 6:15 AM to start working the annual Walk for Hunger (along
with about 75 other hams). Every fall, I also work the Head of the
Charles Regatta (which anyone familiar with rowing will know about) in
a similar role, with about 60 other hams.

Hams bring not only radio gear capable of doing the job well, but also bring communications and event management experience, and a variety of other skills.

In return, the hams, who are 100% volunteers, often receive an event T-shirt or hat, and occasionally a lunch. We use this as an opportunity for good PR and education about ham radio, and real-world practice for emergency communications.

If you contact the ARRL (American Radio Relay League) www.arrl.org for your area, you may well find that there is a similar group of hams in your area just waiting for you to ask.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2134. Re: Replacing Final PA stage for Icom IC-720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 01:08:29 UTC
From: "Michael St. Angelo" <mstangelo@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <od-dnT4vCux2tunfRVn-2g@comcast.com>
Source record: 15607
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,cwyatt@w3minds.com

Chuck,

I searched for IC-720A and found the manual. The pre-driver is 2CS1971.
Drivers are 2SC1945. The finals are 2SC2907.
There all common Japanese RF transistors. RFParts , www.rfparts.com , lists
a matched pair of 2SC2097 for 67.90.
You should verify blown finals are the culprit before replacing. Good luck.

73,

Mike N2MS

"Chuck W." <cwyatt@w3minds.com> wrote in message
news:1114901728.340205.201360@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com...
>I seem to have damaged the final PA stage on my rig, because it's now
> only putting out about a watt or less.
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> What am I in for in terms of cost to replace the final stage of this
> older Icom? Are parts even available?
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> Tnx & 73,
>
> Chuck
> KB5GC
>

2135. Satellit 800 forsale!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 01:17:45 UTC
From: gopeder99@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1114910265.561485.172710@l41g2000cwc.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15608

i have a great condition satellit 800 forsale, clean works well, comes
with whip antenna and power supply.. asing 300

2136. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 02:22:38 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9648C55026A4Cspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 15610

> I'd like to use GMRS radios to run a rowing regatta (in the U.S.).
> These require an FCC license but the GMRS license
> (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/personal/generalmobile/) is limited
> to an individual and members of his household and relatives.

While I agree with others that it would be an excellent idea to get the local amateur radio organization to provide (free) communications for your regatta, I wonder why you hadn't also considered the FRS radio system? No license, cheap equipment, and should be able to provide your communications requirements for a regatta, assuming you don't have hills or other obstructions to talk past.

Ed

2137. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 02:52:51 UTC
From: Mitch Berkson <mitch_news@bermita.com>
Message-ID: <7wXce.45$2J6.34@lakeread06>
Source record: 15611

Ed wrote:
> While I agree with others that it would be an excellent idea to get
> the local amateur radio organization to provide (free) communications
> for your regatta, I wonder why you hadn't also considered the FRS
> radio system? No license, cheap equipment, and should be able to
> provide your communications requirements for a regatta, assuming you
> don't have hills or other obstructions to talk past.

I have considered FRS, but testing suggests that its range is insufficient.
We will need to communicate over a range of up to 2-3 miles. Even though
the conditions are very good, I don't think FRS can do it, but I would be
delighted to be wrong.

Mitch

2138. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 02:54:06 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <8sf8715br3ao6mtihbbop3j6ku8v2i9v9b@4ax.com>
Source record: 15612

On Sun, 01 May 2005 02:22:38 GMT, Ed
<Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:

>> I'd like to use GMRS radios to run a rowing regatta (in the U.S.).
>> These require an FCC license but the GMRS license
>> (http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/personal/generalmobile/) is limited
>> to an individual and members of his household and relatives.
>
> While I agree with others that it would be an excellent idea to get the
>local amateur radio organization to provide (free) communications for your
>regatta, I wonder why you hadn't also considered the FRS radio system?
>No license, cheap equipment, and should be able to provide your
>communications requirements for a regatta, assuming you don't have hills or
>other obstructions to talk past.
>
The range of 1/2 watt FRS radios, advertised as "up to 2 miles", is
more like 1/2 to 1 mile in real world conditions, and terrain and
architecture can reduce that further.

A typical 2 meter ham HT puts out 5 watts, has a better antenna, and
has access to repeaters. Much greater range.

There are only 14 FRS channels, and anyone can jump in with their own.
The PL tones do not help that much if there are other users on the
same channel.

If your event ends up buying radios, it can add up rather quickly.

We see many events try other means of communications, and they end up
coming back to asking hams to help out.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
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2139. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 02:56:59 UTC
From: Mitch Berkson <mitch_news@bermita.com>
Message-ID: <%zXce.46$2J6.37@lakeread06>
Source record: 15613

Gary S. wrote:
>...
>
> If you contact the ARRL (American Radio Relay League) www.arrl.org for
> your area, you may well find that there is a similar group of hams in
> your area just waiting for you to ask.

This is an interesting idea, but I'm not sure it will work in my situation. Three of the radios need to be in small referee's launches which already contain the ref and a launch driver. Another one will be at the finish line and a fifth will be on the dock.

I will look into this further though. Thank you.

Mitch

2140. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 03:15:12 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9648CE39217C9spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 15614

> I have considered FRS, but testing suggests that its range is
> insufficient. We will need to communicate over a range of up to 2-3
> miles. Even though the conditions are very good, I don't think FRS
> can do it, but I would be delighted to be wrong.
>

Is this event held over line-of-sight water? If so, the FRS radios should work, though close to maximum range there. If there is terrain or just trees in the way, then 2 - 3 miles won't work. Be easy enough to probably get a pair to check the path over your maximum range, though.

As others have said, you'll get a much higher quality communications system if the local hams do it.

Ed

2141. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 03:26:32 UTC
From: Mitch Berkson <mitch_news@bermita.com>
Message-ID: <I%Xce.49$2J6.25@lakeread06>
Source record: 15615

Ed wrote:
>
> Is this event held over line-of-sight water? If so, the FRS radios
> should work, though close to maximum range there. If there is
> terrain or just trees in the way, then 2 - 3 miles won't work. Be
> easy enough to probably get a pair to check the path over your
> maximum range, though.

There is a slight outcropping between the start and finish which is probably enough to rule out the FRS radios.

> As others have said, you'll get a much higher quality
> communications system if the local hams do it.

I have contacted them and will see what they say.

Mitch

2142. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 03:39:42 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <l8j871dv1ucepi6qsesbsgjnqjkba5e6m9@4ax.com>
Source record: 15616

On Sat, 30 Apr 2005 22:56:59 -0400, "Mitch Berkson"
<mitch_news@bermita.com> wrote:

>Gary S. wrote:
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>> If you contact the ARRL (American Radio Relay League) www.arrl.org for
>> your area, you may well find that there is a similar group of hams in
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>Three of the radios need to be in small referee's launches which already
>contain the ref and a launch driver. Another one will be at the finish line
>and a fifth will be on the dock.
>
For the Head of the Charles Regatta, we had 8 rescue launches this
past year. While some of the boat drivers were also hams, a number of
the units carried the driver, a ham, and a lifeguard, with room for
rescuees. A little tight, but the cold conditions in late October
demand a quick response. We also had hams at each of the first aid
stations, shadowing various race officials, at major boathouses, and
with mobile first aid teams out with the crowds, etc. Race officials
setting the course and watching for infractions were on a separate
system. Granted, this is one of the larger regattas, but the setup can
be scaled.

Recently we have added APRS, which transmits a signal from each launch
with its GPS location. This allows Net Control to have a visual map
showing the current location of each launch, to help in deploying the
closest one.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
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2143. Re: GMRS radios with PLMRS (or other) license?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 03:43:52 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <02k8719n267rfgm9scnk98vjn9b8q85vbd@4ax.com>
Source record: 15617

On Sat, 30 Apr 2005 23:26:32 -0400, "Mitch Berkson"
<mitch_news@bermita.com> wrote:

>Ed wrote:
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>> Is this event held over line-of-sight water? If so, the FRS radios
>> should work, though close to maximum range there. If there is
>> terrain or just trees in the way, then 2 - 3 miles won't work. Be
>> easy enough to probably get a pair to check the path over your
>> maximum range, though.
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>There is a slight outcropping between the start and finish which is probably
>enough to rule out the FRS radios.
>
>> As others have said, you'll get a much higher quality
>> communications system if the local hams do it.
>
>I have contacted them and will see what they say.
>
If they have questions, I could get them in touch with the hams who
set up the Head of the Charles.

Happy trails,
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Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2144. Info on Frontier Electronics Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 12:35:26 UTC
From: D Van <davander@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <8Jadnf1KeqSLUOnfRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 15618

Back in the 70's I had a Frontier Electronics tranceiver. It covered 80 -10, had a solid state receiver and tubes in the transmitter (12BY7 driver and two 6146's in the final) similiar to the hy-brid setup of the TS-520S. Anybody have info on this rig...who made it, etc.? Just curious about it.

2145. Re: Replacing Final PA stage for Icom IC-720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 12:48:13 UTC
From: "Chuck W." <cwyatt@w3minds.com>
Message-ID: <1114951693.686775.189780@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15619

Got it. Thanks, Mike. I've now located them physically on the PA board. Now, hmm, I wonder if I need to actually remove these components in order to test them. Is a multimeter sufficient?

73,

Chuck
KB5GC

2146. Re: Replacing Final PA stage for Icom IC-720A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 13:19:00 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4274d750$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15620

Chuck W. wrote:
> Got it. Thanks, Mike. I've now located them physically on the PA
> board. Now, hmm, I wonder if I need to actually remove these
> components in order to test them. Is a multimeter sufficient?
>
> 73,
>
> Chuck
> KB5GC
>
You need to desolder some legs... then test .

2147. Yaesu FT-530 Dual Handhelds - voltage mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 13:40:07 UTC
From: Chris Anton <canton@mail.island.net>
Message-ID: <X_4de.1184814$6l.583098@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 15621

I've recently been fortunate to acquire two Yaesu FT-530 dual band handhelds which are really lovely radios after losing (hopefully just misplaced) my Kenwood. The challenge is that there is only one battery pack which takes 6 AA cells. Neither radio will power up connected to the pack. The pack puts out a full 9 volts. Connect up 12 volts and both radios work fine. I've cleaned contacts, jumpered the pack to a meter - 9 v, jumpered the pack to the radio - no go, jumpered the radio to 12v - works fine. I know I can order 12v packs but I'm perplexed why two units which according to spec will take 5.5 - 16 volt seem to be so picky. Anyone have an explanation?

cheers
Chris
VE7TOP

2148. Re: Info on Frontier Electronics Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 14:05:36 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Rm5de.2243$Ri4.1780@okepread07>
Source record: 15622

"D Van" <davander@comcast.net> wrote in message news:8Jadnf1KeqSLUOnfRVn-tw@comcast.com...
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> receiver and tubes in the transmitter (12BY7 driver and two 6146's in the final) similiar to the
> hy-brid setup of the TS-520S. Anybody have info on this rig...who made it, etc.? Just curious
> about it.

Could that be Frontier Electric Co. Ltd of Japan? They sold an HF SSB transceiver. Only pix I
could find are here:
<http://www.qsl.net/la5ki/org/fe/500D.htm> I recall it was one of the first Japanese invasions into
the U.S. amateur market.

73 de Glenn AA5PK

2149. Re: Yaesu FT-530 Dual Handhelds - voltage mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 14:29:17 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4274E7BD.306@optonline.net>
Source record: 15623

Is it possible that the pack with the AA cells uses the third contact
from the pack somehow
so the radio knows it's not a nicad pack?

Chris Anton wrote:

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>which are really lovely radios after losing (hopefully just misplaced) my
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>the radio - no go, jumpered the radio to 12v - works fine. I know I can
>order 12v packs but I'm perplexed why two units which according to spec will
>take 5.5 - 16 volt seem to be so picky. Anyone have an explanation?
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>cheers
>Chris
>VE7TOP
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2150. Re: Yaesu FT-530 Dual Handhelds - voltage mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 14:29:49 UTC
From: LAFAYETTE RADIO ELECTRONICS <LAFAYETTE2@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <oJ5de.5522$o32.4260@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15624

Is it possible that the pack with the AA cells uses the third contact
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Chris Anton wrote:

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2151. Re: Yaesu FT-530 Dual Handhelds - voltage mystery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 15:28:15 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d52sl7$2sj8$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15625

See if the external power jack is making connection. It may
need to be exercised. It has a switch to isolate the internal
battery which does charge 7.5v batteries when run from Cigar
socket. I have found the external plug at Radio Shack. Radio
will work with anything from 5.5-16v but likes 7.5v -12v. Also
the one battery pack may be faulty. You could have 9v no
load that goes away as soon as you try to power up.

The 3rd contact is for charging and the AA clamshell will not
charge as Alkalines will explode. Replacement NiCads and
NiMH are available. I have always used the 7.5 v batteries
though to keep the heat down and charge from external power.
The watt or two never seems to make much difference.

By the way there is an internal voltmeter on the radio.

"Chris Anton" <canton@mail.island.net> wrote in message
news:X_4de.1184814$6l.583098@pd7tw2no...
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> the radio - no go, jumpered the radio to 12v - works fine. I know
I can
> order 12v packs but I'm perplexed why two units which according to
spec will
> take 5.5 - 16 volt seem to be so picky. Anyone have an
explanation?
>
> cheers
> Chris
> VE7TOP
>
>

2152. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 15:46:32 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cde99b4989dcbdb98971e@localhost>
Source record: 15626

In article <MIz8e.4908$Qu2.524@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>, no1is@home.com
says...

> "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null> wrote in message
> news:MPG.1ccc4e7d5b3bc5d098970a@localhost...
> > In article <1113758014.191691.286120@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
> > fuse19@aol.com says...
> >
> > I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.
>
> Jesus Christ, get over yourself.
> The man asked for help not a damn English lesson.

Then offer him help instead of wasting your energy trying to
"correct" my valid points. ;-)

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

2153. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 15:47:05 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cde99d1ccaedfb98971f@localhost>
Source record: 15628

In article <2kA8e.76745$f%4.9125@bignews1.bellsouth.net>,
mrfedup@bellsouth.net says...

> wheeew**** dont inkurage him
> someone with thier head that far up there assss cant possibly give any gud
> advice on anythin that smell's

PLONK!

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
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2154. Re: cigarette smoke out of electronic's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 15:49:06 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cde9a515cccfdcd989720@localhost>
Source record: 15627

In article <4262eca7$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>, atec77@XXXhotmail.com says...

> Dr. Anton T. Squeegee wrote:
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>
> >
> >
> > I have a few spelling nitpicks before I suggest something.
> >
> >
> Bridge > build > get over it , damn you must have one big broom handle
> up your tail pipe .

If you can't offer anything more constructive than that, then I
guess I have no reason to want to read anything further you post.

PLONK!

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

2155. FREE Coaxial Cable, Connector & Adapter Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 16:16:26 UTC
From: AAA RF PRODUCTS <info@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <%g7de.337$tp.245@fed1read04>
Source record: 15629
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Please email sales@aaarfproducts.com & provide your snail mail address for your free copy of our latest RF products catalog.

AAA RF Products
946 Calle Amanecer, Suite E
San Clemente, CA 92673

Phone: 949 481 3154
Fax: 949 388 5448
email: info@AAARFProducts.com
web: www.aaarfproducts.com

2156. Re: Palomar PTR-130K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 17:55:16 UTC
From: Corrado - iw0hof <korradoroma@excite.it>
Message-ID: <79567bc14757ab16171b291f9ee7d0bb.69585@mygate.mailgate.org>
Source record: 15630

Sorry Ser, is possible to you send tom my email address some pics of
Palomar PTR-130K?

Many thanks
Corrado - iw0hof (Rome - Italy)
korradoroma@yahoo.it

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Posted via Mailgate.ORG Server - http://www.Mailgate.ORG

2157. Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 19:41:48 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <41ca71ldj6567pi7s2u1595hmm4bqd1j91@4ax.com>
Source record: 15631

The panel lamps on my Kenwood TM-732A are not functioning. I checked and found 0 voltage at the lamps with any setting of the dimmer. They are driven by a 2SB1149 Darlington transistor (Q1). Anyone have any experience with this problem? I guess I could just replace Q1 and see if that fixes it.

Dick

2158. Re: FREE Coaxial Cable, Connector & Adapter Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 21:55:11 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <3fcde.6133943$Zm5.929114@news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

AAA RF PRODUCTS wrote:
> Please email sales@aaarfproducts.com & provide your snail mail
> address for your free copy of our latest RF products catalog.

Welcome to usenet. We certainly enjoyed your posting and hope that your email address sales@aaarfproducts.com attracts some potential customers. I guess because you want to get email at sales@aaarfproducts.com ?

Why don't you post your catalog on your web site? Perhaps your web designer dallas@hyperartdesign.com would like to have a catalog, too, so they can do that. Or maybe raphael@hyperartdesign.com should get a copy so she can put it there.

In any case, thanks so much for stopping by.

2159. Re: FREE Coaxial Cable, Connector & Adapter Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 21:59:57 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <xjcde.6134325$Zm5.929173@news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15633
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Travis Jordan wrote:
> AAA RF PRODUCTS wrote:
> > Please email sales@aaarfproducts.com & provide your snail mail
> > address for your free copy of our latest RF products catalog.
>
> Welcome to usenet. We certainly enjoyed your posting and hope that
> your email address sales@aaarfproducts.com attracts some potential
> customers. I guess because you want to get email at
> sales@aaarfproducts.com ?
>
> Why don't you post your catalog on your web site? Perhaps your web
> designer dallas@hyperartdesign.com would like to have a catalog, too,
> so they can do that. Or maybe raphael@hyperartdesign.com should get a
> copy so she can put it there.
>
> In any case, thanks so much for stopping by.

Oh, I just noticed. You forgot to provide your other contact address,
info@aaarfproducts.com

2160. Re: FREE Coaxial Cable, Connector & Adapter Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-01 22:23:31 UTC
From: Bill Jeffrey <wjeffreyAT@alum.DOTmit.edu>
Message-ID: <wFcde.9908$_K.2149@fed1read03>
Source record: 15634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

I love it! Thanks, Travis!

Bill

Travis Jordan wrote:

> Travis Jordan wrote:
>
>>AAA RF PRODUCTS wrote:
>>
>>>Please email sales@aaarfproducts.com & provide your snail mail
>>>address for your free copy of our latest RF products catalog.
>>
>>Welcome to usenet. We certainly enjoyed your posting and hope that
>>your email address sales@aaarfproducts.com attracts some potential
>>customers. I guess because you want to get email at
>>sales@aaarfproducts.com ?
>>
>>Why don't you post your catalog on your web site? Perhaps your web
>>designer dallas@hyperartdesign.com would like to have a catalog, too,
>>so they can do that. Or maybe raphael@hyperartdesign.com should get a
>>copy so she can put it there.
>>
>>In any case, thanks so much for stopping by.
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> Oh, I just noticed. You forgot to provide your other contact address,
> info@aaarfproducts.com
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2161. Re: Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 01:35:30 UTC
From: kenwood_dude <kw_dude@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <427583BD.E13C0AFF@nospam.com>
Source record: 15635

hi dick,

here is link for you about repairs, lots of good people there, come join
us.

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Amateur-repairs/

regards,

dude..

Dick wrote:

> The panel lamps on my Kenwood TM-732A are not functioning. I checked
> and found 0 voltage at the lamps with any setting of the dimmer. They
> are driven by a 2SB1149 Darlington transistor (Q1). Anyone have any
> experience with this problem? I guess I could just replace Q1 and see
> if that fixes it.
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2162. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 04:47:37 UTC
From: KG6EMF Richard Friedman <kg6emf@rchrd.com>
Message-ID: <4275B0E9.8010307@rchrd.com>
Source record: 15636
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The manual recommends that you NOT use the same 12v power source
as the transceiver. How is that possible. You mean I have to buy another
switching power supply for my home rig and another battery for mobile?

What is your interpretation of this statement in the manual and how did
you connect it to a power source?

<R>

Charlie wrote:

> See photos and download manual here....
>
> 1. http://www.ad5th.com/HEIL_CLEAR_SPEECH_SPEAKER.html
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
> Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
> www.deepsouthnet.net
>

2163. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 14:56:46 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <117cfucp7q777ae@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15637
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Richard...
I do not use my Heil CSS mobile so my only application is as a base station speaker. I purchased a Radio Shack 12v/500ma "wall wart" type power cube. It works fine and cost about $17. I am using a Radio Shack 12v/500ma (273-1773) adapter with the "H" (3.4MM)"adapta-plug".

1. http://www.ad5th.com/HEIL_CLEAR_SPEECH_SPEAKER.html
- review, photos inside and outside,downloadable manual

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Live Blues Music
www.492acousticblues.com

"KG6EMF Richard Friedman" <kg6emf@rchrd.com> wrote in message news:4275B0E9.8010307@rchrd.com...
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>>

2164. WTB: Manual & Parts Icom IC-32AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 14:59:12 UTC
From: VE4QE <ve4qe@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <2frde.920$fF6.11525@news1.mts.net>
Source record: 15638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for service manual and old radio/parts for Icom IC-32AT Dual Band radio.

Please contact via email, thank you

2165. WTB: Manual & Part for Icom IC-32AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 15:01:56 UTC
From: VE4QE <ve4qe@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <Chrde.921$fF6.11617@news1.mts.net>
Source record: 15639
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Looking for service manual and parts/old radios for Icom IC-32AT.

Please contact via email : ve4qe@removethis.rac.ca

2166. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 15:19:42 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3dmuocF6thlaqU1@individual.net>
Source record: 15640

If I would use it, I would use an in line power filter, and also use
shielded cable, with an audio ground loop adapter.

Bob N9LVU

KG6EMF Richard Friedman wrote:
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> as the transceiver. How is that possible. You mean I have to buy another
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>> www.deepsouthnet.net
>>

2167. Re: Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 19:07:49 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <9euc71dbbdtmfhhg296mg3p3kolah3ol7k@4ax.com>
Source record: 15641

It looks like it is the pilot lamps after all. Being in series threw me off when checking the voltage. I had asked in another thread about where to buy them. Pretty expensive at $3.57 each when regular grain of wheat go for about 29-cents. Guess I will have to pony up the cash if I want them from the Kenwood distributor. Wish I could find a cross-reference.

Dick

On Mon, 02 May 2005 01:35:30 GMT, kenwood_dude <kw_dude@nospam.com> wrote:

>hi dick,
>
>here is link for you about repairs, lots of good people there, come join
>us.
>
>http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Amateur-repairs/
>
>regards,
>
>dude..
>
>Dick wrote:
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>> and found 0 voltage at the lamps with any setting of the dimmer. They
>> are driven by a 2SB1149 Darlington transistor (Q1). Anyone have any
>> experience with this problem? I guess I could just replace Q1 and see
>> if that fixes it.
>>

2168. hamradio information http://pd0rkc.mine.nu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 19:30:33 UTC
From: RF <kenwoodtrx@NOSPAMhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d55v4q$3ip$1@reader13.wxs.nl>
Source record: 15642

Hello All,

For those who have visited my website on the slow QSLnet -
server, my page is moved to: http://pd0rkc.mine.nu

On my site I have hamradio info:

Antenna
International Space Station (active on 145.800Mhz FM).
Software
Kenwood (connector and reset info).
Coax (chart with many cables so you can compare loss).
DX information (realtime tropo and aurora maps).

Well if you know some information wich is not on my
website let me know!
I am looking for proffesional antenna calculation software!

73's Cor PD0RKC
http://pd0rkc.mine.nu

2169. Re: Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 19:49:47 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns964A82B68929spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 15643

> It looks like it is the pilot lamps after all. Being in series threw
> me off when checking the voltage. I had asked in another thread about
> where to buy them. Pretty expensive at $3.57 each when regular grain
> of wheat go for about 29-cents. Guess I will have to pony up the cash
> if I want them from the Kenwood distributor. Wish I could find a
> cross-reference.

You could get creative and try replacing them with LEDs of suitable color, (and with appropriate limiting resister). Usually works, and you'll never have a bulb go out again.

Ed K7AAT

2170. Re: Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 21:06:27 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ef5d71tek401njrd5lcch3huk3re57edaq@4ax.com>
Source record: 15644

On Mon, 02 May 2005 19:49:47 GMT, Ed
<Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:

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>> me off when checking the voltage. I had asked in another thread about
>> where to buy them. Pretty expensive at $3.57 each when regular grain
>> of wheat go for about 29-cents. Guess I will have to pony up the cash
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>> cross-reference.
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>color, (and with appropriate limiting resister). Usually works, and you'll
>never have a bulb go out again.
>
>
> Ed K7AAT

I took the easy (expensive) way out and ordered them from the Kenwood
west coast distributor. Ordered a service manual while I was at it.
The lamps were almost as much as the manual. :-(

73, Dick - W6CCD

2171. Re: Kenwood TM-732A Pilot Lamps Out

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-02 23:39:53 UTC
From: K9VUJ <k9vuj@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <k9vuj-D31416.18395302052005@news-rdr-01.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15645

In article <ef5d71tek401njrd5lcch3huk3re57edaq@4ax.com>,
Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

> On Mon, 02 May 2005 19:49:47 GMT, Ed
> <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:
>
> >
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> The lamps were almost as much as the manual. :-(
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> 73, Dick - W6CCD

Ditto on lamps for the TS-2000, six for $25.02 plus $8.50 shipping.
Expensive little things.

DJ

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email: K9VUJ@arrl.net

2172. FA: ORIGINAL TENTEC 505 QRP ARGONAUT, SSB/CW & 80-10mtrs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:44:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <gfLde.7929$Hf6.5869@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15646
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Cheep!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986110&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2173. FA: $10>HEATHKIT IM-13 TUBE TYPE VTVM with TEST PROBE, HANDY NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:45:39 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <6gLde.7930$Hf6.5632@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15698
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7512015721&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2174. FA: BEAUTIFUL SIMPSON 260 SERIES 8 VOM for PARTS/REPAIR NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:46:22 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <NgLde.7931$Hf6.2395@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15647
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7512015774&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2175. FA: $10> TWO(2) RAYTHEON USA 6146A RF OUTPUT TUBES>Tested-Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:47:13 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <AhLde.7932$Hf6.5838@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15648
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986076&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2176. FA: EIGHT(8) NOS HC-6 FT-243 RADIO CRYSTALS for 6 & 2mtr AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:47:51 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9iLde.7933$Hf6.6797@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15701

At $9.99>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986171&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2177. FA: $10>DRAKE TV-3300-LP TVI LOW-PASS FILTER>1000WATTS, BEST:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:48:40 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XiLde.7934$Hf6.2863@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15700
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986187&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2178. FA: $10>DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:49:49 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <%jLde.7935$Hf6.2301@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15699
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

No Bids, easily worth $10:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2179. FA: 23 VINTAGE TEXAS INTRUMENTS TI482 & TI484 TRANSISTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 13:50:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <UkLde.7936$Hf6.6824@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15702
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids yets:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7512015787&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2180. WTB 220MHz PA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 14:34:31 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <42778bf9$0$27834@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 15703

Looking for an afforable continious duty (repeater) power amp in the 220 Amateur band. One watt in must provide at least 25 watts out.
vito@crosslink.net

2181. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 19:10:30 UTC
From: Lou Dietrich <n2tu@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <u0Qde.11237$o32.8926@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15704
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie,

This unit costs $210!....and now you have to power it externally........

And add torroids ...."Each Heil Clear Speech is tested in 1.5KW system and is guaranteed to be free of any RFI as it leaves the Heil assembly plant. ANY RFI problem encountered must be rectified by proper installation, use of correct toroid cores or ferrite beads." Doesn't make sense....is it RFI proof...marginaly RFI proof...or not?......

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2182. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 19:40:36 UTC
From: Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <117fktfdqodcs67@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15705
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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I believe what they're saying is that if you have a bunch of cables (audio, power, etc.) that are full of RF, they sufficiently block it internally such that it doesn't affect the sound coming out of the speaker. However, there's really not much they can do to get rid of any RF on the cable insofar as it being picked up by _other_ equipment around your house, and it's here that one typically ends up with a bunch of ferrite cores around the cables as an attempt to reduce the RF on them.

I realize that $200 is a fair chunk of change for a lot of people, but I think it's quite reasonable considering what you're getting and the quantities they're likely producing them in.

---Joel

2183. The 8950 Vacuum Tube - Anyone have any info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 20:57:48 UTC
From: Mike Speed <mike8s2@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1115153868.527704.139150@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15706

I am looking for information on the 8950 vacuum tube and, in particular, the plate dissipation ratings. I would also like to find a datasheet, if possible.

Thanks.

2184. Re: The 8950 Vacuum Tube - Anyone have any info?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 21:44:19 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns964B9623F7AD7spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 15707

> I am looking for information on the 8950 vacuum tube and, in
> particular, the plate dissipation ratings. I would also like to find a
> datasheet, if possible.
>
> Thanks.
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>

A Specification data sheet available at:

http://www.pmillett.com/tubedata/8950.pdf

You're welcome.

Ed K7AAT

2185. FS IC-27H UHF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-03 22:24:22 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <eSSde.825$DC2.319@okepread01>
Source record: 15708

FS Icom IC-27H 2 Meter 45 Watt Mobile Transceiver. This one has some bugs. It receives fine, display is bright and pretty with the mulitcolored lights, it transmitts full power output, it looks nice. But it will not produce any transmit audio. The mic keys the rig fine, but just no audio. Maybe a problem with the mic. Have not tried another mic. Also the On/Off Switch has a problem in that the transceiver will turn off and you have to thump the switch to get it to come back on. The switch feels tight, maybe it is just dirty.
Price is $45 in the lower 48. The original manual is included as is the power cord and the HM-23 Touch Tone Mic.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2186. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-04 01:15:17 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <117g8hfdoimsn0a@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15709
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Lou I can see your point but how can Bob foresee every installation? What about the guy that places his Heil CSS on top of his AL-1500 and then complains about feedback from this "no good over-priced speaker?"

Every Ham should already have a clean and neat cable system and effective RF and electrical ground. And while I'm on my soap box...Radio Shack has 2 different ac power adapters that can power the CSS..and they range from $15 - $17. If you can afford $210 for a speaker but can't go the $15-$17 for the power source let me know..I'll send ya one! Sheesh...

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2187. Stancil DBR-32 Recorder Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-04 04:43:33 UTC
From: cycleguy56@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1115181813.742580.30930@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15710

Although not exactly radio, I'm going to use it with my radios :)

I've aquired one of these dual deck slow speed logging recorders at auction. Anybody ever work on these things?? I need to get past the initial power up sequence, it seems to want a PIN which of course I don't have. Any admin passwords, etc to use?

Yeah, I know..longshot...

Thanks...Dennis

2188. Oscilloscope calibration/repair?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-04 16:34:11 UTC
From: denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <117hubf3139n04@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15711

I have a Goldstar OS-9020A 'scope that has one channel that is kinda screwed up....anyone know of a resonable repair/calibration service?

2189. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-04 16:38:46 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <117hul71smev5c1@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15712

I don't agree that Heil is taking any "hits" with the CSS. I also own an AmCom Clear Speech Base Unit purchased about 3 years ago before Bob got into the development. It also did not come with a power supply and AmCom also strongly recommended that one use a separate power supply due to potential feedback issues. It cost me an additional $20 for a ps and ferrites and my CSS is feedback free even on HF with 1KW.

I used the Heil CSS last night with headphones plugged in while running a 2M SSB net wow what a treat!

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> Sheesh indeed,
> a company that recognizes the critical nature of selecting a sheilded
> power supply, yet doesn't include one, even if it's less than eight
> percent of the total cost, is just asking for their reputation to take a
> hit.
> --
>
> JK

2190. Ten-Tec RX-350D opinions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-04 20:29:28 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <wcrocker007@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <eLudnZ8PaaQGreTfRVn-qg@comcast.com>
Source record: 15713

Interested in hearing opinions on Ten-Tec's RX-350D HF receiver. It's very expensive, and it doesn't appear to be in wide use.

Thanks in advance for your input.

Bill Crocker

2191. FA: 3 ARRL Ham Radio Amateur's Handbooks - 1980, 1981, 1984

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-05 00:39:12 UTC
From: Bob <Bob@asdffdsa83a.com>
Message-ID: <040520052039129564%Bob@asdffdsa83a.com>
Source record: 15714
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5772409329

2192. Re: FA: TWO(2) USA 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES Tested-Handy to have!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-05 00:40:47 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42796B8B.3C4AB7CA@earthlink.net>
Source record: 15715
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

"Billy Boy (78's Rule!)" wrote:
>
> Have you ever wondered how some ruully, rully, big RF tubes would work
> as audio amplifiers? Like maybe a 3-500Z?

Think "AM broadcast band modulator". Find a copy of the old "RCA
Transmitting Tube Handbook" for some examples.

--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

2193. Re: 3 ARRL Ham Radio Amateur's Handbooks - 1980, 1981, 1984

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-05 03:15:53 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Jdgee.5934$HL2.5263@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15716
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Bob" <Bob@asdffdsa83a.com> wrote in message
news:040520052039129564%Bob@asdffdsa83a.com...
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5772409329

Amazing.
Maybe I better sell my mint 1972 now :-)

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

2194. Re: Oscilloscope calibration/repair?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-05 09:58:12 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d5cucl$li3$3@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 15717

"denton" <denton@oregontrail.net> wrote in message
news:117hubf3139n04@corp.supernews.com...
> I have a Goldstar OS-9020A 'scope that has one channel that is kinda
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> up....anyone know of a resonable repair/calibration service?
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>
It would help a lot if you tell us where you are

73 Roger ZR3RC

2195. Re: Oscilloscope calibration/repair?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-05 21:41:30 UTC
From: denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <117l4och9m1rq2a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15718

Located in Pendleton Oregon...thanks
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news:117hubf3139n04@corp.supernews.com...
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2196. Repeater control information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-06 03:17:49 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <427ae1e3$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15719

Looking for some information about timing and voice id control for the
new club 6 metre repeater (Brisbane AU)
any links please . (temp and time would be handy as well)

2197. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-06 05:14:45 UTC
From: HAO'S <spam@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d5g8tk$114$1@nic.grnet.gr>
Source record: 15724
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

go the $15-$17 for
> the power source let me know..I'll send ya one!
what a rip off here in europe adapters go for 5-8euros!
is this a radio shack thing (scam?).

2198. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-06 12:52:55 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <117mq5vcpv67g98@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15720

My Icom 746 Pro with 32 bit IF -based DSP also does a great job at noise reduction. Even with that in place the Heil CSS -further- removes noise in the audio..some which may have been induced past the IF strip....

No antenna end noise reducer would catch that

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> Maybe it's a sign of the times, but I remember back when kits came with
> everything needed and enough extras to accommodate a variety of
> applications. If external power was required, suitable wall warts etc
> were included, as well as pigtails to allow use of your existing station
> power supply, and if RF shielding was required, the chokes would have
> been in there too, usually in little plastic bags.
> Since this device is basically a glorified tail end tone control, acting
> on whatever gets all the way through the entire system, I'd prefer the
> phased noise canceler someone else mentioned that zaps noise at the
> antenna input. I checked and they are in about the same price range.
> --
>
> JK

2199. Re: Repeater control information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-06 13:09:04 UTC
From: ceh <hampton@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <427b3432$1@alpha.wvnet.edu>
Source record: 15721

"atec" <atec77@XXhotmail.com> wrote in message
news:427ae1e3$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au...
> Looking for some information about timing and voice id control for the new
> club 6 metre repeater (Brisbane AU)
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You might try :
www.catauto.com

Charles, ka8jvx

2200. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-06 13:21:52 UTC
From: "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <QbKee.60001$WI3.54172@attbi_s71>
Source record: 15722

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If your SNR hasn't been well established long before the IF, you need a new
radio.

W4ZCB

2201. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-06 17:03:13 UTC
From: "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <lrNee.60688$c24.7011@attbi_s72>
Source record: 15723

"Just�n K�se" <chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote in message
news:427c956a.3952078@chupacabra...
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If your SNR isn't solidly established a long way ahead of the IF strip, you need a different radio.

W4ZCB

2202. Re: Repeater control information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-06 21:59:06 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <427be8af$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15725

ceh wrote:
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More looking to build it but thanks .

2203. Re: Repeater control information

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-07 01:24:56 UTC
From: Kenneth Grimm <kgrimm@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <u56o71h31lprbogtk6k610tfu2o15m3sot@4ax.com>
Source record: 15726

On Sat, 07 May 2005 07:59:06 +1000, atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com> wrote:

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Try here: http://www.hamgadgets.com/

2204. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-07 04:47:19 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <117oi3kah7osp40@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15727

Thanks guys ..on your advice I sold the 746 Pro. Which radio do I buy now?
Thank you for straightening me out!!

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BTW the additional noise reduction that the Heil CSS achieves is phenominal.
You guys can't muster $210? Hee hee...
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2205. Re: Repeater control information

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Date: 2005-05-07 05:12:39 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <427c4e4c$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15728

Kenneth Grimm wrote:
> On Sat, 07 May 2005 07:59:06 +1000, atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com> wrote:
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>>>You might try :
>>>www.catauto.com
>>>
>>>Charles, ka8jvx
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>>>
>>
>>More looking to build it but thanks .
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>
> Try here: http://www.hamgadgets.com/
>
Thanks , I guess I'll go borrow a book or two from the library tomorrow
and work out something with one of the pics I have , so far we have 40
watts on 6 with a good solid signal and great rx for $12.00 , Id like to
do something similar with the control :_) (kenwood tg601s x2 donation)

2206. FOR SALE not e-Bay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-07 16:54:24 UTC
From: Dan <my@home.com>
Message-ID: <4p6fe.17144$lb4.7857@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 15729

Dary, K8FP is selling some of his excess equipment.

Contact him at k8fp@woh.rr.com

Prices are firm and do not include shipping.

QRP Stuff:

Yaesu FT-817 in excellent condition. Comes with the original box, manual and all standard accessories including the MH-31 microphone. No mods have been performed. No batteries. This radio is guaranteed to work flawlessly on all bands. I am the original owner. $385.

Ten Tec 1320 20M QRP CW transceiver. Like new, works great and includes users manual. $60.

Elecraft K-1 QRP transceiver. This one is in like new condition and built well. Covers 30 and 40 meters. I'm the original owner. Comes with users manual. $140.

Super Antenna MP-1 portable antenna. Like new and in original box. Includes the 80M coil. $60.

QRO Stuff:

Kenwood TS-450 SAT. This radio is in excellent condition and no mods have been performed. All functions work like new. This radio has the built in auto tuner which also works flawlessly. Comes with the original box, manual, and hand microphone. $430. (I have run this rig and it's damn near mint de N8IE)

Kenwood TR-2500 2M FM HT. It's in great shape and works flawlessly. Comes with the ST-2 base stand (quick charger and power supply), SMC-25 speaker mic, SP-40 mobile speaker, 2 PB-25 batteries, leather case, manual and the Kenwood VB 2530 25 watt FM amplifier. All for $75.

MAHA MH-A103 2M amplifier. Drives at 2.5 to 5 watts in with 50 watts out. Covers 144 thru 148MHz and works great. Includes user manual. $50.

Please contact Daryl directly.

72, 73

2207. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-07 19:09:14 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.com>
Message-ID: <117q4jfga59f7f7@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 15730

Guess I should have waited for the experts to chime in..after selling the 746Pro I drove to Atlanta last night so that this morning I could purchase my new Icom 7800 and PW1 matching linear.

This is a great group and thank you for the great advice.

Should I still hold on to my Midland 23 channel?? Hey it's hooked up to a TV sweep tube leenyar!!

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Charlie

"Just�n K�se" <chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote in message news:427c669f.2916727@chupacabra...
> In Message-ID:<117oi3kah7osp40@news.supernews.com> posted on Fri, 6 May
> 2005 23:47:19 -0500, Charlie wrote:
>
>>Thanks guys ..on your advice I sold the 746 Pro. Which radio do I buy now?
>
> You might want to try the IC-756PROIII, inside the front cover of the
> latest HRO catalog. It sounds like a nice rig, and mates real well with
> the IC-PW1 also shown at the bottom of that page, unless you've still
> got some old CB class MFJ/Ameritron lying around the shack.
>
>>You guys can't muster $210? Hee hee...
>
> Oh it's easy enough to muster up a couple Franklins, just that it hurts
> the heart to think I might be pissing it away on some audio trinket
> that's worth maybe a tenth that.
> --
>
> JK

2208. Alinco DR-610 heat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-07 23:05:22 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <SQbfe.14797$tp.2121@fed1read04>
Source record: 15731

Anyone with a DR-610 out there? I've got one that seems
to like to run hot. It's always warm and when transmitting it
gets hot and stays hot for a long time after the QSO. Yes,
I checked the fan - it's running.

Rig works FB - I'm just worried it's going to burn up!

Help?

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Just my 2¢ worth... 73's es gd dx de Ken KG¢WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055, Digital On Six #350,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups: VX-2R & FT-857

2209. Re: Alinco DR-610 heat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 00:53:11 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <Wpdfe.14801$tp.2650@fed1read04>
Source record: 15732

"Bart Bailey" <me2@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:428360e6.3887094@bart.spawar.mil...
> In Message-ID:<SQbfe.14797$tp.2121@fed1read04> posted on Sat, 7 May 2005
> 18:05:22 -0500, Ken Bessler wrote: Begin
>
>>Anyone with a DR-610 out there? I've got one that seems
>>to like to run hot. It's always warm and when transmitting it
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>>I checked the fan - it's running.
>>
>>Rig works FB - I'm just worried it's going to burn up!
>>
>>Help?
>
> I had one about ten years ago, and it too ran hot, never any problems,
> must have been due to the robust voltage regulation, like the current
> icom 706's have and get hot because of.
>
> --
>
> Bart

Thanks, Bart - Now that I think of it my old 706MkII got
this way, too. I read in the manual that the RF power level
is connected to a thermistor and the rig will cut power down
if the rig gets too hot. So, far, running remote base, cross
band repeat, echolink, SSTV & general use the rig has
gotten coffee cup hot but the heatsink didn't get too hot and
the power stayed at 100% of what I had it set to.

I guess it's just a cooker!
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Just my 2¢ worth... 73's es gd dx de Ken KG9WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055, Digital On Six #350,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups: VX-2R & FT-857

2210. FS Kenwood TS-440SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 02:27:42 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <wOefe.1315$DC2.310@okepread01>
Source record: 15733

I have a nice Kenwood TS-440SAT for sale. It includes the original MC-43S hand mic and manual plus a nice copy of the Service Manual. Serial # is in the 9 million range. It looks very good. A couple of places on the edge of the trim ring where the paint has worn off, but overall it very clean. It works perfectly.
Antenna Tuner works well also. Very clear display. Price is $425. Thanks,
Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2211. WTB: Lowe HF 225 Europa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 04:00:07 UTC
From: aaa <classwp@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1115524807.517381.312440@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I'm looking for a clean Lowe HF 225 Europa in good working order. If
you have one for sale please contact me.

2212. Re: WTB: Lowe HF 225 Europa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 13:02:45 UTC
From: Ken Wilson <kg4big@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <WOidnSgK-ab7kOPfRVn-qw@qx.net>
Source record: 15735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

aaa wrote:
> I'm looking for a clean Lowe HF 225 Europa in good working order. If
> you have one for sale please contact me.
>

Universal Radio had one listed a week or so ago. They may still have it.

73, Ken KG4BIG

2213. FA: ORIGINAL TENTEC 505 QRP ARGONAUT>TONIGHT>Reasonable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:06:49 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <X1pfe.16351$FE3.14810@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15736
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Very Reasonable
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986110&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2214. FA: DENTRON MLA-2500B DESK-TOP LEGAL LIMIT RF AMPLIFIER>Tonite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:07:35 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <F2pfe.16352$FE3.12908@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15737
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5772433793&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2215. FA: $18>HEATHKIT IM-13 TUBE TYPE VTVM with TEST PROBE>Tonite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:08:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <A3pfe.16353$FE3.15857@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15738
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7512015721&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2216. FA: BEAUTIFUL SIMPSON 260 SERIES 8 VOM for PARTS/REPAIR NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:09:21 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <j4pfe.16354$FE3.6099@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15739
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7512015774&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2217. FA: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:10:10 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <45pfe.16355$FE3.7885@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15740
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids @$10, gotta see.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2218. TWO(2) RAYTHEON USA 6146A RF OUTPUT TUBES>Tested-HandyFA: $10 tonite>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:10:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <J5pfe.16356$FE3.3281@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15741
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986076&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2219. FA: DRAKE TV-3300-LP TVI LOW-PASS FILTER>1000WATTS, BEST:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:11:25 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <g6pfe.16357$FE3.7921@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15743

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986187&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2220. FA: $10> 23 VINTAGE TEXAS INTRUMENTS TI482 & TI484 TRANSISTORS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:12:21 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <77pfe.16358$FE3.11903@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15742
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

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2221. Re: FA: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:38:40 UTC
From: dxAce <dxace@milestones.com>
Message-ID: <427E2470.4E785B35@milestones.com>
Source record: 15744
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:

> No Bids @$10, gotta see.
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

As opposed to 'fake' copper wire?

dxAce
Michigan
USA

2222. Re: FA: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 14:42:18 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <o49s71hb2591ffr7b4k6pbueaf04m812qi@4ax.com>
Source record: 15745
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 8 May 2005 10:10:10 -0400, "cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net>
wrote:

>No Bids @$10, gotta see.
>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:I
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That wire looks really fragile. Can you do it in steel? Braided
copper?

2223. WTB Clegg Zeus Power supply w/wo Zeus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 15:41:06 UTC
From: dwcosmo@cox.net
Message-ID: <1115566866.304121.239340@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15746

I need the 332 power supply/modulator for the Clegg Zeus . Will
consider buying both Zeus and power supply. dwcosmo@cox.net. WA8UFZ

2224. Re: FA: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 15:58:48 UTC
From: yea right <spam@spam.spam>
Message-ID: <pan.2005.05.08.15.58.45.850069@spam.spam>
Source record: 15747
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 08 May 2005 10:38:40 -0400, dxAce wrote:

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> cooltube wrote:
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>> No Bids @$10, gotta see.
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>
> As opposed to 'fake' copper wire?
>
> dxAce
> Michigan

Most all copper wire on the market is soft draw and will break after a few
years of constant tension. Hard draw copper wire is very tough and robust.
I use 18g lamp safety wire. This is the thin copper wire that servers as
a safety ground and as a safety wire in case a link in the lamp chain
breaks in hanging chandeliers.

2225. Re: FA: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 16:15:21 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <khes71hb8haj1f1jnaeo3d46rkbfiqc1b3@4ax.com>
Source record: 15548
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 08 May 2005 09:58:48 -0600, yea right <spam@spam.spam> wrote:

>On Sun, 08 May 2005 10:38:40 -0400, dxAce wrote:
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>I use 18g lamp safety wire. This is the thin copper wire that servers as
>a safety ground and as a safety wire in case a link in the lamp chain
>breaks in hanging chandeliers.

I have 50' of thin braided copper wire from Home Depot that's been
under constant tension for 6 years 9 months. Enough tension to
deflect the top of a 20' support (two fence rails, a spike base and a
building clamp at 9') 2 to 3 inches.

2226. FS FT-227R and RA 2 Meter Transceivers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 16:20:24 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <5%qfe.1328$DC2.705@okepread01>
Source record: 15549

I have for sale a Yaesu FT-227R 2 Meter Moble Transceiver. It needs work. Lights up, but no receive. No mic or Power Cord. Good Cosmetic condition. Price is $35 plus shipping from 79602. Also have a Yaesu FT-227RA in similar condition for $40 plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2227. TS-120S FS Cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 17:22:57 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <NVrfe.1333$DC2.1209@okepread01>
Source record: 15550

I have a Kenwood TS-120S HF Transceiver for sale. It is complete except for the 3 Black extention knobs for the Vox Controls that come out the top of the cabinet. Radio needs work. Receiver works fine, digital display very clear and stable. Front Panel is good. Cabinet has some scratches. It will not go into transmit. When you key the mic, nothing happens. Was working fine before. Maybe it is the relay. Don't know. Comes with the original Manual.
No mic or Power Cord. Price is $135 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks,
Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2228. Re: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 18:31:25 UTC
From: Beau <Beau@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <1807a$427e5ad0$8b372fdc$14030@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 15551
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Would be a real deal if you would keep the cheap STEEL plastic coated wire
and just offer the insulators alone.....I like the wire ties you have on the
wire....made for tying reinforcment steel in concrete.....so is the cheap
antenna wire you offer with the insulators.

a BAAAAAAAD deal!

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:45pfe.16355$FE3.7885@fe12.lga...
> No Bids @$10, gotta see.
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
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2229. Re: WTB: Lowe HF 225 Europa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 19:11:04 UTC
From: aaa <classwp@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1115579464.731436.93190@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15552
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It is sold.

2230. QUESTION ON KENWOOD TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 19:17:47 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <jBtfe.12186$Hf6.11453@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15553
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap

Hi all, I have a kenwood TR-7950. It does not have the factory PL unit.
I want to put a Com Spec board in it.
Does anyone know where the deviation pot is on this radio??
I understand I hook up the PL output to the center pin on the deviation
control.
Also, the "center tuning" LED works on some stations / repeaters but
not on all.
Is there a pot inside the radio to center this???

73

2231. Re: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 19:36:25 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <0hqs71t79aum0togg8a1jm08u1c6fmh7q8@4ax.com>
Source record: 15554
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 8 May 2005 14:31:25 -0400, "Beau" <Beau@alltel.net> wrote:

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25g steel wire makes excellent long random wires.

2232. FS 3 Yaesu 2 Meter Transceivers fs Cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 19:51:48 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <h5ufe.1343$DC2.1056@okepread01>
Source record: 15555

I have 3 Yaesu radios for sale. Two(2) FT-227R 2 Meter Moble Transceivers.
They need some work.
Both light up, but neither receives, one transmits. I also have a Yaesu
FT-227RA in similar
condition No mics or Power Cords. All are in pretty good cosmetic
condition.
Price is $85 for the lot, plus shipping from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg,
K5MBX

2233. ***** help on icom ic706 *****

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 21:14:10 UTC
From: Pierre-Luc <f5hrh@free.fr>
Message-ID: <427e8124$0$320$626a14ce@news.free.fr>
Source record: 15556

Hello

my problem is for shut on my ic706mk2g.
when i push power on, a "clap" is heard inside and 1 seconde after
a other "clap" inside is heard and transceiver does not lignt on.
alimentation is really 13.5 v stable (battery)
fuse inside are ok and contact for power alim are ok.
i don't know what i can do now
thanks for any help to found what is this....

73 de Pierre-Luc
F5HRH

2234. Re: QUESTION ON KENWOOD TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 21:14:49 UTC
From: KC8GXW <KC8GXW@centurytel.net>
Message-ID: <xOydnYoWxJLXHOPfRVn-vA@centurytel.net>
Source record: 15557
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap

Why not put one of these in it.

http://tinyurl.com/7wnqo

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> control.
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> not on all.
> Is there a pot inside the radio to center this???
>
>
> 73
>

2235. Re: QUESTION ON KENWOOD TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-08 23:53:43 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <427EA687.8070705@optonline.net>
Source record: 15558
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap

Hi, thanks for the info. I knew the Piexx unit was available.
I have a Com Spec PL unit here and wanted to use it instead of
spending the $60. I know the Piexx unit is the exact replacement
that allows the radio the 3 PL's. It would be nice but not needed in my
situation.
THANKS for taking the time for the answer!!!!

73
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KC8GXW wrote:

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2236. Re: QUESTION ON KENWOOD TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 00:15:26 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <117tasvgf9jufa6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15559
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap

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> 73
>
Please don't twist and turn anything without the manual if you are not a
bona fide (zat two werds) tech, EE or close to OM. Just passing on
experience me and my brother had 40 years ago. Now days, with
everything so small and tight, I only turn, push, or rotate things if
they are on ;the outside. : :-\
KF5DE

2237. Need schematic/manual SSB ELECTRONIC TLA1270-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 00:22:53 UTC
From: wb0gaz <wb0gaz@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1115598172.996024.273840@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I'm posting this to r.r.a.s and here in the hopes someone might have
documentation on this 23cm power amp made by SSB ELECTRONIC in Germany.
If you have info on this amp or know of someone that might, pls e-mail
(or if you're in Germany and might be able to help with factory
contact, I'd be very grateful.)

Tks,

73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com

2238. Re: Alinco DR-610 heat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 00:54:54 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d5meigijr1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15562

I had one that would cook the RX VCO away. I would unkey the TX and the RX would go away. It couldn't be fixed under warranty, so I took it back and got a Yaesu.

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message news:Wpdfe.14801$tp.2650@fed1read04...
> "Bart Bailey" <me2@privacy.net> wrote in message
> news:428360e6.3887094@bart.spawar.mil...
> > In Message-ID:<SQbfe.14797$tp.2121@fed1read04> posted on Sat, 7 May 2005
> > 18:05:22 -0500, Ken Bessler wrote: Begin
> >
> >>Anyone with a DR-610 out there? I've got one that seems
> >>to like to run hot. It's always warm and when transmitting it
> >>gets hot and stays hot for a long time after the QSO. Yes,
> >>I checked the fan - it's running.
> >>
> >>Rig works FB - I'm just worried it's going to burn up!
> >>
> >>Help?
> >
> > I had one about ten years ago, and it too ran hot, never any problems,
> > must have been due to the robust voltage regulation, like the current
> > icom 706's have and get hot because of.
> >
> > --
> >
> > Bart
>
> Thanks, Bart - Now that I think of it my old 706MkII got
> this way, too. I read in the manual that the RF power level
> is connected to a thermistor and the rig will cut power down
> if the rig gets too hot. So, far, running remote base, cross
> band repeat, echolink, SSTV & general use the rig has
> gotten coffee cup hot but the heatsink didn't get too hot and
> the power stayed at 100% of what I had it set to.
>
> I guess it's just a cooker!
> --
> Just my 2¢ worth... 73's es gd dx de Ken KG4WX
> Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055, Digital On Six #350,

> List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups: VX-2R & FT-857
>
>

2239. Re: Balun type?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 01:19:50 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d5meihijr2@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15561

You will find it very numb if strung very close to the roof. Like
the
antenna, the ladder line will be very lossy if in close proximity
to the roof or other stuff. Which balun depends on each individual
matching situation. It is often easier for some tuners to tune from
a
higher impedance down to 50 ohm. Although a balun might reduce
stray RF in the shack with a resonant antenna, It might not with high
line SWR.

A resonant dipole would use a 1:1 fed with coax and a 1:4 fed
with Ladder line. If the antenna is pretty random, I would vote
for leaving the balun out until later.

You are actually no worse off putting it into the attic and standing
it off with insulators and as much air space as possible.

"VE7anonymous" <me@here.com> wrote in message
news:3u2o71dml9qgid2i7q2p7pfv62ttmn1t80@4ax.com...
> Hi all,
> Rebuilt an old IC-735, got a manual tuner and want to put up an
> antenna.
> I don't care to communicate around the world, mostly Rx.
> I'd like to string either a dipole or a single long wire along the
> roofline (~50').
> (read that a dipole config is superior to the long wire for Tx)
> I'd like to feed it from the tuner with ~25' of RG-213, there is
a
> provision for ladder line at the back of the tuner, but routing it
is
> a bit of a problem.
> My question is, do I use a 1:1 or 4:1 current balun at the
feedpoint?
> I've read arguments on both sides. Suggestions?
> Thanks in advance! :-)
>

2240. FS: 136-162 Radius mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 01:24:58 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d5meihijr3@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15564

Photos and paypal link:

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com

Clean and cool. With Accys.

2241. Re: QUESTION ON KENWOOD TR-7950

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 01:31:17 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d5meivijt1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.swap

Don't know if this is what u need but I have a Kenwood PL
board. It can be programmed to follow the channel switch
or dipswitched.

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com/

I dont have any more than the sheet.

"Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:427EA687.8070705@optonline.net...
> Hi, thanks for the info. I knew the Piexx unit was available.
> I have a Com Spec PL unit here and wanted to use it instead of
> spending the $60. I know the Piexx unit is the exact replacement
> that allows the radio the 3 PL's. It would be nice but not needed
in my
> situation.
> THANKS for taking the time for the answer!!!!
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> 73
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2242. Re: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 02:18:07 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <427EC859.AAA62F48@earthlink.net>
Source record: 15565
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Beau wrote:
>
> Would be a real deal if you would keep the cheap STEEL plastic coated wire
> and just offer the insulators alone.....I like the wire ties you have on the
> wire....made for tying reinforcment steel in concrete.....so is the cheap
> antenna wire you offer with the insulators.
>
> a BAAAAAAAD deal!

Like the stainless steel messenger wire used in figure-8 CATV drops?
It has a plastic jacket and is made to support more than its own weight
for years. 100 foot drops of RG59 or RG6 are common and the messenger
wire will peel away from the coax. I had several thousand feet of it,
but my retired dad found my stash and has used all of it for his yard
and garden projects. The only bad thing is trying to solder to it, but
a clamp and N0-OX will take care of that.
--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

2243. Re: TS-120S FS Cheap!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 02:24:27 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <117tieun551g52b@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15566

When it is free plus shipping for a turkey like this, let me know.

Jim

"Charlie Hugg" <hug-a-bug1@cox.net> wrote in message
news:NVrfe.1333$DC2.1209@okepread01...
>I have a Kenwood TS-120S HF Transceiver for sale. It is complete except for
>the 3 Black extention knobs for the Vox Controls that come out the top of
>the cabinet. Radio needs work. Receiver works fine, digital display very
>clear and stable. Front Panel is good. Cabinet has some scratches. It will
>not go into transmit. When you key the mic, nothing happens. Was working
>fine before. Maybe it is the relay. Don't know. Comes with the original
>Manual.
> No mic or Power Cord. Price is $135 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks,
> Charlie Hugg, K5MBX
>

2244. Lowe HF-150 keypad not working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 04:44:56 UTC
From: Robb Leamy <rleamy@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <3b6e7$427eeacb$d8606e9f$10988@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 15567

I have a Lowe HF-150 with the outboard keypad. The keypad has stopped working. Now when a key is pushed there is no normal buzz. The pad has no effect. I think the pad operates a circuit internal to the receiver and likely the problem is located there. Anyone have this problem and solved it? Any ideas on what might be a possible cause wouldbe appreciated.
Tnx
Robb WB8BHU

2245. Re: Need schematic/manual SSB ELECTRONIC TLA1270-50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 10:52:46 UTC
From: Dennis Kaylor <k4oxg@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <2iHfe.6911$w15.6812@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 15568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.space,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

here is SSBs websites
they are pretty good at responding to emails
http://www.ssbusa.com/
http://www.ssb.de

wb0gaz wrote:
> I'm posting this to r.r.a.s and here in the hopes someone might have
> documentation on this 23cm power amp made by SSB ELECTRONIC in Germany.
> If you have info on this amp or know of someone that might, pls e-mail
> (or if you're in Germany and might be able to help with factory
> contact, I'd be very grateful.)
>
> Tks,
>
> 73 Dave WB0GAZ wb0gaz@hotmail.com
>

2246. Re: Alinco DR-610 heat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 14:36:18 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d5oj8k$7vu$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 15571

"Ken Bessler" <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:SQbfe.14797$tp.2121@fed1read04...
> Anyone with a DR-610 out there? I've got one that seems
> to like to run hot. It's always warm and when transmitting it
> gets hot and stays hot for a long time after the QSO. Yes,
> I checked the fan - it's running.
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> Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055, Digital On Six #350,
> List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups: VX-2R & FT-857
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My DR-610 turns the fan on the moment I touch the ptt - no matter what power setting, and keeps it running until I turn the power off.

I have another issue. When using the external speaker in my car I can hear a soft hiss when the power is off! This means it is drawing some current even then. How long will this "off" current take to drain my battery? I don't want to be stranded with a flat! The way its installed makes it impossible for me to measure the current (separate from any other "parked and the key out" current such as the clock). Is there a mod I can do so that "off" really is OFF or will I just have to get used to disconnecting it every time?

Other than that its a great rig with all the features I'll ever need, and then some!

73
Roger ZR3RC

2247. Re: Lowe HF-150 keypad not working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 17:27:15 UTC
From: Dave Holford <holford@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <427F9D73.726A06F1@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 15569

Robb Leamy wrote:

> I have a Lowe HF-150 with the outboard keypad. The keypad has stopped
> working. Now when a key is pushed there is no normal buzz. The pad has no
> effect. I think the pad operates a circuit internal to the receiver and
> likely the problem is located there. Anyone have this problem and solved
> it? Any ideas on what might be a possible cause wouldbe appreciated.
> Tnx
> Robb WB8BHU

Don't know if this is relevant to your problem; but my keypad dies when the supply voltage drops, even though the receiver works perfectly normally. I don't remember the specific voltage where the keyboard drops out, but it might be worth checking.

Good luck,
Dave

2248. FS Alliance HD-73 Rotor Control Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 19:17:00 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DGOfe.1392$DC2.230@okepread01>
Source record: 15570

Went to a hamfest this weekend and found another HD-73 Rotor Control Box. Looks to be in good shape. Comes on when I turn it on, dial light works, and not sparks. Price is $45. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2249. Re: Alinco DR-610 heat?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 21:12:50 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <mnQfe.7183$D91.5922@fed1read01>
Source record: 15572

"Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:d5oj8k$7vu$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net...
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> 73
> Roger ZR3RC
>

Can't you remove the Alinco inline power cable fuse and measure
the current there? You are running a fuse, right? Even if it is drawing
power, I doubt that it will draw enough to flatten your battery unless
you only run your car once a week.

Ken

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Just my 2¢ worth... 73's es gd dx de Ken KG¢WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #1055, Digital On Six #350,
List Owner, Yahoo! E-groups: VX-2R & FT-857

2250. FA: Yaesu Original Service Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 21:34:33 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <JHQfe.5921$aB.2700@lakeread03>
Source record: 15573
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

2251. FA: Original Icom Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 21:35:51 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <WIQfe.5922$aB.4838@lakeread03>
Source record: 15574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Original manuals for IC-551D, IC-251A, IC-451A and IC-2KL.

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

2252. FA: Rare Drake TR-7 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 21:37:01 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <0KQfe.5923$aB.1855@lakeread03>
Source record: 15575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15050&item=5773272824&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2253. ICOM IC-3230H Value / Repair Info Dual Band 2m / 70cm Mobile For Sale?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-09 21:54:39 UTC
From: Geno <geno@radiohq.com>
Message-ID: <1115675679.614345.161720@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15576
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello,

I'm trying to decide whether or not to repair the subject unit so I'd like to know what they've been selling for.

Mine has 1 watt output on UHF. (Final trans out?) The RX is fine and the VHF side also works well (45 watts)

I have the original box, with manual and the power cord and mounting bracket are brand new!

I would sell it like it is if I got a good offer.

Any input helpful.

Please reply by email.

Thanks, Gene (W5VAT)

2254. FS Jan 811A Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-10 03:21:36 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <WMVfe.1427$DC2.622@okepread01>
Source record: 15577

I have for sale in their original boxes 4 Jan 811A tubes. These are the good ones, made in the USA and great for Collins 30L-1s.
All 4 were made by Electronic Enterprises. I have checked them out in my 30L-1 and they are full output, no gas.
Price is $100 plus shipping from 79602.
I also have a nice Turner 90D-4 Mobile Mic FS. It is just like a Collins MM-1. Since Turner made the MM-1 for Collins, it is the same mic with a Turner lable. Wired for Collins. Price is $75. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX CCA #307

2255. FS - Yaesu VX-5RS +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-10 11:27:08 UTC
From: John Schneider <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <hU0ge.59$yx.41@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15578

Hello,

I have a silver VX-5 in as-new condition with original box, manual, battery and wall charger. The radio has seen little use and the battery seems to hold a charge forever. The radio will also be shipped with ADMS software, the programming cable and a Diamond dual-Band antenna.

$225.00 + shipping

Please email direct if interested.

John, KB2COP
thecop@optonline.net

2256. FT857 CAT interface.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-10 13:23:40 UTC
From: jan <janban51@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1115731420.380232.261200@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15579

I am trying to connect my PC via a home made interface (with opto
couplers) to the CAT interface on the radio. When trying to connect no
response is received. After doing some measuring i find that the output
voltage at the TX lead of the FT857 is 5V without anything connected.
Is this normal, shouldn't it be 0V while not transmitting?
Does anyone have experience with this?

2257. Re: Lowe HF-150 keypad not working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-10 13:29:18 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <OG2ge.734703$w62.540831@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15580

Check the capacitor at the output of the 8V regulator. If this cap goes bad,
this line will droop.

Pete

"Dave Holford" <holford@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:427F9D73.726A06F1@sympatico.ca...
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> Robb Leamy wrote:
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> might
> be worth checking.
>
> Good luck,
> Dave
>

2258. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-10 15:18:21 UTC
From: Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1181k5f5tagrv79@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15581
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"HAO'S" <spam@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:d5g8tk$114$1@nic.grnet.gr...
> what a rip off here in europe adapters go for 5-8euros!
> is this a radio shack thing (scam?).

It's not uncommon for many stores in the US to have large mark-ups on what are really cheap accessories. For instance, in many of the big electronics stores, you'll see USB cables for, e.g., $9.95 when they're more like a couple of bucks mail order! This is something of a silly game, but given the significant competition for the 'big ticket' items (computers, printers, TVs, etc.), you can see why they do this.

Keep in mind that this is the same country where coffee shops selling lattes for $3/cup are still multiplying like rabbits. :-)

---Joel Kolstad

2259. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-10 17:51:57 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <34t181tm9j57gfk1lifk59srdfbed7g8dv@4ax.com>
Source record: 15582

On Fri, 6 May 2005 08:14:45 +0300, "HAO'S" <spam@hotmail.com> wrote:

>
>go the $15-$17 for
>> the power source let me know..I'll send ya one!
>what a rip off here in europe adapters go for 5-8euros!
>is this a radio shack thing (scam?).
>

The gas station next to my Radio Shack is selling regular for
$2.01/gallon. What are you blokes paying?

he, he...

bob
k5qwg

2260. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 01:12:08 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3ed4f6F2g297U1@individual.net>
Source record: 15583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Pioneer Scsii
CD changer. No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

2261. FA: DENTRON MLA-2500B DESK-TOP LEGAL LIMIT RF AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 01:52:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <5zdge.1183$Bg4.847@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15584
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5772433793&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2262. FA: $10>NINE(9) VINTAGE GE 2N167 & 4JX1B802 TRANSISTORS-1955

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 01:55:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pCdge.1187$Bg4.693@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15585
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7513731382&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2263. FS Brand New Penta PL-172

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 02:17:46 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <1Xdge.1470$DC2.491@okepread01>
Source record: 15586

I have for sale a Brand New Penta Pl-172/PL8295 tube. This one has no hours and is guaranteed to be full output and shiny new. It is coded JAN-CBZC, made in USA. It is used in my Hallicrafters HT-33A Amplifiers and other amps. Price is $375. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2264. Re: Lowe HF 225 Europa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 03:05:27 UTC
From: mike maghakian <maghakian@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <0tKdnXBbPNTm6xzfRVn-rQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 15587
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

they are very hard to find and as great as they are, I think they usually go
for more than they are worth
I have seen some AOR 7030's go for less. and R8B's occasionally go for just
a bit more.
I have a 225E and as much as I love it, I might trade it for a 7030 plus in
an impulsive moment.

I don't know how the 7030 sounds but the 225E is the best sounding receiver
of the over 100 receivers I have owned.

"aaa" <classwp@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1115524807.517381.312440@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
> I'm looking for a clean Lowe HF 225 Europa in good working order. If
> you have one for sale please contact me.
>

2265. FT 8800R remote cable?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 15:19:26 UTC
From: denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <11848ja8t3tlv2c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15588

Anyone have a Ft 8800?? I am thinking of getting a pair of those and am wondering what they use for cabeling to remote the control head....thanks

2266. FS Kenwood PS-430 and SP-430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 16:04:24 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Z1qge.1485$DC2.62@okepread01>
Source record: 15589

FS Kenwood PS-430 Power Supply in very nice cosmetic and working condition for $95. I also have a Kenwood SP-430 Speaker for sale for $55. It has a few nicks and scratches, but not band. Shipping extra on both items. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2267. Re: 706MKIIG(reduced), Icom R1(SOLD) & 2 base antenna's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-11 21:50:44 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <U6vge.742855$w62.111696@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15590
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

R1 is sold!

thnx

2268. Re: DENTRON MLA-2500B DESK-TOP LEGAL LIMIT RF AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 13:08:05 UTC
From: John <JF@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <pY2dnTHrHISlyB7fRVn-qA@comcast.com>
Source record: 15591
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Good amp in their days, tubes cost more than the amp now, but a good looking
amp also. Great for CBers.

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5772433793&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
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2269. FA: UHF-Motorola HT1250 ls w/Speaker-Mic & Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 14:27:30 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <nJJge.40763$_K.26867@fed1read03>
Source record: 15592
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: UHF-Motorola HT1250 ls w/Speaker-Mic & Charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7512820799&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2270. Used Equipment Brokered

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 16:35:53 UTC
From: Dennis <dcasanova@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <BEA8FE28.4CAA4%dcasanova@cfl.rr.com>
Source record: 15593

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2271. Need Murata CFJ455 K12 filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 19:22:07 UTC
From: KC0HH <kc0hh@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <v1b781pkn6dpq4ispjvj5rk4s0r78iuhg7@4ax.com>
Source record: 15594

Hello,

I need a Murata CFJ455 K12 or CFJ455 K5 ceramic filter. These are 455khz filters you would pull out of a transceiver to upgrade filters such as with Inrad filters etc.

Thanks,

Rick KC0HH

2272. Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 21:25:38 UTC
From: Dick <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <mRPge.5735$rw4.2544@trndny03>
Source record: 15595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have a Bose wave radio with credit card remote that works real nice and looks nice for trade.I am looking for an Icom R3 scanner that is in greta working condition and has no known problems with it.If you want a great sounding radio,please let me know.I will also sell it outright for $225.00 plus shipping.Thanks for looking.You can call me also at 978-281-3359.

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2273. FOR SALE: CSI 8200 Repeater Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 22:11:05 UTC
From: N5IFH <n5ifh@twcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <ZvQge.17635$eU.10582@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 15596

The Model 8200 FULL DUPLEX INTERCONNECT by Connect Systems Inc. is a sophisticated repeater controller with built-in semi or full duplex radio-telephone interconnect terminal. A built-in keyboard and digital display allow the user to obtain the maximum power from the on board microprocessor. All features are user programmable and/or selectable. There are six modes of operation to choose from... 1. Full or Semi-Duplex Base Station Interconnect Adds interconnect to any duplex base station. 2. Full or Semi-Duplex Repeater Interconnect Adds interconnect to any existing repeater system. Optional ANI validation allows shared use and includes deadbeat disable. 3. Repeater Controller with Duplex Interconnect Converts any receiver and transmitter into a full featured repeater. 4. Dial Access Remote Base Dispatch and have full use of your radio system from any telephone. Operates in any mode selected above. 5. Dial Access Paging Terminal Beep Pagers and/or selectively call mobiles with or without two way voice from any telephone. 6. Talk-Back Paging Terminal Beep pagers or mobiles followed with a one way voice message from any telephone. And, powerful built-in standard features such as... 90 number speed dialer, last number redial, remote hook-flash, remotely controllable relay, automatic disconnect on busy signals and dialtone, fully regenerated tone or pulse dialing, etc. make the 8200 the most powerful repeater controller/full duplex interconnect product available today! CTCSS Board (TSU-32P) installed. $175.00. USPS Money Order Only!. Compairable to the CS-800

2274. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 22:27:37 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <wcrocker007@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <T5GdnZTOkonHRR7fRVn-2A@comcast.com>
Source record: 15597
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

With, or with out CD player? Black, or White? First generation, or second?

Thanks,
Bill Crocker

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2275. FA: Original Yaesu SERVICE Manuals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-12 23:25:28 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <GBRge.16144$aB.13575@lakeread03>
Source record: 15598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

..for FT-990, FT-847, FT-757GX, FT-767GX, FT-726R

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZradioal

2276. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-13 00:42:19 UTC
From: Dick <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <LJSge.6280$ix3.3830@trndny07>
Source record: 15649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

White in color with no cd.Has credit card remote and sounds awesome.Don't
have a clue on generation.

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2277. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-13 08:02:28 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d61muc$qp0$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 15650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

"Dick" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:LJSge.6280$ix3.3830@trndny07...
> White in color with no cd.Has credit card remote and sounds awesome.Don't
> have a clue on generation.
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What ham bands and modes can be operated with it?

2278. FS Icom v8 with extra battry

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-13 08:11:45 UTC
From: Mwin33 <Mwin33@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <7dGdnaKhSvvf_BnfRVn-pg@comcast.com>
Source record: 15651

This radio is about 1 year old.
i used it about 5 times then it just sat around.
It comes with all the items when it was new plus a 1650 mAh Ni-MH Bp 210
battery pack
$120 shipped to the lower 48 states.

2279. Specs on Icom SP-20 and SP-23 speakers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-13 12:30:57 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <561he.1$ti4.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15652

Hello all,

Does anyone have the full specs on the Icom SP-20
and SP-23 speakers? There is no useful information
on Icom's web site, and this was the response I got
from Icom when I asked for more info:

"We do not have more than what is published on the
website about the SP20 and SP23 speakers, sorry."

Hmmm...

I know they both have several audio filter widths
and A/B inputs. But what makes one cost $50 more
than the other? Any info would be appreciated.

73,
Dean K5DH

2280. Dayton- Any news on Kenwood?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-13 16:01:34 UTC
From: WA8NPR <wa8npr@sssnet.com>
Message-ID: <2OedneLh-I72UhnfRVn-jw@massilloncabletv.com>
Source record: 15653

Has anyone heard of any new Kenwood products that are to be announced at Dayton?

WA8NPR

2281. Re: Specs on Icom SP-20 and SP-23 speakers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-13 19:37:03 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <zl7he.50991$7i2.28805@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15654

=K=5=D=H= wrote:>
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> and A/B inputs. But what makes one cost $50 more
> than the other? Any info would be appreciated.

Inflation. The SP-23 is current production, the SP-20 has been
obsoleted.

2282. Re: Dayton- Any news on Kenwood?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-13 20:27:44 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <118a3eblqcpkidd@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15655

I bet ya that Kenwood just found themselves with their pants down and nothing to show this year or next but a bare butt. I havn't laid hands on the Yaesu 9000s or the new Icom, but from all the pictures and all the info available so far, I'm in love. If I could afford it I would buy 2 of each. One each for the shack :-P and one each to sleep with :-* !

Butch KF5DE

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>Dayton?
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2283. FCC BUST IN TEXAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 09:01:07 UTC
From: willfull_buck@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1116061267.813336.214860@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15656

Hey Folks,
Kinda down at the moment, our college radio station got busted by the FCC. Here a list of the stuff that was hauled off:

NRG PLL-PRO 3 20W TRANSMITTER
NRG 220 WATT RF LINEAR AMPLIFIER
NRG PRO III STEREO CODER
NRG PRO III STEREO LIMITER COMPRESSOR
DAIWA CN-101L SWR+POWER METER
COMET CFM-95SL 5/8 WAVE ANTENNA
50 FEET OF LMR 400 COAX
KENWOOD R-1000 SW RECEIVER (my fathers old short-wave radio?)

The really weird part is that we WERE NOT transmitting at the time of the raid. One of the agents tolds us that they traced us through a purchase order from Broadcast-Warehouse! It's true that we bought a 150w amp from broadcastwarehouse.com a few weeks ago. How did the FCC know about that?

Anyways, we will rebuild the station and continue to fight the globle interests of the MEGA-MACHINE.

DEATH TO THE MEGA-MACHINE!

2284. Re: FCC BUST IN TEXAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 13:36:57 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cef9ed56ea451e498972a@localhost>
Source record: 15658

In article <1116061267.813336.214860@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
willfull_buck@yahoo.com says...

<snippety>

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> purchase order from Broadcast-Warehouse! It's true that we bought a
> 150w amp from broadcastwarehouse.com a few weeks ago. How did the FCC
> know about that?

If the FCC was previously watching broadcastwarehouse.com for
selling things like non-type accepted amps, it would be easy to subpoena
their customer list.

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>
> DEATH TO THE MEGA-MACHINE!

Why so down on the FCC? Is your college station appropriately
licensed as a low-power FM broadcaster? If so, you may have legal
recourse to get your equipment back.

If your particular college has a branch that teaches
Administration of Justice, this may be a good time to consult with them.

If, on the other wing, your station was not licensed, you have no
one but yourselves to blame.

For the record: I don't see how a post like this is on-topic for
an amateur radio newsgroup, particularly one dealing with equipment.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

2285. Re: FCC BUST IN TEXAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 13:37:51 UTC
From: Bill Crocker <wcrocker007@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <P5idnSDVpIqvYhjfRVn-sQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 15657

I guess you should feel lucky you're not in jail! Check eBay in a couple weeks, they'll probably put it all up for auction, and you can buy it back from them! LOL!!!

Bill Crocker

<willfull_buck@yahoo.com> wrote in message news:1116061267.813336.214860@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
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2286. LIFETIME COLLECTION ANTIQUE RADIO AUCTION Sunday May 15, 2005

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 13:47:28 UTC
From: americana <markblondy@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1116078448.148880.235890@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15659

LIFETIME COLLECTION ANTIQUE RADIO AUCTION Sunday May 15, 2005
Warren Michigan

Sunday May 15, 2005 11AM
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The Lifetime Collection of a John Cottec Local Collector and Repair Technician to be auctioned off to the highest bidder!

Highlights include Vintage Antique Tube Radios. Floor Models as well as Tabletop. Antique Speakers, Stereo Equipment, Tuners, Over 1,000 Tubes in
original boxes, Tube Testing Equipment, Oscilloscopes, Tube Amplifiers,
Troubleshooting guides, (5) File Cabinets of Sam's Photo Facts Schematic books,
Many Boxes of Parts, knobs, Caps, Resistors, Controls and other parts of many
kinds, Turntables and Record Players, Record Albums, 8-Track & Reel to Reel
Tapes. Some radios are in working condition and some are in need of restoration.

Some of the brand names include... Sparton Blue Mirror Tabletop, Fada Bullet, Lafayette, Scott, Fisher, Hickok, Kenwood, Heathkit, Stewart Warner, Delco, Capehart, Motorola, Bogen Presto, Acoustic Research, Zenith, Harman Kardan, Recordio, Jans Zen, Stromberg Carlson, Detrola, Dewald, Marantz, Goplana, Philco, Eico, Bic, Atwater Kent, General Electric, Roberts, Superior, Telefunken, Kingston, Dual,
Blonder Tongue and Air King to name a few!

The auction will be held at the Safety Mini Storage facility located at 2420 E. 14 Mile Rd. in Warren, Michigan.

Preview the auction from 9AM. Auction will begin promptly at 11!

The Records will be sold 2 for a Buck during the pre-view!
markblondy.com for more details and photos!

2287. FA: TONITE>DENTRON MLA-2500B DESK-TOP LEGAL LIMIT RF AMPLIFIER>WOW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 14:03:20 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Fynhe.12722$NZ1.10757@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15660
Cross-posted to:
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5772433793&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2288. FA: 2500mhz Bird Load, Lionel Key, Power Mosfets, RCA VTVM, Heath SPKR TOO MUCH TO LIST!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 14:08:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MDnhe.12726$NZ1.2014@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15661
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

2289. Re: Specs on Icom SP-20 and SP-23 speakers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 14:50:33 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <CZadnXkSEPmkjRvfRVn-iA@centurytel.net>
Source record: 15662

In article <zl7he.50991$7i2.28805@fe03.news.easynews.com>, no.one@no.net
says...
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>=K=5=D=H= wrote:>
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>> and A/B inputs. But what makes one cost $50 more
>> than the other? Any info would be appreciated.
>
>Inflation. The SP-23 is current production, the SP-20 has been
>obsoleted

I don't think so. They're both listed in Icom's current
catalog and all of the ham stores carry both.

sigh

73,
Dean K5DH

2290. Re: Specs on Icom SP-20 and SP-23 speakers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 15:49:20 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <46phe.127491$QY2.7029@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15663

=K=5=D=H= wrote:
> In article <zl7he.50991$7i2.28805@fe03.news.easynews.com>,
> no.one@no.net says...
> >
> > =K=5=D=H= wrote:>
> > > I know they both have several audio filter widths
> > > and A/B inputs. But what makes one cost $50 more
> > > than the other? Any info would be appreciated.
> >
> > Inflation. The SP-23 is current production, the SP-20 has been
> > obsoleted
>
>
> I don't think so. They're both listed in Icom's current
> catalog and all of the ham stores carry both.

I was wrong about inflation anyway. I see where the SP-20 is actually
more expensive.

2291. Harris rf-3200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 17:48:40 UTC
From: user@domain.invalid
Message-ID: <WRqhe.13309$sV7.10280@fe02.lga>
Source record: 15664

I'm looking for a service manual for the Harris rf-3200.

2292. harris rf-3200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 18:14:35 UTC
From: user@domain.invalid
Message-ID: <derhe.13494$sV7.2666@fe02.lga>
Source record: 15665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I'm looking for a service manual for the Harris rf-3200

Thanks / k8ibe@chartermi.net

2293. data tp2180 transistor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 19:21:09 UTC
From: johan aeq <fam-j.hoekstra@zonnet.nl>
Message-ID: <2ba99$42865012$52ad139c$30453@news.versatel.nl>
Source record: 15666

Hello,
can you give me some data for a TP2180 powertransistor?
Two of them are built on a vhfamplifier.
I want to use them without overloading them...
Greetings Johan PE1AEQ

2294. Icom 756 to Kam cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 23:44:56 UTC
From: Gary Danaher <gdanaher@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <KvudnexMTrrnEBvfRVn-qA@comcast.com>
Source record: 15667

Giving some thought to getting a new Icom 756pIII and trying to cover the bases. Who builds a GOOD out of the box cable to interface the Icom with the Kam Plus?

2295. Re: Heil Clear Speech Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-14 23:55:42 UTC
From: Gary <danahers@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <7-mdnUUTWINjEhvfRVn-pw@comcast.com>
Source record: 15668
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

HAO'S wrote:

> go the $15-$17 for
>
>>the power source let me know..I'll send ya one!
>
> what a rip off here in europe adapters go for 5-8euros!
> is this a radio shack thing (scam?).
>
>
Radio Shack is a convenience store for electronics, selling mainly
consumer electronics like cell phones and stereos. Components are a side
line. I buy stuff like wall warts from Mouser or Allied and get exactly
what I want, or better, find them at surplus stores for pennies on the
dollar/cents on the euro.

2296. FA: SWAN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 01:44:50 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@qsl.net>
Message-ID: <mQxhe.2055$5m1.216@trnddc06>
Source record: 15669

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5774847271&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2297. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 03:50:06 UTC
From: "Mr. Null" <null@null.net>
Message-ID: <RFzhe.14124$Ee6.2483@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15670
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Roger

are you stupid?

"Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:d61muc$qp0$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net...
>
> "Dick" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
> news:LJSge.6280$ix3.3830@trndny07...
>> White in color with no cd.Has credit card remote and sounds awesome.Don't
>> have a clue on generation.
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> What ham bands and modes can be operated with it?
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2298. Re: data tp2180 transistor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 06:44:04 UTC
From: Friedrich Wuelfing <Vorname.Nachnahme@t-online.de>
Message-ID: <d66r6b$1cj$03$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 15671

Hi Johan,

you've got mail.

73
Fritz
DK6QI

2299. FA: Yaesu FT-990 SERVICE manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 13:00:16 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <vJHhe.16732$aB.3012@lakeread03>
Source record: 15672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Last day!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5772871298&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

2300. FA: Yaesu FT-726R SERVICE Manaul

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 13:01:31 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <GKHhe.16733$aB.901@lakeread03>
Source record: 15673
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Last day!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5772872180&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

2301. FA: Rare Drake TR-7 SERVICE Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 13:02:52 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <XLHhe.16734$aB.11598@lakeread03>
Source record: 15674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Last day!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5773272824&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

2302. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 13:46:05 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42875298$0$26105$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net>
Source record: 15675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Yes

I am a complete Dick-Wad
Thanks for asking, I think we may have gone to the same school..
ass-wipe

"Mr. Null" <null@null.net> wrote in message
news:RFzhe.14124$Ee6.2483@fe12.lga...
> Roger
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> are you stupid?
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> "Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:d61muc$qp0$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net...
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>>> have a clue on generation.
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>> What ham bands and modes can be operated with it?
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2303. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 14:11:33 UTC
From: farfromsane <NOFREAKINSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <pMIhe.2872$YU.553053@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Well there you have it...

"Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:42875298$0$26105$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net...
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2304. Re: harris rf-3200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 16:03:31 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cf112ad8019cb9f98972f@localhost>
Source record: 15677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <derhe.13494$sV7.2666@fe02.lga>, user@domain.invalid says...

> I'm looking for a service manual for the Harris rf-3200
>
> Thanks / k8ibe@chartermi.net

Repeated identical requests to the same Usenet newsgroup(s) are
very likely to piss people off enough so that they WON'T try to help
you.

Have patience. Once someone who can help notices your first post,
they probably will. HOWEVER -- Don't expect an E-mail reply. Keep an eye
on the newsgroup instead.

Happy hunting.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

2305. FS: (reduced) IC706MKIIG w/FL223 SSB filter and seperation kit.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 17:28:52 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <oFLhe.766613$w62.272035@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15678
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

This radio is excellent condition cosmetically and operationally. It has never been mobile, has no mods, comes with the separation kit,(never used), and FL223 Narrow SSB filter.

Features
.03-199, 400-470 MHz Receive
Alpha memories
RIT
Preamp/ATT
VFO A/B
1 Hz Display
IF Shift
Scanning
S/RF Meter
100 Watts HF+6M
50 Watts 2M, 20 Watts 440
100 Memories
All band Multimode
Removable head
Preamp/RF Atten.
Mini Spectrum Scope
Electronic Keyer
SSB Carrier Point

$750 plus shipping cont. US only.

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N3JKM at qsl.net

2306. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 18:56:16 UTC
From: "Mr. Null" <null@null.net>
Message-ID: <pXMhe.21551$NZ1.10697@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Roger,

I asked if you are stupid, not a dick wad. But since you mention it, what is
a dick wad anyway?

"Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:42875298$0$26105$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net...
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2307. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 20:12:46 UTC
From: PowerHouse Communications <PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net>
Message-ID: <b2Ohe.1906$cP2.843@fe06.lga>
Source record: 15680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I'm not completely sure, but I think it's like a tampon, except it's
designed for use by men who have that "drippy dick" syndrome...

"Mr. Null" <null@null.net> wrote in message
news:pXMhe.21551$NZ1.10697@fe09.lga...
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2308. Re: harris rf-3200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 21:06:10 UTC
From: user@domain.invalid
Message-ID: <4ROhe.16134$sV7.13118@fe02.lga>
Source record: 15681
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Dr. Anton T. Squeegee wrote:
> In article <derhe.13494$sV7.2666@fe02.lga>, user@domain.invalid says...
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> Have patience. Once someone who can help notices your first post,
> they probably will. HOWEVER -- Don't expect an E-mail reply. Keep an eye
> on the newsgroup instead.
>
> Happy hunting.
>
>
Oh thank you, thank you, I have been mostly misguided all my life and of
course, really admire someone who takes the time to straighten the path
for me.
Thanks Again

2309. IC-746 or TS-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 22:45:42 UTC
From: Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net>
Message-ID: <7b993$4287d116$453db1ce$25275@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 15682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've had a love affair with my old Kenwood TS-450sat since I bought my first one in the early 90's, but with Dayton looming, finally I got the go ahead from the XYL to upgrade. I've narrowed my choice down to a new Kenwood TS-2000 or a new IC-746 Pro. I know the features of both quite well, but I have read and heard a lot about the IC-746's problems with the IC-151 protection diodes and ESD (electro static discharge). I've seen what Icom has on their website about this problem, but wonder what current users think about it. I know there are a lot of IC-746 Pro owners out there, as well as TS-2000 owners, but I really would like to hear some HONEST opinions on this particular problem with the 746. Do many/any of you have repeat problems with the infamous 'no transmit' on the IC-746 due to the ESD issue? Has this problem been over blown? Is it still a problem, even though Icom claims they will repair it and already have it solved on the newer models?
I recently had the opportunity to play with an IC-746 and I was impressed. A good friend has a TS-2000 and I will get to play with it this week. But I am now looking for HONEST opinions on both units, especially the 746.
Thanks!

--

***** Jim Leder *****
IBM retiree since 1999
http://home.fuse.net/k8cxm

2310. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-15 23:33:05 UTC
From: stop <stopthespam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <bsmf815b4mqf9ib11dh4ggtgoe1f4s4rrl@4ax.com>
Source record: 15683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

PowerHouse, you sure would know about tampons and drippy dick
syndrome. Your friend Bobby told me all about you.

On Sun, 15 May 2005 15:12:46 -0500, "PowerHouse Communications"
<PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net> wrote:

>I'm not completely sure, but I think it's like a tampon, except it's
>designed for use by men who have that "drippy dick" syndrome...
>
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>"Mr. Null" <null@null.net> wrote in message
>news:pXMhe.21551$NZ1.10697@fe09.lga...
>> Roger,
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>> I asked if you are stupid, not a dick wad. But since you mention it, what
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2311. Ford Focus and transciever location?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 01:40:41 UTC
From: denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <118fugffg0bo19e@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15684

I want to install a 2 meter rig in my wife's 2000 Focus. Underneath the aftermarket Pioneer radio there is a clutter catcher that I want to take out to install the new rig.
I am wondering how hard it is to pull off the metal plate in the lower center of the dash....thanks for your help.

2312. FA: NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET>BIG $100 VALUE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 02:04:39 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1116209079.932896.34450@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15685

No Bids, Best $10 item you'll ever find:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7515750115&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2313. FA: BIRD 8201 TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR>DUMMY LOAD>2500mz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 02:05:47 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1116209147.681578.35200@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15686

Looks New, Cost is over $600.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361272&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2314. FS: $10>HEATHKIT AK-7 MOBILE SPEAKER for RECEIVERS/TRANSCEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 02:06:48 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1116209208.736112.102690@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15687

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361145&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2315. FA: SIGNAL CORPS LIONEL J-38 MORSE CODE TELEGRAPH KEY>WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 02:07:54 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1116209274.800819.15990@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15688

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774360968&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2316. FA: FORTY(40) NOS HITACHI J56 POWER MOSFET TRANSISTORS>T-03

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 02:08:38 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1116209318.214180.305580@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15689

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7515750184&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2317. 48 Volts AT 150 Amps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 04:01:52 UTC
From: Robert Hawk <rhawk@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <QWUhe.41363$IO.19417@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 15690
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.boatanchors

RATELCO Battery charger / Rectifier. Type FC48-1505A
Model # 102B-3608-00. 48 Volt @ 150 Amps, Float or Equalize.
These units were manufactured SEPT 1991 and are in the Factory
crates and have Never been used, have 2, sequential Serial numbers.
Cost new $ 6000.xx
These units can be used as 48 volt charger for Telephone Central
Office Battery supply's with the ability to Float or Equalize.
They can also be used as a stand alone, well filtered, power
supply rated at 48 volts at 150 amps CONTINOUS DUTY.
Input = 110, 208, 240 Volts. 60 Hz, single phase
A must for the expirimenter working with the new generation
of 48 volt solid state RF devices Rated in excess of a Kilowatt.

Weight is approximately 550 pounds, Crated for freight shipping.

$1500.xx Each, O.B.O. Prepaid,In my garage.

Moving by the 27 of May, Hate to see these scrapped

NEW LOW PRICE $1000.xx each, Prepaid,In my garage.
buyer pays freight from my driveway in Merritt Island FL 32953

Loading and shiping are buyers responsibility.

2318. Re: harris rf-3200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 04:52:04 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1cf1c6ce8446c02f989734@localhost>
Source record: 15691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

In article <4ROhe.16134$sV7.13118@fe02.lga>, user@domain.invalid says...
> Dr. Anton T. Squeegee wrote:

<snippety>

> Oh thank you, thank you, I have been mostly misguided all my life and of
> course, really admire someone who takes the time to straighten the path
> for me.
> Thanks Again

Your sarcasm is noted. I was merely trying to help you avoid
ticking others off.

I can tell, however, that you do not take advice well. Fair
enough... You're on your own from here on out.

PLONK!

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

2319. Re: IC-746 or TS-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 06:54:59 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9657F39C831ACspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 15692
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I researched for many months before making my decision to go with the IC746Pro over the TS2000. I certainly haven't regreted it this past 18 months. One thing that I certainly find superior in the ICom is the DSP unit. It makes digging signals out of severe noise a dream.

Ed K7AAT

2320. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 07:48:52 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d69j96$27i$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 15693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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2321. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 12:36:19 UTC
From: Dick <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <7t0ie.2407$Vu6.1847@trndny03>
Source record: 15694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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2322. Re: IC-746 or TS-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 17:46:33 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-1605051346330001@ac94a5bf.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 15695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <7b993$4287d116$453db1ce$25275@FUSE.NET>, "Jim Leder"
<k8cxm@spam.fuse.net> wrote:

> I've narrowed my choice down to a new Kenwood
> TS-2000 or a new IC-746 Pro.

Jim-

I went through the comparison bit a couple of years ago, only between the TS-2000 and the IC-756 Pro II. I chose the Icom primarily because of the impressive spectrum display.

Just playing with the radio may not be enough. The IC-756 works fairly well in most respects, but when I went to program its memories, I found that it did not have the capability of storing repeater frequency pairs. Since my intended use includes several local 6 Meter repeaters including two different splits, this shortcoming makes it impossible to quickly switch between repeaters.

I had never encountered a recent model radio that had this shortcoming. Even my old IC-706 (original) could store all the necessary frequency and tone data in each memory location. If this matters to you, be sure to check the 746 to see if it has the same problem.

73, Fred, K4DII

2323. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 19:56:35 UTC
From: PowerHouse Communications <PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net>
Message-ID: <C_6ie.22407$rt1.17711@fe04.lga>
Source record: 15697
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

That's pretty good, I don't know anybody named bobby... Must be one of your
"friends"...

"stop" <stopthespam@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:bsmf815b4mqf9ib11dh4ggtgoe1f4s4rrl@4ax.com...
> PowerHouse, you sure would know about tampons and drippy dick
> syndrome. Your friend Bobby told me all about you.
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> On Sun, 15 May 2005 15:12:46 -0500, "PowerHouse Communications"
> <PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net> wrote:
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> >I'm not completely sure, but I think it's like a tampon, except it's
> >designed for use by men who have that "drippy dick" syndrome...
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> >"Mr. Null" <null@null.net> wrote in message
> >news:pXMhe.21551$NZ1.10697@fe09.lga...
> >> Roger,
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> >> I asked if you are stupid, not a dick wad. But since you mention it,
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2324. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 20:00:37 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d6au4u$98i$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 15696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I'm reading this in rec.radio.amateur.equipment.
Anyway I'm not interested in arguing the issue any further.
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2325. Re: IC-746 or TS-2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-16 23:22:07 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <1116285727.663063.251880@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jim Leder wrote:
> I've had a love affair with my old Kenwood TS-450sat since I bought
my
> first one in the early 90's, but with Dayton looming, finally I got
the go
> ahead from the XYL to upgrade. I've narrowed my choice down to a new
Kenwood
> TS-2000 or a new IC-746 Pro. I know the features of both quite well,
but I
> have read and heard a lot about the IC-746's problems with the IC-151

> protection diodes and ESD (electro static discharge). I've seen what
Icom
> has on their website about this problem, but wonder what current
users think
> about it. I know there are a lot of IC-746 Pro owners out there, as
well as
> TS-2000 owners, but I really would like to hear some HONEST opinions
on this
> particular problem with the 746. Do many/any of you have repeat
problems
> with the infamous 'no transmit' on the IC-746 due to the ESD issue?
Has this
> problem been over blown? Is it still a problem, even though Icom
claims they
> will repair it and already have it solved on the newer models?
> I recently had the opportunity to play with an IC-746 and I was
impressed.
> A good friend has a TS-2000 and I will get to play with it this week.
But I
> am now looking for HONEST opinions on both units, especially the 746.
> Thanks!

The 746 Pro certainly has some issues but the TS-2000 has one of the
worst front ends you can stick yourself with.

See http://www.sherweng.com/presentation.html

> ***** Jim Leder *****
> IBM retiree since 1999
> http://home.fuse.net/k8cxm

w3rv

2326. Re: Specs on Icom SP-20 and SP-23 speakers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 00:47:09 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <l6fi811kr97pvt8il0lltrhp6hn7tv8b74@4ax.com>
Source record: 15499

On Fri, 13 May 2005 12:30:57 GMT, k5dh@raytheon.com (=K=5=D=H=) wrote:

>Hello all,
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>Does anyone have the full specs on the Icom SP-20
>and SP-23 speakers? There is no useful information
>on Icom's web site, and this was the response I got
>from Icom when I asked for more info:
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>"We do not have more than what is published on the
>website about the SP20 and SP23 speakers, sorry."
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>Hmmm...
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>I know they both have several audio filter widths
>and A/B inputs. But what makes one cost $50 more
>than the other? Any info would be appreciated.
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>73,
>Dean K5DH

Do a Google search on the two speakers and it will take you to
Universal Radio's site -- they have decent specs there.

I have a big Yeasu speaker with audio filters and they are fairly
useless. I can't imagine Icom's being much better, if at all.

If I were spending money in this price range, I'd look at the new
version of the Clear Speech speaker at Heil -- you can at least call
them and talk to the man himself.

bob
k5qwg

2327. FA: UHF x9000 Good Condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 01:33:49 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <1Sbie.44$2p.34@fed1read07>
Source record: 15500
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FA: UHF x9000 Good Condx

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7514209645&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2328. FS Kenwood Marine/HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 01:59:56 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <WGcie.3118$DC2.549@okepread01>
Source record: 15502

I have a Kenwood TKM-707 Transceiver that is brand new in the box. It has the amateur radio mods performed by the dealer. These modifications are very simple and easy to change back to the original factory specifications. They allow the TKM-707 to transmit from the "VFO" dial as well as from memory and allow lower side band as well as upper side band operation. This makes for a versatile transceiver useful for the ham operator as well as the marine operator. Documentation of the modifications performed is included.

The TKM-707 is a high performance SSB radio telephone transceiver designed to meet the stringent demands of the marine market, both in quality and ruggedness. This transceiver utilizes a heavy-duty rust-proof aluminum chassis and the highest quality parts to maximize performance. Output power is 150 watts. It has 198 memories, a large efficient cooling system and dual mode noise blankers. It transmits from 2 MHz to 23 MHz, and it receives general coverage shortwave frequencies from 500 KHz to 30 MHz. It meets all US coast guard requirements for commercial vessels. Price is $750. They retail for $1499. AES is running a sale on they for $1249.
Digital pictures available upon request. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2329. F.S. at Dayton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 02:20:47 UTC
From: CSFD <csfd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <3ycie.18182$J12.3394@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

I will have a few classic boat anchors at the Dayton Hamvention this coming
weekend.
Collins R-390A
2- Heathkit SB-220 2kw H.F. amplifiers
Hammerlund HQ-140x receiver
Heathkit SB 104a H.F.radio with original desk mike
Heathkit SB 604 matching power supply/speaker with
Heathkit SB 634 identifier/watt meter
Along with other amateur radios and supplies.
Look for spaces 2147-2150 on the outdoor flea market.

2330. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 02:52:02 UTC
From: The Real Roger Conroy <null@null.net>
Message-ID: <r%cie.19907$Ee6.14820@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15503
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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2331. Re: FA: UHF x9000 Good Condx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 02:57:13 UTC
From: yea right <spam@spam.spam>
Message-ID: <pan.2005.05.17.02.57.09.460436@spam.spam>
Source record: 15504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

On Mon, 16 May 2005 18:33:49 -0700, !Lou wrote:

> FA: UHF x9000 Good Condx
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ESE:IT">http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7514209645&ssPageName=STRK
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Seems to have been pulled from e-bay.

2332. FS Kenwood PS-430 and SP-430

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 04:01:24 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <f0eie.3135$DC2.863@okepread01>
Source record: 15505

FS Kenwood PS-430 Power Supply in very nice cosmetic and working condition for $85. I also have a Kenwood SP-430 Speaker for sale for $50. It has a few nicks and scratches, but not band. Shipping extra on both items. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2333. Wanted: Icom SP-20 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 12:22:30 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <amlie.3$T45.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking to buy an Icom SP-20 speaker to go with
my 746PRO. Must be in nice condition (doesn't
have to be "flawless", just nice) and it must
come from a non-smoking environment. Would be
desirable to have the box and manual, but not
having them isn't a show-stopper for me.

Thanks and 73,
Dean K5DH

2334. Re: Specs on Icom SP-20 and SP-23 speakers?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 12:26:47 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <bqlie.4$T45.2@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15507

In article <l6fi811kr97pvt8il0lltrhp6hn7tv8b74@4ax.com>, NOSPAM@neosoft.com says...
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>On Fri, 13 May 2005 12:30:57 GMT, k5dh@raytheon.com (=K=5=D=H=) wrote:
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>>Hello all,
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>>Does anyone have the full specs on the Icom SP-20
>>and SP-23 speakers? There is no useful information
>>on Icom's web site, and this was the response I got
>>from Icom when I asked for more info:
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>>"We do not have more than what is published on the
>>website about the SP20 and SP23 speakers, sorry."
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>>Hmmm...
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>>I know they both have several audio filter widths
>>and A/B inputs. But what makes one cost $50 more
>>than the other? Any info would be appreciated.
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>>73,
>>Dean K5DH
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>Do a Google search on the two speakers and it will take you to
>Universal Radio's site -- they have decent specs there.
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>I have a big Yeasu speaker with audio filters and they are fairly
>useless. I can't imagine Icom's being much better, if at all.
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>If I were spending money in this price range, I'd look at the new
>version of the Clear Speech speaker at Heil -- you can at least call
>them and talk to the man himself.
>
>bob
>k5qwg

Thanks for the lead, Bob. Not sure why I didn't find this when I Google'd the other day, but it's definitely there. Operator error, I'm sure. It's interesting that Universal has such good information but Icom doesn't!

As for the usefullness of these type of filters, I guess that's a matter of personal preference. In addition to my 746PRO, I also have a Kenwood TS-850SAT with the matching

SP-31 speaker. It has three audio filters, and I use them fairly often. I especially like the high-cut filters when the static gets loud. They take the edge off.

73 and thanks again for the lead!

Dean K5DH

2335. Re: Wanted: Icom SP-20 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 12:40:57 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <tDlie.319908$A81.219249@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

=K=5=D=H= wrote:
> Looking to buy an Icom SP-20 speaker to go with
> my 746PRO. Must be in nice condition (doesn't

Why did you decide on the SP-20 instead of the SP-23?

2336. FS Eimac 3-500Z Tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 13:45:02 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <pzmie.3167$DC2.2448@okepread01>
Source record: 15509

I have for sale a used Eimac 3-500Z tube in good condition with full output.
Shipped in Eimac box to lower 48 for $95.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2337. Re: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:49:23 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <6ooie.12097$yx.2805@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15510
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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The wire is Hard Drawn Copper, not plastic coated or Copper clad!
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other things to do but complain:-)

"Beau" <Beau@alltel.net> wrote in message
news:1807a$427e5ad0$8b372fdc$14030@ALLTEL.NET...
> Would be a real deal if you would keep the cheap STEEL plastic coated wire
> and just offer the insulators alone.....I like the wire ties you have on
> the
> wire....made for tying reinforcment steel in concrete.....so is the cheap
> antenna wire you offer with the insulators.
>
> a BAAAAAAAD deal!
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> "cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
> news:45pfe.16355$FE3.7885@fe12.lga...
>> No Bids @$10, gotta see.
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5770986208&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
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2338. FA: WESTERN ELECTRIC CW-701A PULSE RADAR TUBE BIG WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:50:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <npoie.12098$yx.12050@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15512
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5774360824&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2339. FA: SIGNAL CORPS LIONEL J-38 MORSE CODE TELEGRAPH KEY WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:51:26 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0qoie.12099$yx.8585@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15511
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48706&item=5774360968&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2340. FA: RCA WV-97A SENIOR VOLTOHMYST TUBE VTVM with PROBES:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:52:20 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Sqoie.12100$yx.4955@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15513
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,us.military.army

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5774361091&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2341. Re: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:52:45 UTC
From: dxAce <dxace@milestones.com>
Message-ID: <428A134D.F618955F@milestones.com>
Source record: 15514
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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> other things to do but complain:-)

They're not known for being terribly bright up there in CanaDuh.

2342. FA: NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET BIG $100 VALUE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:53:11 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Eroie.12101$yx.11310@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15515
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.rec.audio.high-end,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=50971&item=7515750115&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2343. FA: HEATHKIT AK-7 MOBILE SPEAKER for RECEIVERS/TRANSCEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:53:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <isoie.12102$yx.1812@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15516
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48709&item=5774361145&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2344. FA: FORTY(40) NOS HITACHI J56 POWER MOSFET TRANSISTORS T-03

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:55:10 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <wtoie.12103$yx.8346@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15517
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.highend,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4666&item=7515750184&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

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2345. FA: Cheep>BIRD 8201 TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR DUMMY LOAD 2500mz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:55:57 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <fuoie.12104$yx.8712@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15519
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5774361272&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2346. FA: ANTIQUE MILVAY DECADE RESISTANCE BOX, WOOD & BAKELITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:56:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Muoie.12105$yx.10405@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15518
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5774361293&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2347. FA: $10> DRAKE TV-1000-LP TVI LOW-PASS FILTER 1000WATTS, BEST:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 15:58:13 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nwoie.12107$yx.3673@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15520
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5774361238&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2348. FA: REALISTIC FM WIRELESS MICROPHONE SYSTEM Great for DJ's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 16:00:29 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vyoie.12110$yx.10481@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15521
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=85865&item=7322637734&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2349. Re: FA: Cheep>BIRD 8201 TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR DUMMY LOAD 2500mz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 16:05:59 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <qh5k8110v9kcnlho3uc9qcuurc7t2dkoce@4ax.com>
Source record: 15522
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

On Tue, 17 May 2005 11:55:57 -0400, "cooltube"

How fitting. A cheeping Bird.

2350. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 16:28:20 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <428a1ba3$0$26124$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net>
Source record: 15523
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

No you are NOT.....I am the real Roger Conroy

"The Real Roger Conroy" <null@null.net> wrote in message
news:r%cie.19907$Ee6.14820@fe12.lga...
>I am the real Roger Conroy!!!!
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> "Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:d6au4u$98i$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net...
>> I'm reading this in rec.radio.amateur.equipment.
>> Anyway I'm not interested in arguing the issue any further.
>> I am somewhat upset seeing someone faking my identity and taking this
>> thread
>> into personal insults.
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2351. Re: DIPOLE KIT FOR 40-10mtrs>Real Copper wire & Ceramic NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 18:41:02 UTC
From: james <george@washington.edu>
Message-ID: <isdk815a3555mvperjsm1csgh91q9f04jh@4ax.com>
Source record: 15524
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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Even hard drawn copper stretches with time.

Copper clad is not that bad if the cladding is thick enough. A vendor
can improve profits if the copper cladding is kept to bare minimum.
There are two real problem with copper cladded steel. One is the
plating process itself. If it is not uniform and thick enough t hen
mositure can penetrate the copper plating and cause the underlying
steel to rust. Once that happens the radiation resistance goes south
big times. The second issue is that any protective coating on the
copper is missing or damgaed will cause copper to oxide. Copper
oxides are not conducting. The antenna performance then goes south in
a big hurry.

Even hard drawn copper is subject to oxidation if not protected. While
the effects of copper oxides on the very thin surface is marginal at
frequencies below 30 MHz., they can be disastorous at frequencies in
the VHF regions and higher.

james

2352. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 20:50:14 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <aOsie.694$U4.103029@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 15525
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I'm Roger Conroy, and so's my wife!

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2353. 400Hz Servomotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 21:53:17 UTC
From: IZ5FCY Roberto <iz5fcy_NOTRASH@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1ray1r0l2atkx.1rvt5if481pec.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 15526

Hi to all!
I need if your help.
I have a lot of 400Hz Muirhead Servomotor-Tachometer generator mod.
15M81A,fom Mil surplus.
For 400Hz supply isn't a problem but I Don't have idea how to apply or
drive this servomotors.
This motor is supplied with a 115Vac primary plus two 13Vac control
windings, one tachometer 115 Vac primary with a secondary output.
Do you have some suggestion, scheme, application notes for use this motors
in a light CNC project?
Will be welcome application notes, schematic, literatures or URL's for
this devices..

I please you to reply by email, many thanks in advance and sorry for
bandwidht..

Ciao from Italy....
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Saluti da Roberto IZ5FCY

La teoria ï¿½ quando si sa tutto e non funziona nulla.
La pratica ï¿½ quando funziona tutto e non si sa perchï¿½.
Mi sento un vero "radioamatore" poichï¿½ ho raggiunto
entrambi gli obiettivi:
non mi funziona nulla e non so il perchï¿½!

2354. WANTED: MOTOROLA MICOM X OR XF radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 22:14:19 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <%0uie.68$6d.21@trnddc07>
Source record: 15528
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hi all,

I'm looking for a Motorola Micom XF radio.
Must be in excellent condition and proper working order, guaranteed as such.
Please include price and photos with your reply.
thanks!
Randy

2355. Re: (SOLD) (reduced) IC706MKIIG w/FL223 SSB filter and seperation kit.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 22:19:13 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <B5uie.780529$w62.657978@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15527
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Radio is sold, Thanks!!!!!!!!!!

2356. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 22:51:08 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <428a755c$0$26111$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net>
Source record: 15529
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I think i've done your wife

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2357. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 23:13:39 UTC
From: The Real Roger Conroy <null@null.net>
Message-ID: <JUuie.22309$HJ2.16597@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

Was she that bad, that you really dont remember?

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2358. Re: Bose Wave Radio for Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 23:51:21 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <428a8382$0$26112$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader02.plus.net>
Source record: 15531
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

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2359. Re: Wanted: Icom SP-20 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-17 23:56:22 UTC
From: N4LQ <n4lq@iglou.com>
Message-ID: <428a8495$1_1@news.iglou.com>
Source record: 15532
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Both sound terrible. Any old speaker from the 50's tube era sound better.

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Steve Ellington
N4LQ@iglou.com
"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:tDlie.319908$A81.219249@fe08.news.easynews.com...
> =K=5=D=H= wrote:
>> Looking to buy an Icom SP-20 speaker to go with
>> my 746PRO. Must be in nice condition (doesn't
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> Why did you decide on the SP-20 instead of the SP-23?
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2360. Wanted to buy or trade: MFJ 971 and MFJ 415B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 02:19:12 UTC
From: Paul Jordan <pauljordan@gci.net>
Message-ID: <118l9p8p7hompf1@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15533

I'm looking for a MFJ 971 tuner and also a MFJ 415B CW conversion for my MFJ 9420. If you have either or both, I'm very interested. Possible items I may trade include an MFJ-9020 CW transciever, a Yaesu FR-101S Reciever or a Kenwood TS-130 with a matching AT-130.

I may also be interested in other MFJ 94xx transcievers in bands other than 20 meters.

What can I say, I like the radios and I need them small and portable for my travels.

Let me know what you have and let's DEAL!!

2361. Knight Star Roamer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 02:28:57 UTC
From: Paul Jordan <pauljordan@gci.net>
Message-ID: <118labi351rrq71@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15534

It's over on E-Bay, less than a day left. Item # 5774034909

2362. Buying bits in Salt Lake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 02:59:10 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <3cyie.809$U4.114302@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 15535

Hi all. My sister is currently in Salt Lake City and needs to buy a 240V-110V step-down transformer, and they'll be *WAY* cheaper there than back this side of the date line. Anyone have any clues where she can go to to get one there? (In a pinch she could get one from Frys on-line, but for one small item I'm loathe to try and get her to do that).

Cheers.

Ken

2363. Re: Buying bits in Salt Lake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 09:49:33 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <8p3m81p5edj40nnlkn0bra76v696vluka1@4ax.com>
Source record: 15536

On Wed, 18 May 2005 14:59:10 +1200, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
wrote:

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>240V-110V step-down transformer, and they'll be *WAY* cheaper there than
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>to get one there? (In a pinch she could get one from Frys on-line, but for
>one small item I'm loathe to try and get her to do that).
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REI has a store there, and they have a number of travel accessories.
In the local ones, I have seen the kit with the transformer and the
various non-US plugs.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2364. Re: Wanted: Icom SP-20 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 12:22:03 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <LrGie.1$7s5.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15537
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Probably true. Most of the newer speakers sound pretty "tinny".
I mainly use headphones. You can plug fones into the SP-20 and
SP-23 and use the audio filters. That's what I have in mind.

I have a 10" speaker in a slope-front Bud cabinet that I use
with my SX-101A. Plate-modulated AM signals sure sound nice
with that combination! :)

73,
Dean K5DH

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2365. Re: Knight Star Roamer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 12:55:48 UTC
From: stop <stopthespam@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <gnem815atik26kjq8qgd2vicbs3qkdt31r@4ax.com>
Source record: 15538

It must be yours. Use FA: moron.

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wrote:

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2366. FA: Johnson Messenger Model 4140 40ch CB Radio WORKING!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 20:41:57 UTC
From: jimbradley@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1116448917.178222.131300@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15539

Johnson Messenger Model 4140 40ch CB Radio WORKING!!!!!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5775924842

2367. Re: Buying bits in Salt Lake

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 21:30:35 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <%tOie.1035$U4.140129@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 15540

"Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net> wrote in message
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Thanks for that.

Ken

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 21:48:00 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <jlOie.3708$Uy2.913@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15542

http://irlp.gotdns.org:8080/

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-18 21:49:04 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <jJOie.3709$Uy2.572@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15541
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,r4u@bellsouth.net

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2370. Re: Here is the smoking gun

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 01:23:12 UTC
From: bob <noone@nowhere.org>
Message-ID: <GSRie.6474$5u4.22485@nnrp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 15543

I'm sorry, I searched this posting for anything related to ham radio but
I did not find any.

Unless George W. needs help with his HF rig, or Laura is having a
problem breaking that elusive 12WPM CW barrier, perhaps this post ought
to be somewhere else.

Toni@gregpalast.com wrote:
> The memo that has "IMPEACH HIM" written all over it.
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> The top-level government memo marked "SECRET AND STRICTLY PERSONAL",
> dated eight months before Bush sent us into Iraq, following a closed
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> inevitable. Bush wanted to remove Saddam through military action
> justified by the conjunction of terrorism and WMD. But the intelligence
> and facts were being fixed around the policy."
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> Read that again: "The intelligence and facts were being fixed...."
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2371. F.S. at DAYTON

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 02:15:30 UTC
From: CSFD <csfd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <6FSie.18718$J12.11555@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Will have all kinds of new coax, ladder line, baluns, magnet wire and
accesories at Dayton Hamvention this weekend.
Look for spaces 2147-2150 on the outdoor flea market!

2372. Here is the smoking gun

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 02:28:07 UTC
From: Blanche@gregpalast.com
Message-ID: <0f3058ba.31798b97@mail.gregpalast.com>
Source record: 15545

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For years, after each damning report on BBC TV, viewers inevitably ask me, "Isn't this grounds for impeachment?" -- vote rigging, a blind eye to terror and the bin Ladens before 9-11, and so on. Evil, stupidity and self-dealing are shameful but not impeachable. What's needed is a "high crime or misdemeanor."

And if this ain't it, nothing is.

The memo uncovered this week by the TIMES, goes on to describe an elaborate plan by George Bush and British Prime Minister Tony Blair to hoodwink the lanet into supporting an attack on Iraq knowing full well the evidence for war was a phony.

A conspiracy to commit serial fraud is, under federal law, racketeering. However, the Mob's schemes never cost so many lives. Here's more. "Bush had made up his mind to take military action. But the case was thin. Saddam was not threatening his neighbors, and his WMD capability was less than that of Libya, North Korea or Iran."

Really? But Mr. Bush told us, "Intelligence gathered by this and other governments leaves no doubt that the Iraq regime continues to possess and conceal some of the most lethal weapons ever devised."

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 02:30:13 UTC
From: Paul Jordan <pauljordan@gci.net>
Message-ID: <118nuq8g6ca6td9@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15546

stop wrote:
> It must be yours. Use FA: moron.
>
>
> On Tue, 17 May 2005 18:28:57 -0800, Paul Jordan <pauljordan@gci.net>
> wrote:
>
>
>>It's over on E-Bay, less than a day left. Item # 5774034909
>
>
Why don't you try posting a FA: and see what happens. In fact, do a search on FA: and you'll see that the last one was made on 8/21/04.

Looks like YOU're the moron this time..

Your post would have been fine but, you had to add that little snippet in there.. You jump on someone so quick to show everyone how smart you are before you do any kind of research on the matter.. No wonder this hobby is going to hell..

2374. Here is the smoking gun

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 06:08:56 UTC
From: Gavin@gregpalast.com
Message-ID: <8b97b3a7.55025350@mail.gregpalast.com>
Source record: 15547

The memo that has "IMPEACH HIM" written all over it.

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And if this ain't it, nothing is.

The memo uncovered this week by the TIMES, goes on to describe an elaborate plan by George Bush and British Prime Minister Tony Blair to hoodwink the lanet into supporting an attack on Iraq knowing full well the evidence for war was a phony.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 09:55:48 UTC
From: Rahul <rahul.sathe@ericsson.com>
Message-ID: <d6hnr4$5f3$1@news.al.sw.ericsson.se>
Source record: 15448

Hello,

I am looking for buying HF / VHF equipment in stockholm. can any one help in locating a Radio Dealer?

Regards /// Rahul

2376. Re: Where to buy radio in Stockholm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 10:51:34 UTC
From: Steve <hogrunner@abacker.net>
Message-ID: <428C6FB6.7EF45553@abacker.net>
Source record: 15449

Got mine at HRO.

2377. Packet radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 15:13:35 UTC
From: CDC <michaelusher@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1116515615.642758.93100@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15450

What types of data can be sent over packet radio. I just started reading about HAMs and Packet radio and am anxious to learn more. I have a few project ideas in mind and was wonder if they are fesiable. Can video be sent over packet radio? I would use 2400bps.

2378. FS: EICO 710 GRID DIP METER - LIKE NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 15:35:45 UTC
From: Tim <RespondToGroupPlease@YouUnderstand.com>
Message-ID: <ln2je.18847$J12.5857@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

EICO 710 GRID DIP METER - LIKE NEW

on eBay - 6 hours left

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5774252809&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for looking.

Tim

2379. FS yaesu ft-840 with extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 16:40:59 UTC
From: Mwin33 <Mwin33@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <Jc-dnRKbZuQ1XBHfRVn-qQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 15452

Hi i have in very good condition yaesu ft840 hf rig up forsale.
Come with original box manual mic and power cord.
I also have installed the optional fm baord and Am filter.
160-10 meters
Am Fm Cw ssb modes
Smoke free home
$375 shipped to lower 48 states.

2380. Re: Packet radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 16:45:31 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Lo3je.3113$X92.2363@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15453

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Anything you can send over the internet you can send over packet.
Don't think 2400 bps, think at least 9600.

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

2381. Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 19:01:21 UTC
From: gascoyne <gascoyne@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <5o5je.16917$he1.2002@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 15454

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2382. Re: Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 19:08:08 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <428CE418.8030406@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 15455

The VX-1 is ok, BUT the VX-2 is much better!
One thing is to get another antenna, I have several different types,
from a 3" rubber dual bander to one that is very flexible at 19".
TheVX-2 is nice that it can also recieve the AM/FM broadcast bands, and
has more than enough memory for you to store your favorite frequencies.

Bob N9LVU

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2383. Do you know or use AREPS software from NAVY ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 20:54:10 UTC
From: Thierry <->
Message-ID: <428cfcf7@news.vo.lu>
Source record: 15456

Hi,

I have to test this propagation pgm from NAVY
"Advanced Refractive Effects Prediction System - AREPS"
available for free at http://sunspot.spawar.navy.mil/

I don't know it really.

Do you know how it performs ? Or its drawback(s) or any feature I had to
check closer ?
Any review or comment is welcome to get an idea of where I put my feet ;-)

Thanks in advance

73
Thierry, ON4SKY
http://www.astrosurf.org/lombry

2384. FS:TUBES: 3X 807, 2X 572B's, TYPE 10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 21:54:02 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <_V7je.230266$cg1.143980@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15457

Have a set of three 807 -Jan/RCA, 2X AMPEREX 572B's, AND 2X ISOLANTITE
BASE TYPE 10 TUBES: see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx, heytubeguy -- switching over to yahoo.com

2385. Re: FS:TUBES: 3X 807, 2X 572B's, TYPE 10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 23:30:55 UTC
From: Steve <hogrunner@abacker.net>
Message-ID: <428D21AF.99CF10D1@abacker.net>
Source record: 15458

How much for the 572's?

tnx, steve.....

post to group.

2386. wanted Mike&cord for AZDEN PCS3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-19 23:46:50 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0505191338110.8238@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 15459

This rig uses a mike cord and female receptacle with
4 by 4 (total 16 receptacle pins) which plugs into the front
of the rig. I have no idea where or who would sell such a plug and
mike cord! Reason so many pins involved is the Mike has buttons
for "scanning" the 8 memory chnls, push to talk, mike audio out,
scan up/down, and "favorite mem chnl" also push to talk.
The receptacles in the plug have been cleaned many times with
"deoxit", and with tiny screwdriver have been burnished, but still
requires frequent attention to get it to function properly with just
push to talk. I would buy the entire rig just to get the
mike and cord!
Joe
(email is valid)

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
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2387. FA: Swan 2 days left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 00:55:29 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <5Aaje.4423$cd.3647@trnddc01>
Source record: 15460

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5774845067&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5774847271&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2388. FS: Swan 400/420 vfo National PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 01:02:17 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <tGaje.4427$cd.2645@trnddc01>
Source record: 15461

hello all,

before it goes to the auction place, i am offering for sale a Swan 400
with matching 420 vfo. also included is a National power supply.

the rig is in decent shape cosmeticly. the rig does power up but i have
not transmitted with it. receive is low. i have not gone through this rig
and have more projects than i care to deal with. no manual.

price is 150.00 PLUS shipping from 33830. if no one wants it here, i
will split it up and auction it off.

digital pictures upon request.

best 73.

--
Michael Prevatt " A clean hamshack is a sign
Bartow, Florida of a sick mind...."
Amateur Radio Callsign: KU4YP
Navy/Marine Corps Callsign: NNN0AAL

2389. Re: Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 02:13:37 UTC
From: Mohsen Orodpour <morodpour@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <u9mdnYbJQqhD2hDfRVn-oA@adelphia.com>
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Date: 2005-05-20 04:31:56 UTC
From: Rick Prather <rick.prather@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1116563516.813850.170820@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15463

That's why I hate selling rigs on here or at a fleamarket. Having to put up with insulting people that think they are bargaining.

K6LE

2391. Re: Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 07:23:29 UTC
From: Markus L <uo9oew@lnubb.pbz>
Message-ID: <_fgje.43$ae.6095@ns2.gip.net>
Source record: 15464

"gascoyne" <gascoyne@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:5o5je.16917$he1.2002@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net...
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73, Markus HB9BRJ / AE6MG

2392. Re: Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 13:21:49 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3f66jdF65cvpU1@individual.net>
Source record: 15465

Markus L wrote:
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band??? You're putting words in my mouth.

Also with the VX-2, you can purchase battery packs, and chargers for
much less than you would have to pay Yeasu.... Look on Ebay...

Bob N9LVU

2393. FS: Coaxial Cable & Connectors - high Quality, low cost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 14:55:37 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <info@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <8Tmje.3685$Qp.3424@fed1read04>
Source record: 15466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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email: info@AAARFProducts.com
web: www.aaarfproducts.com

2394. Re: Coaxial Cable & Connectors - high Quality, low cost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 17:00:26 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <KIoje.476962$A81.329144@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15467
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

AAA RF Products wrote:
> Please email info@aaarfproducts.com to request our free catalog.
> email: info@AAARFProducts.com
> web: www.aaarfproducts.com

Haven't we seen you before? Usenet is not a write-only medium, you
know.

> Welcome to usenet. We certainly enjoyed your posting and hope that
> your email address sales@aaarfproducts.com attracts some potential
> customers. I guess because you want to get email at
> sales@aaarfproducts.com ?
>
> Why don't you post your catalog on your web site? Perhaps your web
> designer dallas@hyperartdesign.com would like to have a catalog, too,
> so they can do that. Or maybe raphael@hyperartdesign.com should get a
> copy so she can put it there.
>
> In any case, thanks so much for stopping by.

2395. SWR meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 20:14:07 UTC
From: cw527@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <d6lgef$3uo$1@theodyn.ncf.ca>
Source record: 15468

Does anyone know if the Akigawa Electronic Corporation SWR meter
Model SWR.9 work on 2 meters?

Thanks.

Robert VE2AGE
cw527@ncf.ca
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2396. c 1136

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 21:43:03 UTC
From: kjell holbek <kjell_holbek@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d6llla$5mm$1@services.kq.no>
Source record: 15469

In my PA , i have a triode from English electric valve company limited. Its named C1136,

can anyone help me with data sheet on "this thing" Then I would be wery happy....

Please mail me : la3qna@antispam bluezone.no (remove antispam)

73 de la3qna

2397. Re: FCC BUST IN TEXAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-20 22:15:56 UTC
From: Old timer <Oldtimehammer@flash.net>
Message-ID: <428E619C.2991F7CC@flash.net>
Source record: 15470

Interesting enough about this subject, but if an unlicensed station is on the air its the FCC's job to remove off the air and prosecute any offenders taking part in this regardless of whos doing it, students or otherwise.

Here in Bryan last summer there was a small pirate station near the campus, but it operated for months till the washington liberals came and installed they're hitler youth group on them!

My voice is let the small radio stations alone, yes if they are violating air space or commercial interrference on the public, yes shut them down, otherwise leave be!

Tell me, what kind of name is Anton Squegge?

I think I could have gotten a little more creative than that!

Like Mr. Fillibuster or

Mr. Weiner

or Mr. Notch?

Use your mind!

Doug, KR4K.

2398. Re: Yaesu VX-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 00:51:04 UTC
From: MightyMO <morodpour@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <Z9CdnZK4Co9rGBPfRVn-tg@adelphia.com>
Source record: 15471

I was also told the battery for VX-1 is not longer available and is
different from VX-2
MO

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:3f66jdF65cvpU1@individual.net...
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2399. FA: HT-1250 ls Portable Radio - Uhf Version - Speaker-Microphone - Rapid Charger - Dtmf

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 02:36:53 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <b9xje.284$Xh.36@fed1read07>
Source record: 15472
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: HT-1250 ls Portable Radio - Uhf Version -Speaker-Microphone - Rapid Charger - Dtmf

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7516537584&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2400. IC-03AT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 04:45:06 UTC
From: Brady <k0uc@valleycomm.net>
Message-ID: <Xns965CF14473FFEk0ucvalleycommnet@24.94.170.98>
Source record: 15473

Anyone have/had an IC-03at (or 02at) that can tell me how to program the "call" channel?

73
Brady
K0UC

2401. Need Mike&plug for Azden PCS3000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 06:21:40 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0505202017390.21663@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 15474

I need a mike and coil cord with plug for my Azden (2 meter home
transceiver). The plug is a weird one 4 by 4 (thats 16 in all)
female receptacles. Some of the leads are for scanning the 8
chnl stored memory chnls, others are fo PTT, favorite chnl,
etc. I have no idea where a plug like that can be found.
Any help would be greatly appreciated.
Kokomo Joe
(email is a valid one)

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
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2402. Re: IC-03AT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 11:30:32 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <sZEje.154948$Sq.85417@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15475

Brady wrote:
> Anyone have/had an IC-03at (or 02at) that can tell me how to program
> the "call" channel?

http://www.icom.co.jp/manual/external/transceivers/IC-03AT.pdf

2403. FA: SIGNAL CORPS LIONEL J-38 MORSE CODE TELEGRAPH KEY>WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:32:42 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ZLGje.23926$NZ1.14722@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15476
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Ends Sunday Nite>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774360968&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2404. FA: 3- NOS 40/50 pc. lots of Hitachi Power Mosfet Transistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:35:14 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kOGje.23927$NZ1.6389@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15478
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

This is for all my stuff, including these Power Mosfet's>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

2405. FA: NOS>WESTERN ELECTRIC CW-701A PULSE RADAR TUBE>BIG> WWII

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:36:40 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HPGje.23928$NZ1.21225@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15477
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.insignia,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

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2406. FA: RCA WV-97A SENIOR VOLTOHMYST TUBE VTVM with PROBES:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:37:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <sQGje.23929$NZ1.17444@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15479
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361091&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2407. FA: NEW>BIRD 8201 TERMALINE COAXIAL RESISTOR>DUMMY LOAD>2500mz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:38:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <CRGje.23931$NZ1.16761@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15480
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Practically a give-away at this price($103), cost well over $500>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361272&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2408. FA: $10>HEATHKIT AK-7 MOBILE SPEAKER for RECEIVERS/TRANSCEIVERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:39:53 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ISGje.23932$NZ1.13863@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15481
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids, only one day left!>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361145&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2409. FA: $10>NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET>BIG $100 VALUE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:40:51 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BTGje.23933$NZ1.21282@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15482
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

No Bids, ends tomorrow nite!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7515750115&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2410. FA: $10>DRAKE TV-1000-LP TVI LOW-PASS FILTER>1000WATTS, BEST:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:41:42 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <oUGje.23934$NZ1.16549@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15483
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361238&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2411. FA: ANTIQUE MILVAY DECADE RESISTANCE BOX, WOOD & BAKELITE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 13:42:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mVGje.23935$NZ1.3119@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15484
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Big $10>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361293&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2412. Re: RCA WV-97A SENIOR VOLTOHMYST TUBE VTVM with PROBES:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 14:01:05 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <AaHje.1357$Xh.587@fed1read07>
Source record: 15485

No No No Cooltube -- this stuff belongs in rec.radio.swap
You spammed every place but the right one

Here we discuss equipment - not sell it
Just so you know

I have the WV-97A -- great for old eyes

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5774361091&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
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2413. AEA vsb-70 transceiver Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 18:04:02 UTC
From: Dr Dave <wvdave1st@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <mKKje.602$gl1.76@trnddc09>
Source record: 15486
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.ham-radio.atv

Looking for a copy of the owners manual and or Schematic for the AEA vsb-70 transceiver .

Downloadable PDF would be ok.

Dave

2414. Re: Packet radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 22:37:48 UTC
From: Tony VE6MVP <tony@REMOVEve6mvp.com>
Message-ID: <vpdv815pmb91b04h09i49m5kbtf3snq3kj@4ax.com>
Source record: 15487

On 19 May 2005 08:13:35 -0700, "CDC" <michaelusher@gmail.com> wrote:

>What types of data can be sent over packet radio. I just started
>reading about HAMs and Packet radio and am anxious to learn more. I
>have a few project ideas in mind and was wonder if they are fesiable.
>Can video be sent over packet radio? I would use 2400bps.

Consider that 2400 bps is 240 bytes per second. A standard jpg photo
might be 48 kb (kilobytes). (For a nice round number.) So that
would take 200 seconds to transmit.

Assuming some overhead which is why I rounded 2400 bps to 240 bytes
per second. I'm not at all familiar with packet radio but am
familiar with phone line modems. There could be lots more overhead
with packet radio which I'm not aware of.

Thus while you could send video it could take several minutes per
frame.

Tony

2415. FS Vibroplex Cw Keys

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 23:01:57 UTC
From: km5wx@cableone.net
Message-ID: <1116716517.457931.125220@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15488

I have 2 excellent condition Vibroplex keys for sale 1-Vibroplex vibrokeyer deluxe (single lever paddle) chrome base and chrome mechanism. 2-Vibroplex straight key, Black base with chrome mechanism. Both keys are in excellent condition. 100.00 each Thanks for looking km5wx@cableone.net

2416. Re: Packet radio question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-21 23:47:32 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <118vi4k5k1jqfc0@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15489

>>What types of data can be sent over packet radio. I just started
>>reading about HAMs and Packet radio and am anxious to learn more. I
>>have a few project ideas in mind and was wonder if they are fesiable.
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>Thus while you could send video it could take several minutes per
>frame.

Yup.

Or, really, it could take very much longer at 2400 bits/second,
because you're going to have to wait for a long time to find another
ham packet-radio user with a 2400-baud modem! As far as I know, there
are no real or de facto standards for 2400-baud operation on the ham
bands... any such modems are likely to be experimental one-offs.

The original standard is 1200 baud, based on the Bell 202 AFSK (audio
frequency shift keying) modem standard. There were a lot of
202-capable modems sitting around (e.g. older Hayes models) when the
hams started playing with this. A lot of packet radio is still using
these, despite their low bandwidth, as they're cheap to implement, and
can be hooked to a 2-meter radio with little more than a bit of
isolation (cheap audio transformers, or capacitors) and a PTT-keying
circuit.

9600 baud is the next common step up, using FSK (shifting the RF
carrier frequency more directly, without an audio-frequency carrier).
The modem itself can be very simple and cheap, but the hookup to the
radio is more involved - you must bypass many of the audio input and
output circuits (preemphasis and deemphasis) and feed the signal to
the modulator fairly directly. Older radios must usually be modified
to support this. Newer ones often have an auxiliary/data jack with
pinouts for both 1200 and 9600, and a switchable control via a menu.

Even higher speeds have been played with, but they tend to require
more-specialized radios, or radios with the modems/TNCs integrated
into 'em.

As to sending the data... you've got several ways of doing it. You can use the traditional AX.25 packet protocols, which are usually designed to let you log into a BBS or remote node, and then implement a file-transfer capability on top of these... that's how packet BBSes interconnect. Or, you can run TCP/IP directly on top of AX.25., and use any file transfer protocol you want (HTTP, FTP, etc. - SSH would probably violate the FCC's rules, though).

Then, there's the traditional analog slow-scan TV, and some new digital slow-scan TV methods with built-in forward error correction.

There are some interesting soundcard-based modulations such as SCAMP, which mandate a file-based transfer methodology rather different than AX.25 packet. SCAMP is designed for use on HF, but could almost certainly be transmitted over 2-meter FM or 2-meter sideband just fine.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

2417. FA: SWAN Last Day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 00:07:59 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <z3Qje.7239$cd.1190@trnddc01>
Source record: 15490

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5774845067&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5774847271&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2418. WTB: 4CX/4X Series 2 Meter Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 02:58:44 UTC
From: KC0EH <cvest@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DySje.9717$Db6.5895@okepread05>
Source record: 15491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Wanted to buy amplifier ONLY , power supply not neccessary. Consider homebrew, basket cases etc. Amplifer using 4X or 4CX series tubes. Will consider most anything within my budget.

73

...Charlie...KC0EH...KC0EH@arrl.net

2419. Ref Winlink2.9 and Packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 04:54:27 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0505211849210.16344@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 15492

Anybody out there know what param to change in the "setup" of winlink
so it will accept connections via a digiptr? Was told by one guy
that winlink2.9 cannot accept connections via digipeaters.
I question this and assume that party just dont know that winlink
supports all ax25v2 protocol cmds and capabilities, as does
AIRMAIL also. If someone knows what to change in the setup file
(params settings) let me know. I know it has a digiptr on/off toggle,
but that refers to the the particular station thats running a bbs.
If the thing is toggled on then even his stn could act as a
digiptr itself. What in winlink bars connections from other
stns via digiptrs??
Joe

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
****

2420. Re: AEA vsb-70 transceiver Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 08:09:02 UTC
From: Lee <lo012a4519@blueyonder.co.uk>
Message-ID: <y6Xje.74269$a9.51317@fe3.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 15493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,alt.ham-radio.atv

"Dr Dave" <wvdave1st @hotmail.com> wrote in message
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vsb-70
> transceiver .
>
> Downloadable PDF would be ok.
>
> Dave
>
>

uk.radio.amateur

They may help

Lee....G6ZSG.....

2421. FA: Icom IC-7100 25MHz to 2000 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 11:10:44 UTC
From: BarryGlen <NOSPAM.barryglen@optusnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <429068ba$0$5178$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 15494

<http://cgi.ebay.com.au/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5776736873>

NO GAPS

Quick Specs:
Wideband base receiver
RX: 25 MHz-2000 MHz
Modes: SSB, AM, FM, WFM

2422. Kenwood TS530S Date of Birth from Serial Number & AdviceFor Newbie HF Operator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 12:23:14 UTC
From: "K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <SQ_je.34564$Ph4.640034@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 15495

I'm looking at a used TS-450S with Serial Number 30300519 that seems in very good shape.

Can you tell me:

(1) What is the likely date of manufacture of this rig? I'm hoping to avoid an early production unit that may have some inherent weaknesses...
(2) What are likely problems that this radio has experienced over the years that I should watch out for?

Thanks 73 Kevin VE9XYZ

myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com

2423. Re: Ref Winlink2.9 and Packet radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 16:18:52 UTC
From: Panzer240 <panzer240@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns965E87721C845fw190a8@198.161.157.145>
Source record: 15496

Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net> wrote in
news:Pine.BSI.4.61.0505211849210.16344@malasada.lava.net:

> Anybody out there know what param to change in the "setup" of winlink
> so it will accept connections via a digiptr? Was told by one guy
> that winlink2.9 cannot accept connections via digipeaters.
> I question this and assume that party just dont know that winlink
> supports all ax25v2 protocol cmds and capabilities, as does
> AIRMAIL also. If someone knows what to change in the setup file
> (params settings) let me know. I know it has a digiptr on/off toggle,
> but that refers to the the particular station thats running a bbs.
> If the thing is toggled on then even his stn could act as a
> digiptr itself. What in winlink bars connections from other
> stns via digiptrs??

Joe :

Whilst I don't use Winlink a quick check of their features page at:

http://winlink.org/features.htm

Seems to indicate you may nee to look at TelPac and PacLink to make this
work.

Hope it helps a bit. :)

--
Panzer

2424. Re: IC-03AT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 17:19:05 UTC
From: Brady <k0uc@valleycomm.net>
Message-ID: <Xns965E7CF58E888k0ucvalleycommnet@24.94.170.102>
Source record: 15497

Travis:

Awesome!
...works great now. Thanks for the info.

Brady

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in news:sZEje.154948$Sq.85417
@fe05.news.easynews.com:

> Brady wrote:
>> Anyone have/had an IC-03at (or 02at) that can tell me how to program
>> the "call" channel?
>
> http://www.icom.co.jp/manual/external/transceivers/IC-03AT.pdf
>
>

2425. Re: Kenwood TS530S Date of Birth from Serial Number & AdviceFor Newbie HF Operator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 19:13:29 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2205051513290001@ac9c4c6d.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 15398

In article <SQ_je.34564$Ph4.640034@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>, "K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com> wrote:

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> good shape.

Kevin-

I've also been looking for a TS-520/530, and was hoping someone would respond to your question with a web reference to its history. It would be nice to find a 530 with the built-in DC supply, if they exist.

As far as the TS-450 is concerned, I have the TS-690, which is a TS-450 with Six Meters. I purchased the optional internal tuner with mine, as well as the TCXO high stability oscillator, the CTCSS tone generator and three additional filters. Does the one you are considering have any such options?

I forget how old it is, but it was bought soon after it came out. I have had absolutely no problems with it. I recently replaced the CMOS battery because of age, not because it had failed. My only complaints might be that use of the noise limiter seems to introduce distortion originating from strong foreign broadcast stations, and that the CTCSS tones are jumper-selected.

The TS-450/690 was replaced by the TS-570/570S several years ago, which was joined later by the TS-2000. The recent TS-480 is sort-of a cross between the TS-570 and the TS-50, but could be considered a replacement for the TS-570. If you are looking for a good used Kenwood, I'd recommend also considering the TS-570.

73, Fred, K4DII

2426. Re: IC-03AT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 19:13:33 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <vR4ke.440705$QY2.122941@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15399

Brady wrote:
> Awesome!
> ...works great now. Thanks for the info.

You are very welcome.

73's

2427. FA: Johnson Messenger Model 4140 40ch CB Radio WORKING!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-22 20:58:14 UTC
From: jimbradley@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1116795494.023868.122680@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15400

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5775924842

2428. FA:AMECO AC-1 CW XTMR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 02:05:48 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <0Uake.812167$w62.624918@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15401
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.,radio.amateur.homebrew

Have a nice, working, Ameco AC-1 transmitter at :

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5776893822&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Plus some other stuff too. Tnx for looking, heytubeguy.

2429. FA: THE ARRL ANTENNA BOOK - 18th Edition - Ham Radio Antenna Book

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 02:39:36 UTC
From: Ira <Ira@hhhaosiezz.com>
Message-ID: <220520052239362382%Ira@hhhaosiezz.com>
Source record: 15402
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4551994669

2430. FA: 6-EA MOTOROLA CT450 LS PORTABLE RADIO-PKG-EXTRAS-LQQK !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 03:13:23 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <qTbke.1700$Xh.1153@fed1read07>
Source record: 15403
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: 6-EA MOTOROLA CT450 LS PORTABLE RADIO-PKG-EXTRAS-LQQK !

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7518317149&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2431. COLLINS 62S-1 VHF Transverter FA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 04:32:21 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <p1dke.8311$cd.7785@trnddc01>
Source record: 15404

You don't see this one often:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&Item=5776923356

Thanks for looking.

2432. Help: Alinco DJ-596T won't transmit on either band.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 13:35:51 UTC
From: Pat MacKinnon <pmk2003q3@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <nZkke.7139$5u4.23870@nnrp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 15405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I bought a DJ-596T handy at Dayton that won't transmit.
(Not that it was misrepresented, both the seller and I discovered it had a problem.)

Anyway, it visually appears to work, that is to say when keyed down the red TX light and the LCD bar graph come on but there is no transmission made. This is true for both 2m and 70cm.

It receives perfectly on both bands.

I downloaded the service manual from Alinco but it's description of the TX circuit is limited at best. I'd like to take a try at fixing it before sending it off for repair. Anyone here able to suggest where I should be looking for the offending component?

Thanks for reading!
Pat, VE3PMK

2433. Re: Kenwood TS530S Date of Birth from Serial Number & AdviceFor Newbie HF Operator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 14:24:19 UTC
From: christine <chris@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <4291E751.38DBCB0E@nospam.com>
Source record: 15406

Hi,

TS-530 did not have the dc power supply option like the kenwood ts-520.

I have a great used ts-530s from ebay (trusted seller, lots of used gear)
that works just great. No problems with it at all.

As long as the radio has been used all these years just fine,
if it has been in storage, you may have to replace the filter caps (2)
for the hv ps. Digikey and mouser have them.

come on over to the kenwood forum (all welcome)

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TS-520_820_530_830/

73

Fred McKenzie wrote:

> In article <SQ_je.34564$Ph4.640034@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>, "K. Hastings"
> <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com> wrote:
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> was joined later by the TS-2000. The recent TS-480 is sort-of a cross
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> also considering the TS-570.
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2434. Kenwood TS-450S S/N Query (Sorry guys, misspelled it in the original post)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 14:49:37 UTC
From: "K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <54mke.35082$Ph4.666200@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 15407

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Thanks 73 Kevin VE9XYZ

myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com

PS (I asked this question over the weekend and misspelled TS-450S - sorry about that; It's the TS-450S that I'm asking about)

2435. <<WANTED>> Motorola console for car or truck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 16:36:37 UTC
From: WØCBF <w0cbf@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1116866197.782405.304980@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15408

I posted this message several months ago and had several direct answers stating they knew what they were and that some of the responders had some for sale. I did find one locally but now I am looking for another one.

Here is original message: Back in the mid 70's Motorola made a console that would fit between the driver and passenger seat. It was made of a black plastic and the main use was to mount a rig on the front causing the face of the rig to face the top of the car at a slight angle for easy viewing and the rear of the rig would fit over the seat. It also contained a place for an internal speaker and a center console area that would open for storage or could be used for writing if closed.

Does anyone remember these consoles (or have I lost my mind!!!).
If so does anyone know I could find one to purchase (used but in good condition) OK?

I tried eBay already and have never seen them listed.

Thanks
Chuck
WØCBF

2436. Re: IC-03AT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 17:39:50 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <42921566.5000101@cableone.net>
Source record: 15409

Travis Jordan wrote:

>Brady wrote:
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>>Awesome!
>>...works great now. Thanks for the info.
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>You are very welcome.
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>73's
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Bradley, Can you do magic to 02-ATs? The one I bought wrat here on
r.r.a.e don'e work. I t operates simplex only. Can't set the + or- 600
(or anything else) If you have majic please pass it to me.

Butch KF5DE

2437. FS: 2m Radius mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 18:23:28 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d6t76l$1upi$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15410
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Photos and paypal link:

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com

2438. Wanted meter for Hallicrafters HT-32B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 19:05:08 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <vPpke.13486$DC2.6724@okepread01>
Source record: 15411

I have a beautiful Hallicrafters HT-32B Transmitter that needs a Front Panel Meter and preferable the hardware to mont it. Anyone have one?
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2439. Bearcat BC-350 Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 20:17:11 UTC
From: Algor <silvio952000@viaquestoyahoo.it>
Message-ID: <42923a44$0$15910$5fc30a8@news.tiscali.it>
Source record: 15412

Hello I am searching for Electra Bearcat BC-350 schematics ti fix it
Anyone can help me please?
me?
Thanks a lot from IZ6DRI

silvio2050 @ yahoo.it

2440. Re: Kenwood TS-450S S/N Query (Sorry guys, misspelled it in the original post)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-23 21:59:34 UTC
From: "helmsman@mindspring.com" <helmsman@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <iek491p7r4hagt7t4a0tim4cvs1l5phmdu@4ax.com>
Source record: 15413

"K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com> wrote:

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>PS (I asked this question over the weekend and misspelled TS-450S - sorry
>about that; It's the TS-450S that I'm asking about)
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>
I love mine and have had it a long time, only problem was I had to
have the numeric keypad replaced. Push those keys and make sure they
work right.

2441. FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS P1225 UHF PORTABLE RADIO-PARTS-NO RESERVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 01:45:25 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <XGvke.3452$Xh.1418@fed1read07>
Source record: 15414
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS P1225 UHF PORTABLE RADIO-PARTS-NO RESERVE

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7518470174&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2442. FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS MAXTRAC 300 MOBILE UHF-450-470-DTMF MIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 01:46:28 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <_Ivke.3453$Xh.2801@fed1read07>
Source record: 15416
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS MAXTRAC 300 MOBILE UHF-450-470-DTMF MIC

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7518452653&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2443. FA:PAIR-MOTOROLA MTX8000 PORTABLE RADIOS & RAPID CHARGERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 01:47:36 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <_Ivke.3454$Xh.3292@fed1read07>
Source record: 15415
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:PAIR-MOTOROLA MTX8000 PORTABLE RADIOS & RAPID CHARGERS

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7518456709&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2444. Re: Help: Alinco DJ-596T won't transmit on either band. EJ-43U !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 03:31:47 UTC
From: Pat MacKinnon <pmk2003q3@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <1dxke.7293$5u4.23944@nnrp1.uunet.ca>
Source record: 15417
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I traced the fault to the EJ-43U board. The rig works perfectly with it removed.

I know it's only needed for digital mode, but it might be nice to try it out. Anyone ever see an EJ-43U board for sale lately?

Thanks again for reading!
Pat

Pat MacKinnon wrote:
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> (Not that it was misrepresented, both the seller and I discovered it had
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> Thanks for reading!
> Pat, VE3PMK
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2445. Help build a new HAM Donate a Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 08:37:21 UTC
From: KD5NSK <KD5NSK@satx.rr.com>
Message-ID: <5JBke.122466$h6.29623@tornado.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 15418

I will accept radios and parts as donations to schools and childrens organizations to help bring a new set of radio operators to the field, and learn the wonders of electronics and radio waves.

Email KD5NSK@satx.rr.com if you would like to donate any of your old amatur radio gear.

2446. Re: Kenwood TS-450S S/N Query (Sorry guys, misspelled it in the original post)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 11:53:25 UTC
From: Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net>
Message-ID: <7b80d$429315b3$d844cadf$1840@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 15419

I've had 2 since 1992, both manufactured around the same time. The one I have now is S/N 30900515. So I assume the one you are looking at is a bit older. I did just buy a TS-2000 at Dayton to replace it, a difficult decision. Both 450's have been rock solid and problem free. The only thing to worry about, and it's not a major issue, is the battery backup. Life expectancy is probably around 10-15 years (my second radio's lasted 12 years) and regardless of what people say, it's no easy task for the average 'Joe' to replace it. Certainly with the right tools, steady hands and good eyes, you can do it.
It may be an older radio, but I think it's one of the better ones.

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2447. FA: UNBUILT HEATHKIT EK-1 VOLT-OHM-METER, PARTIAL KIT PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 13:53:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <3lGke.675$So7.125@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15420
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Big $10:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48701&item=5776258266&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2448. FA: $10>THREE J.H. BUNNELL type 2.5 RELAYS EASY RESTORE MORSE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 13:54:01 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XIGke.676$So7.626@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15421
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=130&item=6534064488&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2449. FA: RELM MINI-COM PTU46B 4watt UHF WALKY-TALKIE COMPLETE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 13:54:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <KmGke.677$So7.267@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15423
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=46539&item=7517681738&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2450. FA Big$10>RARE LAFAYETTE HE-35 AM 6-MTR TUBE TRANSCEIVER W/MIKE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 13:55:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BnGke.678$So7.124@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15422
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

WORKING too!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4674&item=5776258328&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2451. FA: FORTY(40) NOS HITACHI K176 POWER MOSFET TRANSISTOR T-03

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 13:56:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <CoGke.679$So7.59@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15424
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.highend,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Big $16>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4666&item=7517681753&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2452. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 13:57:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <gpGke.680$So7.285@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15425
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5776258373&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2453. FA: BEAUTIFUL HEATHKIT IB-2A RLC IMPEDANCE BRIDGE Nicest:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 13:58:15 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <VpGke.681$So7.585@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15426
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5776258383&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2454. FA: BRAND-NEW USA MADE RACK-HANDLES & CERAMIC SWITCHES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 14:01:09 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <DsGke.682$So7.630@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15427
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids on either yet!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=73167&item=7517681793&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=36338&item=7517681800&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2455. FA: $10>"TONS" (4lbs++) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS 4-Builders!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 14:02:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vtGke.683$So7.659@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15428
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4664&item=7517681811&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2456. Motorola announces low-voltage BPL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 14:04:32 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <QvGke.14932$zd5.2700@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 15429

http://www.hamwave.com/cgi-bin/index.cgi?action=viewnews&id=732

2457. FS: Various rigs & equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 15:35:52 UTC
From: SFAmElectronics@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1116948952.753953.172590@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15430

Home based swap/repair shop price list:

IC-706 (original): Great condition outside and in, includes all oroginal "out-of-box" accesories. Asking $300

TS-440SAT: Great cond. 8 out of a perfect 10. HF 160-10 100W Includes manual, mic, pwr cord, built-in tuner. Asking $375

IC-29A HT: Has been used before, but is currently in box like new with all factory acc. Asking $235

Yaesu 757GX, GOOD COND. 7/10, MANUAL, hand mic, Asking $325

Kenwood TM-271A: 2m 60w, great rig for beginners, comes with manual, hand mic, and box. Asking $135

FT-7800R: 2M/440 50w, 40w on 440. Barely used with all accesories in box. Asking $180

Thanks, and email for info on repairs or for a quote. Also, keep in contact to see what new equipment comes through.
SFAmElectonics@yahoo.com

2458. FM 88-108 mhz AMP 300 Watts from broadcastwarehouse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 16:49:39 UTC
From: henryshb@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1116953379.821955.69900@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15431

We sell fm 88-108 MHz for cheapest price, please visit www.blinksat.com

2459. Replacement bulb for Icom 751a meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 17:35:38 UTC
From: JusLookin <prattle@brazenfish.com>
Message-ID: <kcp691965onc4h1e20r327e9a6dd46csd2@4ax.com>
Source record: 15432

Anyone know if this bulb can be cross-referenced to something more
common, or am I going ot have to buy one from Icom? Mike AB7RU
To reply via email remove spamnot

2460. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 18:02:01 UTC
From: OFFICIAL RAM BLUEBOOK VALUATION <nowhere@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <BEB9A939.288A9%nowhere@fe02.buzzardnews.com>
Source record: 15433
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

In article 3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net, "PTRAVEL"
<ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it & its
> exactly like the spec sheet."
>
> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?

It's a counterfeit.

Probably sourced from known counterfeiters SOUND EMPORIUM, known scammers.

RIPOFF ALERT!

2461. Re: Replacement bulb for Icom 751a meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 18:41:52 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnd96tbg.134k.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 15434

On Tue, 24 May 2005 10:35:38 -0700, JusLookin wrote:
> Anyone know if this bulb can be cross-referenced to something more
> common, or am I going ot have to buy one from Icom? Mike AB7RU

Why not drop in an LED (with a suitable dropping resistor)?
I've done that with several older era rigs with good success.
And, in battery operation, your current draw drops.
If you get too much of a "spot effect" in back lighting, roughen
up the front of the lens a wee bit with emery paper.

73
Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

2462. Re: Kenwood TS-450S S/N Query (Sorry guys, misspelled it in the original post)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-24 21:43:02 UTC
From: "helmsman@mindspring.com" <helmsman@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <7q7791l5clc64p175l1rbu2ml08btdp4j2@4ax.com>
Source record: 15435

"helmsman@mindspring.com" <helmsman@mindspring.com> wrote:

>"K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
>>I'm looking at a used TS-450S with Serial Number 30300519 that seems in very
>>good shape.
>>
>>Can you tell me:
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>>(1) What is the likely date of manufacture of this rig? I'm hoping to avoid
>>an early production unit that may have some inherent weaknesses...
>>(2) What are likely problems that this radio has experienced over the years
>>that I should watch out for?
>>
>>Thanks 73 Kevin VE9XYZ
>>
>>myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com
>>
>>PS (I asked this question over the weekend and misspelled TS-450S - sorry
>>about that; It's the TS-450S that I'm asking about)
>>
>>
>I love mine and have had it a long time, only problem was I had to
>have the numeric keypad replaced. Push those keys and make sure they
>work right.

Might want to turn the M.CH/VFO CH knob also, forgot I had to replace
that also.

2463. re: FA:RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 01:39:45 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <BHQke.3710$Xh.1933@fed1read07>
Source record: 15436
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

looks like someone ran afoul of ebay. nice rig, but marketed wrong.

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Regards,

eBay Trust & Safety
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DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence has its limits.

2464. Re: FA:RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 01:43:03 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050524214303.906$zH_-_@newsreader.com>
Source record: 15437

N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1> wrote:
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> Regards,
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>
Sorry you missed out on a sale, N7ZZT - Eric Oyen. Thanx for sharing.

2465. Re: FA:RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 02:02:18 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <J0Rke.3715$Xh.62@fed1read07>
Source record: 15438

Steveo wrote:

> Sorry you missed out on a sale, N7ZZT - Eric Oyen. Thanx for sharing.
it wouldn't have been hard to re-convert it back to 10 only and use it where
designed.

ah well. guess you can't have everything.

--
DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
has its limits.

2466. Motorola radios FT, Spectra, P1225, Saber II, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 05:03:31 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <DGTke.2396$GN3.1400@trnddc04>
Source record: 15439
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hey all,

Still have some stuff left over.... looking to trade.

VHF Saber II [ready to convert to S-III w/case], rap-chrgr, batt.

VHF P1225, 16ch. DISPLAY, DTMF, etc. charger, batt.

UHF GP350, 16ch., GP300 accy adapter, chrgr, batt.

Maratrac drawer unit only, 46-50Mhz? [T81XTA7TA7BK], good condition with 'siren mount holes'. No tray.

VHF Spectra, 110w, HHCH, drawer, cables, siren and siren cable.

800mhz STX radios, 3ea. good, bad, ugly, but working.

Will consider trades on anything of value. [anything fun or dangerous, that is...]

Don't need LED's, lights, sirens, fire gear, old radios, rare/collector's items or similar.

Considering
hiking/camping/GPS stuff
bass guitar related
touring motorcycle gear/related
Guns
small enclosed/larger open trailer, etc
Golf carts, tractors, dirt bikes or whatever,
I'll meet ya somewhere within a state or two of WV if need be.
Digital photos available for the serious.
thanks!
Randy

2467. Re: FA:RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 09:43:05 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <IMXke.48509$HJ2.4150@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15440

yea, you can't say it goes fron 26 - 29,999.
Some crybaby who sees that will rat you out to ebay.
Oh ebay, this guy is selling a bad and nasty radio that
will work on CB. Please remove this bad persons auction
so the world will be safe again.
jezzzzzzzzz

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2468. Re: FA:RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 09:44:05 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <hNXke.48510$HJ2.20153@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15441

yea, you can't say it goes fron 26 - 29,999.
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2469. Re: FA:RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 09:45:03 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <bOXke.48511$HJ2.9617@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15442

yea, you can't say it goes fron 26 - 29,999.
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Oh ebay, this guy is selling a bad and nasty radio that
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2470. Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 12:50:41 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <u2t8915t908v8jpmqehqrdeb7ong89tjs0@4ax.com>
Source record: 15443

Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?

bob
k5qwg

2471. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 13:10:56 UTC
From: "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <AP_ke.7253$ls4.5537@attbi_s21>
Source record: 15444

> Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
>
> bob
> k5qwg
>

No, but the $25 entrance fee was new to me, as was the $10 shuttle ride. Haven't been there in a few years, but I asked the management to kiss me goodbye this time, since I don't intend to get raped twice. Would estimate that attendance is down 30-40 percent from Dayton's hey day. Still the biggest, but plenty of room both indoors and outdoors. If the League hadn't taken an entire wing of the inside, there would have been an echo in there. Another year or so of this and Shelby will be the king of the hill and Dayton will be a memory.

W4ZCB

2472. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 14:12:04 UTC
From: Rick Scott <rickn7hj@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <lLKdnVJv49IpGgnfRVn-pA@comcast.com>
Source record: 15445

Harold E. Johnson wrote:
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> Dayton will be a memory.
>
> W4ZCB

Never been to Dayton during the ham fest (was there Oct couple years ago
for another convention) and I would have liked to see it in its heyday,
but alas it sounds depressing now.

I used to attend the HOSS TRADERS hamfest in New Hampshire years ago
when I was stationed in Maine. It was HUGE and covered almost all of the
facility they rented (some kind of Fairgrounds).

Alas here in Washington State Ive yet to find one even close to either
of these

Scotty N7HJ

2473. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 16:58:40 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <Q12le.28240$CR5.23153@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15446

Here Here.... a few years ago I waved my hiney bye bye to Dayton.
With the $100 or so I would have spent for tickets food parking drinks and
other items
long before making any purchases. I have bought many items radios test
equipment etc from ebay
and other sites.
The last time I was there they even charged the handicap $8 to park. And it
wasn't even close to the
doors.

Anyhow I still wave it around that weekend so they can blow it a kiss when
they run out of visitors.

DE WB9SMX 73
bye bye yall

"Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com> wrote in message
news:AP_ke.7253$Is4.5537@attbi_s21...
>
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>

2474. Re: Replacement bulb for Icom 751a meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 18:24:23 UTC
From: Joe McElvenney <ximac@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <VA.0000010e.001337ec@btinternet.com>
Source record: 15447

Hi,

In my IC-740 I used a small 6V wire-ended lamp (plus resistor)
supplied by a model store presumably meant for use in railway
signals and the like.

73 de Joe, G3LLV

2475. Re: Replacement bulb for Icom 751a meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 18:34:26 UTC
From: Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net>
Message-ID: <5834$4294c531$d844d2e9$21595@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 15298

Can be found at:

http://www.kenwoodparts.com/parts/search.php

part number: B30-0845-05

OR, as an alternative fix do this mod:

http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=2928

Jim

"Joe McElvenney" <ximac@btinternet.com> wrote in message
news:VA.0000010e.001337ec@btinternet.com...
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> supplied by a model store presumably meant for use in railway
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2476. Re: Kenwood TS-450S S/N Query (Sorry guys, misspelled it in the original post)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 20:14:56 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <4294DCC0.1060707@cableone.net>
Source record: 15299

helmsman@mindspring.com wrote:

>"K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com> wrote:
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>
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>I love mine and have had it a long time, only problem was I had to
>have the numeric keypad replaced. Push those keys and make sure they
>work right.
>
>
Hummmm.....! Well mine is 70900079 and it are a super
little rig, however, I would never use mine as a mobile rig except in an
emergency situation. I'm trying to find out when I got mine. It was
used, but it was in "as new" condition. I have never heard anything BAD
about the 450 except from the few duds that allways seem to have owned
every rig made since Marconi built his, or had his built.
Butch Magee KF5DE

2477. Turner Desk Mike Disassembly...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 21:34:44 UTC
From: "K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Ub6le.36638$Ph4.735640@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 15301

I've got 2 Turner mikes that I'd like to clean up.... a +3 Sidekick, and a near identical one without the preamp (manufactured by Telex).

I cannot figure out how to dissemble the mic element part (the part that sits at the top of the mike stand). Is there a trick?

73

Kevin VE9XYZ

2478. Re: Kenwood TS-450S S/N Query (Sorry guys, misspelled it in the original post)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 21:35:48 UTC
From: "helmsman@mindspring.com" <helmsman@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <r8r991lghegt6o0geg9u5ocmce0ekrj3lh@4ax.com>
Source record: 15300

Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net> wrote:

>helmsman@mindspring.com wrote:
>
>>"K. Hastings" <myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com> wrote:
>>
>>
>>
>>>I'm looking at a used TS-450S with Serial Number 30300519 that seems in very
>>>good shape.
>>>
>>>Can you tell me:
>>>
>>>(1) What is the likely date of manufacture of this rig? I'm hoping to avoid
>>>an early production unit that may have some inherent weaknesses...
>>>(2) What are likely problems that this radio has experienced over the years
>>>that I should watch out for?
>>>
>>>Thanks 73 Kevin VE9XYZ
>>>
>>>myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com
>>>
>>>PS (I asked this question over the weekend and misspelled TS-450S - sorry
>>>about that; It's the TS-450S that I'm asking about)
>>>
>>>
>>>
>>>
>>I love mine and have had it a long time, only problem was I had to
>>have the numeric keypad replaced. Push those keys and make sure they
>>work right.
>>
>>
>Hummmm.....! Well mine is 70900079 and it are a super
>little rig, however, I would never use mine as a mobile rig except in an
>emergency situation. I'm trying to find out when I got mine. It was
>used, but it was in "as new" condition. I have never heard anything BAD
>about the 450 except from the few duds that allways seem to have owned
>every rig made since Marconi built his, or had his built.
>Butch Magee KF5DE

Mine was new in the box. Can't remember when I got it.
Nothing lasts forever and I like my machine, but over time things will

wear out.
SN# 40700674

2479. Re: Where to buy radio in Stockholm?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 21:40:50 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <Ch6le.523742$QY2.393032@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15302

Rahul wrote:
> I am looking for buying HF / VHF equipment in stockholm. can any one
> help in locating a Radio Dealer?

Try http://www.sra.se/ - someone there should be able to help you.

2480. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 23:04:14 UTC
From: K9VUJ <k9vuj@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <k9vuj-BDD6D4.18041425052005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15303

In article <AP_ke.7253$Is4.5537@attbi_s21>,
"Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com> wrote:

> > Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
> >
> > bob
> > k5qwg
> >
> No, but the $25 entrance fee was new to me, as was the $10 shuttle ride.
> Haven't been there in a few years, but I asked the management to kiss me
> goodbye this time, since I don't intend to get raped twice. Would estimate
> that attendance is down 30-40 percent from Dayton's hey day. Still the
> biggest, but plenty of room both indoors and outdoors. If the League hadn't
> taken an entire wing of the inside, there would have been an echo in there.
> Another year or so of this and Shelby will be the king of the hill and
> Dayton will be a memory.
>
> W4ZCB

What's the Shelby?

I've never been to Dayton, but your report don't sound like it's
something on my schedule. Where and when is Shelby?

dj

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email: K9VUJ@arrl.net

2481. RE: Hoka Code decoder 300-32 V3.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 23:49:25 UTC
From: Tony <yahton12@yahoo.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Xns966285B638Dyahton12yahoocouk@195.8.68.209>
Source record: 15305

Hi,
checkout ebay for big big savings!!!

2482. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-25 23:50:07 UTC
From: "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <Pa8le.6708$g66.1828@attbi_s71>
Source record: 15304

> What's the Shelby?
>
> I've never been to Dayton, but your report don't sound like it's
> something on my schedule. Where and when is Shelby?
>
> dj
>
> 30 miles west of Charlotte NC, Labor day weekend.

W4ZCB

2483. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 00:06:36 UTC
From: K9VUJ <k9vuj@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <k9vuj-CC72CB.19063725052005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15306

In article <Pa8le.6708$g66.1828@attbi_s71>,
"Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com> wrote:

> > What's the Shelby?
> >
> > I've never been to Dayton, but your report don't sound like it's
> > something on my schedule. Where and when is Shelby?
> >
> > dj
> >
> > 30 miles west of Charlotte NC, Labor day weekend.
>
> W4ZCB

sounds like a place I'd like to be on Labor day.

--
email: K9VUJ@arrl.net

2484. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 00:23:03 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <HF8le.7809$M36.7116@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15307

>
> What's the Shelby?
>
> I've never been to Dayton, but your report don't sound like it's
> something on my schedule. Where and when is Shelby?
>
http://www.shelbyhamfest.org/hamfest.htm

2485. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 02:56:48 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1117076208.269335.205600@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15308
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

Get a Life, It was the Genuine article.
The Buyer was a sound engineer at a studio.
No Complaints from him:-)
I am sure if it was a phony, he was have been screamin'

2486. Re: IC-03AT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 04:16:41 UTC
From: Brady <k0uc@valleycomm.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9661ECCC2BFC9k0ucvalleycommnet@24.94.170.102>
Source record: 15309
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

Don't know too much about the Icoms at all...must admit I'm a Yaesu guy.

Do you have the manual on paper or on the computer?
Do those instructions work or does there seem to be something wrong with
the radio....

> Bradley, Can you do magic to 02-ATs? The one I bought wrat here
> on r.r.a.e don'e work. I t operates simplex only. Can't
> set the + or- 600 (or anything else) If you have majic please
> pass it to me.

> Butch KF5DE

2487. FT/FS Misc TX/RX Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 06:32:44 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <obra9198f2rm5cqfg735njb9oaooarkv4t@4ax.com>
Source record: 15310

Comet and Diamond both MINT hardly used condition used for RX only.

COMET UHV4 QUAD BAND (with MFJ tri-mag mount)
DIAMOND VH-7A (with DIAMOND fold over mount)
DIAMOND SG-7900 (no mount)
A/S Moni 52 Scanner antennas (UN-OPENED NOS)(2)
A/S Mini 52 Scanner antenna (unused with mag mount)
A/S Moni 33 Scanner antenna (unused with mag mount)
RADIO SHACK 2 meter/70cm wideband RX with custom slipover mag mount
RADIO SHACK 2 meter/70cm wideband RX (unused)
SKYSCAN Desktop Discone (excellent condition)
MFJ 1621 Portable Antenna (excellent condition)(used indoors only)

Looking for 10 meter,scanner,computer stuff,etc. In Trade or MAKE
OFFER(s)

_____
ScanDaBands

2488. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 08:11:36 UTC
From: K9VUJ <k9vuj@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <k9vuj-FC0120.03113526052005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15311

In article <HF8le.7809$M36.7116@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>,
"Ralph Mowery" <rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote:

> >
> > What's the Shelby?
> >
> > I've never been to Dayton, but your report don't sound like it's
> > something on my schedule. Where and when is Shelby?
> >
> http://www.shelbyhamfest.org/hamfest.htm

You have some great rules, this is one I really like:

"One thing we don't allow at the Shelby Hamfest is long winded speeches."

Sounds like a fun place to be on Labor day weekend.

dale

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email: K9VUJ@arrl.net

2489. Re: FA:RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 10:54:26 UTC
From: radiofun <radiofun@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <CVhle.9364$g66.3515@attbi_s71>
Source record: 15312

Yep....there are MANY out there that have no life, and it makes them feel
better to rat someone out.

"Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:lMXke.48509$HJ2.4150@fe11.lga...
> yea, you can't say it goes fron 26 - 29,999.
> Some crybaby who sees that will rat you out to ebay.
> Oh ebay, this guy is selling a bad and nasty radio that
> will work on CB. Please remove this bad persons auction
> so the world will be safe again.
> jezzzzzzzzz
>
>
> N7ZZT - Eric Oyen wrote:
>
> >looks like someone ran afoul of ebay. nice rig, but marketed wrong.
> >
> >******** the following item(s) have been removed *********
> >
> >Please be aware that the following listing:
> >
> >Item Number - 5777071588
> >Item Title - RCI 2950 & D104 HAND HELD & TripLite 7 amp PS
> >
> >has been removed by eBay for violating of one or more of our policies.
Any
> >offers or bids placed on this listing are now null and void. We advise
you
> >not to finalize this transaction with the seller. As stated in the eBay
> >User Agreement, neither seller nor buyer should engage in transactions
that
> >violate the law or eBay policy.
> >
> >Please review eBay's Prohibited and Restricted Items guidelines and User
> >Agreement at the following locations:
> >
> > http://pages.ebay.com/help/sell/item_allowed.html
> > http://pages.ebay.com/help/policies/user-agreement.html
> >
> >We thank you in advance for your cooperation.
> >
> >Regards,
> >
> >eBay Trust & Safety

> >**********
> >
> >

2490. Re: Turner Desk Mike Disassembly...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 12:24:28 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <0ejle.1$M91.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15313

Been there, done that...

On Plus Three and Sidekick desk mics, you have to pry the
little Turner emblem off the rear of the mic head to expose
the Phillips screw that holds the mic element assembly into
place. There's another Phillips screw inside the head that
holds the head onto the neck. You'll see it once the mic
element assembly is out of the way.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <Ub6le.36638$Ph4.735640@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>,
myfamilydotcom@hotmail.com says...
>
>I've got 2 Turner mikes that I'd like to clean up.... a +3 Sidekick, a
>nd a
>near identical one without the preamp (manufactured by Telex).
>
>I cannot figure out how to dissemble the mic element part (the part that
>sits at the top of the mike stand). Is there a trick?
>
>73
>
>Kevin VE9XYZ
>
>
>

2491. RE: Hoka Code decoder 300-32 V3.0

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 15:36:19 UTC
From: Panzer240 <panzer240@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns9662803A35EF0fw190a8@198.161.157.145>
Source record: 15314

Tony <yahton12@yahoo.co.uk> wrote in news:Xns966285B638Dyahton12yahoocouk@
195.8.68.209:

> Hi,
> checkout ebay for big big savings!!!
>

Must be losing it, could not find it :)

--
Panzer

2492. WTB: collins 32V-2 Or 32V-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 15:47:11 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qrrb915cams0sd36ekn96eavv0lnelp1a0@4ax.com>
Source record: 15315

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WTB: collins 32V-2 Or 32V-3
Please leave condition and price.
ritchi50@optonline.net
973-857-1195 NJ
Will pay for shipping
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2493. F S SPECTRACOM 8182 WWVB CLOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 19:19:13 UTC
From: Dennis <spam@tds.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9662878C139FFbrowneyetdsnet@216.170.153.136>
Source record: 15316

LOOKS & RUNS GREAT!

ASKING $300.00 OR BO.

DENNIS

2494. Re: IC-03AT question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-26 22:01:46 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <119chqgfkme1t7e@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15317
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

No such good luck here Brady, the rig came to my door broke, I
downloaded the Service Manual and re-set the cpu, or what ever gets
re-set when you push the little button on the inside of the rig. I have
been a fortunate man when it comes to selling and trading on the
usegroups, but a lousey record when it comes to buying on it.
I've been told before that "it happens", and sure enough "it do"!

Butch KF5DE

Brady wrote:

>Don't know too much about the Icoms at all...must admit I'm a Yaesu guy.
>
>Do you have the manual on paper or on the computer?
>Do those instructions work or does there seem to be something wrong with
>the radio....
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>
>
>>Bradley, Can you do magic to 02-ATs? The one I bought wrat here
>>on r.r.a.e don'e work. I t operates simplex only. Can't
>>set the + or- 600 (or anything else) If you have majic please
>>pass it to me.

>>Butch KF5DE

>>
>>

2495. Manual needed AN/GRR-24. It's a TM 11-5820-805-24P THANKS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 03:38:08 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <ACwle.74821$IO.58424@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 15318

*Looking for a pdf or hardcopy of the manual for an AN/GRR-24 The manual
is an:

TM* 11-5820-805-24P

Thanks

--
Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

2496. Re: Manual needed AN/GRR-24. It's a TM 11-5820-805-24P THANKS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 03:54:15 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <429699E7.7080809@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 15319

Try this link;
http://www.tpub.com/content/amplifiers/TM-11-5820-805-24P/

Google is your friend!!!!

Bob N9LVU

THE-RFI-EMI-GUY wrote:
> *Looking for a pdf or hardcopy of the manual for an AN/GRR-24 The manual
> is an:
>
> TM* 11-5820-805-24P
>
> Thanks
>

2497. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 05:08:06 UTC
From: N9NWO <n.9.nwo@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <d769vmdru1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 15320

"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
news:u2t8915t908v8jpmqehqrdeb7ong89tjs0@4ax.com...
> Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
>
> bob
> k5qwg
>
>

ICOM announced the replacement for the IC-706, the IC-7000.

For one thing, it has 500 memory channels.

2498. Lil help for my Yaesu 757 GX II please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 06:21:35 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <NUyle.33383$CR5.13356@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15321

Does anyone have a hint on what might be binding up my Yaesu 757 GX II freq
dial.
It worked for a while from ebay purchase and then stiffened up and would not
turn to
change frequencies. The mic' buttons work ok to change frequencies, but
I am not familiar with the mechanics of the dial. I had taken the front
panel apart once
and saw no problems... put it back together and it worked ..... a while.
Any helps appreciated. email at my call arrr.net or post reply retired
and read lots of newy groups
Thanks 73 WB9SMX

2499. Re: Lil help for my Yaesu 757 GX II please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 06:26:54 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <NZyle.33384$CR5.915@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15322

"Mr Fed UP" <mrfedup@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:NUyle.33383$CR5.13356@bignews1.bellsouth.net...
> Does anyone have a hint on what might be binding up my Yaesu 757 GX II
> freq dial.
> It worked for a while from ebay purchase and then stiffened up and would
> not turn to
> change frequencies. The mic' buttons work ok to change frequencies, but
> I am not familiar with the mechanics of the dial. I had taken the front
> panel apart once
> and saw no problems... put it back together and it worked ..... a while.
> Any helps appreciated. email at my call arrr.net or post reply retired
> and read lots of newy groups
> Thanks 73 WB9SMX
>OOPS ARRL.NET sry

2500. Re: Lil help for my Yaesu 757 GX II please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 08:09:25 UTC
From: "Odd Erling N. Eriksen" <odderi@pvv.org>
Message-ID: <d76kjlfef1@orkan.itea.ntnu.no>
Source record: 15323

Mr Fed UP wrote:
> Does anyone have a hint on what might be binding up my Yaesu 757 GX II freq
> dial.

-No idea; but, you can find both the manual and the technical supplement
to it at the following URL:

http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=yaesu

A qualified guess - on my club's Omni VI, you adjust thumbwheel friction
by rotating the dial itself while keeping the plastic ring surrounding it
stationary. This may over some time cause the dial to either spin very
loosely or not at all, depending on whether you prefer to tune up or down
the bands. ;)

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73 de LB1LF

Odd Erling, ARK

How do crazy people go through the forest? They take the psycho path.

2501. Re: WTB: collins 32V-2 Or 32V-3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 10:44:32 UTC
From: Nickey <nrodgers@cetron.net>
Message-ID: <4296FA10.E379C5CC@cetron.net>
Source record: 15324

Ebay has one!

2502. Re: Lil help for my Yaesu 757 GX II please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 12:08:53 UTC
From: chazzwood@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <533e91tqkkjd40hg17remgv27541kicri7@4ax.com>
Source record: 15325

I use to own a ft757. I think you will find that the brass bushing has
frozen on the tuning shaft. You can take the tuning dial out (somewhat
difficult) and carefuly unfreeze(wd40 etc) then relub. Been there,
done that. Also Yaesu will sell you a new dial if you donot want to
"renew".
Charlie wa5kyv
On Fri, 27 May 2005 01:21:35 -0500, "Mr Fed UP"
<mrfedup@bellsouth.net> wrote:

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>dial.
>It worked for a while from ebay purchase and then stiffened up and would not
>turn to
>change frequencies. The mic' buttons work ok to change frequencies, but
>I am not familiar with the mechanics of the dial. I had taken the front
>panel apart once
>and saw no problems... put it back together and it worked ..... a while.
>Any helps appreciated. email at my call arrr.net or post reply retired
>and read lots of newy groups
>Thanks 73 WB9SMX
>

2503. WTB: Processing

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 12:28:54 UTC
From: Ken <gold@nucleus.com>
Message-ID: <42972070.1010607@nucleus.com>
Source record: 15326

If anyone has any older processing they would like to sell, please drop
me a line, I'll pay cash for clean units from Gates,Universal
Audio,Orban,etc.
Compressor limiters are of interest
Thanks
Ken Gold
403-239-4956

2504. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 12:29:00 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <oh4e91dml90u2st59s91ogs7rmm9nm3lqo@4ax.com>
Source record: 15327

On Fri, 27 May 2005 00:08:06 -0500, "N9NWO" <n.9.nwo@amsat.org> wrote:

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>"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
>news:u2t8915t908v8jpmqehqrdeb7ong89tjs0@4ax.com...
>> Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
>>
>> bob
>> k5qwg
>>
>>
>
>ICOM announced the replacement for the IC-706, the IC-7000.
>
>For one thing, it has 500 memory channels.
>
>
That's actually the news I was kinda fishing around for. I guess the
706 has been around for, how long, 10-12 years?

Been waiting for the new one to come out.

bob
k5qwg

2505. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 13:23:25 UTC
From: "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <hbFle.14569$g66.420@attbi_s71>
Source record: 15328

> >ICOM announced the replacement for the IC-706, the IC-7000.
> >
> >For one thing, it has 500 memory channels.
> >
> >
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> 706 has been around for, how long, 10-12 years?
>
> Been waiting for the new one to come out.
>
> bob
> k5qwg
>
VERY functional. Allows one to keep a piece of paper handy to remember the assignments of 500 frequencies. I'd trade every one of them for another 20 dB of TX phase noise reduction.

W4ZCB
>
>

2506. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 14:38:39 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <86ce91ll0isrbigls9r21v6o94144dp8ha@4ax.com>
Source record: 15329

On Fri, 27 May 2005 00:08:06 -0500, "N9NWO" <n.9.nwo@amsat.org> wrote:

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>>
>> bob
>> k5qwg
>>
>>
>
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>
>For one thing, it has 500 memory channels.

Now if I could just remember what's in them, I'd be all set.
>
>

2507. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 15:42:58 UTC
From: Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net>
Message-ID: <77ff6$42974000$d844d031$17222@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 15330

Hey if you forget, you can always watch TV on it....

"Wes Stewart" <n7ws_@*yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:86ce91ll0isrbigls9r21v6o94144dp8ha@4ax.com...
> On Fri, 27 May 2005 00:08:06 -0500, "N9NWO" <n.9.nwo@amsat.org> wrote:
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>>
>>"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
>>news:u2t8915t908v8jpmqehqrdeb7ong89tjs0@4ax.com...
>>> Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
>>>
>>> bob
>>> k5qwg
>>>
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>>
>>ICOM announced the replacement for the IC-706, the IC-7000.
>>
>>For one thing, it has 500 memory channels.
>
> Now if I could just remember what's in them, I'd be all set.
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>

2508. CS-F500 Software reply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 17:16:48 UTC
From: jhndesi@yahoo.com.au
Message-ID: <1117214207.951239.239480@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15331

Hello Frank! The cloning application you seek will be on the Icom download page of the hackersrussia site. Youm will need a USER Name and Password to download the File or Files.There are many files on this page so you will be doing a thorough perusal.On the page you will see Software for IC-F510,521,610,621(Password inside)I think the password would be the identification numbers for the installation wizard for the CS-F500 Clone software. As i mentioned you need to give the ICOM page a thorough perusal.There will also be IC-F500 Series software,version 1.0 . There will also be IC-F500Series software,version 2.0.You are probably not aware but you can do direct entry editing of the RX and TX frequencies on the F621.I do not have the F610 or F621 but the info was passed on to me.Anyway I use the F2010. My dealer mode access is the PO and channel up button and then the passcode is entered on my program assign buttons and the channel down button.I am not sure how the Dealer mode procedure is activated on the F621.I would like to hazard a guess that maybe the dealer activation on the F621 is done the same way as the F2010.I would be interested in finding out if the same sequence can be used on the F621.Thanks in advance Frank! because I have a favour to ask of you in return for my software assistance I submitted.This is the sequence I would like you to perform on the F621. STEP 1: Press the PO button and the channel up button both together and then power on. Should something such as DEALER appear on the display you will need to enter the Icom default dealer passcode of 159357. STEP 2. To enter the Dealer mode perform this button sequence : P1 PO Down arrow(DOWN Channel Button) P3 P0 P2. You might see SET MODE in uppercase or capital letters on the display.Press one of the buttons to enter dealer set mode for the IC-F621.Anyway the sequence for 159357 will be = P1 PO Down arrow P3 PO P2.If you have success please submit a posting as to what parameters can be reconfigured in the Dealer Set Mode Region for the F621.Thanks! in advance and anticipation.And now for the ICOM URL: Go to http:\\www.hackersrussia.ru/Radio/m_icom.php OOPS!!! thought i forgot something.You need a Username and Password to download the files.Username = hackersrussia Password = freeFORall. So the username will be in lowercase.The password will have no gaps and the free will be in lowercase with the FOR in uppercase and the all in lowercase = freeFORall.Hope you have enjoyed giving my article a perusal.Sorry if it does not seem very eloquent.

2509. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 19:18:58 UTC
From: K9VUJ <k9vuj@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <k9vuj-915FD9.14185827052005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 15332

In article <hbFle.14569$g66.420@attbi_s71>,
"Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com> wrote:

> >
> VERY functional. Allows one to keep a piece of paper handy to remember the
> assignments of 500 frequencies. I'd trade every one of them for another 20
> dB of TX phase noise reduction.
>
> W4ZCB

AMEN!!

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email: K9VUJ@arrl.net

2510. Re: Lil help for my Yaesu 757 GX II please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 22:43:21 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <S6Ple.37738$J25.9483@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15335

Hey thanks everyone! At least some nice places to start.
73 WB9SMX

"Mr Fed UP" <mrfedup@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:NUyle.33383$CR5.13356@bignews1.bellsouth.net...
> Does anyone have a hint on what might be binding up my Yaesu 757 GX II
> freq dial.
> It worked for a while from ebay purchase and then stiffened up and would
> not turn to
> change frequencies. The mic' buttons work ok to change frequencies, but
> I am not familiar with the mechanics of the dial. I had taken the front
> panel apart once
> and saw no problems... put it back together and it worked ..... a while.
> Any helps appreciated. email at my call arrr.net or post reply retired
> and read lots of newy groups
> Thanks 73 WB9SMX
>

2511. FA: KENWOOD TR-7950 AND HEATHKIT OEM MIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-27 22:55:42 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <zzNIe.609$HP1.450@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15333

Posting this for a friend.....

Kenwood TR-7950

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5777634796

Heathkit OEM hand mic, old

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5777087237

Thanks for looking

2512. FA:SHORT TUBE LIST:801A +....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 00:37:09 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <V2Ple.842587$w62.53832@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15334
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Current tubes on ebay include:

811A's -CH x 10 Lot #2 (have more)
USN- 5Y3WGTB X 4
801A's X2
6E5 X2
6CN6/EL-38 MULLARD X2
at : http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

More stuff + tubes coming as well, tnx for looking, heytubeguy

2513. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 02:03:23 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d78jh602v5r@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 15336

"K9VUJ" <k9vuj@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:k9vuj-BDD6D4.18041425052005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article <AP_ke.7253$Is4.5537@attbi_s21>,
> "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com> wrote:
>
> > > Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
> > >
> > > bob
> > > k5qwg
> > >
> > No, but the $25 entrance fee was new to me, as was the $10 shuttle ride.
> > Haven't been there in a few years, but I asked the management to kiss me
> > goodbye this time, since I don't intend to get raped twice. Would
estimate
> > that attendance is down 30-40 percent from Dayton's hey day. Still the
> > biggest, but plenty of room both indoors and outdoors. If the League
hadn't
> > taken an entire wing of the inside, there would have been an echo in
there.
> > Another year or so of this and Shelby will be the king of the hill and
> > Dayton will be a memory.
> >
> > W4ZCB
>
> What's the Shelby?
>
> I've never been to Dayton, but your report don't sound like it's
> something on my schedule. Where and when is Shelby?
>
> dj
>
> --
> email: K9VUJ@arrl.net

Shelby, NC. In southwest NC, along the border with SC. Check it out on any
roadmap or Mapquest. I forget the date but do a Google search for "Shelby
hamfest".

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Joe S.

2514. Re: Replacement bulb for Icom 751a meter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 05:14:11 UTC
From: w4udx <w4udx@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <57Sle.37471$CR5.25305@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15337

Get a 12V miniature bulb from Radio Shack. They come with leads already attached and are low current (and low heat). I just used this same bulb in the meter of an Icom IC-740 I bought at Dayton and it works fine....

Hello, JusLookin!
You wrote on Tue, 24 May 2005 10:35:38 -0700:

J> Anyone know if this bulb can be cross-referenced to something more
J> common, or am I going ot have to buy one from Icom? Mike AB7RU
J> To reply via email remove spamnot

With best regards, w4udx. E-mail: w4udx@bellsouth.net

2515. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 11:36:38 UTC
From: Jim <K4SQR@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1117280198.699559.43160@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15338

Shelby, NC Hamfest is always held Labor Day weekend. Located 53 miles
from Charlotte. I normally return on Sunday's to continue the flea
Market if in need of a particular item.
Regards, Jim

Joe S. wrote:
> "K9VUJ" <k9vuj@arrl.net> wrote in message
> news:k9vuj-BDD6D4.18041425052005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> > In article <AP_ke.7253$Is4.5537@attbi_s21>,
> > "Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com> wrote:
> >
> > > > Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
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> > > > k5qwg
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> > What's the Shelby?
> >
> > I've never been to Dayton, but your report don't sound like it's
> > something on my schedule. Where and when is Shelby?
> >
> > dj
> >
> > --
> > email: K9VUJ@arrl.net
>
> Shelby, NC. In southwest NC, along the border with SC. Check it out on any
> roadmap or Mapquest. I forget the date but do a Google search for "Shelby
> hamfest".
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> -----
> Joe S.

2516. WTB:Magnum s-9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 12:46:07 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <pvpg91p8kt47ql6h90n3o139858ikki0e2@4ax.com>
Source record: 15339

WANTED TO BUY - MAGNUM s-9 must be in great shape

Have following for trade purposes:

GALAXY 88 Used but 100% functional with various mods done to include:

Six different Roger beeps (88 beep still works in conjunction or without)

6 second record module

Very Clean and loud radio

also have:

REALISTIC PRO-2006 Scanner in great shape (no mods - can do speed and cell mod for you if wanted)

TRC - 485 AM/SSB Hardly used Excellent shape (nice radio for a confined space)

MAGNUM s-3 in the box with all in excellent condition

WILSON 5000 Mag mount

ASTATIC 1k with mag mount (unused)

Jo Gunn STARGUN antenna (never got around to installing this)

COMET UHV4 QUAD BAND (with MFJ tri-mag mount) MINT

DIAMOND VH-7A (with DIAMOND fold over mount) MINT

DIAMOND SG-7900 (no mount)

A/S Moni 52 Scanner antennas (UN-OPENED NOS)(2) BRAND NEW

A/S Mini 52 Scanner antenna (unused with mag mount) BRAND NEW

A/S Moni 33 Scanner antenna (unused with mag mount) BRAND NEW

RADIO SHACK 2 meter/70cm wideband RX with custom slipover mag mount

RADIO SHACK 2 meter/70cm wideband RX (unused) BRAND NEW

SKYSCAN Desktop Discone (excellent condition)

Any radio comes with a BRAND NEW D104m6b

2517. FA: UNBUILT HEATHKIT EK-1 VOLT-OHM-METER, PARTIAL KIT PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:29:54 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <zf%le.3341$So7.2078@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15340
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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2518. FA: UNBUILT HEATHKIT EK-1 VOLT-OHM-METER, PARTIAL KIT PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:30:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <bg%le.3342$So7.527@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15341
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48701&item=5776258266&rd=1

2519. FA: $10>THREE J.H. BUNNELL type 2.5 RELAYS EASY RESTORE MORSE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:31:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4h%le.3343$So7.2214@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15342
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=130&item=6534064488&rd=1

2520. FA: RELM MINI-COM PTU46B 4watt UHF WALKY-TALKIE COMPLETE-Sunday nite!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:32:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0i%le.3344$So7.1647@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15343
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=46539&item=7517681738&rd=1

2521. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:33:55 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kj%le.3346$So7.360@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15344
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5776258373&rd=1

2522. FA: BEAUTIFUL HEATHKIT IB-2A RLC IMPEDANCE BRIDGE Nicest:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:35:38 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Xk%le.3348$So7.3105@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15345
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

BEAUTIFUL HEATHKIT IB-2A RLC IMPEDANCE BRIDGE Nicest:-)

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5776258383&rd=1

2523. FA: $10>12 NOS RAF HI-QUALITY USA ELECTRONIC RACK PANEL HANDLES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:36:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MI%le.3349$So7.2923@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15347
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

12 NOS RAF HI-QUALITY USA ELECTRONIC RACK PANEL HANDLES

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=73167&item=7517681793&rd=1

2524. FA: Big $10> 10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES USA:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:37:27 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Em%le.3350$So7.2796@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15346
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES USA:-)

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=36338&item=7517681800&rd=1

2525. FA: $10>"TONS" (4lbs++) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS 4-Builders!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 14:38:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Gn%le.3352$So7.347@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15248
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.video.marketplace

"TONS" (4lbs++) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS 4-Builders!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4664&item=7517681811&rd=1

2526. Re: $10>"TONS" (4lbs++) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS 4-Builders!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 17:18:22 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <CJ1me.103$gQ3.6445128@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 15249
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.video.marketplace

Got any motorola MRF45?'s rf transistors, I need one for a linear which blew one...

Warmest regards,
John

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message news:Gn%le.3352$So7.347@fe10.lga...
> "TONS" (4lbs++) of NOS RESISTORS-CAPACITORS 4-Builders!
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4664&item=7517681811&rd=1
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2527. Seeking SBE documentation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 20:12:18 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <U_6dnaytc-E_TQXfRVn-sQ@centurytel.net>
Source record: 15250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi all,

I'm looking for the following SBE manuals:

- SB2-VOX plug-in VOX unit
- SB2-XC plug-in calibrator unit

And these articles from CQ magazine:

- How to Improve your SB-34 Transceiver
by Ed Marriner, W6BLZ, CQ 04/67
- CW and Extended Coverage for the SBE-34
by Katashi Nose, KH6IJ, CQ ??/67
- The SB-34 Transceiver Expanded Coverage
and Convenience
by John Schultz, W2EEY/1 CQ 09/68

Yes, I'm aware of the multitude of online vendors
who sell manuals. The going price is $14 to $16.
That seems a bit unreasonable for a 2 to 4 page
photocopy, don't you think? Besides, I doubt that
any of them have permission to sell copies of SBE's
copyrighted manuals!

If you have the information that I seek and you're
willing to copy it for me, or loan it to me so that
I can copy it myself, I'd love to hear from you.

If you feel some need to stroke your ego by flaming
me, go right ahead. Just be aware that doing so
will tell the rest of the world that you're a jackass.

73,
Dean K5DH

2528. FS: SABER, P1225, GP350, MORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-28 23:33:57 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <Fd7me.14797$GN3.14617@trnddc04>
Source record: 15251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi all,

As promised; since no one wants to trade, here are the left over radios for sale/trade again.

VHF Saber II [ready to convert to S-III w/case], DES/XL module, rap-chrgr, batt. $225

VHF P1225, 16ch. DISPLAY, DTMF, etc. charger, batt. $200

UHF GP350, 16ch., GP300 accy adapter, chrgr, batt. $175

Photo of above radios here:

http://www.sleepguides.com/auction/p1225_saber_gp350.jpg

MARATRAC drawer unit only, 100watt, 46-50Mhz? [T81XTA7TA7BK], good condition with
'siren mount holes' courtesy of someone who didn't care. No tray.

800mhz STX radios, 3ea. good, bad, ugly, but working. $30 each, $75 all.

Will program up to 24 channels free.

USHIP, anywhere worldwide. PayPal +2% or Postal MO only.

Check must clear my bank before shipment occurs.

more photos if necessary.... Still up for trading too!

thanks!
Randy

2529. HO-10 / SB-610 graticule

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 03:25:03 UTC
From: Tony Sokol <tonysokol@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <jCame.2575$2u1.433@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15252

Hi Gang,
I picked up a nice HO-10 scope at Dayton but the white graticule is worn
off the green filter. Does anyone have one or know of a source?

Thanks
Tony - W9JXN
tonysokol@sbcglobal.net

2530. FS: Icom IC-SP21

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 11:54:59 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Aq-dnbIYZPELMATfRVn-sw@comcast.com>
Source record: 15253

Have a mint Icom IC-SP21 speaker for most all Icom radios.
No original box .

Price is $80 Plus some help on shipping

Steve

2531. Re: Lil help for my Yaesu 757 GX II please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 15:53:48 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <7wlme.29050$8S5.17267@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15254

Well I certainly want to thank you.
I nearly got all the screws back in it now, but turned it on and the dial works now after relub.
Seems like they did build the radio around the dial hi hi.
When I got the face plate off, all the buttons fell out like a box of chicklets.
The shaft was froze so tight it took a couple hours of wd40 and gun oil just to get it
where I could beat the shaft out of the bushing. I would guess that Yaesu would want a
bucket of money for a new optical dial encoder.
I am retired disability now and over the years not much has deterred me from diving into
a good fix it up project. I think I even remember tubes and old teletypes.
;-)
It was a great help knowing it was possible to fix it before diving in. Much
of the stuff
built now days are use and toss away with not much chance of repair,
Thanks again. Gary 73 WB9SMX

<chazzwood@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:533e91tqkkjd40hg17remgv27541kicri7@4ax.com...
>I use to own a ft757. I think you will find that the brass bushing has
> frozen on the tuning shaft. You can take the tuning dial out (somewhat
> difficult) and carefuly unfreeze(wd40 etc) then relub. Been there,
> done that. Also Yaesu will sell you a new dial if you donot want to
> "renew".
> Charlie wa5kyv
> On Fri, 27 May 2005 01:21:35 -0500, "Mr Fed UP"
> <mrfedup@bellsouth.net> wrote:
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>>Does anyone have a hint on what might be binding up my Yaesu 757 GX II
>>freq
>>dial.
>>It worked for a while from ebay purchase and then stiffened up and would
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>>I am not familiar with the mechanics of the dial. I had taken the front
>>panel apart once
>>and saw no problems... put it back together and it worked ..... a while.
>>Any helps appreciated. email at my call arrr.net or post reply retired
>>and read lots of newy groups

>>Thanks 73 WB9SMX
>>
>

2532. RT-70A/GRC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 16:02:29 UTC
From: "James F. Mayer" <jfma@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <pIlme.10092$M36.5428@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15255

Does any one know where I can get a power connector and the headset?

2533. FA: Breadboard Recvr 3 Tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 17:53:34 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <xknme.853134$w62.384638@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Offering a 3 tube, 301A,201A, 301A, Breadboard type receiver at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

+ other stuff AND a BB transmitter coming soon too. Tnx heytubeguy

2534. FS Lots of good ham gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 18:21:14 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <mKnme.15728$DC2.12108@okepread01>
Source record: 15257

I have the following ham gear for sale:

Kenwood SP-430 Speaker, $55
Daiwa Model 520 SWR/Power Meter 1.8 to 60, 2KW, $55
Astron 35M Power Supply, $95
Ten-Tec Model 261 Power Supply, $125
Ten-Tec Model 705 desk mic, $75
Icom IC-280 Mobile 2 mt Transceiver, works, manual, box, cable, mount, $65
Icom IC-280 Needs, works, but Display is blank, $35
Alinco DR-112 45 watts 2 mt mobile rig, works well, has tone, box, manual, mic, etc. $95
Kenwood TM-221A 45watts, 2 mt mobile rig, has tone, works well,box, manual, mic, etc$95
TPL 2mt Amplifier 10watts in. 70 out, for FM and SSB, $75
CDE HamIII Rotor and Control box, not used much, 12.5 sq feet, brake, $175
Ringo Ranger ARX-2 2mt base antenna, manual, $35
Yaesu FT-747 HF Mobile Transceiver, mic, manual, original box, nice, $275
Yaesu FT-747 Mobile Mount and manual, $35
Drake 1525EM Mobile Mic with TT Pad, $35.

All prices do not include shipping costs. Please e-mail me for details on condition.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2535. WTB: Collins 75A-1 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 20:31:10 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <8k9k919c9129a4vbi965ctuaugtf1qfirv@4ax.com>
Source record: 15258

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WTB: Collins 75A-1 Receiver
Please respond with condition/price/phone number to call.
ritchi50@optonline.net
Home# 973-857-1195 NJ
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2536. Re: Collins 75A-1 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 22:31:18 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <Worme.70283$CV1.50943@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15259

Rich wrote:
> WTB: Collins 75A-1 Receiver

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5777974815&rd=1&ssPageNam
e=WDVW

2537. ECM Noise on CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-29 22:43:19 UTC
From: Zombie <noemail@non.com>
Message-ID: <Hjtme.17$_r1.8053@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15260

Hey guys I have a problem with alittle noise from the fuel pump and a lot of noise coming from the ECM on my 95 maxima. I hope someone can help me out.

Here is the deal: Uniden CB radio. I have a 3' K-40 mounted in the rear quarter panel. When I switch on the ignition, engine on or not it floods with noise. I turn off the ignition, after 2 second delay the noise stops. If I dont have the antenna connected i get no noise. If the only the positive connecter of the coax is on the radio then i will still get noise. I measured the resistance between the co-ax ground and the radios ground and got 90 ohms, between the radio ground's and the negative terminal of the battery its about 2 or 3 ohms.

The antenna has a solid ground connection to the chassy, and under the hood i have a 4 gauge cable bonding the negative terminal directly to the chassy. This might make it seem like all the noise is coming from the antenna side of things, but if i use my handheld CB on AA battery power there is virtually no noise picked up. If its powered by the cigarrette lighter then noise comes flooding in. This makes it seem like its coming from the power source.

I get zero noise from the AM radio in the kenwood CD player, which is on a noise filter anyways. I tried connecting the CB to the same power source and it didnt help.

Has anyone had a similar problem?

2538. FA: HRO50 & 60 SAMS:1 Day left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 01:05:31 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <vFtme.854989$w62.346920@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have both HRO-50 and HRO-60 Sams photofact information at address:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

+other stuff too, tnx heytubeguy

2539. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 01:19:07 UTC
From: Omega <2121@insightbb.com>
Message-ID: <fStme.18067$PS3.13607@attbi_s22>
Source record: 15262

"Wes Stewart" <n7ws_@*yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:86ce91ll0isrbigls9r21v6o94144dp8ha@4ax.com...
: On Fri, 27 May 2005 00:08:06 -0500, "N9NWO" <n.9.nwo@amsat.org> wrote:
:
: >
: >"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
: >news:u2t8915t908v8jpmqehqrdeb7ong89tjs0@4ax.com...
: >> Any neat new radios or accessories announced at Dayton?
: >>
: >> bob
: >> k5qwg
: >>
: >>
: >
: >ICOM announced the replacement for the IC-706, the IC-7000.
: >
: >For one thing, it has 500 memory channels.
:
: Now if I could just remember what's in them, I'd be all set.

Is that not what aleph numeric displays are for?

2540. Re: Dayton -- new stuff?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 01:19:28 UTC
From: Omega <2121@insightbb.com>
Message-ID: <AStme.18863$ls4.14318@attbi_s21>
Source record: 15263

"Harold E. Johnson" <W4ZCB@mchsi.com> wrote in message
news:hbFle.14569$g66.420@attbi_s71...
:
:
: > >ICOM announced the replacement for the IC-706, the IC-7000.
: > >
: > >For one thing, it has 500 memory channels.
: > >
: > >
: > That's actually the news I was kinda fishing around for. I guess the
: > 706 has been around for, how long, 10-12 years?
: >
: > Been waiting for the new one to come out.
: >
: > bob
: > k5qwg
: >
: VERY functional. Allows one to keep a piece of paper handy to remember the
: assignments of 500 frequencies. I'd trade every one of them for another 20
: dB of TX phase noise reduction.
:
: W4ZCB

I think that it has that as well.

2541. FA: HAM RADIO - RADIO AMATEUR'S HANDBOOK - by Collins - copyright 1964, 1970

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 01:53:28 UTC
From: "Janet M." <janet@jaiw3dsssa.com>
Message-ID: <29052005215328 2936%janet@jaiw3dsssa.com>
Source record: 15264
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4553269722

2542. Air band, 2m and marine VHF on the same handheld radio?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 03:25:38 UTC
From: Tapio Sokura <oh2kku@iki.fi>
Message-ID: <RNvme.745$a_2.182@reader1.news.jippii.net>
Source record: 15265

I noticed a while back that Yaesu has a model called VXA-700 that combines air band and 2 meters into the same radio. This is an interesting offer, but even more interesting would be to get marine VHF in the same package. Or just marine VHF and air band in the same radio (tx/rx on both bands) as I have my share of amateur radios anyway. Has anyone seen this kind of radios for sale? Are there common legal restrictions that could prevent offering a marine VHF and air band in the same rig?

This might sound like an odd couple, but for me it would fill a nice void; sometimes I need to talk on the air band and sometimes I need marine VHF, but rarely both at the same time. With these combined into one radio I could probably save some money and room compared to two different radios. I guess I could settle for one air band radio and one marine VHF radio if they have compatible batteries, chargers, microphones etc accessories, any "series" radios like this?

Tapio

2543. IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 04:10:16 UTC
From: Steve <hogrider@flash.net>
Message-ID: <429A9228.BF50CB6B@flash.net>
Source record: 15266

Hay all! After having this nice truck for 9 years now,
im finally going hf mobile! Have Icom 730 rig, mounted
in 96 Ford F-350 powerstroke 7.3 Liter ?Diesel truck,
1ST- Mega noise on ignition system! NB doesnt help at
all. No matter what speed you drive it gets worse at
highway speeds, *Antenna here is a Henry Allen TX bug
catcher bumper mounted on left rear side. Homebrew pipe
bumper, solid, and yes its grounded! And its solid
20over S 9 signal generated from that truck engine.
Chokes, coils, torroids help? And yes this is long
bed truck so the antenna is about 17' or so from the front
the motor or engine compartment.

2nd- Biggest problem, is when you key the mic even not
modulating it, just keying it, slows the motor down
like you take your foot of the accellerator and applying the
brakes. This happens regardless what power I have the
icom set at! 50 watts, 30 watts, same thing! ***
I have tapped in the power fuse box thats under the dash,
for direct power to rig, would directly having it go to
the batteries up front help any? Or is this little rf
messing with the computer module under the hood next to the
firewall? Back in January I had the right side power
harness replaced, like the set of sparkplug wires that
go to the individual injectors on the right side of the
motor. Could there be a ground not connected from the
repair shop? Truck has 142K mileage, runs like clock,
but im affraid of the excessive rf power messing with that
computer module?

* Any tips or suggestions, calling the ford dealer in
Austin monday am, not sure if it would help, since most
people dont know what ham radio is anyway!

Thanks for reading, any tips zip them my way

PSE!!!

Steve, WD5HNI..... mail to:
fullwaveflhr01@hotmail.com

2544. Re: Manual needed AN/GRR-24. It's a TM 11-5820-805-24P THANKS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 04:33:36 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <AIwme.82499$w15.32724@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 15267

Thanks Bob!

Robert Kubichek wrote:

> Try this link;
> http://www.tpub.com/content/amplifiers/TM-11-5820-805-24P/
>
> Google is your friend!!!!
>
> Bob N9LVU
>
>
> **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** wrote:
>
>> *Looking for a pdf or hardcopy of the manual for an AN/GRR-24 The
>> manual is an:
>>
>> TM* 11-5820-805-24P
>>
>> Thanks
>>

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

2545. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 04:35:44 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <429A987B.2050703@nettally.com>
Source record: 15268

TRy this:

http://www.w8ji.com/rf_noise_powerstroke_diesel.htm

Steve wrote:

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>im finally going hf mobile! Have Icom 730 rig, mounted
>in 96 Ford F-350 powerstroke 7.3 Liter ?Diesel truck,
>1ST- Mega noise on ignition system! NB doesnt help at
>all. No matter what speed you drive it gets worse at
>highway speeds, *Antenna here is a Henry Allen TX bug
>catcher bumper mounted on left rear side. Homebrew pipe
>bumper, solid, and yes its grounded! And its solid
>20over S 9 signal generated from that truck engine.
>Chokes, coils, torroids help? And yes this is long
>bed truck so the antenna is about 17' or so from the front
>the motor or engine compartment.
>
>2nd- Biggest problem, is when you key the mic even not
>modulating it, just keying it, slows the motor down
>like you take your foot of the accellerator and applying the
>brakes. This happens regardless what power I have the
>icom set at! 50 watts, 30 watts, same thing! ***
>I have tapped in the power fuse box thats under the dash,
>for direct power to rig, would directly having it go to
>the batteries up front help any? Or is this little rf
>messing with the computer module under the hood next to the
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>go to the individual injectors on the right side of the
>motor. Could there be a ground not connected from the
>repair shop? Truck has 142K mileage, runs like clock,
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>* Any tips or suggestions, calling the ford dealer in
>Austin monday am, not sure if it would help, since most
>people dont know what ham radio is anyway!
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>Thanks for reading, any tips zip them my way
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>PSE!!!
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>fullwaveflhr01@hotmail.com
>
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2546. UNIDEN HR2600 FM problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 05:20:38 UTC
From: Mike <revellm@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Goxme.919$4u.150@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15269

I recently acquired a Uniden HR2600. It seems to work fine except on FM. When in FM, the display light goes out and there is a burst of noise. No receive or transmit.

Anybody seen this problem. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely
Mike
KF9QP

2547. FA: UHF-Motorola P1225 for Parts last hours-Going Tooooo-Cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 15:02:16 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <_VFme.9053$vp.8940@fed1read07>
Source record: 15270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: UHF-Motorola P1225 for Parts last hours-Going Too Cheap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7518470174&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2548. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 15:05:01 UTC
From: Steve <hogrider@flash.net>
Message-ID: <429B2B9D.1EF6CCFE@flash.net>
Source record: 15271

Thanks! I will give that a try.

I know that this noise thing can be handled, just how
much is the case!

73's steve......

2549. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 15:10:12 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <c0bm91pddn1ko2m0im7frqc4herp5n4hb5@4ax.com>
Source record: 15272

On Mon, 30 May 2005 10:05:01 -0500, Steve <hogrider@flash.net> wrote:

>Thanks! I will give that a try.
>
>I know that this noise thing can be handled, just how
>much is the case!
>
>
>73's steve......

I believe Ford has certain electrical components that can be replaced
to reduce interference to communications systems -- your dealer should
know what's available for your model and have the tech sheets.

Lotta people in this user group have complained about Ford noise.

bob
k5qwg

2550. FS: 100' Rohn 25 tower Central Iowa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 17:09:02 UTC
From: mjf <mjf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <mrhm91tag75bm7c37vl81p7noeahkq7hv6@4ax.com>
Source record: 15273

Hello, I have 100' Rohn 25 tower on the ground with heavy guy wires and turnbuckles. The price is $300. Please email me with any questions. Thanks, Mike

2551. Re: FS: 100' Rohn 25 tower Central Iowa

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 17:14:21 UTC
From: mjf <mjf@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <9bim91t6rbjd9od992sgb2lao869vfalst@4ax.com>
Source record: 15274

Hello, I have 100' Rohn 25 tower on the ground with heavy guy wires
and turnbuckles. The price is $300. Please email me with any
questions. Thanks, Mike
Please use email mfunaro@att.net

2552. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 19:32:35 UTC
From: Steve <hogrider@flash.net>
Message-ID: <429B6A53.E6AE1750@flash.net>
Source record: 15275

Bob, yes Ive been keeping up with this subject for a
while, but i can believe the noise im getting!
It just could be the older rig, Im going to try the
strapping first, dont have any of that stainless braided
stuff, but older rg8 u coax will do the trick i think?

Then going to make a few turns of coax and make a rf choke
to maybe cutdown on rf feedback,
then the torriods are next. What really scares me is
that on 40 the engine is severely effected by just simply
keying the mic. I wonder what other cures are out there!

Bob, you run hf mobile? antenna? any power?

tnx, Steve.....

2553. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 20:27:34 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <iGKme.2834$rb6.1134@lakeread07>
Source record: 15276

Steve wrote:
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> im finally going hf mobile! Have Icom 730 rig, mounted
> in 96 Ford F-350 powerstroke 7.3 Liter ?Diesel truck,
> 1ST- Mega noise on ignition system! NB doesnt help at
> all. No matter what speed you drive it gets worse at
> highway speeds, *Antenna here is a Henry Allen TX bug

I have a 1995 Ford Explorer. Using an IC-706MKII and a Webster Bandspanner antenna. I realize your vehicle is diesel and mine is gas, but the solution may be the same. My problem stemmed from the fuel pump. Ford has a retrofit electrical filter for the fuel pump. Noise went from an S-8 to S-0.

> 2nd- Biggest problem, is when you key the mic even not
> modulating it, just keying it, slows the motor down
> like you take your foot of the accellerator and applying the
> brakes. This happens regardless what power I have the
> icom set at! 50 watts, 30 watts, same thing! ***
> I have tapped in the power fuse box thats under the dash,
> for direct power to rig, would directly having it go to
> the batteries up front help any? Or is this little rf
> messing with the computer module under the hood next to the
> firewall? Back in January I had the right side power
> harness replaced, like the set of sparkplug wires that
> go to the individual injectors on the right side of the
> motor. Could there be a ground not connected from the
> repair shop? Truck has 142K mileage, runs like clock,
> but im affraid of the excessive rf power messing with that
> computer module?

RF feedback into the computer is a valid concern. I would recommed a direct connection to the vehicle battery. This is generally the recommended method of connection for high current applications anyway.

What sort of feedline do have you going from the rig to the antenna? I would probably go with RG8X. Have you checked the condition of the UHF connector on your coax where it connects to the rig? Make certain it has GOOD contact with the shield portion. How is the coax terminated at the antenna? Is truck bed solidly bonded to the chassis frame?

You may try re-routing the coax cable to the opposite side of the vehicle.

It is possible a floating ground on the replacement wiring could be causing your trouble. You mentioned "sparkplug" wires...which I doubt you have.

Do these problems show up on ALL HF bands?

2554. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 21:16:42 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <ZoLme.47358$u6.4237@fe06.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15277

Steve wrote:
> Mega noise on ignition system! NB doesnt help at

Assuming it varies with engine RPM, it is not ignition noise, it is coming from the fuel injectors. See an earlier post re: suppression.

2555. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 22:45:57 UTC
From: OFFICIAL RAM BLUEBOOK VALUATION <nowhere@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <BEC1D4C5.28FD9%nowhere@fe02.buzzardnews.com>
Source record: 15278
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

In article 3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net, "PTRAVEL"
<ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it & its
> exactly like the spec sheet."
>
> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?

It's a counterfeit.

Probably sourced from known counterfeiters SOUND EMPORIUM, known scammers.

RIPOFF ALERT!

2556. Re: controlling marine radio remotely via VoIP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-30 23:23:31 UTC
From: Greg Alexander <galexand@ozemail.com.au>
Message-ID: <1117495411.730878.80770@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15279
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Should have posted this to r.r.a.e too.
If the cross post isn't relevant please answer just in the group you
think is relevant.

Greg Alexander wrote:
> Hello,
> I'm a member of a volunteer marine rescue group in Australia.
> I was chatting yesterday to a couple of members about the possibilities
> of accessing our radio base's radios from home, via the internet.
>
> The idea would be to have a virtual radio on the computer, transmitting
> and receiving via the radios at the base. We'd have to make it secure
> of course, and like the US we would have certain local regulations we
> have to adhere to.
>
> Anyway I thought I might ask online and see if anyone could help. I've
> read a little on the echolink product and I don't think it's what we're
> after, though I have to admit that alot of the terminology used is
> beyond me (for now anyway).
>
> So my questions
> 1) Is there an internet-based method of separating the physical
> transmitter/receiver from the user (who needs his computer, mic, and
> method to switch channels, adjust squelch etc)?
> 2) Are there software only and hardware based solutions?
> 3) what kind of costs are we looking at (besides the internet/pc cost)?
>
> Thanks for any and all information and help!
> Greg
> ps. If this is the wrong group to ask on, please point me in the right
> direction?

2557. Re: ECM Noise on CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 00:29:59 UTC
From: Royce Dean <plumber101@excite.com>
Message-ID: <beOme.21407$Is4.4591@attbi_s21>
Source record: 15282

Sounds like the electronic fuel pump, which is back at the tank. I had a Nissan truck that had the same situation.

"Zombie" <noemail@non.com> wrote in message news:Hjtme.17$_r1.8053@news20.bellglobal.com...
> Hey guys I have a problem with alittle noise from the fuel pump and a lot of
> noise coming from the ECM on my 95 maxima. I hope someone can help me out.
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> Here is the deal: Uniden CB radio. I have a 3' K-40 mounted in the rear
> quarter panel. When I switch on the ignition, engine on or not it floods
> with noise. I turn off the ignition, after 2 second delay the noise stops.
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> positive connecter of the coax is on the radio then i will still get noise.
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> got 90 ohms, between the radio ground's and the negative terminal of the
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> virtually no noise picked up. If its powered by the cigarrette lighter then
> noise comes flooding in. This makes it seem like its coming from the power
> source.
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> I get zero noise from the AM radio in the kenwood CD player, which is on a
> noise filter anyways. I tried connecting the CB to the same power source and
> it didnt help.
>
> Has anyone had a similar problem?
>
>
>

2558. Re: ECM Noise on CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 00:32:30 UTC
From: Zombie <noemail@non.com>
Message-ID: <6fOme.6398$_r1.298601@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15280

FYI, the antenna has a tunable tip, and i eliminated about 90% of the noise
by retuning the tip. Havent checked the SWR yet though.

"Zombie" <noemail@non.com> wrote in message
news:Hjtme.17$_r1.8053@news20.bellglobal.com...
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of
> noise coming from the ECM on my 95 maxima. I hope someone can help me out.
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> Here is the deal: Uniden CB radio. I have a 3' K-40 mounted in the rear
> quarter panel. When I switch on the ignition, engine on or not it floods
> with noise. I turn off the ignition, after 2 second delay the noise stops.
> If I dont have the antenna connected i get no noise. If the only the
> positive connecter of the coax is on the radio then i will still get
noise.
> I measured the resistance between the co-ax ground and the radios ground
and
> got 90 ohms, between the radio ground's and the negative terminal of the
> battery its about 2 or 3 ohms.
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> The antenna has a solid ground connection to the chassy, and under the
hood
> i have a 4 gauge cable bonding the negative terminal directly to the
chassy.
> This might make it seem like all the noise is coming from the antenna side
> of things, but if i use my handheld CB on AA battery power there is
> virtually no noise picked up. If its powered by the cigarrette lighter
then
> noise comes flooding in. This makes it seem like its coming from the power
> source.
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> I get zero noise from the AM radio in the kenwood CD player, which is on a
> noise filter anyways. I tried connecting the CB to the same power source
and
> it didnt help.
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> Has anyone had a similar problem?
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2559. WTB: Collins 75A-1 Receiver..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 00:46:45 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <bvcn91ddcrl4h3v6cg04mpqgmmu8huo59q@4ax.com>
Source record: 15281

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WTB: Collins 75A-1 Receiver
Please respond with condition/price/phone number to call.
ritchi50@optonline.net
Home# 973-857-1195 NJ
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2560. Re: Audia-Technica AT835ST COUNTERFEIT from SOUND EMPORIUM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 01:55:22 UTC
From: PTRAVEL <ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3g1ugbFa8nfqU1@individual.net>
Source record: 15283
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.microphones,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.production

Are you going to periodically resurrect my post so you can make yours over
and over again?

I asked my question months ago. You answered it then. Enough, already.

"OFFICIAL RAM BLUEBOOK VALUATION" <nowhere@nowhere.com> wrote in message
news:BEC1D4C5.28FD9%nowhere@fe02.buzzardnews.com...
> In article 3a3nm2F67cch1U1@individual.net, "PTRAVEL"
> <ptravel88-usenet@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
>>
>> There are no labels other then the one shown. I measured & weighted it &
>> its
>> exactly like the spec sheet."
>>
>> So, the question is, is it an AT835ST, or not?
>
> It's a counterfeit.
>
> Probably sourced from known counterfeiters SOUND EMPORIUM, known scammers.
>
> RIPOFF ALERT!
>

2561. FA: KENWOOD TR-7950 2 METER RADIO, *NICE* 1 DAY LEFT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 03:56:42 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HfRme.27596$NZ1.7494@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15284

Hi all, I'm listing this for a friend

Kenwood TR-7950 2 meter radio

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5777634796

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5777634796&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

73

2562. Kenwood TS-530S w/SP-230 speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 04:37:04 UTC
From: na3vy@msn.com
Message-ID: <1117514224.253379.53190@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15285

I have a Kenwood TS-530S with SP-230 matching speaker for sale.
This rig is in excellent shape and all is in excellent operating order.
Power out is 85 - 100 watts depending on the band. No changes or
modifications have been done to the rig. I am asking $300 and I will
pay the shipping to U.S. addresses. Contact me at duane@na3vy.us

2563. ICOM 706 MKIIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 04:55:19 UTC
From: na3vy@msn.com
Message-ID: <1117515319.171488.233550@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15286

I have an ICOM 706 MKIIG mobile radio for sale. The radio is in excellent condition with no marks or scratches. Has never been used mobile. In great operational shape putting out 100 watts on HF and 6 meters; 50 watts out on 2 meters and 20 watts out on 70cm. The deal comes with the radio in original box with manual and remote mounting kit, Heil Traveler headset/mic, Heil HMM hand mic. There are 2 extra narrow filters installed one for CW and one for SSB, FL-100 and FL-223. I am asking $800 and I will pay the shipping to any U.S. address. I can be contacted by email to duane@na3vy.us or reply to this.

2564. FA: Silver Marshall Literature later today

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 12:50:17 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <d4Zme.269810$cg1.260095@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Will list brochures, catalogs, data sheets, & 'The Radiobuilder' newsletter later today at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

++++ coming in June is a working McMurdo-Silver 5Cspeaker as well. Tnx, 73, heytubeguy

2565. FA: Coming June:McMurdo-Silver 5C/spkr working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 12:56:04 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <E9Zme.864329$w62.650657@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Will post a McMurdo-Silver 5C and speaker in June. ~1931 model at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

+++ Silver -Marshall catalogs, data sheets,.... coming later today-check it out.

Tnx 73 heytubeguy

2566. FA:CDE/ HYGAIN TELEX HAM-M or HAM IV ROTATOR, Nice for Spare :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:00:56 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <s6_me.4342$HP1.1745@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15290
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

CHEEP>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5777874322&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2567. FA: Beautiful/Cheep>COMMUNICATIONS POWER Inc. CPI "RANGE PLUS" PRE-AMP RARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:01:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <j7_me.4343$HP1.1966@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15289
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5777874358&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2568. FA: Cheep>TWO(2) SIMILAR METERS for COLLINS R-390A RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:02:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_7_me.4345$HP1.373@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15291
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5777874267&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2569. FA: BEAUTIFUL SIMPSON 303 TUBE TYPE VTVM w/TEST LEADS-RARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:03:21 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <K8_me.4346$HP1.456@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15292
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7519312350&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2570. FA: $10> CANON CANONET QL19E 35mm RANGEFINDER CAMERA '65>CLASSIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:04:07 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <s9_me.4348$HP1.234@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15293
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7519312340&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2571. FA: $14>HEATHKIT IB-5280 RF OSCILLATOR "BLUE SERIES" EXC+ Neat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:05:51 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4b_me.4352$HP1.117@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15294
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7519312302&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2572. FA: $10>FIVE(5) 6 METER HAM-BAND CRYSTALS for GONSET & OTHERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:06:37 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ob_me.4353$HP1.3584@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15295
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5777874346&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2573. FA: ?TELEX TW-4 and TDR-4 FM TRANSMITTER & RECEIVER w/CASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:09:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ue_me.4357$HP1.377@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15297
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.video.marketplace

Cheep but Watizit:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7519312230&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2574. FA: $10>W.M. WELCH SCEINTIFIC Co. CAPACITOR DECADE BOX, MINT-O!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 14:10:13 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9f_me.4358$HP1.3069@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15296
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6182495121&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2575. Alliance Tenna-Rotor-- How old?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 15:11:30 UTC
From: nonsenseword7@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1117552290.351940.82050@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15348

Can anyone give me a date or date range for the Alliance Tenna-Rotor, model H.I.R. 2? It says on the underside "Patents Applied For", so I'm thinking it is pretty early. It is a four wire, 115 volts, 60 cycles AC only, 45 watts if any of that info is helpful in dating. I've been unable to find this exact item on the internet with any details.

Thanks in advance.

2576. FS VHF Radius mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 16:39:38 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d7i43r$ac1$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15349
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com

2577. HTX-100 & HR2510 parts radios in one lot

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 17:14:36 UTC
From: flyboy <wbblair3@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1117559675.908045.95950@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15350

Sold for parts in one lot, a President 10 meter SSB/CW/AM/FM HR2510 transceiver and a Realistic HTX-100 10 meter CW/SSB transceiver (missing top and bottom cover but has mike). The HTX-100 powers up, but the synthesizer section doesn't work. Don't know anything about the HR2510 other than the fact that neither it nor the HTX-100 show any external or internal evidence of overheating due to major faults in the circuitry or applied voltage (i.e. no visible evidence of being catastrophically "smoked" through over-volt or cascade failure). The XMT power transistors on the HR2510 have been unscrewed from their heat sinks by a previous owner or technician unknown.

Make offer via email - wbblair3@yahoo.com

2578. Re: Alliance Tenna-Rotor-- How old?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 19:10:58 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <429CB6BE.D55FDD8D@earthlink.net>
Source record: 15351

nonsenseword7@hotmail.com wrote:
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> model H.I.R. 2? It says on the underside "Patents Applied For", so I'm
> thinking it is pretty early. It is a four wire, 115 volts, 60 cycles AC
> only, 45 watts if any of that info is helpful in dating. I've been
> unable to find this exact item on the internet with any details.
>
> Thanks in advance.

H.W. Sams published the service data in set 242, (See servicer) which
was published in 1954.

--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

2579. Re: ECM Noise on CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 23:10:14 UTC
From: Gary <danahers@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <ouGdnapHOfIIcwHfRVn-qw@comcast.com>
Source record: 15352

Just wondering how you can possibly 'retune' the antenna without knowing
where the swr is at any given time?

I am assuming the radio is wired directly to the battery with fuses on
both positive and negative? You certainly wouldn't consider running the
radio off of the car's auto electric system, right?

Zombie wrote:
> FYI, the antenna has a tunable tip, and i eliminated about 90% of the noise
> by retuning the tip. Havent checked the SWR yet though.
>
>
> "Zombie" <noemail@non.com> wrote in message
> news:Hjtme.17$_r1.8053@news20.bellglobal.com...
>
>>Hey guys I have a problem with alittle noise from the fuel pump and a lot
>
> of
>
>>noise coming from the ECM on my 95 maxima. I hope someone can help me out.
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>>Here is the deal: Uniden CB radio. I have a 3' K-40 mounted in the rear
>>quarter panel. When I switch on the ignition, engine on or not it floods
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>>noise filter anyways. I tried connecting the CB to the same power source
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> and
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>>it didnt help.
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>>Has anyone had a similar problem?
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2580. FA: National Vernier Dial Type MCN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-05-31 23:55:13 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <BP6ne.24616$g66.17006@attbi_s71>
Source record: 15353
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

This is the one with the square face and three semi-circular "bands" + a
logging scale.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778456797

Ends Sunday Jun-05-05 15:20:46 PDT / 23:20:46 UTC.

Thanks for looking!
"theponyengine"

2581. FA: Rare Hammarlund HQ129X Main TuneE & Bandspread Knobs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 00:01:43 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <GV6ne.24006$IC6.17783@attbi_s72>
Source record: 15354
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Ends Saturday, June 04- 17:20:22 PDT (Sunday June 05 -01:20:22 UTC)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5778278737&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Thanks for looking,
"theponyengine"

2582. FA: Vintage "CRUD-o-ject" CW filter.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 00:09:45 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <d17ne.24623$g66.23392@attbi_s71>
Source record: 15355
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Really clean and works good.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778466256

Ends Sunday, Jun-05 16:30:23 PDT (Monday June 06- 00:30:23).

73,
"theponyengine"

2583. Re: my auctions -Duhh, I can't read a clock too good, Moe!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 00:19:19 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <ba7ne.24025$IC6.11186@attbi_s72>
Source record: 15356
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Age sets in, I guess. I see in my previous "FA" posts that I got the
UTC ending times wrong. They should be an hour earlier. Back to novice
class for me!

73,
"theponyengine"

2584. FA: FT-243 CRYSTAL - 7034 KHZ.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 00:24:12 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <Me7ne.24031$IC6.23877@attbi_s72>
Source record: 15357
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778257119

Ends Saturday Jun-04 14:33:39 PDT (21:33:39 UTC)

Hopefully, I got the time right this time!

73,
"theponyengine"

2585. Re: ?TELEX TW-4 and TDR-4 FM TRANSMITTER & RECEIVER w/CASE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 00:42:13 UTC
From: SHb <sherb@intergate.com>
Message-ID: <119q1389dgatr2d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15358
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.video.marketplace

Be nicer if you listed all your auctions in One or two Posts.

just a thought OM

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2586. Re: ECM Noise on CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 02:25:09 UTC
From: Zombie <noemail@non.com>
Message-ID: <a09ne.8842$yG4.634969@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15363

I haven't retested the SWR yet, mainly because there is some amount of stuff I have to take apart to get to the back of the radio. Then some stupid neighbor comes over "WHOA MAN You got your car all apart!!!" and starts wigging out <sigh>. And yes, I have committed the evil sin of running off the car's power, my Kenwood CD player picks up AM without a hint of noise from the engine, so I always declared it clean enough. However, I know Nissan recommends running straight off battery power. I already recycled some nice 14 gauge wire from work, and have a hole in the fire wall and some fuse holders and a relay all sitting there (so the radio can be shut off with the ACC), waiting to be soldered together. I'll have to try putting those in this weekend. Right now the way it is the noise added is small, and only transmissions I have to strain to hear in the first place are getting drowned out. However, even with reasonably strong reception the annoying part is that it noise mixes in and creates a very annoying tone in the background.

For RF cable I am using mil-spec RG142. The original buyer paid about $200/foot for it, and I acquired it at highly significant discount. Before I just had some Tandy RG-8 stuff in there that I acquired at a ham fest and it worked quite well but i decided i could do better. The Tandy wire I put in originally was about 18f long or so. This is because I believed some tall tale about coax cable length and resonance frequency when I installed it, however I haven't seen anything confirming this theory beyond the CB world so I dumped it and used the shortest length of RG142 possible. After replacing it I measured the SWR and antenna field strength, and even after tweaking the K40 inductor the SWR went up slightly and field strength went down slightly. RG142 with its dual layers of brayed and foil shielding, silver coated center conductor and reduced length should have increased antenna performance, so im not sure why that happened.

"Gary" <danahers@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:ouGdnapHOflIcwHfRVn-qw@comcast.com...
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2587. FA: SWAN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 02:26:45 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <F19ne.18901$Ri3.16802@trnddc09>
Source record: 15359

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778961734&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2588. FA: Heathkit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 02:27:08 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <029ne.9701$615.1200@trnddc08>
Source record: 15362

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778956610&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2589. FA: MFJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 02:27:32 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <o29ne.9702$615.7554@trnddc08>
Source record: 15361

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778965366&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2590. FA: National

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 02:27:50 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <G29ne.10357$m%3.9636@trnddc02>
Source record: 15360

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778967350&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2591. Re: ECM Noise on CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 02:30:35 UTC
From: Zombie <noemail@non.com>
Message-ID: <e59ne.8844$yG4.636118@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15364

I do get some amount of noise from the fuel pump. I put some bypass capacitors and an inductor on the power lines going into it. I also bonded the negative wire straight to the body rather than let it go back to wherever it goes to get grounded, however doing those things only marginally decreased the noise. Before i played around with the antenna tuning, that fuel pump would come on the radio and screech like it was about to be eaten by a hungry bear.

"Royce Dean" <plumber101@excite.com> wrote in message
news:beOme.21407$Is4.4591@attbi_s21...
> Sounds like the electronic fuel pump, which is back at the tank. I had a
> Nissan truck that had the same situation.
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> "Zombie" <noemail@non.com> wrote in message
> news:Hjtme.17$_r1.8053@news20.bellglobal.com...
> > Hey guys I have a problem with alittle noise from the fuel pump and a
lot
> of
> > noise coming from the ECM on my 95 maxima. I hope someone can help me
out.
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> > Here is the deal: Uniden CB radio. I have a 3' K-40 mounted in the rear
> > quarter panel. When I switch on the ignition, engine on or not it floods
> > with noise. I turn off the ignition, after 2 second delay the noise
stops.
> > If I dont have the antenna connected i get no noise. If the only the
> > positive connecter of the coax is on the radio then i will still get
> noise.
> > I measured the resistance between the co-ax ground and the radios ground
> and
> > got 90 ohms, between the radio ground's and the negative terminal of the
> > battery its about 2 or 3 ohms.
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> > The antenna has a solid ground connection to the chassy, and under the
> hood
> > i have a 4 gauge cable bonding the negative terminal directly to the
> chassy.
> > This might make it seem like all the noise is coming from the antenna
side
> > of things, but if i use my handheld CB on AA battery power there is
> > virtually no noise picked up. If its powered by the cigarrette lighter
> then

> > noise comes flooding in. This makes it seem like its coming from the
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2592. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 02:57:04 UTC
From: Zombie <noemail@non.com>
Message-ID: <8u9ne.8863$yG4.647306@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15365
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

if you goto http://labvolt.com/product.asp?id=163&Line_Id=64 they do have a device there to convert an ordinary scope into a somewhat crude spectrum analyser (i believe it maxes out around 127Mhz), but im not sure if they sell that device seperatly, and the whole Fm/Am training suite which the link goes to is around $250,000 CDN.

"dbu" wrote in message
news:deil-F8E92B.05260306032005@zeus-ge0.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article ,
> Panzer240 wrote:
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> > "Pete KE9OA" wrote in
> > news:pAwWd.333886$w62.102531@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net:
> >
> > > I would buy both of them. An oscilloscope is something you really need
> > > for doing signal tracing, etc. while a spectrum analyzer is a must if
> > > you are doing synthesizer/oscillator/transmitter design. I have both
of
> > > them and use them all of the time. Other good things to have are an RF
> > > power meter, modulation meter, frequency counter, broadband noise
> > > source, RF generator, DVM, VOM, and a good variable power supply. This
> > > just scratches the surface, depending on your needs.
> > >
> > > Pete
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> > The choice between the two depends on what you are most interested in
> > doing. Since both these instruments are designed for different tasks.
> > However if you are looking for a good all purpose Swiss Army knife sort
of
> > tool for general ham useage, I would look at a gadget called a service
> > monitor. Depending on make and model, you can find one that combines the
> > features of most of the instruments on Pete's list :) They usually have
a
> > scope that will do af and also act as a spectrum analyzer along with
power
> > meters,signal generator,frequency/modulation meter perhaps a DVM etc.
All
> > in one handy dandy portable package.
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> > Here is an example of one of the many on Ebay at present.
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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=97198&item=878428871&rd
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> > As a general purpose test and troubleshooting tool I find these hard to
> > beat!!
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> I already have a scope which I use on my work bench, but it sits a lot
> not being used, so it would be kind of handy to plug in a device which
> would enable it to be used as a SA or panadapter type scope for the
> shack. This would make my scope much more useful. Anything like that
> around?
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2593. FA - Yaesu (Sears branded) FRG-7 receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 04:22:30 UTC
From: Not any More <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1117599750.122972.298020@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15366
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778900464

Very nice specimen of a Sears branded Yaesu FRG-7.

Check it out.

2594. Re: Spectrum Analyzer or Oscilloscope?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 10:45:39 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <429D91D3.10504@netscape.net>
Source record: 15367
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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>>shack. This would make my scope much more useful. Anything like that
>>around?

Spend some time to think VERY carefully about your requirements.
I have a DSO with an FFT display. I find it interesting on occasion.
But if you need a spectrum analyzer, you need a spectrum analyzer.

The key parameters are resolution bandwidth and dynamic range.
In most cases requring a SA, a toy isn't nearly good enough in those
areas. You can't look at a signal when the thing is overloaded or if
there's another signal too close. Toy spectrum analyzers have very WIDE
bandwidths. If they don't, they're not toys and not cheap either.
A SA with a tracking generator is very useful if you need to design
filters or align repeater cavities.

Remember that the dynamic range of a scope is very low. It's not
shielded. When you try to hook an external box to it, all sorts of
stuff finds its way into the scope. And the scope radiates the signals
you stuff into it. Not good if you're trying to measure something 100dB
down.

Service monitors CAN have very good spectrum analyzers, but the ones you
can afford probably don't and have all the bad characteristics of a toy
spectrum analyzer.

I have a TEK 492 with tracking generator. I use it rarely, but when I need it, I'm glad its there.

It's all in your requirements...no free lunch here.
mike

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Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
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Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Wanted 12" LCD for Compaq Armada 7770MT.
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

2595. Ebay Jerks Go Away

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 12:23:58 UTC
From: dontspam <dontspam@att.net>
Message-ID: <24ar919nrsblb2oqsjle3knrt36uf7mad3@4ax.com>
Source record: 15368

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2596. FA: Swan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 12:44:56 UTC
From: KU4YP <ku4yp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <c5ine.10664$m%3.3761@trnddc02>
Source record: 15369

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778961734&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

2597. New program

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 13:45:42 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <d7ke66$1ck$1@nwrdmz03.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 15370

It is well known that endfed 1/2-wave dipoles and similar length
antennas can be difficult, if not impossible, to tune up using
conventional T-tuners.

Download program TUNEHALF from website below and become familiar with
another tuner circuit which deals with vertical, inverted-L and
sloping antennas.

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Regards from Reg, G4FGQ
For Free Radio Design Software go to
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
....

2598. Re: Digital Amateur TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 16:25:57 UTC
From: Zombie <noemail@non.com>
Message-ID: <pklne.20910$_r1.709061@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15371

That looks really hard and expensive, but i think its very cool for anyone that can do it.

"J.F. FOURCADIER" <no_spam@wanadoo.fr> wrote in message news:42499a40$0$11703$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr...
> Hello !
>
> The poor man's Digital ATV transmitter:
>
> Build this simple and cheap 70 MHz exciter and start to transmit Digital
> Television !
>
> http://perso.wanadoo.fr/jf.fourcadier/television/exciter/exciter_e.htm
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> Jean-Fran&#65533;ois FOURCADIER, F4DAY
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> website : http://perso.wanadoo.fr/jf.fourcadier/
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2599. WTB: D104 T-UG8 Desk Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 18:54:36 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <631s91hlc7ofiuov4i2rm3b9v6o6ueesqo@4ax.com>
Source record: 15372

WTB: D104 T-UG8 Desk Microphone
Looking to pick one up locally in NJ
Need it for Collins 32V-3 If you have the two pin connector that
would be great!! But no problem if you don't have the connector.
Please leave price and condition. Oh phone number to.
ritchi50@optonline.net 973-857-1195
KF2GG

2600. Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 22:48:46 UTC
From: Christopher O'Callaghan <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <d7le1c$p0n$1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 15373

Hello,
Where would i find a roger bleep which would consist of a number of
different tones in one bleep?I want to install it inside of a Motorola GM350
for commercial use.
Any assistance is appreciated!

All the best
Chris

2601. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 22:55:08 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <k1rne.4618$U4.647555@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 15374

"Christopher O'Callaghan" <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie> wrote in message
news:d7le1c$p0n$1@reader01.news.esat.net...
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> All the best
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Check with your Motorola dealer (or wherever you got the radio). What you
want is the CTCSS option for the radio (one is available).

Ken

2602. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-01 22:59:32 UTC
From: Christopher O'Callaghan <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <d7leln$p73$1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 15375

Thanks for replying.
I actually purchased the radio off of ebay.co.uk.The seller is not
registered with ebay anymore.Is there a motorola website which would deal
with the transceivers and parts?

Chris

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2603. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-02 01:36:19 UTC
From: Steve <hogrunner@flash.net>
Message-ID: <429E6293.36A9E526@flash.net>
Source record: 15376

Travis, and Nitespark!

Well the that sounds nice, but dont think its the fuel
pump! Did the ground strapping on monday, my day off
for the holiday, seemed to lower the noise sum, did
make 6 turns of coax (rf choke) at the end of coax before it
goes in to rig, to cut down on transmission of rf chasing
back out!

But the engine still almost dies on 75 meters, not so much
on 40. Never did try 17 meters, bands been so bad of
late i just cant get motivated to do this!
May try this weekend, and you all say would ford dealer
carry this retrofit for noise suppression on their
vehicles? Or could i order via hr on the net? I see
lots of promises but do they really work?

Would some new coax help? some of the double shielded
stuff, RG-8 ???? with a foil wrapped on the outside of
the casing? Or could it just be this older Icom HF rig?

Now i did hear on the the newer 706's series the noise
blanker is better shape than the earlier ones?

keep posted folks, Im gonna get this sooner or later????

Steve.................

2604. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-02 01:43:10 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <Outne.4705$U4.648822@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 15377

I just did a quick search on Motorola and GM350 and found sites in Europe (I assume you're there somewhere) for companies that sell this radio. The first one was:
http://www.masonel.demon.co.uk/products/gm350.htm

No idea what they're like but it's a starting point.

Cheers.

Ken

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2605. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-02 09:19:07 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <faAne.276241$cg1.209478@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15378

That radio already comes with tone squelch. It sounds like you want the
Quick-Call option. Many of the Motorola radios had that in the stock unit
also. If you program it up, check to see if this signaling option is
available "out of the box".

Pete

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2606. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-02 15:47:28 UTC
From: JB <ac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d7na2k$2v28$2@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15379
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

How about a MDC burst with your Drivers license and SS# and
ignition kill switch encoded for easy tracking? Available on
some models

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2607. Re: Lil help for my Yaesu 757 GX II please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-02 16:26:14 UTC
From: JBO <mister.hobnobinn@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <GqGne.12713$zb.5236@trndny01>
Source record: 15380

Mr Fed UP wrote:
> Does anyone have a hint on what might be binding up my Yaesu 757 GX II freq
> dial.
> It worked for a while from ebay purchase and then stiffened up and would not
> turn to
> change frequencies. The mic' buttons work ok to change frequencies, but
> I am not familiar with the mechanics of the dial. I had taken the front
> panel apart once
> and saw no problems... put it back together and it worked ..... a while.
> Any helps appreciated. email at my call arrr.net or post reply retired
> and read lots of newy groups
> Thanks 73 WB9SMX
>
>
It's some sort of Optical Encoder. I had the same problem with my
FT-767. It just started acting up one day. When I would turn the VFO
the frequency would only go down not up. Then, it slowly started to lock
up and get harder and harder to turn. Then it totally locked up.
I couldn't even turn the VFO with "Vise-Grips"

I took it in to a local Ham Repair Shop.
The part was only $50 and 2 hours labor. It's a fault with many
Yaesu radios. It only happens to the radios owned by us who like
to "REALLY" spin the VFO every once in a while.

73 de Dave/N2JBO "Just Being Obnoxious"

2608. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-02 19:00:05 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <9mlu9193j8eq085mrfd2be5up4dinc7mmm@4ax.com>
Source record: 15381

On Wed, 01 Jun 2005 20:36:19 -0500, Steve <hogrunner@flash.net> wrote:

>Travis, and Nitespark!
>
>Well the that sounds nice, but dont think its the fuel
>pump! Did the ground strapping on monday, my day off
>for the holiday, seemed to lower the noise sum, did
>make 6 turns of coax (rf choke) at the end of coax before it
>goes in to rig, to cut down on transmission of rf chasing
>back out!
>
>But the engine still almost dies on 75 meters, not so much
>on 40. Never did try 17 meters, bands been so bad of
>late i just cant get motivated to do this!
>May try this weekend, and you all say would ford dealer
>carry this retrofit for noise suppression on their
>vehicles? Or could i order via hr on the net? I see
>lots of promises but do they really work?

Instead of spinning your wheels, you could just call your Ford dealer
and get the appropos tech sheets and, if needed, parts. Then go from
there. A lot of Ford owners have had noise problems of this sort.

bob
k5qwg

>
>Would some new coax help? some of the double shielded
>stuff, RG-8 ???? with a foil wrapped on the outside of
>the casing? Or could it just be this older Icom HF rig?
>
>Now i did hear on the the newer 706's series the noise
>blanker is better shape than the earlier ones?
>
>keep posted folks, Im gonna get this sooner or later????
>
>Steve.................

2609. FA: Diamond SRH77CA HT antenna 2 meters & 440 MHz - No Res!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-02 23:00:49 UTC
From: muldawer@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1117753249.899605.255370@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15382

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5779422117&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Diamond SRH77CA HT antenna 2 meters and 440 MHz, receive 120, 150, 300, 450, 800 and 900 MHz.

The Diamond SRH77CA is an HT antenna for transmit on 2 meters and 440 MHz. It is a 1/4 wave on 2 meters and a 1/2 wave on 440. It can additionally receive these bands: 120, 150, 300, 450, 800 and 900 MHz. As a result of this exceptional coverage, we actually sell more of these antennas to scanner listeners than hams! It is a favorite model for scanner enthusiasts, and for those using the new breed of wideband handheld radios.

This thin, flexible, black antenna is 16 inches (40 cm) tall. Gain is a 2.15 dBi (440 MHz), provides up to six times the performance of regular antennas. This antenna terminates to a 50 ohm SMA connector.

I bought this for my son and he has not used it and it is in great condition

2610. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-03 00:23:39 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <CpNne.27104$iU.11251@lakeread05>
Source record: 15383

Steve wrote:
> Travis, and Nitespark!
>
> Well the that sounds nice, but dont think its the fuel
> pump! Did the ground strapping on monday, my day off
> for the holiday, seemed to lower the noise sum, did
> make 6 turns of coax (rf choke) at the end of coax before it
> goes in to rig, to cut down on transmission of rf chasing
> back out!
>
> But the engine still almost dies on 75 meters, not so much
> on 40. Never did try 17 meters, bands been so bad of
> late i just cant get motivated to do this!
> May try this weekend, and you all say would ford dealer
> carry this retrofit for noise suppression on their
> vehicles? Or could i order via hr on the net? I see
> lots of promises but do they really work?
>
> Would some new coax help? some of the double shielded
> stuff, RG-8 ???? with a foil wrapped on the outside of
> the casing? Or could it just be this older Icom HF rig?
>
> Now i did hear on the the newer 706's series the noise
> blanker is better shape than the earlier ones?

OK, I was just making some suggestions. A Ford dealer should be able to tell you if there is a retro filter kit for your model vehicle.

If you decide on going with bigger cable and you might want to consider Belden 9913.

I might try a length of RG8X first though. It isn't going to cost that much for a 20ft length.

My guess is, you have RF ingress and egress from the truck computer and unless it is completely shielded with some sort of metal shroud, you will continue to experience problems. Even that may not help, if the spurs from the computer are emitting from the harness and the harness is capturing the nearfield RF from your antenna.

A friend of mine is a comm tech for the local school board. He got a 1995 Ford Explorer as a service vehicle. When he mounted some VHF high band and UHF radios in there for work, he was getting birdies all over the spectrum. He never was able to suppress them, and basically just had to live with them. I also have a 1995 Explorer and just out of curiosity, we checked and our two vehicles were manufactured within 2

weeks of each other. When he took an HT on the same frequencies and held it around the engine compartment of my vehicle, it was perfectly quiet. He had even gotten a new computer to put in it, and that didn't help.

You are correct about the newer 706 models. The IC706 had some serious design flaws in the receiver. The 706MKII and MKIIG corrected those flaws and added UHF in the "G" model.

I don't know that much about the receiver of the IC730.

>

2611. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-03 16:15:16 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <n201a1hk86qcsdbdg8j99mk3ibvigobsg9@4ax.com>
Source record: 15384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 3 Jun 2005 09:03:29 -0700, DaveC <me@privacy.net> wrote:

>What point is considered the focus point of the horn. The feed point for the
>dish is calculated and known, but I'm not sure what point of the feed horn to
>considered when aligning the horn to the dish.

Hi Dave,

A horn is an impedance matching device, not a lens. It is generally
pointed in the direction of desired maximum radiation. If you want to
employ what appears to be the equivalent to your application of focus,
then its "throat" is the term you should be interested in (at least
from the common literature on this subject - a subtle hint, in spite
of your protestations, on how to google this).

The plane of the throat is usually placed at the focus of the
truncated parabaloid (otherwise known as the dish) and orthogonal to
the parabaloid's major axis (the line that points in the direction of
the opening's maximum radiation). Hence both are collinear (and of
necessity, the horn blocks some of the available radiation), unless
this is an off-center feed. In such a case, the math becomes a little
more involved (but all structures conform to these usages).

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

2612. Re: Switching power supply noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-03 19:02:12 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <67a1a19e4j8k50mcl8bdjvuuhhslnsni85@4ax.com>
Source record: 15385

On Sun, 29 May 2005 09:17:03 GMT, Justï¿½n Kï¿½se
<chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:

>Am considering getting the Icom PS-125 supply for a 756pro3,
>are there any issues with switcher noise on the low bands with this
>supply?
>Currently my Alinco DM-330MVT produces some rather strong birdies on my
>706mk2g in the AM broadcast band and to a lesser extent on up into 80
>meters. It has a freq adjust pot that will move the noises, but the Icom
>supply doesn't mention having this capability.

There's a review of that power supply at the ARRL web site for QST
product reviews, if you're a subscriber...

bob
k5qwg

2613. Re: IC-730 mobile in FORD Powerstroke???HELP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-03 22:42:26 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <m15oe.190648$H_1.1642@fe04.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15386

nitespark wrote:
> Steve wrote:
> > Well the that sounds nice, but dont think its the fuel
> > pump! Did the ground strapping on monday, my day off

I didn't say it was the fuel pump, I said it was the fuel injectors
(solenoids).

2614. Re: Switching power supply noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-03 23:53:14 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <K36oe.438$HM.301@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15387

"Just�n K�se" <chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote in message
news:42998624.5306058@chupacabra...
> Am considering getting the Icom PS-125 supply for a 756pro3,
> are there any issues with switcher noise on the low bands with this
> supply?
> Currently my Alinco DM-330MVT produces some rather strong birdies on my
> 706mk2g in the AM broadcast band and to a lesser extent on up into 80
> meters. It has a freq adjust pot that will move the noises, but the Icom
> supply doesn't mention having this capability.

I have the ICOM supply plus two ASTRON switchers running here.
No noise 40M - 70cm.
I don't operate 160 or 80 right now, so cannot comment on those bands.

--

... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

2615. FA: Sunday-Xtal 7127.6 kHz 40M Novice / Tech+ FT-243

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 01:50:50 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <_N7oe.13929$nG6.8718@attbi_s22>
Source record: 15388
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Ending this Sunday

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778487817

Ends Sunday, Jun-05 18:18:42 PDT (Monday, Jun-06 01:18:42 UTC)

Thank's for looking,
"theponyengine"

2616. Re: Switching power supply noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 02:02:30 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <0j22a1hggj5sctsrfscrunt9tso55f6cd6@4ax.com>
Source record: 15389

On Fri, 03 Jun 2005 19:53:16 GMT, Justï¿½n Kï¿½se
<chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:

>In Message-ID:<67a1a19e4j8k50mcl8bdjvuuhhslnsni85@4ax.com> posted on
>Fri, 03 Jun 2005 19:02:12 GMT, Bob Miller wrote:
>
>>On Sun, 29 May 2005 09:17:03 GMT, Justï¿½n Kï¿½se
>><chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:
>>
>>>Am considering getting the Icom PS-125 supply for a 756pro3,
>>>are there any issues with switcher noise on the low bands with this
>>>supply?
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>>>706mk2g in the AM broadcast band and to a lesser extent on up into 80
>>>meters. It has a freq adjust pot that will move the noises, but the Icom
>>>supply doesn't mention having this capability.
>>
>>There's a review of that power supply at the ARRL web site for QST
>>product reviews, if you're a subscriber...
>
>
>Thanks, not a subscriber, but maybe I can find it archived somewhere.
>What did it say about the switcher noise issue, or did it address that?

The cutline under one graph of RF noise read:

"This supply exhibited low levels of broadband noise. The most
prominent peak appears between 4 and 7 Mhz."

And in the conclusion of the text:

"According to ARRL lab tests, it is at least as quiet on the HF bands
as other comparable switching power supplies on the market."

This was a Sept. 2002 review in QST.

Bob
k5qwg

2617. Re: Switching power supply noise

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 02:15:08 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0306052215090001@ac96573f.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 15390

On Sun, 29 May 2005 09:17:03 GMT, Just&#65533;n K&#65533;se
<chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:

>Am considering getting the Icom PS-125 supply for a 756pro3,
>are there any issues with switcher noise on the low bands with this
>supply?
>Currently my Alinco DM-330MVT produces some rather strong birdies on my
>706mk2g in the AM broadcast band and to a lesser extent on up into 80
>meters. It has a freq adjust pot that will move the noises, but the Icom
>supply doesn't mention having this capability.

JK-

I got the PS-125 with my 756 Pro 2. I also have Radio Shack and MFJ switchers.

When receiving with a magnet-mount antenna mounted a few feet away on the
washing machine, I can pick up a low level noise from the PS-125. The
MFJ, which has a good reputation for low noise, is noticeably worse. The
Radio Shack switcher is a total wipe-out.

I don't recall what band I was receiving. I doubt there would be any
perceptible noise from the PS-125 (or the MFJ) when using an outdoor
antenna.

73, Fred, K4DII

2618. WTB S line mter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 03:02:06 UTC
From: spock <vulcan@rascal.com.au>
Message-ID: <42a119b1$0$30177$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 15391

Howdy folks
I have just bought a KWM-2A but has no meter and missing some xtals. If you have a meter or xtals please hollar.
73 vk5zna

2619. FA:ONE-Day-Left - HAM RADIO - RADIO AMATEUR'S HANDBOOK - by Collins - copyright 1964, 1970

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 11:05:10 UTC
From: "Fran B." <fran@lsdkiias.com>
Message-ID: <040620050705101735%fran@lsdkiias.com>
Source record: 15392
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4553269722

2620. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 11:40:23 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <Hqgoe.325928$Ge2.274295@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15393

Pete KE9OA wrote:
> That radio already comes with tone squelch. It sounds like you want
> the Quick-Call option. Many of the Motorola radios had that in the
> stock unit also. If you program it up, check to see if this signaling
> option is available "out of the box".

I believe the OP really IS looking for a 'roger bleep' (made famous by the early NASA transceivers that put a 'bleep' at the end of each transmission so that the receiver would know that it was their time to transmit). It's an option on some radios....but don't know if it is software controlled on his model.

2621. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 11:47:07 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <_wgoe.204384$H_1.153742@fe04.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15394

Travis Jordan wrote:
> Pete KE9OA wrote:
> > That radio already comes with tone squelch. It sounds like you want
> > the Quick-Call option. Many of the Motorola radios had that in the
> > stock unit also. If you program it up, check to see if this
> > signaling option is available "out of the box".
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> the early NASA transceivers that put a 'bleep' at the end of each
> transmission so that the receiver would know that it was their time to
> transmit). It's an option on some radios....but don't know if it is
> software controlled on his model.

....maybe like this....
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778418567

2622. Re: Roger bleeps

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 11:50:27 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <7Agoe.204409$H_1.25185@fe04.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15395

Travis Jordan wrote:
> Travis Jordan wrote:
> > Pete KE9OA wrote:
> > > That radio already comes with tone squelch. It sounds like you
> > > want the Quick-Call option. Many of the Motorola radios had that
> > > in the stock unit also. If you program it up, check to see if this
> > > signaling option is available "out of the box".
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> > by the early NASA transceivers that put a 'bleep' at the end of each
> > transmission so that the receiver would know that it was their time
> > to transmit). It's an option on some radios....but don't know if
> > it is software controlled on his model.
>
> ....maybe like this....
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778418567

or this....

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40055&item=5770600638&tc=photo

2623. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 13:15:39 UTC
From: Russ Renaud <va3rr@yahoo.ca>
Message-ID: <-4adna7GUdPlNDzfRVn-jg@teksavvy.com>
Source record: 15396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DaveC wrote:
> Microwave corrugated horn at the end of the wave guide has multiple choke
> rings.
>
> What point is considered the focus point of the horn. The feed point for the
> dish is calculated and known, but I'm not sure what point of the feed horn to
> considered when aligning the horn to the dish.
>
> I'm not going to use this horn, but simply want to determine where the focal
> point of the horn is so as to place my own 2.4 GHz feed at that location.
>
> This is on a surplus Direct TV feed.

Hi Dave.

W1GHZ has an application that will determine the focus of your dish for you.

However, I find it easier just to attach a few small mirrors on the dish
and point it at the sun to determine the focal point of your dish. See

http://www.qsl.net/va3rr/dualmode/dual_mode.htm

Now you just have to figure out where the phase centre of your feed is...

2624. FA: W.M. WELCH SCEINTIFIC Co. CAPACITOR DECADE BOX, MINT-O!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:07:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <UAioe.39796$NZ1.6998@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15397
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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2625. FA: W.M. WELCH SCEINTIFIC Co. CAPACITOR DECADE BOX, MINT-O!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:08:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BBioe.39797$NZ1.34745@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15198
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=414&item=6182495121&rd=1

2626. FA: TWO(2) SIMILAR METERS for COLLINS R-390A RECEIVER NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:09:09 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9Cioe.39799$NZ1.2443@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15199
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5777874267&rd=1

2627. FA: HYGAIN TELEX HAM-M or HAM IV ROTATOR, Nice for Spare :)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:11:17 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9Eioe.39803$NZ1.13073@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15201
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Big $51>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48692&item=5777874322&rd=1

2628. FA: HEATHKIT IB-5280 RF OSCILLATOR "BLUE SERIES" EXC+ Neat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:12:10 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_Eioe.39804$NZ1.6010@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15200
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Like-New $21>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=1504&item=7519312302&rd=1

2629. FA: $10>FIVE(5) 6 METER HAM-BAND CRYSTALS for GONSET & OTHERS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:12:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <CFioe.39805$NZ1.25996@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15202
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=296&item=5777874346&rd=1

2630. FA: Big $10>COMMUNICATIONS POWER Inc. CPI "RANGE PLUS" PRE-AMP RARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:13:38 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mGioe.39807$NZ1.20322@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15203
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48696&item=5777874358&rd=1

2631. FA: BEAUTIFUL SIMPSON 303 TUBE TYPE VTVM w/TEST LEADS-RARE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 14:15:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9lioe.39809$NZ1.35552@fe09.lga>
Source record: 15204
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=58275&item=7519312350&rd=1

2632. Re: WTB Collins S line meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 16:39:26 UTC
From: spock <vulcan@rascal.com.au>
Message-ID: <42a1d942$0$5392$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 15205

Howdy folks
I have just bought a KWM-2A but has no meter and missing some xtals. If you have a meter or xtals please hollar.
73 vk5zna

2633. FA: FT-1000D MINT - NO RESERVE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 17:36:53 UTC
From: k6zsr <k6zsr@k6zsr.com>
Message-ID: <ZEloe.4001$Er.2861@fed1read02>
Source record: 15206

See it at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40069&item=5778270814&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2634. Re: ECM Noise on CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 17:48:06 UTC
From: Zombie <noemail@non.com>
Message-ID: <kPloe.17881$yG4.1155526@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15208

Just to give everyone an update, i retested the SWR and it was extremely high. So i reset the antenna inductor back to where its supposed to be and the SWR went to 1.5:1. I also ran wires back to the battery, then through a filter and to the radio. After spending 1.5hours getting all that installed, the noise doubled compared to what i had before.

"Zombie" <noemail@non.com> wrote in message
news:a09ne.8842$yG4.634969@news20.bellglobal.com...
> I haven't retested the SWR yet, mainly because there is some amount of
stuff
> I have to take apart to get to the back of the radio. Then some stupid
> neighbor comes over "WHOA MAN You got your car all apart!!!" and starts
> wigging out <sigh>. And yes, I have committed the evil sin of running off
> the car's power, my Kenwood CD player picks up AM without a hint of noise
> from the engine, so I always declared it clean enough. However, I know
> Nissan recommends running straight off battery power. I already recycled
> some nice 14 gauge wire from work, and have a hole in the fire wall and
some
> fuse holders and a relay all sitting there (so the radio can be shut off
> with the ACC), waiting to be soldered together. I'll have to try putting
> those in this weekend. Right now the way it is the noise added is small,
and
> only transmissions I have to strain to hear in the first place are getting
> drowned out. However, even with reasonably strong reception the annoying
> part is that it noise mixes in and creates a very annoying tone in the
> background.
>

>
>

2635. FA: Matching Speaker - FT-1000D

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-04 17:59:05 UTC
From: k6zsr <k6zsr@k6zsr.com>
Message-ID: <NZloe.4006$Er.1379@fed1read02>
Source record: 15207

See it at:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40069&item=5778280883&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2636. Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 01:02:49 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42A24F39.AEFB8EFB@erols.com>
Source record: 15209

Mint Kenwood TS-820. Has built in digital display. I know it is an oldie but like new with manual and spare 6146Bs. What would be the price range please? Thanks.
73 Murray, K3BEQ

2637. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 03:06:01 UTC
From: Garner Ted ArmsPong <noname@hotmail.org>
Message-ID: <50r4a1pleitqkg4ckjpvi879gd2lv8nbq3@4ax.com>
Source record: 15210

On Sat, 04 Jun 2005 21:02:49 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
<mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

>Mint Kenwood TS-820. Has built in digital display. I know it is an
>oldie but like new with manual and spare 6146Bs. What would be the
>price range please? Thanks.
>73 Murray, K3BEQ

Search for the Boneyard Bluebook.

2638. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 06:51:27 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42A2A0EF.D98BA6B3@erols.com>
Source record: 15211

**Thanks.

Garner Ted ArmsPong wrote:
>
> On Sat, 04 Jun 2005 21:02:49 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
> <mgreen@erols.com> wrote:
>
> >Mint Kenwood TS-820. Has built in digital display. I know it is an
> >oldie but like new with manual and spare 6146Bs. What would be the
> >price range please? Thanks.
> >73 Murray, K3BEQ
>
> Search for the Boneyard Bluebook.

2639. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 07:17:51 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42A2A71F.D9A9B44@erols.com>
Source record: 15212

Checked the Web for Boneyard Bluebook but nothing current. Latest
appeared to be 1999.
73 Murray, K3BEQ
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Garner Ted ArmsPong wrote:
>
> On Sat, 04 Jun 2005 21:02:49 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
> <mgreen@erols.com> wrote:
>
> >Mint Kenwood TS-820. Has built in digital display. I know it is an
> >oldie but like new with manual and spare 6146Bs. What would be the
> >price range please? Thanks.
> >73 Murray, K3BEQ
>
> Search for the Boneyard Bluebook.

2640. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 09:07:00 UTC
From: Gary
Message-ID: <62g5a15v190cvatcfprjaqfvk92d04s0fl@4ax.com>
Source record: 15213

On Sun, 05 Jun 2005 03:17:51 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
<mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

>Checked the Web for Boneyard Bluebook but nothing current. Latest
>appeared to be 1999.
>73 Murray, K3BEQ

Check on eBay under completed sales. That'll give you some idea what
the going rate is on eBay for the same type of transceiver.

73 Gary K8IQ

>==========
>
>Garner Ted ArmsPong wrote:
>>
>> On Sat, 04 Jun 2005 21:02:49 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
>> <mgreen@erols.com> wrote:
>>
>> >Mint Kenwood TS-820. Has built in digital display. I know it is an
>> >oldie but like new with manual and spare 6146Bs. What would be the
>> >price range please? Thanks.
>> >73 Murray, K3BEQ
>>
>> Search for the Boneyard Bluebook.

2641. WTB : automatic remote antenna tuner (Kenwood AT-300)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 09:32:41 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3gfv5qFc2kr4U1@individual.net>
Source record: 15214

Hello,
i am looking to buy an automatic remote antenna tuner to use a long wire random antenna, a good choice should be a Kenwood AT-300 because i'll use this unit with 2 Kenwood HF RTX (100w max out).

It should be well kept, not modified, and (of course) complete and perfectly working.

I am not interested in base or manual models : i'm looking for an automatic remote antenna tuner only.

To write an email: gaggior at tin dot it

Thank you,
73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

2642. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 11:23:34 UTC
From: Russ Renaud <va3rr@yahoo.ca>
Message-ID: <Q76dnfUQofQvfT_fRVn-vg@teksavvy.com>
Source record: 15215
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DaveC wrote:
> On Sat, 4 Jun 2005 06:15:39 -0700, Russ Renaud wrote
> (in article <-4adna7GUdPlNDzfRVn-jg@teksavvy.com>):
>
>
>>W1GHZ has an application that will determine the focus of your dish for you.
>
>
> I know the focus of the dish. Just need to know the point used as the feed
> point.
>
>
>>Now you just have to figure out where the phase centre of your feed is...
>
>
> It sounds like it is the entrance to the throat of the (original) guide where
> the guide connects to the horn. According to this, you can lengthen or
> shorten the guide at that point to change the "depth of radiation" (whether
> the feed illuminates a small or large diameter of the dish), according to:
>
> http://tinyurl.com/ar9es
>
I guess I wasn't able to divine your intent, then.

You say you have a surplus DirecTV "feed". You say you know the focal
point of your dish. You want to use your own 2.4 GHz feed. You
make mention of an adjustable feed - is it a chapparel-type feed because
I didn't think the DirecTV feeds are adjustable?

What kind of horn are you planning to use for 2.4 GHz? DirecTV dishes
are usually fairly small - the more efficient feedhorns are fairly
large, at least for 2.4 GHz if you have a .7 f/D DirecTV dish.

The simple answer is to place the phase center of your 2.4 GHz feed at
the focal point of your dish. What is the phase center of your 2.4 GHz
feed? Maybe this is the question you want to ask. If so, the answer is
probably here.

http://www.qsl.net/n1bwt/contents.htm

2643. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 13:55:54 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <IvDoe.564$Cr.545@fed1read07>
Source record: 15216

About $340 middle price according to Hampedia - URL:
http://aade.com/hampedia/kenwoodp.htm

Sez low $255 -- high $455

But thats e-bay realized -- locals pay a lot less -- hi hi

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
news:42A24F39.AEFB8EFB@erols.com...
>
> Mint Kenwood TS-820. Has built in digital display. I know it is an
> oldie but like new with manual and spare 6146Bs. What would be the
> price range please? Thanks.
> 73 Murray, K3BEQ

2644. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 14:46:42 UTC
From: Russ Renaud <va3rr@yahoo.ca>
Message-ID: <cvWdnWHFbr_MjT7fRVn-sQ@teksavvy.com>
Source record: 15217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DaveC wrote:
> On Sun, 5 Jun 2005 04:23:34 -0700, Russ Renaud wrote
> (in article <Q76dnfUQofQvfT_fRVn-vg@teksavvy.com>):
> No, I'm talking about replacing the feed with my own feed. "Adjustable" means
> that depending on how much of the dish I want to illuminate, I can change the
> length of the feed's waveguide to extend beyond the feed point as described
> here:
>
> http://tinyurl.com/ar9es
>
>
>>What kind of horn are you planning to use for 2.4 GHz? DirecTV dishes
>>are usually fairly small - the more efficient feedhorns are fairly
>>large, at least for 2.4 GHz if you have a .7 f/D DirecTV dish.
>
>
> I haven't decided, yet. Options are cantenna-type feed, or patch panel-type.
>
>
>>The simple answer is to place the phase center of your 2.4 GHz feed at
>>the focal point of your dish. What is the phase center of your 2.4 GHz
>>feed? Maybe this is the question you want to ask. If so, the answer is
>>probably here.
>
>
> Well, this I think I know. I'm just trying to determine what the feed point
> is for the *existing* feed. That gives me a point on the hardware to attempt
> to duplicate with the new feed. This is different and easier than aiming for
> a point in space (the dish's feed point).
>
>
>>http://www.qsl.net/n1bwt/contents.htm
>
>
> Yes, a great resource. I discovered this last month. While it is my "bible"
> for designing this project, it doesn't contain the answer to this question.

OK. I think I understand. Assuming you are using the DirecTv dish, and
you want to replace the DTV horn with your own horn or dish feed, the
'phase center' of the DTV horn is about .25 lambda from the mouth of the
horn.

So, you place the phase center of your replacement feed at the same
point as the DTV horn's phase center.

Again, assuming you are using the DirecTv dish, neither the cantenna nor a patch antenna will provide ideal illumination for a DTV offset dish, which has an f/D of around .7

If you are OK with linear polarization (is the antenna for WiFi use?), I suspect a biquad would provide better illumination than a cantenna or a patch. Not that the latter two wouldn't work, it's just they aren't optimum for that f/D

Russ

2645. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 18:08:14 UTC
From: Jerry Martes <j.jmartes@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <icHoe.9607$U_2.1496@trnddc06>
Source record: 15218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"DaveC" <me@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:0001HW.BEC8844E0006D07FF04075B0@news.readfreenews.net...
> Thanks, Russ, for your observations.
>
>> If you are OK with linear polarization (is the antenna for WiFi use?),
>> I suspect a biquad would provide better illumination than a cantenna
>> or a patch. Not that the latter two wouldn't work, it's just they
>> aren't optimum for that f/D
>
> Yes, WiFi. If need be, can't I just rotate the biquad feed by 90 deg. and
> get
> horiz. polarization?
>
> Yeah, I see (via net search) that biquad fits nicely with a 0.7 f/D dish.
>
> Thanks again,
> --
> Please, no "Go Google this" replies. I wouldn't
> ask a question here if I hadn't done that already.
>
> DaveC
> me@privacy.net
> This is an invalid return address
> Please reply in the news group
>

Dave

Do you know of a web site where the offset dish f/D is defined? I am
familiar with the conventional (feed at the center) parabolic reflector f/D.
My question relates to my wondering if the TV satellite dish is a parabola
with the horn feed offset away from the focal point.

Jerry

2646. FA - Yaesu FRG-7 and "other stuff"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 18:13:02 UTC
From: Not any More <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1117995182.948178.103250@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15219

Yaesu Frg-7
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=5778900464

Sony 7600GR portable receiver
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=5778913477

Uniden / Bearcat BC-60XLT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40980&item=5778904114

256mb laptop memory - 200-pin SODIMM / PC2700 DDR / 333mHz bus speed.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=31575&item=6773964974

2647. FA: My Items on E-Bay...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 18:54:11 UTC
From: me <k8cpa@k8cpa.org>
Message-ID: <5ii6a1t93u0r7b3d60kqaiemeo5a9nbueq@4ax.com>
Source record: 15220

http://cgi3.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewUserPage&userid=k8cpa

Paypal welcomed and prefered....

73 de Chuck - K8CPA

2648. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 19:04:58 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42A34CDA.D17C72B4@erols.com>
Source record: 15221

**Reply much appreciated especially the URL to the price list. The prices for the mobiles (e.g. 241 and 2530 etc) seem high considering one can purchase a brand new unit for not much more. But on Ebay anything goes. Thanks. Do u have the url for for icom and yeasu used gear and are they the current year? Would like to bookmark those URLs also.
73 Murray, K3BEQ
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Caveat Lector wrote:
>
> About $340 middle price according to Hampedia - URL:
> http://aade.com/hampedia/kenwoodp.htm
>
> Sez low $255 -- high $455
>
> But thats e-bay realized -- locals pay a lot less -- hi hi
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> --
> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
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> "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:42A24F39.AEFB8EFB@erols.com...
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> > oldie but like new with manual and spare 6146Bs. What would be the
> > price range please? Thanks.
> > 73 Murray, K3BEQ

2649. Oooops on Used Prices for Kenwood

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 19:09:57 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42A34E05.A2E5676C@erols.com>
Source record: 15222

Sorry about that. Just noticed the list is dated 2000. Will have to
adjust for the 5 years.
73 Murray, K3BEQ

2650. Re: FA: MFJ

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 19:21:10 UTC
From: WQ4ZZZ <noname@hotmail.org>
Message-ID: <t3k6a19f3g995nbplmqnmindhbor4cf0k5@4ax.com>
Source record: 15223

On Wed, 01 Jun 2005 02:27:32 GMT, "KU4YP" <ku4yp@verizon.net> wrote:

>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5778965366&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

MP - here is an auction that you may want to buy - a HEATHKIT for
$1.00 - LOL...

Item number 5779289754

2651. Re: Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 19:24:02 UTC
From: Garner Ted ArmsPong <noname@hotmail.org>
Message-ID: <u7k6a1h8m6bribdat9i0s7ifhvggaeeoek@4ax.com>
Source record: 15225

I just used Google and found it...
It covers 1995 to 2005... Here it is:

http://s88932719.onlinehome.us/Ham/boneyard2004.htm

On Sun, 05 Jun 2005 03:17:51 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
<mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

>Checked the Web for Boneyard Bluebook but nothing current. Latest
>appeared to be 1999.
>73 Murray, K3BEQ
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>Garner Ted ArmsPong wrote:
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>> On Sat, 04 Jun 2005 21:02:49 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
>> <mgreen@erols.com> wrote:
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>> >price range please? Thanks.
>> >73 Murray, K3BEQ
>>
>> Search for the Boneyard Bluebook.

2652. Re: Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 19:25:35 UTC
From: Garner Ted ArmsPong <noname@hotmail.org>
Message-ID: <ick6a1dffs87c1kjnhv8758mlgfr61i6om@4ax.com>
Source record: 15224

This is the other useful, free spot for prices:
http://www.aade.com/hampedia/prices2.htm

You can at least get a rough idea of what something is worth
by using that and the Boneyard.

On Sun, 05 Jun 2005 03:17:51 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
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>>
>> Search for the Boneyard Bluebook.

2653. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 19:40:11 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <vyloe.637$Cr.471@fed1read07>
Source record: 15226

Sorry forgot the main index for all ham gear -- it is
http://aade.com/hampedia/prices.htm

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
news:42A34CDA.D17C72B4@erols.com...
> **Reply much appreciated especially the URL to the price list. The
> prices for the mobiles (e.g. 241 and 2530 etc) seem high considering
> one can purchase a brand new unit for not much more. But on Ebay
> anything goes. Thanks. Do u have the url for for icom and yeasu used
> gear and are they the current year? Would like to bookmark those
> URLs also.
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>> > price range please? Thanks.
>> > 73 Murray, K3BEQ

2654. Re: Price Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 21:53:51 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42A3746F.ED82D615@erols.com>
Source record: 15227

**Thanks Vic. Strange though. I went through what was supposed to be
the latest amateur equip sales list of a few sites and the latest is
2002; 3 years old. Thought they would be more current than that unless
Im looking in the wrong area. Appreciate URL.
73 Mur
==========

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> >> > price range please? Thanks.

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2655. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-05 23:11:13 UTC
From: Russ Renaud <va3rr@yahoo.ca>
Message-ID: <vMCdnWeZ1tlWGz7fRVn-tw@teksavvy.com>
Source record: 15228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DaveC wrote:
> Thanks, Russ, for your observations.
>
>
>>If you are OK with linear polarization (is the antenna for WiFi use?),
>>I suspect a biquad would provide better illumination than a cantenna
>>or a patch. Not that the latter two wouldn't work, it's just they
>>aren't optimum for that f/D
>
>
> Yes, WiFi. If need be, can't I just rotate the biquad feed by 90 deg. and get
> horiz. polarization?
>
> Yeah, I see (via net search) that biquad fits nicely with a 0.7 f/D dish.
>
> Thanks again,

Yes. Just turn the biquad so the one quad is 'on top' of the lower quad
and you will have horizonal polarization. The pattern looks pretty
symmetrical in both the E and H planes

Best of luck

2656. FS Azden PCS-4000 2 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 01:31:31 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <THNoe.3353$nk4.2548@trndny01>
Source record: 15229
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Have an Azden PCS-4000 2 meter radio for sale or trade for a HT.It transmits
and receives great but I don't have a manual for it.Make a resonable offer
for it and its yours.Thanks
--
73s
Grid 42
IRLP Node #4162
The Home of The Perfect Storm

2657. FS Dentron MT-3000A Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 02:41:38 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <uJOoe.25775$DC2.18767@okepread01>
Source record: 15230

FS Dentron MT-3000A Antenna Tuner, covers 1.8 - 30 MHz. It is built with quality heavy duty parts and will handle up to 3000 watts P.E.P. It has a built in coaxial switch, dummy load and balun. It works with a multitude of antenna systems, including up to 3 coaxial lines, long wire system, and a balanced feed line. It also has built-in separate meters for monitoring SWR and power. most sought after This antenna tuner is in excellent condition. There are a few nicks and scuffs on the cabinet. The front panel is almost perfect. There is one scratch on the aluminum insert of the transmitter matching knob on the left. Price is $295 Plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2658. FS Lots of Ham Gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 02:51:57 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <9TOoe.25781$DC2.4402@okepread01>
Source record: 15231

I have the following ham gear for sale:

Ten-Tec Model 261 Power Supply, $115
Ten-Tec Model 705 desk mic, $65
Icom IC-280 Mobile 2 mt Transceiver, works, manual, box, cable, mount,No tone, $55
TPL 2mt Amplifier 10watts in. 70 out, for FM and SSB, $55
Yaesu FT-747 Mobile Mount and manual, $30
Drake 1525EM Mobile Mic with TT Pad, $30.

All prices do not include shipping costs. Please e-mail me for details on condition.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2659. FS AMCOMM HB-125 QRP HF Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 02:59:33 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <h_Ooe.25784$DC2.10757@okepread01>
Source record: 15232

FS a brand new AMCOMM Penetrator Amateur Linear HF QRP Amplifier Model HB-125. I bought it from the original owner who never took it out of the box. I fired it up for the first time, and it works very well. It is a true Amateur QRP HF amplifier that covers 40 through 10 meters and has band switches and low pass filtering for each band. It is type F series certified by the FCC. It is strictly a QRP amplifier in that 5 watts AM or CW or 12 watts SSB is all the input that it is designed to handle. Output is up to 180 watts, depending on band. This is a very well constructed and designed amplifier. AMCOMM is still in business, but they do not make the amplifier any longer. It comes with the original instructions, schematic, warranty card and the original box and packing. I don't believe there is a finer QRP amplifier on the market today. This one is mint. Price is $275 shipped in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2660. Re: FS Azden PCS-4000 2 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 04:44:12 UTC
From: kg7poe@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <54l7a1lml93mo0ok07ioe3cf0vpcbr3l33@4ax.com>
Source record: 15233
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 06 Jun 2005 01:31:31 GMT, "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote:

>
>Have an Azden PCS-4000 2 meter radio for sale or trade for a HT.It transmits
>and receives great but I don't have a manual for it.Make a resonable offer
>for it and its yours.Thanks

Does it support a PL.

2661. Re: FS Azden PCS-4000 2 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 07:39:54 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0506052136180.12432@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 15234
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Mon, 6 Jun 2005, N1RSP wrote:

>
> Have an Azden PCS-4000 2 meter radio for sale or trade for a HT.It transmits
> and receives great but I don't have a manual for it.Make a resonable offer
> for it and its yours.Thanks
> --
> 73s
> Grid 42
> IRLP Node #4162
> The Home of The Perfect Storm

Is the PCS4000 anything like the PCS3000???? If so I would be
interested in getting it just for the Mike/and coil cord and plug
Look at the mike plug and see if it has 16 receptacles on the
end of the coil cord. Also please email me direct to
jfenn@lava.net and will make you and offer.
Joe/KH6JF/ABM6JF

2662. Re: FS Azden PCS-4000 2 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 10:44:10 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <_NVoe.12283$MX2.8976@trndny03>
Source record: 15235
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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It does let you put a pl 259 connection to it if that is what you are
asking.
<kg7poe@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:54l7a1lml93mo0ok07ioe3cf0vpcbr3l33@4ax.com...
> On Mon, 06 Jun 2005 01:31:31 GMT, "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote:
>
>>
>>Have an Azden PCS-4000 2 meter radio for sale or trade for a HT.It
>>transmits
>>and receives great but I don't have a manual for it.Make a resonable offer
>>for it and its yours.Thanks
>
>
> Does it support a PL.
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>
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2663. website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 11:23:34 UTC
From: steve carey <scarey@tds.net>
Message-ID: <42a43205$1_1@newspeer2.tds.net>
Source record: 15236

www.k9yk.com

2664. FA: COLLINS 1970 RADIO AMATEUR'S HANDBOOK - Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 12:46:48 UTC
From: "Dale M." <dale@makosw99so.com>
Message-ID: <060620050846483085%dale@makosw99so.com>
Source record: 15237
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4554802477

2665. FA: SECRETS OF RF CIRCUIT DESIGN - A TAB Book - Hams - Amateur Radio - Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 12:55:18 UTC
From: "Dale M." <dale@makosw99so.com>
Message-ID: <060620050855183682%dale@makosw99so.com>
Source record: 15238
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4554813453

2666. MFJ 249B/259B vs. Autek VA1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 16:32:28 UTC
From: Joshua G Senecal <senecal@ucdavis.edu>
Message-ID: <Pine.LNX.4.61.0506060922430.4657@pc33.cs.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 15239

Hi All,

It looks like I'm going to be in the apartment for another year, so I need to build a better limited-space antenna (probably a helically wound dipole). I'm considering obtaining an antenna analyzer to assist me in this.

Being a grad student I don't have a large budget, so (unless I suddenly come by a lot of money) I'll probably have to get something like the MFJ 259B or the Autek VA1.

I've looked up the specs on each, and read the eHam reviews. It seems that generally both work well, but both companies have quality control issues, with the MFJ quality being slightly better but the Autek providing more features. I'm attracted to the Autek because of its price, but I don't relish the idea of having to open the thing up and resolder a bunch of connections.

What are *your* opinions?

Thanks!

-Josh, AE6IQ

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senecal@mapson.cs.ucdavis.edu

Remove the reversed "nospam" in the address.

2667. Re: FS Azden PCS-4000 2 Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 16:58:33 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnda905p.2eo4.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 15240
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Sun, 05 Jun 2005 21:44:12 -0700, kg7poe@yahoo.com wrote:
> On Mon, 06 Jun 2005 01:31:31 GMT, "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote:
>
>>Have an Azden PCS-4000 2 meter radio for sale or trade for a HT.It transmits
>>and receives great but I don't have a manual for it.Make a resonable offer
>>for it and its yours.Thanks
>
> Does it support a PL.

Yes. There is a 'pad' location for one. And, an 'attacment' point after
the mike pre-amp. But, it would need to be a single freq. selection.
There'd be no auto-channel-by-channel selection. I dropped a Com-Spec in
mine _and_ added a wee little thumb-wheel switch to select the tone needed.
Tedious work - that! HI!HI!

Long time ago, tho'. Two things came to pass at nearly the same time.
The processor in it went kah-kah, and I finally forswore to never again
operate 2M FM. My dead, 'tricked-up' PCS-4000 now sleeps with the used
kitty litter.

73
Jonesy
--
| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

2668. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 17:56:38 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0606051356390001@ac92bd89.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 15241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <icHoe.9607$U_2.1496@trnddc06>, "Jerry Martes"
<j.jmartes@verizon.net> wrote:

> My question relates to my wondering if the TV satellite dish is a parabola
> with the horn feed offset away from the focal point.

Jerry-

I understand there is a class of unsymmetric antenna where the feed is
actually at the focal point, but the reflecting surface is only a side
section of the whole parabola. Although it is physically "offset", it
functions as a parabolic antenna.

Fred

2669. FA: Icom and Kenwood handhelds, batteries, charger..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 18:26:52 UTC
From: google_mail@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1118082412.587612.299840@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15242

I'm cleaning out the hamshack to make room for more stuff:

Icom IC-4AT 70cm UHF FM handheld transceiver - needs work
Kenwood TH-41AT 70cm UHF FM handheld transceiver
Icom IC-2AT 2 meter VHF handheld transceiver - like new
Icom BP-2 BP-5 BP-8 batteries for refurbishment
Icom BC-35 AC desktop rapid battery charger

Link to items:
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfrppZ50QQfsooZ1QQfsopZ1QQrdZ0QQsassZcommerceQ2e1

2670. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 19:32:01 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3gjmlhFcfgboU1@individual.net>
Source record: 15243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Pioneer Scsii
CD changer. No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

2671. Re: SECRETS OF RF CIRCUIT DESIGN - A TAB Book - Hams - Amateur Radio - Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 20:58:42 UTC
From: Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <11a9e6jbh31u986@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15244
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Dale M." <dale@makosw99so.com> wrote in message
news:060620050855183682%dale@makosw99so.com...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4554813453

You might mention this is an older edition. Also, while I'd be the first to admit that Joe Carr probably knows a lot more about RF Design than I do, it's much more of a "cookbook" than a book with any significant theoretical basis (such as Hayward's, Orr's or DeMaw's books have); the title is -- IMO -- a little misleading.

---Joel

2672. Wanted: Kenwood SWT-1 instruction sheet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 21:11:24 UTC
From: Dean <badabinger@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <p4Odna1Hr4udlTnfRVn-sg@comcast.com>
Source record: 15245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I would like an original or a copy of the instruction sheet for the Kenwood SWT-1 / SWT-2 antenna tuner. Let me know if you can help me and how much you would require.

73
Dean
N8DWK

2673. Re: What equipment is ideal for me at Foundation level?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-06 22:22:49 UTC
From: vk3vfl <vk3vfl@optusnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <42a4cd80$0$10836$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 15246

Hi Greg, I have a 746 with ATU at home and a 706 NO ATU in built in the car
you would find these good radios for the Foundation level as you can run
theses radio`s at 10w no prob`s, I have spoken to a lots of people on 10w on
80m and with good signal reports,not sure on your price range? Also make up
a G5RV very easy done and great for all freq, let me know if you want the
wire lengths and I will send them 2 you
Good luck on your exam
Geoff
Vk3vfl
"Greg.S" <gregsiddons@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:3a769848.0504260436.7957ec1a@posting.google.com...
> I'm looking around at starter equipment that is simple(!) for my
> ability level.
>
> I like the idea of built-in ATUs for making my installation easier
> too. What do you suggest?
>
> Also, what type of antenna should I be looking at?
>
> Do I gather that I should be looking at HF equipment?
>
> Many thanks... Greg

2674. WTB: Manual for Rohde & Schwarz ESH-3 Test Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 01:05:00 UTC
From: "kb6lue@pacbell.net" <kb6lue@pacbell.net>
Message-ID: <1118106300.734386.132380@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15247

Looking for a copy of the service manual for the Rohde & Schwarz ESH-3
Test Receiver.

2675. Coaxial Cable, Connector & Adapter Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 02:14:16 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <info@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <bp7pe.49419$Wr.5450@fed1read04>
Source record: 15148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.components,sci.electronics.equipment

High quality, but low cost, coaxial cable, connectors & adapters. Call 949 481 3154 or see www.aaarfproducts.com or email sales@aaarfproducts to receive your full line catalog.

No minimum order.

No handling charges.

Paypal & credit cards accepted.

2676. FA: BEAUTIFUL DAIWA AF-606K ALL-MODE ACTIVE FILTER>Does ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 13:27:15 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ughpe.9005$hg.408@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15149
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466900&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2677. FA: $9.99>ORIGINAL AUTEK QF-1 AUDIO FILTER AM-SSB-CW>110vac>NEAT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 13:28:49 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mihpe.9007$hg.5477@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15152
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466798&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2678. FA: $10> NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET>BIG $100 VALUE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 13:30:38 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <3khpe.9009$hg.7406@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15150
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7520985004&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2679. FA: DRAKE TV-3300-LP TVI LOW-PASS FILTER>1000WATTS, BEST:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 13:31:26 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Okhpe.9011$hg.6310@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15151
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

No Bids @$10>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466867&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2680. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 13:32:20 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Elhpe.9012$hg.8151@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15153
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Cheep, gotta see it!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466885&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2681. FA - FRG-7 and Sony 7600GR *** Ending Tuesday Night ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 14:30:34 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1118154634.457599.241430@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15155
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yaesu FRG-7 (Sears branded) - late version w/ fine tune control
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=577...

Sony 7600GR - Nearly new
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=577...

Uniden / Bearcat 30 channel scanner
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40980&item=577...

2682. FS Yaesu FT-7 HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 15:08:11 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <lLipe.25849$DC2.16752@okepread01>
Source record: 15154

I have for sale a Yaesu FT-7 HF Transceiver. It looks good, some wear and scratches, and the receiver works. All dial light work. But no output in transmit. Probably needs finals. Final transistors should not be too expensive. This is the 20 watts out version. It comes with the Yaesu hand mic and a W7FG Manual.
Price is $95 plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2683. Re: FA - FRG-7 and Sony 7600GR *** Ending Tuesday Night ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 15:50:05 UTC
From: Never anonymous Bud <newskat@katxyzkave.net>
Message-ID: <uggba1d3c6lhvfhuhn61ohkvgk9jf5k4gh@4ax.com>
Source record: 15157
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Using a finger dipped in purple ink, "kk4tl" <kk4tl@aol.com> scribed:

>Yaesu FRG-7 (Sears branded) - late version w/ fine tune control
>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=577...

Invalid Item
This listing (577..) has been removed by eBay or is no longer available.
Please make sure that you've entered the item number correctly.

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Lumber Cartel (tinlc) #2063. Spam this account at your own risk.

This sig censored by the Office of Home and Land Insecurity....

2684. Re: FA: BEAUTIFUL DAIWA AF-606K ALL-MODE ACTIVE FILTER>Does ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 16:04:13 UTC
From: "John S." <hjsjms@cs.com>
Message-ID: <1118160253.482616.157710@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15156
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

That's one of the nicer pre-digital audio filters that I've had the opportunity to use. The new owner should get a lot of use out of it. BTW, there was a very positive review in one of the Fine Tuning Proceedings.

2685. great amateur pics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 19:20:11 UTC
From: angela martin <am004d9612@blueyonder.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Lrmpe.12844$bl3.67@fe1.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 15158

great amateur pics

http://www.newbienudes.com/?ref=z184185

2686. Re: great amateur pics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 20:48:10 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XJnpe.23029$HP1.6026@fe08.lga>
Source record: 15159

Yea, the TS-700 looks gerat

angela martin wrote:

>great amateur pics
>
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>http://www.newbienudes.com/?ref=z184185
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>
>

2687. Re: FA - FRG-7 and Sony 7600GR *** Ending Tuesday Night ***

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 21:16:48 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1118179008.001305.240690@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15160
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hey the other links didn't work either (still don't know how they
all got shortened to 577's.

Anyway maybe these will work better. Or work period.
Uniden BC-60XLT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40980&item=5778904114

Sony 7600GR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=5778913477

And it wasn't purple ink - it was green and blue and orange. :-)

2688. Re: great amateur pics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-07 23:39:13 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndacc11.juh.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 15161

On Tue, 07 Jun 2005 16:48:10 -0400, Gen. Geroge Hammond wrote:
> angela martin wrote:
>
>>great amateur pics
>>
>>http://www.***************.com/?ref=z184185
>
> Yea, the TS-700 looks gerat

Well, I hope you stripped off the "?ref=" value. Elsewise they'll know
it is productive to spam rrae and keep doing it.

2689. Icom 751 Problem -- Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 06:08:57 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <42A68B6B.3F69B0F5@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 15162

Ok, Here's a new one for me, but perhaps one of you has solved it already.

One of my Icom 751 transceivers is acting odd... The T/S button and DFS button seem to do the correct thing, but I can't switch bands. Pressing the band switch in causes the frequency to display at a much higher rate than normal. (with the Band button in, the frequency changes so rapidly that it appears to be about 1000 times faster than with it off.) The frequency display moves through a given band, then goes to the bottom of the band and repeats... You can't get the radio to move out of whatever band it started in. At first, I thought the band button was broken, before I realized that pressing it in causes the display to change MUCH faster than when it is not depressed.

Also, pressing the RIT button or the XIT button causes the RIT or XIT to flash momentarily on the display (as I press the button in, it happens about half way down on the button press) but RIT or XIT is not engaged...

The Ham/Gene switch also seems to have no effect. The radio display just will not go beyond the band I happen to get when I turn on the radio.

I pulled the standard Icom ram board and put a PIEXX ramboard replacement in, (from a 751A that works just fine) and it doesn't change the symptom, only the frequency range happens on another band.

OK, so have any of you radio gurus out there heard of this problem, or encountered it and know of a fix?

I've googled for 751 mods, repairs, problems and spent hours trying to find anything this way, and all I can seem to find are a few mods (some of which seem to indicate that failing electrolytic caps can cause a few other symptoms, but nobody has mentioned anything that sounds like my problem...)

Thanks
--AH7H

2690. Re: Icom 751 Problem -- Help Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 14:55:51 UTC
From: James <james@home_james.com>
Message-ID: <42A706A0.A4D03C86@home_james.com>
Source record: 15163

hi rick,

come on over to join the group,
many good people there to get you online again.

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Amateur-repairs/

73 jim

Rick Frazier wrote:

> Ok, Here's a new one for me, but perhaps one of you has solved it
> already.
>
> One of my Icom 751 transceivers is acting odd... The T/S button and DFS
> button seem to do the correct thing, but I can't switch bands. Pressing
> the band switch in causes the frequency to display at a much higher rate
> than normal. (with the Band button in, the frequency changes so rapidly
> that it appears to be about 1000 times faster than with it off.) The
> frequency display moves through a given band, then goes to the bottom of
> the band and repeats... You can't get the radio to move out of whatever
> band it started in. At first, I thought the band button was broken,
> before I realized that pressing it in causes the display to change MUCH
> faster than when it is not depressed.
>
> Also, pressing the RIT button or the XIT button causes the RIT or XIT to
> flash momentarily on the display (as I press the button in, it happens
> about half way down on the button press) but RIT or XIT is not
> engaged...
>
> The Ham/Gene switch also seems to have no effect. The radio display
> just will not go beyond the band I happen to get when I turn on the
> radio.
>
> I pulled the standard Icom ram board and put a PIEXX ramboard
> replacement in, (from a 751A that works just fine) and it doesn't change
> the symptom, only the frequency range happens on another band.
>
> OK, so have any of you radio gurus out there heard of this problem, or
> encountered it and know of a fix?
>
> I've googled for 751 mods, repairs, problems and spent hours trying to
> find anything this way, and all I can seem to find are a few mods (some
> of which seem to indicate that failing electrolytic caps can cause a few
> other symptoms, but nobody has mentioned anything that sounds like my
> problem...)

>
> Thanks
> --AH7H

2691. RE:Hoka Code 300-32 decoder - bargain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 15:52:18 UTC
From: Tony <yahton12@yahoo.co.uk>
Message-ID: <Xns966FAB9CCF3F6yahton12yahoocouk@195.8.68.217>
Source record: 15164

Grab yourself a bargain and be in touch with events around the world. Check Ebay.

2692. FS: Icom 725 transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 15:58:14 UTC
From: puns <puns@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <qAEpe.17487$_w.7455@trnddc01>
Source record: 15165

Icom 725 HF Transceiver/Gen Coverage-VGC.
USB, LSB, CW, AM/FM..100 watts output.
Receive: 30 Khz-33 Mhz, TX: 160-10 Mtrs.
Comes with 250 Hz. cw filter, IC-SM6 Desk Mic,
HM-12 Hand Mic, Pwr Cord, Operating/Service
Manuals..I live in Baltimore, Maryland.
Price: $350 Firm, Includes insured shipping to 48
states.

2693. Wanted: mobile mount for Icom IC-22/A/S/U

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 16:50:14 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <alFpe.2$mt6.1@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 15166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a complete mobile mounting bracket
for Icom IC-22/A/S/U 2m FM mobile transceiver.
Anybody have one lying around unused?

73,
Dean K5DH

2694. Wanted: Kenwood SWT-1 or SWT-2 instruction sheet

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 17:06:12 UTC
From: Dean <badabinger@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <R7GdnfYt9ddVuDrfRVn-qA@comcast.com>
Source record: 15167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I would like an original or a copy of the instruction sheet for the Kenwood SWT-1 / SWT-2 antenna tuner. Let me know if you can help me and how much you would require.

73
Dean
N8DWK

2695. FS NIB FT-8800R Dual Band Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 17:39:31 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <b3Gpe.25892$DC2.18036@okepread01>
Source record: 15168

I have a New In the Box Yaesu FT-8800R that I will sell for $299 and I will ship to lower 48. I purchased this dual band transceiver to put in my wife's car and she decided that she did not want to go mobile. I never took it out of the box. I love these radios. I two 8900 and another 8800. I don't need this one.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2696. FA: BNC to SMA Coaxial Adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 18:41:13 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <sales@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <dZGpe.5020$6s.721@fed1read02>
Source record: 15169

Please view at:
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7522161862&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

www.aaarfproducts.com

2697. Re: BNC to SMA Coaxial Adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 19:08:27 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <LmHpe.466268$Ge2.435371@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15170

AAA RF Products wrote:
> Please view at:

Waaaay to expensive. Get 'em here.
http://www.123av.com/CatProducts.asp?Category=BNC%20to%20SMA%20Adapter&Category_ID=2607

2698. Re: Location of focus of feed horn?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 21:41:29 UTC
From: Russ Renaud <va3rr@yahoo.ca>
Message-ID: <EsWdnfrkmJqU-zrfRVn-pQ@teksavvy.com>
Source record: 15171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

DaveC wrote:
> On Sun, 5 Jun 2005 07:46:42 -0700, Russ Renaud wrote
> (in article <cvWdnWHFbr_MjT7fRVn-sQ@teksavvy.com>):
>
>
>>So, you place the phase center of your replacement feed at the same
>>point as the DTV horn's phase center.
>
>
> One more question:
> For a bi-quad, is the phase center located at the plane of the element (the
> bent wire)?

Chapter 6-2 shows the phase center of the NBS dual-dipole feed to be .25 wavelength behind the dipoles, and around the same for a quadloop feed.

I suspect the phase center for the biquad is something similar.

2699. WTD: Dead FT-747

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-08 22:07:11 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <d87q6adpe1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 15172

Desparately need a dead FT-747 with the case in good shape. I have a working 747, but the case is trashed (shattered in front and on the bottom from a fall previous to my buying it).

If anyone has such a thing, please e-mail me.. the addy is good.

TIA

Brenda Ann
K7BAD

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Illigitimus non tatum carborundum

(Don't let the bastards wear you down)

2700. Wanted - Icom TV-R7100 FM/TV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-09 01:11:48 UTC
From: Roberto <antani@dada.it>
Message-ID: <1118279508.218896.146970@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15173

Wanted - Icom TV-R7100 FM/TV adapter for
the Icom R-8500 receiver.
Roberto.

2701. What Amp. linear for 6mt ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-09 08:15:16 UTC
From: Alex212 <zanzzone@tin.it>
Message-ID: <oUSpe.1515561$35.56640439@news4.tin.it>
Source record: 15174

Hi to all, can anyone tell me what models of amp. linear are disponible for 6 meters band , solid or tubes, at good price ??

tnx and 73

2702. What Amp. linear for 6mt ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-09 09:05:16 UTC
From: Alex212 <zanzzone@tin.it>
Message-ID: <gDTpe.1515955$35.56649685@news4.tin.it>
Source record: 15175

Hi to all, can anyone tell me what models of amp. linear are disponible for 6 meters band , solid or tubes, at good price ??

tnx and 73

2703. What Amp. linear for 6mt ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-09 11:41:13 UTC
From: Alex212 <zanzzone@tin.it>
Message-ID: <tVVpe.1002721$b5.43363997@news3.tin.it>
Source record: 15176

Hi to all, can anyone tell me what models of amp. linear are disponible for
6 meters band , solid or tubes, at good price ??

tnx and 73

2704. Motorola Service Manuals on CD.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 00:25:58 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <q65qe.21855$ld3.7502@trnddc04>
Source record: 15177
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

MOTOROLA BASIC SERVICE MANUALS AND NOTES:
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Woody

2705. Re: What Amp. linear for 6mt ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 00:52:50 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <Cv5qe.1649$hK3.895@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15178

"Alex212" <zanzzone@tin.it> wrote in message
news:oUSpe.1515561$35.56640439@news4.tin.it...
> Hi to all, can anyone tell me what models of amp. linear are disponible
> for 6 meters band , solid or tubes, at good price ??
>
> tnx and 73

The ICOM PW-1 is quite nice, and covers other bands as well.

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

2706. 900Mhz Antenna improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 01:14:14 UTC
From: letters@softhome.net
Message-ID: <1118366054.430915.286270@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.pirate

Hello. I currently use a WSP255RS RCA 900Mhz transmitter

http://tinyurl.com/a6y5e

to send MP3s to a Sony Spiar Receiver.

http://tinyurl.com/8ayyg

The range of the RCA is 300'. I would like to know
if there is an easy way to slightly increase the range of transmission.

Is there a 900Mhz antenna amp or kit available to maximize range?

Would desoldering the flimpsy antenna and putting a thicker/longer
antenna increase range?

How about making a better antenna? Something like
http://www.shed.com/tutor/mr26ant.html.

Any ideas would be appreciated.

2707. Re: 900Mhz Antenna improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 01:46:57 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <fdrha1dpuv2jao0mej9qmd966gd7vsmkde@4ax.com>
Source record: 15180
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.pirate

On 9 Jun 2005 18:14:14 -0700, letters@softhome.net wrote:

>Hello. I currently use a WSP255RS RCA 900Mhz transmitter
>http://tinyurl.com/a6y5e

Hi,

Yes, cute.

>to send MP3s to a Sony Spiar Receiver.
>http://tinyurl.com/8ayyg

Yes, that's cute too.

>The range of the RCA is 300'.

Rather pretty good if you already get this (instead of simply being an
advertising claim).

>I would like to know
>if there is an easy way to slightly increase the range of transmission.

Hmmm, yes. But there are reasons not to. "Slightly" falls slightly
outside of good specification. Please state specifically what you
need.

>Is there a 900Mhz antenna amp or kit available to maximize range?

Undoubtedly, just like the availability of porn, you can buy almost
anything. Is it commercial and could you get it at Circuit City or
Radio Shack? - afraid not. It has to do with that law thingy, and the
FCC (black market answers most of this).

>Would desoldering the flimpsy antenna and putting a thicker/longer
>antenna increase range?

Depends on antenna design, which could mean thicker/longer wire, but
thicker/longer wire is not the answer - it depends on antenna design
(probably why you came here).

>How about making a better antenna? Something like
>http://www.shed.com/tutor/mr26ant.html.

Where the other posts were cute, this is gross. Now, that is not to
mean like vulgar - simply too, too big.

Look at the antennas in the first two links, and compare to this last
one. Even if you made it the right size (and it is in fact the wrong

size); then it wouldn't really bring anything to the table. It does answer the agenda of antenna design, but it is not an example of what you describe wanting.

A simple solution for "slightly" more range is to build two corner reflectors (google search keywords) at each end. Tin foil on cardboard conception models can answer many questions. Toss in an additional keyword, 900MHz, and you will probably find enough to work with.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

2708. Re: 900Mhz Antenna improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 02:34:13 UTC
From: Ptaylor <Ptaylor@nospam.qwest.net>
Message-ID: <C_6qe.129$xu2.18862@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 15181
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.pirate

Richard Clark wrote:

> On 9 Jun 2005 18:14:14 -0700, letters@softhome.net wrote:
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>
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>>http://tinyurl.com/a6y5e
>
>
> Hi,
>
> Yes, cute.
>
>
>>to send MP3s to a Sony Spiar Receiver.
>>http://tinyurl.com/8ayyg
>
>
> Yes, that's cute too.
>
>
>>The range of the RCA is 300'.
>
>
> Rather pretty good if you already get this (instead of simply being an
> advertising claim).
>
>
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>>if there is an easy way to slightly increase the range of transmission.
>
>
> Hmmm, yes. But there are reasons not to. "Slightly" falls slightly
> outside of good specification. Please state specifically what you
> need.
>
>
>>Is there a 900Mhz antenna amp or kit available to maximize range?
>
>
> Undoubtedly, just like the availability of porn, you can buy almost
> anything. Is it commercial and could you get it at Circuit City or
> Radio Shack? - afraid not. It has to do with that law thingy, and the

> FCC (black market answers most of this).
>

Perhaps something like this little antenna:
http://www.ramseyelectronics.com/cgi-bin/commerce.exe?preadd=action&key=LPY915

Plenty of "illicit/illegal" stuff is available,ya just gotta know where
to look,and of course,many times it also depends on how you use such items.
Adding an antenna will probably violate part-15,but I doubt you'll get
any "heat" from doing it.

>
>>Would desoldering the flimpsy antenna and putting a thicker/longer
>>antenna increase range?
>
>
> Depends on antenna design, which could mean thicker/longer wire, but
> thicker/longer wire is not the answer - it depends on antenna design
> (probably why you came here).
>
>
>>How about making a better antenna? Something like
>>http://www.shed.com/tutor/mr26ant.html.
>
>
> Where the other posts were cute, this is gross. Now, that is not to
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>
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> one. Even if you made it the right size (and it is in fact the wrong
> size); then it wouldn't really bring anything to the table. It does
> answer the agenda of antenna design, but it is not an example of what
> you describe wanting.
>
> A simple solution for "slightly" more range is to build two corner
> reflectors (google search keywords) at each end. Tin foil on
> cardboard conception models can answer many questions. Toss in an
> additional keyword, 900MHz, and you will probably find enough to work
> with.
>
> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

2709. Re: 900MHz Antenna improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 05:57:36 UTC
From: biascomms <biascomms@blueyonder.co.uk>
Message-ID: <kZ9qe.48132$G8.37164@text.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 15182
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.pirate

letters@softhome.net wrote:

> Hello. I currently use a WSP255RS RCA 900MHz transmitter
>
> http://tinyurl.com/a6y5e
>
> to send MP3s to a Sony Spiar Receiver.
>
> http://tinyurl.com/8ayyg
>
> The range of the RCA is 300'.

Perhaps you mean "the quoted range is 300'". This will an absolute maximum in an open field, /not/ through the walls of a house.

> I would like to know
> if there is an easy way to slightly increase the range of transmission.
>
> Is there a 900MHz antenna amp or kit available to maximize range?

Forget amplifying it. The cheap (and pretty nasty) transmitter circuitry won't provide a /clean/ enough signal for amplification, and 900 MHz electronics isn't trivial - layout is /really/ crucial.

> Would desoldering the flimsy antenna and putting a thicker/longer
> antenna increase range?

Possibly. Try it and see.

> How about making a better antenna?

Possibly. Do a Google search for a suitable 900 MHz home brew antenna - perhaps a corner reflector type.

> Something like
> http://www.shed.com/tutor/mr26ant.html.

Definitely not. That's truly hideous, on the wrong frequency, and probably doesn't work at all - he'd be better off with a random length of wire! The "FM balun" he suggests would be seriously lossy at 900 MHz, and the dimensions are wrong.

Bob

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Everything gets easier with practice, except getting up in the morning!

2710. Re: 900Mhz Antenna improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 06:36:33 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <nqcia197vldkelqgk45ksmfn0kefal875u@4ax.com>
Source record: 15183
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.pirate

On Thu, 09 Jun 2005 19:34:13 -0700, Ptaylor <Ptaylor@nospam.qwest.net>
wrote:

>Perhaps something like this little antenna:
>http://www.ramseyelectronics.com/cgi-bin/commerce.exe?preadd=action&key=LPY915

Hi OM,

OK, another cute link. However, $30 and postage/handling does nothing
to add signal that wasn't already available from the existing design.
On the other hand, if you or your folks found comfort, years back, in
buying a pet rock, this could be your antenna.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

2711. FA: Ends Sunday FT-243 XTAL 7025.5 kHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 13:35:44 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <QGgqe.42406$xm3.26937@attbi_s21>
Source record: 15184
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Ends Sunday Jun-11-05 14:06:00 PDT (21:06:00 UTC)

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5779863000

Thanks for looking, es 73,
"theponyengine"

2712. FA: Ends Sunday - NOS ALUMINUM SLOPE-FACE PROJECT BOX.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 13:41:51 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <zMgqe.43286$nG6.12156@attbi_s22>
Source record: 15185
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

Nice project box for homebrewing. It's about 6" x 7" and the top slopes
from about 3" down to about 1 3/4".

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5779872589

Ends Sunday, Jun-11-05 15:13:44 PDT (22:13:44 GMT).

Vy 73 es best DX,
Tom

2713. Identify High Current Power Supply Transformer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 13:45:10 UTC
From: pinpassion <mjdrum@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <1118411110.631833.320870@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15186

Hi Gang,

I have a large and heavy power supply transformer
that is part of a high current power supply project
that was featured in 73 magazine back in 1973. It
was started by a ham radio operator and was never
finished. I am going to finish it, if I can. I am
trying to identify the transformer leads. This is
for a 12 volt, 40 to 60 amp output. Here are the markings:

This transformer was made by ADC and is marked 541-010 REV H.
There is a marking on it that says 3-19470 and what I think
is a date code of 7438. There are terminal connections on one
side that are numbered 1 - 6. On the other side the connections
are numbered 7 - 14. I need to know the connection scheme for
this transformer so I can put it to use. I contacted who I
thought was the manufacturer "ADC" for information, and that
did not help.

I don't have the issue of 73 magazine, and I don't even know
if this is the same transformer that may have been part of the
construction article. I can take pictures and post them if that
might help.

Anybody have any ideas?

Thanks a lot.

Mike

2714. FA: VHF - AirBand Base Transceiver 760ch 118-137mhz w/power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 13:49:47 UTC
From: waterfun <nobodyhome@whynot.com>
Message-ID: <WTgqe.15002$Nd3.790845@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15187

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4555133410&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:MT:1

2715. Re: VHF - AirBand Base Transceiver 760ch 118-137mhz w/power supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 15:43:22 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <uyiqe.928277$w62.197287@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15188

It would have been better if you had a close-up of the radio
itself.....it is hard to tell what the radio itself
looks like.....condition, etc.

Pete

"waterfun" <nobodyhome@whynot.com> wrote in message
news:WTgqe.15002$Nd3.790845@news20.bellglobal.com...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4555133410&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:MT:1
>
>

2716. Spectran

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 16:00:20 UTC
From: F5pvg <f5pvg@wanadoo.fr>
Message-ID: <Xns9671B6C8D9037F5pvg@212.27.42.68>
Source record: 15189

Hi,

It is possible to extract in real time, from the software Spectran, the
frequency "Peak at" and the force (..dB) for use in an over software ?

Many Thanks

73' Qro

F5pvg

2717. Test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 17:16:31 UTC
From: Panzer240 <panzer240@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns967191366537Efw190a8@198.161.157.145>
Source record: 15194

Test 1234567890.

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Panzer

2718. For Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 18:19:23 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <LQkqe.5690$fp6.2502@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 15190

I have 2 Motorola MT-1000 portables UHF 99 channels to trade for a working good condition Dual Band Mobile 2/440. One HT has an antenna, the other doesnt. Both work fine, NO Batteries included. If interested please reply to kb2sin@stny.rr.com
73's
de kb2sin

2719. Does have a picture of the old fax gadget called a QWIP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-10 20:00:23 UTC
From: Spudz <spudz@spuddlzzz.com>
Message-ID: <fprja1t6t2j87qm9l31l9f0mkjqeoq8u27@4ax.com>
Source record: 15191

I was trying to find any info or pictures on this old fax machine we
used to sue back in the 70's or early 80's - it was called a QWIP and
used a rotating drum that you wrapped your paper around.
THanks Mike AB7RU
To reply via email remove spamnot

2720. Idea's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 02:28:31 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <j%rqe.3822$g5.3463@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 15192

Im looking for mounting ideas for the top section of a rohn 45G to be used solely on a roof ontop of a home. any idea on how I can mount this monstrosity with out guy wires? Please email kb2sin@stny.rr.com
thanks and 73's
de kb2sin

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www.Latherandlights.com

2721. Re: Idea's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 03:03:39 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9671CC34DA261spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 15193

> Im looking for mounting ideas for the top section of a rohn 45G to be
> used solely on a roof ontop of a home. any idea on how I can mount
> this monstrosity with out guy wires? Please email kb2sin@stny.rr.com
> thanks and 73's
> de kb2sin

Do you REALLY need to use this heavy piece of tower for this project? I can't help you with any suggestions here, but would like to ask, Wouldn't a nice roof-mount tripod base work better? Seems to me the necessary beefing up of your roof trusses would be more work than most hams would care to do, even for a short 8 foot top section. At least maybe attempt to trade down to a Rohn 25 piece.

Ed K7AAT

2722. Anyone have any dealings with Jay Dee KB2YFH sfamelectronics@yahoo.com recently ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 05:38:33 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <d8dtcp$p4t@dispatch.concentric.net>
Source record: 15195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,ForSale-Swap@mailman.qth.net

Anyone make a deal with Jay Dee (Justine KB2YFH) recently ?

Thanks
Ron WA0KDS

2723. GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 06:52:51 UTC
From: "mjpatey@gmail.com" <mjpatey@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1118472771.599810.22940@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15196

Hi, everyone-

I don't know if this is the right group for my question, but I can't find any other groups to ask.

I've been trying to do research online to find the best pair of GMRS radios for vacation/travel use. I'm building the $80 FCC license fee into my figures, and have about $160-170 to spend, so the pair of radios should cost no more than $80-90.

I've seen 2 Motorola models that look good... the T5950, and the T7400R. The 5950 has been out for quite a while, and several users have given it good reviews. The T7400R has virtually NO reviews, though it seems to have been out for several months.

So why would I be interested in the 7400? It's 2 Watts, and claims a greater range (7 miles) than the 5950. But I've only been able to find three reviews for it. One says it's the best thing since sliced bread, and two others (which were written last year) just say it's not available yet.

Does anybody have any experience with these radios, or feel that another model is the best out there in the $80-90 range (per pair)?

It's been very frustrating trying to find any information or reviews on these things. Usually I enjoy doing web research on tech products before buying, but this search has been very tedious. Thanks for any help you can provide!

-Mark

2724. Amateur Radio Webpage

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 11:50:35 UTC
From: Paul Blackmore <blackmore@ns.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <9eAqe.19289$Nd3.922416@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 15197

If you would like, check out the message board here:

http://www.ve1xyz.net/rag_chew/

Thanks in advance.

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Paul
VE1XYZ
http://www.ve1xyz.net

2725. FA: ONE-DAY-LEFT: COLLINS 1970 RADIO AMATEUR'S HANDBOOK - Ham Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 12:44:39 UTC
From: Isaac <isaac@kslaowdkdd.com>
Message-ID: <110620050844395604%isaac@kslaowdkdd.com>
Source record: 15098
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4554802477

2726. FA: ONE-DAY-LEFT: SECRETS OF RF CIRCUIT DESIGN - A TAB Book - Hams - Amateur Radio - Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 12:49:35 UTC
From: Isaac <isaac@kslaowdkdd.com>
Message-ID: <110620050849353408%isaac@kslaowdkdd.com>
Source record: 15099
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4554813453

2727. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 13:32:07 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <urpla11jt5g9fdnkv1mc1nn7pk1n8n2f05@4ax.com>
Source record: 15100

The best source for information on GMRS is
http://www.popularwireless.com./ Click on Personal Wireless Bulletin
Board in the upper right corner.

Dick

On 10 Jun 2005 23:52:51 -0700, "mjpatey@gmail.com" <mjpatey@gmail.com>
wrote:

>Hi, everyone-
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>find any other groups to ask.
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>I've been trying to do research online to find the best pair of GMRS
>radios for vacation/travel use. I'm building the $80 FCC license fee
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>radios should cost no more than $80-90.
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>I've seen 2 Motorola models that look good... the T5950, and the
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>have given it good reviews. The T7400R has virtually NO reviews,
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>these things. Usually I enjoy doing web research on tech products
>before buying, but this search has been very tedious. Thanks for any
>help you can provide!
>
>-Mark

2728. IC-F7000 ALE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 13:51:14 UTC
From: Marc Lurie <marcSPAMGOAWAY@SPAMGOAWAY.laradio.co.za>
Message-ID: <PtCdnYKWDsITcjffRVn-ug@is.co.za>
Source record: 15104

Hi,

I have an F-7000 that won't select ALE mode at all.

ALE is enabled for Rx and Tx, but it is impossible to set the mode to ALE in channel or frequency mode.

Any ideas?

Rgdds,
Marc ZS6HZ

2729. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:00:10 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <K7Cqe.15414$1B2.13850@fe10.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15101

mjpatey@gmail.com wrote:
> I've been trying to do research online to find the best pair of GMRS
> radios for vacation/travel use. I'm building the $80 FCC license fee
> into my figures, and have about $160-170 to spend, so the pair of
> radios should cost no more than $80-90.

Not that I would ever advocate ignorning the law, but I understand that the majority of GMRS users don't bother to get the required FCC license.

You should consider MURS radios as well. Some advantages of MURS are 1) no license required, 2) you can use external antennas for greater range, 3) no repeaters permitted in MURS spectrum so less chance of interference from that source, 4) less popular, so less interference from other users.

Go for a five channel, 2-watt, 38 CTCSS tone radio. I prefer radios that can take rechargeable AA NiMh cells...you get good battery life and the cost of replacement batteries is very reasonable.

http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/personal/murs/

There are a limited number of suppliers of MURS radios, so I can't help you with product selection. Here's one that seems to be popular.

http://www.dakotaalert.com/catalog/product_info.php?cPath=21&products_id=56

2730. FA: DON'T MISS THIS>AUDIO-TECHNICA AT815ST STEREO SHOTGUN MICROPHONE- LN

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:04:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <QbCqe.2$Gy3.0@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15102
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.pro.live-sound,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.rec.audio.high-end,rec.audio.highend,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Comes with everything less cable, box, windscreen, Stand Clamp.
Cost over $1K, only at $189 now with 1 day to go>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7327755788&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2731. FA: Best Ever>BEAUTIFUL DAIWA AF-606K ALL-MODE ACTIVE FILTER>Does ALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:05:28 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <IcCqe.3$Gy3.1@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15103
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Almost a give-away>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466900&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2732. FA: No Bids:-(ORIGINAL AUTEK QF-1 AUDIO FILTER AM-SSB-CW>110vac>NEAT!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:08:43 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MfCqe.6$Gy3.1@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15105
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466798&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2733. FA: No Bids>DRAKE TV-3300-LP TVI LOW-PASS FILTER>1000WATTS>1-DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:09:37 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BgCqe.9$Gy3.2@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15106
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466867&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2734. FA: $10>NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET>BIG $100 VALUE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:10:35 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <whCqe.11$Gy3.4@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15107
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7520985004&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2735. FA: Something Neet>CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:13:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <QjCqe.13$Gy3.3@fe12.lga>
Source record: 15108
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466885&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2736. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 14:55:10 UTC
From: "mjpatey@gmail.com" <mjpatey@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1118501710.491351.312460@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15109

Wow, thanks everyone!

I just took a look at the MURS radio, and my only concern would be whether it's compatible with FRS/GMRS units. My family is taking a trip to the beach in August, and 2 cars have FRS/GMRS radios... and we need to talk to them.

Thank you, Dick, for the link to Popular Wireless' GMRS forum! I've been to his site in my search, but had missed the GMRS Forums entirely. Signing up now!

-Mark

2737. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 15:42:52 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <0EDqe.409595$H_1.233503@fe04.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15110

mjpatey@gmail.com wrote:
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> whether it's compatible with FRS/GMRS units. My family is taking a
> trip to the beach in August, and 2 cars have FRS/GMRS radios... and we
> need to talk to them.

Nope, they are not compatible, so I guess that idea is out.

2738. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 16:01:49 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <gk2ma1p8mftkq6lur96hjr50guoudcsj3u@4ax.com>
Source record: 15111

On Sat, 11 Jun 2005 15:42:52 GMT, "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net>
wrote:

>mjpatey@gmail.com wrote:
>> I just took a look at the MURS radio, and my only concern would be
>> whether it's compatible with FRS/GMRS units. My family is taking a
>> trip to the beach in August, and 2 cars have FRS/GMRS radios... and we
>> need to talk to them.
>
>Nope, they are not compatible, so I guess that idea is out.
>
Quite true.

While there are disadvantages to the FRS/GMRS radios, one big plus is
how many other people already have them.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2739. ICOM IC-T81A/E Operator/Instruction Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 17:44:55 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <11am8om6go57ra2@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15112

FOR SALE

ICOM IC-T81A/E Operator/Instruction Manual

Original issue, like new condition.

Price: $7.50 includes media-rate shipping via USPS to addressees in the lower 48 states.

Other terms and conditions: Pay by postal money order. Sale is final - no returns.

Contact: BOB CARTER, W5BTC dc2light@radix.net

2740. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 17:47:15 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <DsFqe.18925$1B2.16440@fe10.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15113

Gary S. wrote:
> While there are disadvantages to the FRS/GMRS radios, one big plus is
> how many other people already have them.

Yep, I've even thought about exending the TX/RX coverage on one of my synthesized UHF HT's to cover FRS/GMRS bands. Might come in handy one day.

2741. Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 17:53:20 UTC
From: philbo@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1118512400.673693.100920@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15115
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.audio.tech,rec.autos.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've recently bought a Citroen AX (1.0 petrol - 1993) and think the radio has been wired up incorrectly - the radio goes off when the headlights are turned on!

The radio manual is here (page 27):
http://kenwood.nl.nt.ims.hr/languages/EN/support/manuals/KRC-479R~379R%20(EN).pdf

The speakers are all connected up fine, but I'm not too sure what to connect the battery (yellow) and ignition (red) to. There are three wires available, a grey, a grey with red markings at the end, and a white.

The two grey's are attached to another connector - the same size as connector A on page 29 of the manual - but is not actually connected to the radio.

Hope someone can help.

Thanks,
Phil

2742. Re: Idea's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 17:53:31 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-1106051353310001@ac926915.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 15114

In article <j%rqe.3822$g5.3463@twister.nyroc.rr.com>, "Kb2sin"
<kb2sin@stny.rr.com> wrote:

> Im looking for mounting ideas for the top section of a rohn 45G to be used
> solely on a roof ontop of a home. any idea on how I can mount this
> monstrosity with out guy wires?

Ed's question about beefing-up your roof is a good one!

Assuming it won't be overloaded, why not get one of the Radio Shack tripod
mounts for each leg?

However you do it, it appears some roofing expertise is needed to prevent
leaks. Perhaps a commercial roofer would have some better ideas about
mounting your 45G.

73, Fred, K4DII

2743. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 18:18:27 UTC
From: &#65533; Paul &#65533; <" &#65533; Paul &#65533; "@houston.rr.com>
Message-ID: <42AB2B3B.6BC43039@houston.rr.com>
Source record: 15116
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.audio.tech,rec.autos.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

philbo@gmail.com wrote:
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> I've recently bought a Citroen AX (1.0 petrol - 1993) and think the
> radio has been wired up incorrectly - the radio goes off when the
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> wires available, a grey, a grey with red markings at the end, and a
> white.
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> The two grey's are attached to another connector - the same size as
> connector A on page 29 of the manual - but is not actually connected to
> the radio.
>
> Hope someone can help.
>
> Thanks,
> Phil

Sounds like it using the hot wire for the headlamps as earth ground.

2744. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 18:30:06 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <e1bma15nv7rdqht1eqpjp7eek6m0fivrq1@4ax.com>
Source record: 15117

On Sat, 11 Jun 2005 17:47:15 GMT, "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net>
wrote:

>Gary S. wrote:
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>> how many other people already have them.
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>Yep, I've even thought about exending the TX/RX coverage on one of my
>synthesized UHF HT's to cover FRS/GMRS bands. Might come in handy one
>day.
>
A completely legal alternative is with a ham HT, with extended RX and
a scanning function, is to include the FRS/GMRS frequencies (with any
CTCSS code on receive being used) and have a separate GMRS rig with
you, but turned off.

The FRS/GMRS band is far enough from the 440 band that an antenna
optimized for one may have a bit of SWR on the other.

For some public service events, we have considered a two level
network, with hams doing the more than a mile comms, and non-hams with
FRS doing the close range, relaying through the hams as needed.

Happy trails,
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2745. Re: Idea's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 18:32:29 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <hfbma1h1eudtf0vgn2jta3m9ktau7v4sh4@4ax.com>
Source record: 15118

On Sat, 11 Jun 2005 13:53:31 -0400, fmmck@aol.com (Fred McKenzie)
wrote:

>However you do it, it appears some roofing expertise is needed to prevent
>leaks. Perhaps a commercial roofer would have some better ideas about
>mounting your 45G.
>
You can call the professional roofer BEFORE you install, or the first
time it rains AFTER you install.

You decide which costs less. ;-)

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Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2746. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 18:38:21 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <2obma1hjgj8n4qgo89m99fr0uqkcht9ssj@4ax.com>
Source record: 15119

On 11 Jun 2005 07:55:10 -0700, "mjpatey@gmail.com" <mjpatey@gmail.com>
wrote:

>Wow, thanks everyone!
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>whether it's compatible with FRS/GMRS units. My family is taking a
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>need to talk to them.
>
>Thank you, Dick, for the link to Popular Wireless' GMRS forum! I've
>been to his site in my search, but had missed the GMRS Forums entirely.
> Signing up now!
>
>-Mark

While I would much prefer GMRS over FRS because of the power
capability, if you only want coverage between cars while traveling
together, FRS works just fine for that purpose. Of course ham radio
is even better, but then you have another set of hurdles.

Dick

2747. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 18:51:39 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns967278CC873D1spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 15120
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.audio.tech,rec.autos.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

philbo@gmail.com wrote in
news:1118512400.673693.100920@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com:

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> radio has been wired up incorrectly - the radio goes off when the
> headlights are turned on!
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> 20(EN).pdf
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> The speakers are all connected up fine, but I'm not too sure what to
> connect the battery (yellow) and ignition (red) to. There are three
> wires available, a grey, a grey with red markings at the end, and a
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> connector A on page 29 of the manual - but is not actually connected
> to the radio.
>
> Hope someone can help.
>
>
> Thanks,
> Phil
>

I'd like to know why the wire colors you have differ from what the
manual says you should have, before offering suggestions.

Ed

2748. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 19:14:18 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ihxh3ue.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com>
Source record: 15121

On Sat, 11 Jun 2005 18:30:06 GMT, Gary S. wrote:

>For some public service events, we have considered a two level
>network, with hams doing the more than a mile comms, and non-hams with
>FRS doing the close range, relaying through the hams as needed.

That is exactly the scheme that we use in Washington County
(Suburban Portland, OR) with the ARES/RACES and the CERT teams.
(ARES and RACES are co-contiguous here, not separate groups.)

ARES = Ameater Radio Emergency Service - area-wide and long-haul
inter- and intra-agency communications only. Control remains with
amateur group leadership acting within Memoranda of Understanding.

CERT = Civilian Emergency Response Team - first aid, traffic and
access control, light rescue, and victim assistance responsibilities
supported by on-scene communications. CERT teams are sponsored
directly and controlled by local emergency management officials. A
number of CERT members have gone on to study and qualify for amateur
radio licenses.

RACES = Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service - communications under
control of emergency management officials used to supplement or
replace their communications facilities, used after declaration of
civil emergency by competent authorities.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

2749. Re: ICOM IC-T81A/E Operator/Instruction Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 20:06:39 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <jvHqe.20043$1B2.264@fe10.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15122

Robert G. Carter wrote:
> FOR SALE
> ICOM IC-T81A/E Operator/Instruction Manual

Or D/L it online for free:
http://www.icom.co.jp/manual/external/transceivers/IC-T81A_E.pdf

2750. Price Range Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 20:54:16 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42AB4F78.A2E647CE@erols.com>
Source record: 15123

Kenwood Antenna tuner model AT-230 in "mint" condition with manual.
(Matches the TS-820 and 820S and I suppose the 520 and 830 also.)
Original box. Price listings on the net are anywhere from 2-5 years
old so need current selling price. Thanks.
73, Murray, K3BEQ

2751. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 21:03:29 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <g5kma159gtnpb1rejg2tcjs5h1h588m0fq@4ax.com>
Source record: 15124

On Sat, 11 Jun 2005 18:30:06 GMT, Gary S. <Idontwantspam@net> wrote:

>A completely legal alternative is with a ham HT, with extended RX and
>a scanning function, is to include the FRS/GMRS frequencies (with any
>CTCSS code on receive being used) and have a separate GMRS rig with
>you, but turned off.

>
>Happy trails,
>Gary (net.yogi.bear)

Not sure what you are suggesting here. Why leave the GMRS radio off?
It is certainly legal to use a ham HT to listen to anything but cel
conversations, but very illegal for use to transmit on GMRS
frequencies.

Dick

2752. Re: Price Range Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 21:03:58 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <2lIqe.375381$uu5.155339@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15125

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> Kenwood Antenna tuner model AT-230 in "mint" condition with manual.
> (Matches the TS-820 and 820S and I suppose the 520 and 830 also.)
> Original box. Price listings on the net are anywhere from 2-5 years
> old so need current selling price. Thanks.
> 73, Murray, K3BEQ

Check eBay's completed listings - looks like $175 - $225.

2753. Re: Something Neet>CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 21:37:03 UTC
From: SHb <sherb@iNO_SPAMntergate.com>
Message-ID: <11ammc3gltt8266@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15126
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

FYI
One Post would cover all auctions and less obtrusive.
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"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:QjCqe.13$Gy3.3@fe12.lga...
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466885&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>

2754. Re: Something Neet>CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 22:47:05 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3h17v9Ff0eqlU1@individual.net>
Source record: 15127
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ya, I mentioned the same to him a long time ago, and it also
takes up less resources/bandwidth.

Bob N9LVU

SHb wrote:
> FYI
> One Post would cover all auctions and less obtrusive.
> --,,, ,,,-- --- --
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>
> "cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
> news:QjCqe.13$Gy3.3@fe12.lga...
>
>>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5779466885&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:
IT
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>

2755. kwm-2a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 23:29:48 UTC
From: "Lonnie J. Potter" <colt45model1911@NOSPAM.gmail.com>
Message-ID: <emKqe.87098$CR5.88@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15128

I am interested in purchasing a complete Collins KWM-2A with all the "extras" (i.e., amplifier, microphone, speakers, antenna, etc.) and am hoping you know whom I can contact and possibly a price.

Thanks.

Lonnie J. Potter, Staff Sergeant
US Air Force (Retired)
Former VIP/Presidential Radio Operator (Mystic Star)

2756. Re: Price Range Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-11 23:45:57 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42AB77B5.8F691F73@erols.com>
Source record: 15129

****I did Travis but it had a date of 2000. Did you come across
something more recent?
73 Murray, K3BEQ

Travis Jordan wrote:
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> Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
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> > old so need current selling price. Thanks.
> > 73, Murray, K3BEQ
>
> Check eBay's completed listings - looks like $175 - $225.

2757. Re: Idea's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 01:18:54 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42ab8d44$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 15130

Kb2sin wrote:
> Im looking for mounting ideas for the top section of a rohn 45G to be used
> solely on a roof ontop of a home. any idea on how I can mount this
> monstrosity with out guy wires? Please email kb2sin@stny.rr.com
> thanks and 73's
> de kb2sin
>
Not a job for the handyman , needs addition braces and special sheathing
over the actual roof , save and pay a professional

2758. FA:Breadboard Transmitter,Meissner 80M Coils +more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 01:51:34 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <GyMqe.937128$w62.549732@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15131
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Have breadboard transmitter-mostly complete-less tubes; Meissner Signal Shift 80 M Coil set; 811A's x10 (CH) NOS, Svetlana 811A x2 NOS, See at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

COMING SOON: McMurdo Silver 5C-very nice condition-working and a Meissner Signal Shifter WITH 10 SETS OF COILS!

Tnx heytubeguy

2759. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 02:20:39 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <bq6na11ntii87cdr2rkvrniss6dsqbovhl@4ax.com>
Source record: 15132

On Sat, 11 Jun 2005 14:03:29 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

>On Sat, 11 Jun 2005 18:30:06 GMT, Gary S. <Idontwantspam@net> wrote:
>
>>A completely legal alternative is with a ham HT, with extended RX and
>>a scanning function, is to include the FRS/GMRS frequencies (with any
>>CTCSS code on receive being used) and have a separate GMRS rig with
>>you, but turned off.
>
>>Happy trails,
>>Gary (net.yogi.bear)
>
>Not sure what you are suggesting here. Why leave the GMRS radio off?

No other reasons than saving batteries, and only listening to one rig.

>It is certainly legal to use a ham HT to listen to anything but cel
>conversations, but very illegal for use to transmit on GMRS
>frequencies.
>
The poster I was replying to mentioned modding the ham radio to TX on
FRS/GMRS, as well as RX. If extralegal suggestions are made, those
getting them should be fully aware of that fact.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2760. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 04:50:40 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <l6fna1d85q34k4scgsgeahbh7o8mk71st5@4ax.com>
Source record: 15133

On Sun, 12 Jun 2005 02:20:39 GMT, Gary S. <Idontwantspam@net> wrote:

>>Not sure what you are suggesting here. Why leave the GMRS radio off?
>
>No other reasons than saving batteries, and only listening to one rig.
>
OK. I understand if you are wanting to scan other frequencies as well
as FRS/GMRS. Then turn on the GMRS if you need to transmit. That
would make sense.

>>It is certainly legal to use a ham HT to listen to anything but cel
>>conversations, but very illegal for use to transmit on GMRS
>>frequencies.
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>The poster I was replying to mentioned modding the ham radio to TX on
>FRS/GMRS, as well as RX. If extralegal suggestions are made, those
>getting them should be fully aware of that fact.
>
>Happy trails,
>Gary (net.yogi.bear)

I saw someone post possibly modifying his UHF HT to cover FRS/GMRS. I
couldn't tell if he was talking about a ham HT or something else.
Many people aren't aware that it is legal to use a GMRS radio (for
transmit) on ham frequencies, but it is not legal to use a ham radio
on GMRS/FRS frequencies. GMRS/FRS has technical requirements that
most ham radio equipment does not meet. They also have to be
certified. Just wanted to clarify that.

Dick

2761. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 07:12:30 UTC
From: Ben Jackson <ben@ben.com>
Message-ID: <slrndano2u.2lcr.ben@saturn.home.ben.com>
Source record: 15134

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On 2005-06-12, Dick <> wrote:
>
> Many people aren't aware that it is legal to use a GMRS radio (for
> transmit) on ham frequencies, but it is not legal to use a ham radio
> on GMRS/FRS frequencies.

But if you modded the radio to cover 70cm, wouldn't you then be unable
to use it for the licenced FRS bands?

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Ben Jackson
<ben@ben.com>
http://www.ben.com/
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2762. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 10:04:52 UTC
From: philbo@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1118570692.345346.282620@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15135
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The wires coming out of the radio are all correct. It's the wires coming from the dashboard (the two greys and a white) which I'm unsure need connecting to the radio.

Thanks,
Phil

2763. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 12:08:03 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <jm8oa11ntgssq2i2u5lcqvrobmbtdh3ulb@4ax.com>
Source record: 15136

On Sun, 12 Jun 2005 02:12:30 -0500, Ben Jackson <ben@ben.com> wrote:

>On 2005-06-12, Dick <> wrote:
>>
>> Many people aren't aware that it is legal to use a GMRS radio (for
>> transmit) on ham frequencies, but it is not legal to use a ham radio
>> on GMRS/FRS frequencies.
>
>But if you modded the radio to cover 70cm, wouldn't you then be unable
>to use it for the licenced FRS bands?

That would be my understanding.

The certification of the equipment would lapse if it is modified
physically, and it could no longer be used on any service other than
amateur bands.

Programming amateur frequencies into a commercial radio would be fine,
if properly licensed for all of the frequencies.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2764. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 12:09:41 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <td9oa1heslvj5uoeb2afrfl6ovjtv2j41l@4ax.com>
Source record: 15137
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 12 Jun 2005 03:04:52 -0700, philbo@gmail.com wrote:

>The wires coming out of the radio are all correct. It's the wires
>coming from the dashboard (the two greys and a white) which I'm unsure
>need connecting to the radio.
>
>Thanks,
>Phil

What info can you get from the local dealer for that car maker?

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
--
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2765. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 12:51:48 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <7oboa1tb63oo1gbtmg78u87c2mk1outfff@4ax.com>
Source record: 15138

On Sun, 12 Jun 2005 12:08:03 GMT, Gary S. <Idontwantspam@net> wrote:

>On Sun, 12 Jun 2005 02:12:30 -0500, Ben Jackson <ben@ben.com> wrote:
>
>>On 2005-06-12, Dick <> wrote:
>>>
>>> Many people aren't aware that it is legal to use a GMRS radio (for
>>> transmit) on ham frequencies, but it is not legal to use a ham radio
>>> on GMRS/FRS frequencies.
>>
>>But if you modded the radio to cover 70cm, wouldn't you then be unable
>>to use it for the licenced FRS bands?
>
>That would be my understanding.
>
>The certification of the equipment would lapse if it is modified
>physically, and it could no longer be used on any service other than
>amateur bands.
>
>Programming amateur frequencies into a commercial radio would be fine,
>if properly licensed for all of the frequencies.
>
>Happy trails,
>Gary (net.yogi.bear)

Right. Normally, modification is not necessary. You just program in
the new frequencies. A point of clarification. The FRS is not a
licensed service. It does, however, require certified equipment.

Dick

2766. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 13:46:18 UTC
From: philbo@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1118583978.490731.126390@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15139
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good thinking Batman

2767. FS: Vertex Standard VXA-210 Pilot, airband handheld transciever

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 13:49:00 UTC
From: Aspen37 <pottsladd13@nospam.yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <g3Xqe.940194$w62.438572@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15140
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have a Vertex Standard VXA-210 Pilot w/SU-1 sensor for sale. It is in very
good condition with very little use. The battery is in great shape
and the radio is ready to be put into service. This is a NAV/COM radio.
I have pics available if for those that are interested.
$225.00 plus shipping Cont. US only.

Includes the following:

Ni-Cad Battery Pack FNB-64 (7.2V 700 mAh)
Overnight Charger NC-77B/C
Helical Antenna ATV-7
Headset Cable Adapter CT-60
Operating Manual
Belt Clip

Also included is the SU-1** Barometric Pressure Sensor. ($40.00 option)

General Specifications
VXA-210

Number of Channels
150 Channels

Frequency Range TX Com:
118.000 - 136.975 MHz
Frequency Range RX NAV:
108.000 - 117.975 MHz
Frequency Range RX Com:
118.000 - 136.975 MHz
Frequency Range WX:
(WX-01 - WX-10) : USA version only
Channel Spacing 25 KHz
Emission Type TX: AM
Emission Type RX: AM & FM
Power Supply Voltage
6.0 - 15.0 VDC
Current Consumption (approx.) 65 mA (squelch on)
190 mA (receive)
1 A (transmit 1.5 W Carrier)

Ambient Temperature Range +14° F to + 140° F (-10° C to + 60° C)

RF Input-Output Impedance 50 Ohms

Dimensions (WxHxD): 2.3" x 4.3" x 1.18" w/FNB-64 (58 x 109 x 30 mm)

Weight (approx.) 12 oz (340 g) with FNB-64, antenna, and belt clip

Receiver Specifications Measurements made per EIA standard TIA/EIA-603

Circuit Type Double Conversion Super-heterodyne

IFs 35.4 MHz and 450 KHz

Sensitivity < 0.8 u V (for 6 dB S/N with 1 kHz, 30 % modulation)
Selectivity < 8 kHz/-6 dB

Adjacent Channel Selectivity < 25 kHz/-60 dB

Audio Output 400 m W @ 8 Ohms, 10 % THD

Transmitter Specifications Measurement made per EIA standard TIA/EIA-603

Power Output (@7.2 V): 5.0 W PEP / 1.5 W (Carrier Power)

Frequency Stability Better than ±10 ppm (+14 °F to +140 °F)

Modulation System Low Level Amplitude Modulation

Spurious Emission > 60 dB below carrier

Int. Microphone Type Condenser

Ext. Mic Impedance 150 Ohms

pottsladd13@yahoo.com

2768. Re: Price Range Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 14:34:35 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <%JXqe.577620$Ge2.371042@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15141

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> ****I did Travis but it had a date of 2000. Did you come across
> something more recent?

Say again? eBay only keeps the last 15 days worth of completed
listings.

2769. FS Icom IC-280

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 16:10:07 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <t7Zqe.29496$DC2.4329@okepread01>
Source record: 15142

I have for sale an Icom IC-280 Mobile 2 meter, 10 watt Transceiver, works well, comes with the manual, box, cable, mount, No tone, Price is $45 plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2770. FS Ten-Tec Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 16:15:22 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ocZqe.29500$DC2.20548@okepread01>
Source record: 15143

I have for sale a Ten-Tec Model 261 Power Supply for $115, a Ten-Tec Model
700 Mobile Mic for $55, and a Ten-Tec
Model 705 desk mic for $65. All items are in very nice shape and work well.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2771. Re: Price Range Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 16:29:37 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42AC62F1.33A86298@erols.com>
Source record: 15144

***Looked in the wrong area. Found the current ones. Thanks.
K3BEQ

Travis Jordan wrote:
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> Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> > ****I did Travis but it had a date of 2000. Did you come across
> > something more recent?
>
> Say again? eBay only keeps the last 15 days worth of completed
> listings.

2772. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 16:33:33 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <gsooa1h2tekoa1c37fhukpfqmd67eij94o@4ax.com>
Source record: 15145

On Sun, 12 Jun 2005 05:51:48 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

>Right. Normally, modification is not necessary. You just program in
>the new frequencies. A point of clarification. The FRS is not a
>licensed service. It does, however, require certified equipment.
>
Regulated service would be more accurate.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2773. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 19:30:57 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96737F7914D9Bspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 15146
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

philbo@gmail.com wrote in news:1118570692.345346.282620
@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com:

> The wires coming out of the radio are all correct. It's the wires
> coming from the dashboard (the two greys and a white) which I'm unsure
> need connecting to the radio.
>
> Thanks,
> Phil
>
>

Well, since according to your first post the radio works when the
headlights are off, I'll assume that the battery lead and the ground
connection are correct, but that the "switched A+" connection is hooked
up to the wrong place in the car. If it were mine, I'd trace that wire
back, or simply not use it and connect the radio's switched power
connection to a point in the car of my own determination. If you are
unable to use a volt meter to find a good switched connection alternative
for your radio, I can only recommend you seek a professional radio
installer for that info.

PS: or as an alternative, you can simply hook up the radio switched
connection to the battery hot lead and just remember to turn you radio
off manually every time you leave the car!

Good luck.

Ed

2774. Re: kwm-2a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 21:00:32 UTC
From: Steve <hogflyer@flashes.net>
Message-ID: <42ACA270.3F05E0B8@flashes.net>
Source record: 15147

Check with K7RMT in TX.

True Collins ham!

gud luck, steve.

2775. FA: VARIAN TOOL SET: < 1 day + more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-12 23:57:46 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <_Z3re.314169$cg1.141788@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14998
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have a Varian small tool set +catalogs + tubes + more stuff being added; see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking; Heytubeguy

2776. Re: FA: VARIAN TOOL SET: < 1 day + more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 03:37:47 UTC
From: -ex- <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <af3f$42acff91$4232bd55$17331@COQUI.NET>
Source record: 14999
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Heytubeguy wrote:

> Have a Varian small tool set +catalogs + tubes + more stuff being added; see
> at:
>
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy
>
> Tnx for looking; Heytubeguy
>
>

Hmmm, lets see. You spam newsgroups with "coming soon" auctions, then
with current auctions and then with "one day more" notices.
Why don't you make a list for maybe one month and just post it once?
Some of us get really pissed off about the constant reminders to "come
look at my stuff".
Just when did you decide that public discussion groups were your
personal corkboard for selling?

I'm not carping about posting ebay links - I'm carping about the manner
in which you're doing it as if I need 3 whacks across the head to look
at your stuff. Once is enough.

-Bill

2777. FA Drake WH7 Wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 12:04:14 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <2Dere.514$ks4.154@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 15000

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1,1&item=5781759517&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT

2778. Drake R-4B receiver alignment question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 15:10:58 UTC
From: cnoneicnjfsssss@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <42ada1be.3178470@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 15001

I was aligning a Drake R-4B receiver. When aligning the receiver sensitivity and the S meter the manual states to set the RF gain to read -15 volts from TP2 (test point 2). The manual states to set the meter to S40. At -15 volts the highest I can get my meter to go is S20. I replaced every tube in the receiver except the first RF amp, and the only reason I did not replace that tube is because I don't have one of those tubes at this time.
The alignment instructions for this section are on-line at;

http://www.wb4hfn.com/DrakeManuals/R4B/Manual_R4B_38.jpg

The full Drake R-4b manual with schematic is on-line at;

http://www.wb4hfn.com/DrakeManuals/R4B/Manual_R4B.htm

Any ideas why the S meter will not go to S40?

2779. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 17:52:40 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <iFjre.93517$8S5.78155@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15002
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.audio.tech,rec.autos.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Phil
The best way is always to connect directly to the battery. The only way
that you can connect it switchable is using a relay connected directly
to the battery and switched on when the engine is running That's how
most of the high current devices already work on your car, the fuel
pump, the headlights, air conditioning, heater fan, horn and more.
Good luck.
73, Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

philbo@gmail.com wrote:

>I've recently bought a Citroen AX (1.0 petrol - 1993) and think the
>radio has been wired up incorrectly - the radio goes off when the
>headlights are turned on!
>
>The radio manual is here (page 27):
>http://kenwood.nl.nt.ims.hr/languages/EN/support/manuals/KRC-479R~379R%20(EN).pdf
>
>The speakers are all connected up fine, but I'm not too sure what to
>connect the battery (yellow) and ignition (red) to. There are three
>wires available, a grey, a grey with red markings at the end, and a
>white.
>
>The two grey's are attached to another connector - the same size as
>connector A on page 29 of the manual - but is not actually connected to
>the radio.
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>Hope someone can help.
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>Thanks,
>Phil
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2780. Re: Drake R-4B receiver alignment question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 18:07:09 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <USjre.93519$8S5.91968@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 15003

First check R9 and R13 both 1.5K make sure they haven't changed
Go back and touch up T6 and T7
Then check if the sens control R40 reads 1K across
That should correct your full scale if your 1rst RF tube is OK.
73 Chris VE3NGW/W4 Florida

Real Radios wrote:

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2781. Johnson Challenger vhf WTB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 18:10:56 UTC
From: mark <mlange@sw.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Q_jre.44037$PR6.23050@tornado.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 15004

Looking for a couple of Johnson Challenger VHF 7162 7164 7166 any vhf challenger model.

Mark Lange
K6MDL
mlange@sw.rr.com

2782. wtb Kenwood YK-88A-1 AM Crystal Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 21:45:07 UTC
From: your name here <larj@ns.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <D7nre.46407$Ph4.1169097@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 15005

want to buy

2783. INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 21:45:11 UTC
From: Christopher O'Callaghan <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <d8kup8pia1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 15006

MICHEAL JACKSON CLEARED OF ALL CHARGES

2784. Want Icom R3 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 22:08:52 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <Utnre.792$qr1.695@trndny07>
Source record: 15007
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I am looking for a resonable priced R3 scanner.Let me know what you have and price.Thanks for looking.

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73s from N1RSP
Grid 42
IRLP Node #4162
The Home of The Perfect Storm

2785. Re: Want Icom R3 Scanner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 22:20:11 UTC
From: Dave Bushong <5rzi0dhtmrmew92@jetable.com>
Message-ID: <vcqdnR323-48mzPfRVn-gw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 15008
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

N1RSP wrote:
> I am looking for a resonable priced R3 scanner.Let me know what you have and
> price.Thanks for looking.
>

I have one, near perfect condition. Bought in Japan, no gaps in coverage.

Contact me at the email address at the top of this, or use my qrz.com
address.

Dave
kz1o

2786. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-13 23:33:01 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9674A886A901Espectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 15010

> Maybe he'll think twice now, of sleeping in bed with young boys.
> Unfortunately, zebras rarely change their stripes. He was "lucky".
> He claimed to be innocent the first time too, so how come he paid off?
> If I had all that money - I'll be damned if I'd pay off if I was
> innocent.
>

You might, when you consider what he went through in that trial. Paying off someone doesn't necessarily mean you are guilty. Pay offs happen all the time.

Personally, after hearing all the wierd witness testimony and the lying that went on, I still don't know whether to think he was guilty or not. On the other hand, I am certain he is one sick wacko with his head all screwed up.

Ed

2787. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 00:42:17 UTC
From: Royce Dean <plumber101@excite.com>
Message-ID: <JJpre.47752$_o.1312@attbi_s71>
Source record: 15011

Pretty rare nowadays. I remember seeing a lot of those over 30 years ago.
Looks like a nice one. The Maco 1000 was another one of that era. Tubes are
high now for most of those sweep tube amps!

"Kathy Lee KC8QJP" <KC8QJP@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1118689035.c1c85969e808d28d84c9535ad3eb42cc@teranews...
> $500 firm. Be loud and proud!
>
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>

2788. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 00:56:30 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d17cb1673e3a85c98975d@localhost>
Source record: 15013

In article <d8kup8pia1@reader01.news.esat.net>,
d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie says...

> MICHEAL JACKSON CLEARED OF ALL CHARGES

And this is related to amateur radio equipment, how? Exactly?

PLONK!

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

2789. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 00:59:13 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <42ae2c3d$1_4@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 15014

Not to nitpick, but the guy was found "not guilty", not "innocent". Big difference!

"Lou" <heykoolaidman@fun.com> wrote in message
news:UQpre.456$Tf5.304@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net...
> "Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
> news:Xns9674A886A901Espectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
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>>> innocent.
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>> off someone doesn't necessarily mean you are guilty. Pay offs happen all
>> the time.
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>> that went on, I still don't know whether to think he was guilty or not.
>> On
>> the other hand, I am certain he is one sick wacko with his head all
>> screwed
>> up.
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>> Ed
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> Oh believe me, I heard some of the bull shit lies told in the process.
> Those would have swung my thinking in his favor 100% had it not been for
> the previous pay off. I heard what you said and you may be right, but I
> still can't help to think that paying off - is the wrong answer - IF one
> is innocent. It still gives the image of guilt - as it clearly has not
> only in my opinion but many others in this case. That is a shame, he had a
> very promising carerr, was good at what he did and now his name forever
> tarnished - regardless. Maybe he didn't do it and/or didn't mean harm to
> kids, we won't ever know, but his antics sure were a bit hard to follow.
> I'm not God, I don't know if he is guilty or not. IF he isn't then I sure
> in hell am sorry to see he had to get dragged through that hell and I
> wouldn't wish that on any "innocent" person. But, if he did even 1/3 of
> what was claimed, then he certainly needs help. Even having been found
> innocent, he may want to consider seeking counseling. It may save him from

> a future case.
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> L.
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2790. Things to put in "remarks" section of flight plan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 01:03:32 UTC
From: "C. J. Clegg" <answer.to.newsgroup@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <j0bsa1d9qmp8nm30dugmqs10dtsd2p4jg8@4ax.com>
Source record: 15015

When filing a flight plan (VFR or IFR), and you are carrying some non-aviation-type backup means of communications such as an FRS/GMRS radio or an amateur VHF radio, is it worth it to put in the "Remarks" something like "Amateur 146.52 MHz, GMRS Channel 1"?

I'm sure that if you go down, the CAP or whoever comes looking for your sorry butt would be interested in knowing if they should try to call you on something other than 121.5.

Any thoughts?

2791. Re: Things to put in "remarks" section of flight plan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 01:11:47 UTC
From: "C. J. Clegg" <answer.to.newsgroup@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <lkbsa1det1bdjmgu38a9a3u0cb973ovu44@4ax.com>
Source record: 15016

Sorry about the off-topic post, folks. I don't know how but I managed to post it in the wrong newsgroup; meant to post it in rec.aviation.piloting.

Now to go back and figure out how to make Free Agent cancel a posting... :-(

2792. FA: Book - Amateur Radio - Hams - HANDBOOK OF MODERN SOLID-STATE AMPLIFIERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 01:39:48 UTC
From: Dana <dana543@dlokkwo2d.com>
Message-ID: <130620052139483002%dana543@dlokkwo2d.com>
Source record: 15017
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4556456377

2793. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 01:40:22 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d8lchu015o5@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 15018
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would not desecrate my garbage can with that piece of junk. Then, CB'ers
will buy anything with a lot of switches and a meaningless name like
"bi-linear" -- what's that supposed to mean?

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Joe S.

"Kathy Lee KC8QJP" <KC8QJP@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1118689035.c1c85969e808d28d84c9535ad3eb42cc@teranews...
> $500 firm. Be loud and proud!
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2794. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 02:15:43 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <d8lek1$m7h$1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 15019
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in message
news:d8lchu015o5@news1.newsguy.com...
> I would not desecrate my garbage can with that piece of junk. Then,
CB'ers
> will buy anything with a lot of switches and a meaningless name like
> "bi-linear" -- what's that supposed to mean?

Bi-linear= amplified transmit and receive. IIRC, those receive amps were
about 20dB gain and noisy as hell.

2795. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 02:49:42 UTC
From: Dave Holford <holford@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <42AE45C6.8C7E011E@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 15021

Floyd Sense wrote:

> Not to nitpick, but the guy was found "not guilty", not "innocent". Big
> difference!
>

That's not nitpicking, it's fact.

2796. CRYSTAL SCANNERS AND CRYSTALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 02:53:56 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8Frre.3614$eM6.3186@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15020

73 all,

I have started a new hobby, eventhough I have 3 digital scanners,
1 pro 2006, a BC 300 and a BC 210XL, all mint, I have decided
to start collected old vintage Bearcat crystal scanners, particularly
the BC 12 is what I really want but any VHF-HI/UHF scanner other
than the BC 3 will do.

If anyone knows where I can get my hands on one or two plus
a source for crystals, let me know will you.

Best 73 to all,

Patrick

--
Patrick H. Mason M.S. OHST, EMT-I
W4PHM

A delusion shared by many is a culture; shared by some is a cult;
shared by 2 is love; but a delusion held by one is psychosis.

2797. Re: Car radio installation help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 03:04:20 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ii1s783.pminews@news.comcast.giganews.com>
Source record: 15022
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.car,rec.audio.tech,rec.autos.tech,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 13 Jun 2005 13:52:40 -0400, Chris wrote:

>Hi Phil
>The best way is always to connect directly to the battery. The only way
>that you can connect it switchable is using a relay connected directly
>to the battery and switched on when the engine is running That's how
>most of the high current devices already work on your car, the fuel
>pump, the headlights, air conditioning, heater fan, horn and more.

If this was a transceiver, I would agree with you. For an ordinary
"car radio", connect it up to the accessory fuse (if there isn't a
separate radio fuse which most passenger vehicles have nowadays) and
be done with it.

If it's a Citroen, all bets are off.... <ggg>

--
73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

2798. YAESU FT-60 QUESTION.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 03:22:23 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <73sre.20794$So7.18400@fe10.lga>
Source record: 15023

hi all, anyone have any clues how to make the FT-60 transmit on 220MHz??
It receives great there.

73

2799. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 03:24:40 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <Y5sre.13131$gL4.2925@trnddc07>
Source record: 15024
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You know... not just Lin-yer, but TWICE as Lin-yer... da
dubble-whammy-mammy-jammy-for-the-astute-hammy.

Either that or it is such a complicated abstract of the parallel linearity
of circuitry that a sane mind couldn't possibly comprehend it.

Last I learnt, them lin-yers was a dollar a watt, [being bird-watts of
course], so if that thing is a killer-watt, then it's half-price!
But don't laugh....
Right now somebody out there in skip-land is trying like heck to sell some
rottweilers and gold-triggers in order to buy that thing.

rb

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> will buy anything with a lot of switches and a meaningless name like
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2800. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 06:55:45 UTC
From: Lou <heykoolaidman@fun.com>
Message-ID: <A9ore.452$Tf5.69@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 15009

Maybe he'll think twice now, of sleeping in bed with young boys.
Unfortunately, zebras rarely change their stripes. He was "lucky".
He claimed to be innocent the first time too, so how come he paid off? If I had all that money - I'll be damned if I'd pay off if I was innocent.

I once had a liking for MJ, but when I heard he paid off.... well.....
that told me a lot. Had I not heard that, I'd have been in his corner til proven guilty. Knowing he paid off, put me on the fence of the unknown - able to fall to which ever side produced the strongest case - without hesitation.

L.

"Christopher O'Callaghan" <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie> wrote in message news:d8kup8pia1@reader01.news.esat.net...
> MICHEAL JACKSON CLEARED OF ALL CHARGES
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2801. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 08:50:13 UTC
From: Lou <heykoolaidman@fun.com>
Message-ID: <UQpre.456$Tf5.304@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 15012

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns9674A886A901Espectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
>
>> Maybe he'll think twice now, of sleeping in bed with young boys.
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> the other hand, I am certain he is one sick wacko with his head all
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L.

2802. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 10:11:23 UTC
From: Uncle Peter <radioconnectionNO@cox.netSPAM>
Message-ID: <l3yre.5381$i81.3879@fed1read05>
Source record: 15025
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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news:d8lchu015o5@news1.newsguy.com...
> I would not desecrate my garbage can with that piece of junk. Then,
CB'ers
> will buy anything with a lot of switches and a meaningless name like
> "bi-linear" -- what's that supposed to mean?
>
> --
>

It might have something to do with the amp's sexual preferences.

2803. c156a manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 10:22:18 UTC
From: R <r@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <udyre.9136$q46.8818@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 15026

Hey guys,

I wasnt sure who to ask about this.

I'm trying to get hold of a manual for the
C156a hand held scanner, but the only
place I've found is a russian site with a russian
manual, but I cant get it translated. I was wondering
if anyone knew where I could get a english manual ??

Cheers

2804. ts790 vco problem ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 10:28:43 UTC
From: PA3HGT <ft1000@planet.nl>
Message-ID: <3h7pqsFfjit9U1@individual.net>
Source record: 15027

Hello,

I have a Kenwood TS790A with a few problems :

TX and RX are dead on 2 mtrs and 70 cm. Sometimes the radio becomes alive
and is works normal.
When i power on the radio the freq is displayed and after a few seconds the
display shows only dots.
The 790 has not the 23 cm option.
Do someone has a solution for this problem ?

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Met vriendelijke groet,

Hans Pluijgers
Hamcall: PA3HGT
www.pa3hgt.nl

2805. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 13:36:58 UTC
From: AB8MQ <Woger@wiseman.com>
Message-ID: <42aedd74_1@x-privat.org>
Source record: 15029
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I wouldn't expect you to know good gear when you see it, shit for brains.
Afterall, you don't even know what a receive pre amp is.
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"Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in message
news:d8lchu015o5@news1.newsguy.com...
>I would not desecrate my garbage can with that piece of junk. Then, CB'ers
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>

2806. FA: NEW in BOX LIONEL McELROY J-38 MORSE CODE TELEGRAPH KEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:03:09 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <zsBre.731$th7.532@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15030
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5781147288&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2807. FA: COLLINS R-390A COMPLETE KNOB SET 17pcs. ALL SCREWS, ETC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:04:41 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_tBre.733$th7.563@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15031
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5781147415&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2808. FA: Three(3) BIRD SLUGS, few odd-balls:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:08:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <QxBre.734$th7.282@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15032
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522704912&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522704987&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522704951&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2809. FA: $11>B & K model 1420 PORTABLE OSCILLOSCOPE>Tech Special NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:09:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JyBre.735$th7.316@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15034
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522705001&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2810. FA: $10>CUTE ZENITH ROYAL 20 AM 8-TRANSISTOR RADIO-60's>NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:10:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HzBre.736$th7.575@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15033
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6538713256&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2811. FA $10>12 NOS RAF HI-QUALITY USA ELECTRONIC RACK PANEL HANDLES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:11:36 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <tABre.737$th7.526@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15035
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522705019&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2812. FA: $10>THREE J.H. BUNNELL type 2.5 RELAYS>EASY RESTORE>MORSE?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:12:24 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dBBre.738$th7.446@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15036
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6538713170&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2813. FA: HEATHKIT IPA-5280-1 DC POWER SUPPLY>BLUE SERIES TEST NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:14:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <fDBre.739$th7.498@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15037
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Will run up to 3 Heathkit "Blue Series" test pieces, throw away thos 9vdc batteries:-)

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522704829&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2814. FA: $10> FOUR(4) CARDWELL CERAMIC FLEXIBLE SHAFT COUPLINGS>Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:15:23 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0EBre.740$th7.561@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15038
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5781147348&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2815. FA: $10>10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES>USA:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:16:08 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JEBre.741$th7.66@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15040
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522705035&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2816. FA: $10>COURIER CMM-1 HAND MICROPHONE for CENTURION CB? NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:16:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <jFBre.742$th7.682@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15039
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5781147396&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2817. Brown stuff for sale NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:18:43 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optionline.net>
Message-ID: <42aee73a_2@x-privat.org>
Source record: 15041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

http://www.synapse.ne.jp/~hashi/9612susAI/feces.jpg

2818. FA: Three(3) BIRD TURDS, few odd-balls:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:21:13 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optionline.net>
Message-ID: <42aee7ce_2@x-privat.org>
Source record: 15042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://www.red-top.com/files/nosterud/01.jpg

2819. FS FLEXIBLE SHAFT >Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:24:01 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optionline.net>
Message-ID: <42aee87b$1_3@x-privat.org>
Source record: 15043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://www.darksecretvideo.com/big-black-cock.jpg

2820. 1 HAND SPECIAL NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 14:30:24 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optionline.net>
Message-ID: <42aee9f4$1_1@x-privat.org>
Source record: 15044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://www.handjobs.ws/galleries/sandra/blackshorts/www.handjobs.ws010.jpg

2821. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 17:43:46 UTC
From: Don Bowey <dbowey@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <BED46562.5ACC%dbowey@comcast.net>
Source record: 15045
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 6/14/05 6:36 AM, in article 42aedd74_1@x-privat.org, "AB8MQ"
<Woger@wiseman.com> wrote:

> I wouldn't expect you to know good gear when you see it, shit for brains.
> Afterall, you don't even know what a receive pre amp is.
>>
> "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in message
> news:d8lchu015o5@news1.newsguy.com...
>> I would not desecrate my garbage can with that piece of junk. Then, CB'ers
>> will buy anything with a lot of switches and a meaningless name like
>> "bi-linear" -- what's that supposed to mean?
>>
>> --
>>
>> -----
>> Joe S.
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>>
>> "Kathy Lee KC8QJP" <KC8QJP@yahoo.com> wrote in message
>> news:1118689035.c1c85969e808d28d84c9535ad3eb42cc@teranews...
>>> $500 firm. Be loud and proud!
>>>
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>

Gosh, a new top-poster. But I guess that goes along with the other attitude
problem.

What are the specs of the unit that make it "good gear?"

Don

2822. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 18:18:13 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d8n70s$l3l$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 15046

"Christopher O'Callaghan" <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie> wrote in message
news:d8kup8pia1@reader01.news.esat.net...
> MICHEAL JACKSON CLEARED OF ALL CHARGES
>
>

He's American, black and famous - therefore he must be innocent.

Where have we seen the same verdict before?

Oh yeah - there was that basketball has-been.....

2823. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 19:18:18 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <_3Gre.8280$Ta7.6134@fed1read04>
Source record: 15048

"Lou" <heykoolaidman@fun.com> wrote in message
news:iHFre.1577$Tf5.10@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net...

>>
>> Oh yeah - there was that basketball has-been.....
>>
>
> Or was it the "football" has bin?
>
>

First it was the rich black football has-been
Then it was the rich black basketball has-been
Now it's the rich black musical has-been
Next it'll be the rich black boxing has-been

1) Getting away with murder
2) Getting away with rape
3) Getting away with pedophilia
4) Getting away with canabalism?

If Jay Leno wasn't so scared about being PC, he'd
be having a field day with this.

Sam Kinnison - where are you when we need you?

Sheilds up

2824. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 19:28:58 UTC
From: Lou <heykoolaidman@fun.com>
Message-ID: <Jbzre.481$Tf5.145@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 15028

"Dave Holford" <holford@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:42AE45C6.8C7E011E@sympatico.ca...
>
>
> Floyd Sense wrote:
>
>> Not to nitpick, but the guy was found "not guilty", not "innocent". Big
>> difference!
>>
>
> That's not nitpicking, it's fact.
>
>

If it will help clear the air a tad.... one of the jurors said he believed MJ has molested boys, but in "this" case, the one being tried, there was enough evidence to let him go - according to the charges they had to deal with. Doesn't matter.... he is still being painted a molester. HE IS DONE. His life is finished regardless what he does. The media - right or wrong, is eating that stuff up. "THEY" don't let anything go. He is fried regardless how he was found.

L.

2825. Re: Drake R-4B receiver alignment question.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 22:03:56 UTC
From: JB <SPAMac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d8nkri$u9t$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 15049

Did you set the zero adjust to S1 with the antenna
disconnected first? In reality, on many bands there
may be anywhere from s1-s9 noise level with the
antenna connected. It is probably set too low.

Actually you need to go back and forth between the two
adjustments, and there will be some warm-up drift.

Nice radio!

"Real Radios" <cnoneicnjfsssss@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:42ada1be.3178470@127.0.0.1...
>
>
> I was aligning a Drake R-4B receiver. When aligning the receiver
> sensitivity and the S meter the manual states to set the RF gain to
> read -15 volts from TP2 (test point 2). The manual states to set
the
> meter to S40. At -15 volts the highest I can get my meter to go is
> S20. I replaced every tube in the receiver except the first RF
amp,
> and the only reason I did not replace that tube is because I don't
> have one of those tubes at this time.
> The alignment instructions for this section are on-line at;
>
> http://www.wb4hfn.com/DrakeManuals/R4B/Manual_R4B_38.jpg
>
> The full Drake R-4b manual with schematic is on-line at;
>
> http://www.wb4hfn.com/DrakeManuals/R4B/Manual_R4B.htm
>
> Any ideas why the S meter will not go to S40?
>
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>

2826. Re: 900Mhz Antenna improvement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-14 22:24:54 UTC
From: WSQT <wsqtradio@ziplip.com>
Message-ID: <1118787894.032940.43850@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15050
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.radio.pirate

Yagi antennas for frequencies this high are ridiculously compact and easy to build! A full wave is only in the 33 CM area, so a "long" Yagi with 6 or 7 elements would look like a yardstick with 5 inch wires bristling from it. If you only need to send signal in a particular direction, this is the way to go-and reduces the chance of unwanted "listeners" in another direction.

If you need omnidirectional gain, stacked turnstiles floor to ceiling , looking like a pole lamp brisling with 5" crosses, would do it, yielding maybe 9dB or so of gain by flattening out the pattern. Multiple half waves in phase (vertical with 1/2 wave phaseing sections) will do it with vertical polarization. In stacking anything, you get about 3dB gain for each doubling of the number of elements.

Shit, hams on 1215 MHZ and 1KW amps are communicating by bouncing signals off the MOON, with antennas yielding 30dB plus gain being reasonable in size due to short UHF wavelengths.

2827. FA: 5 Books - HAM RADIO - ARRL HANDBOOK 1972, Collins Book, Microwave, Power, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 01:43:59 UTC
From: Dave <dave@klowkdo9i.com>
Message-ID: <1406200521435949 21%dave@klowkdo9i.com>
Source record: 15051
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4556641430

2828. Re: INNOCENT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 02:52:15 UTC
From: Lou <heykoolaidman@fun.com>
Message-ID: <iHFre.1577$Tf5.10@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 15047

"Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:d8n70s$l3l$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net...
>
> "Christopher O'Callaghan" <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie> wrote in message
> news:d8kup8pia1@reader01.news.esat.net...
>> MICHEAL JACKSON CLEARED OF ALL CHARGES
>>
>>
>
>
> He's American, black and famous - therefore he must be innocent.
>
> Where have we seen the same verdict before?
>
> Oh yeah - there was that basketball has-been.....
>

Or was it the "football" has bin?

2829. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 02:53:59 UTC
From: Gregg <nospam@unknown.org>
Message-ID: <42af9841$1_1@dowco.com>
Source record: 15052
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Behold, Brenda Ann scribed on tube chassis:

> "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in message
> news:d8lchu015o5@news1.newsguy.com...
>> I would not desecrate my garbage can with that piece of junk. Then,
> CB'ers
>> will buy anything with a lot of switches and a meaningless name like
>> "bi-linear" -- what's that supposed to mean?
>
> Bi-linear= amplified transmit and receive. IIRC, those receive amps
> were about 20dB gain and noisy as hell.

Heh, even the 2dB NF ones will push a front-end into overload,
worsening the overall NF by a good 30 dB ;-)

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Gregg "t3h g33k"
http://geek.scorpiorising.ca
Ratings are for transistors, tubes have guidelines

2830. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 04:53:55 UTC
From: clem <clem_barefoot@my_cb_is_better_then_yours.com>
Message-ID: <42AFB45F.10C6592B@my_cb_is_better_then_yours.com>
Source record: 15053
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It still has the smoke inside of it !

> What are the specs of the unit that make it "good gear?"
>
> Don

2831. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 12:21:08 UTC
From: bonomi@host122.r-bonomi.com
Message-ID: <11b079k6kpilk17@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 15054
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <d8lchu015o5@news1.newsguy.com>, Joe S. <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote:
>I would not desecrate my garbage can with that piece of junk. Then, CB'ers
>will buy anything with a lot of switches and a meaningless name like
>"bi-linear" -- what's that supposed to mean?
>

Gol durn it! Don't youse guys know nuttin'?

Everybody knows what "bi" means!

Its those types that swing both ways.

AC-DC, you know?

snicker

2832. FT-857 and QRP ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 12:50:57 UTC
From: Dobar Dabar <dobardabarBEZSPAMA@mail.com>
Message-ID: <d8p86mdvn1@ss405.t-com.hr>
Source record: 15055

I want to work QRP 5W output on my FT-857.
SWR is close to 1:1.
If I set power to 5 on FT-857 (in menu I can choose from 5 to 100) my
Pyramid SWR14 shows RF output 1W.
If I set power to 15, Pyramid SWR14 shows 4W.
Can I trust to Pyramid SWR14?
I don't want to work QRO and to give other HAMs /QRP.
Can someone who owns FT-857 and accurate RF power meter test the output. If
I select 5 is it 5W or 1W?
Thanks in advance for reply.
73 de 9A4MN

2833. FA: TEN TEC 251 POWER SUPPLY (No Reserve!) ten-tec ********

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 14:03:54 UTC
From: muldawer@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1118844234.471401.27340@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15056

TEN TEC TEN-TEC 251 POWER SUPPLY (No Reserve!)

Hi, this auction is for my Ten Tec model 251 Power Supply, I used it
for a 2 meter brick amp, it worked great! It has a couple scratches on
the front, and other normal scratches, scuffs etc.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782447395&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2834. FA:WE Filter?,Galena xtal/holder + others stuff...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 14:12:39 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <rHWre.962844$w62.526755@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have a WE filter? in wooden box, Galena tall holder/detector for making urn
own tall set + other stuff at

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx heytubeguy

2835. Intrusion system, *Easy* & *Cheap-to-build* plans, need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 18:40:59 UTC
From: casteele95thbgheavy@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1118860859.830351.32850@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15058

I need to find an easy, cheap-to-construct outside intrusion system (several detectors/monitors outside that will set off some kind of an alarm inside a motor home a hundred to a few hundred feet away). Unless anyone here can offer a better suggestion, I'm looking for really easy to use/understand schematics or plans so I can build the system myself.

"Easy" to build, defined: During the war for the freedom of the Republic of South Viet Nam, I was an electronic tech in the army, but have forgotten most all that, and my only recent such experience was building a VERY (!!) simple 12 vdc ultrasonic generator on a breadboard.

"Cheap to construct" defined: I've been out of work for a year while recovering from a black widow spider bite, my last job won't take me back, and the only income I have is unemployment and $$ from stuff that I inherited that I'm selling.

"The Idea," explained: Due to the above bite, I had to give up my apartment, lived in a friends camper for a year, and then somebody just recently "gave" me a 24-ft. motor home which I am currently trying to make drivable and livable but for which I cannot afford to pay for a space in an RV park.

So, I thought I might offer to park the RV on sites (construction, church, whatever) and offer night security monitoring via the use of intrusion detectors placed by me around whatever site the MH is on, the thought being that they could set off an alarm in the MH that would wake me up [unless I can make a business out of this, I still need to job hunt during the day] and I could then take whatever steps would be appropriate ... like shining a big ole' spot light in the direction of the detector that was set off or, better yet, calling the police :)

Any ideas, suggestions, or links that might help would really be appreciated.

Christopher A. Steele
San Diego, CA.

2836. What receiver is this?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 19:51:36 UTC
From: jake@skylovers.org
Message-ID: <1118865096.760088.272350@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15059

http://www.skylovers.org/Receivers/IMG_0151.JPG I know it's a Yaesu Musen, but I don't know the model number. Anybody recognize it?

2837. Re: What receiver is this?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 20:16:31 UTC
From: Chas <wg2a@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <z00se.4832$eM6.197@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 15060

FRG-9600 I think.

Chuck WG2A

<jake@skylovers.org> wrote in message
news:1118865096.760088.272350@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> http://www.skylovers.org/Receivers/IMG_0151.JPG I know it's a Yaesu
> Musen, but I don't know the model number. Anybody recognize it?
>

2838. Re: What receiver is this?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 20:35:23 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <gi0se.7680$U4.1078642@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 15061

Looks it to me too.

Cheers.

Ken VK3KCT / ZL1WKT

"Chas" <wg2a@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:z00se.4832$eM6.197@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> FRG-9600 I think.
>
> Chuck WG2A
>
> <jake@skylovers.org> wrote in message
> news:1118865096.760088.272350@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>> http://www.skylovers.org/Receivers/IMG_0151.JPG I know it's a Yaesu
>> Musen, but I don't know the model number. Anybody recognize it?
>>
>
>

2839. Re: What receiver is this?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-15 21:25:55 UTC
From: jake@skylovers.org
Message-ID: <1118870755.280985.185760@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15062

You guys are right. Thanks for your input.
http://www.universal-radio.com/used/sold089.html

jake

2840. Rocker switch question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 01:15:06 UTC
From: Elzo Jenkins <Elzo_Jenkins@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <mik1b192ffnlh6598h9fqjcc5j34p13di8@4ax.com>
Source record: 15063

Hi all,
I have this variable power transformer that I need to replace the main power switch on. I'm not sure where I could get one or exactly what type of switch I need. I was told the company that makes this transformer unit is in China and I would be better off finding a generic replacement from the USA. I took a photo of it and printed the specs (to the best of my limited ability) on it. Could someone please take a look and point me in the right direction to a website link where I can order one and let me know what exactly do I ask for? Thanks much in advance! If you have any trouble with the picture link below, please e-mail me (Elzo_Jenkins@hotmail.com) and I can attach a jpeg in my reply.
Regards,
Elzo Jenkins

http://galleries.cigarweekly.com/Cloud9Bob/PotPourri/rocker?full=1

2841. Re: CB Linear FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 01:58:49 UTC
From: Larry <larryw@holbrookmasons.org>
Message-ID: <3hc4muFgdiruU1@individual.net>
Source record: 15064
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Joe S. wrote:
> "bi-linear" -- what's that supposed to mean?

Upper *and* lower sideband?

2842. Kenwood R-5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 02:03:26 UTC
From: jake@skylovers.org
Message-ID: <1118887406.361860.305950@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15065

I'm selling some receivers and don't know much about them. I have a kenwood R-5000, and I see online ads where people are talking about what filters are on the units. How do I know if this unit has a filter, and how do I know which filter it is? photo at: http://www.skylovers.org/Receivers/Kenwood-R-5000.jpg

Jake B

2843. Re: Intrusion system, *Easy* & *Cheap-to-build* plans, need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 03:02:50 UTC
From: Chee <che_wah@ling.ch>
Message-ID: <3uq1b1p4p2eqj9qlhu227bl5rjh66dfaqq@4ax.com>
Source record: 15066

On 15 Jun 2005 11:40:59 -0700, casteele95thbgheavy@yahoo.com wrote:

>I need to find an easy, cheap-to-construct outside intrusion system
<snip>
like a dog?

2844. Re: FA: $10>COURIER CMM-1 HAND MICROPHONE for CENTURION CB? NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 04:13:31 UTC
From: Scott in Baltimore <scott_unit_69@yapoo.com>
Message-ID: <42B0FC6B.E9C817C@yapoo.com>
Source record: 15067
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

cooltube wrote:
>
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5781147396&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

This guy is in my filter list, but should we report him to optonline
for spamming?

Why can't he put them all in one message?

2845. FA: HP 18GHz Spectrum Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 05:10:11 UTC
From: Vendor <fvs@vendoramusements.com>
Message-ID: <hb22b1dgvr806enpivukn8q5hh5ju9rn2u@4ax.com>
Source record: 15068

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7524141577

Thanks for looking, and please check out my other auctions.

2846. FA - National NC-270 receiver, tubes, Gonset phone patch.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 06:04:33 UTC
From: KK4TL <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1118901873.942987.316500@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15069
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

National NC-270 Receiver - Repairable or for parts
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5782569503&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Gonset Phone Patch GPP-1 ** NR **
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4675&item=5782567541&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

RCA 6146 Tube
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5782575998&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Jan (mfr by RCA) 832 tube
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48710&item=5782576346&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Icom BC-35 Charger
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48703&item=5782578745&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

NC-580 Battery Charger
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48703&item=5782579565&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Kantronics CW / RTTY adaptor - Parts unit?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4671&item=5782572168&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Amplified Scanner Antenna
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40979&item=5782654792&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Allied Radio Catalog from 1960
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4673&item=5782652377&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

Microslate Datellite 400L25 - Parts Unit ?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=97184&item=7524150582&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

2847. Re: Intrusion system, *Easy* & *Cheap-to-build* plans, need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 06:23:11 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42B11AB9.58B518B9@earthlink.net>
Source record: 15070

Chee wrote:
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> On 15 Jun 2005 11:40:59 -0700, casteele95thbgheavy@yahoo.com wrote:
>
> >I need to find an easy, cheap-to-construct outside intrusion system
> <snip>
> like a dog?

Have you ever tried to build a dog?

--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

2848. Re: Rocker switch question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 11:55:32 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <42b16911$1_3@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 15071

Check Radio Shack - they have very similar switches. Also, check the local auto supplies store such as Advance, Pep Boys, etc.

K8AC

"Elzo Jenkins" <Elzo_Jenkins@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:mik1b192ffnlh6598h9fqjcc5j34p13di8@4ax.com...
> Hi all,
> I have this variable power transformer that I need to replace the
> main power switch on. I'm not sure where I could get one or exactly
> what type of switch I need. I was told the company that makes this
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> where I can order one and let me know what exactly do I ask for?
> Thanks much in advance! If you have any trouble with the picture link
> below, please e-mail me (Elzo_Jenkins@hotmail.com) and I can attach a
> jpeg in my reply.
> Regards,
> Elzo Jenkins
>
> http://galleries.cigarweekly.com/Cloud9Bob/PotPourri/rocker?full=1

2849. FS: Icom IC AT-500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 12:38:43 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <7f6dnde6kf9O7yzfRVn-3Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 15072

I have a Icom AT-500 automatic antenna tuner, will automatically switch bands
with your Icom radio. Will also work on other brands of HF gear but not automatically
switching bands.
This tuner has a problem like maybe a cold solder joint.
It was from an estate sale. I have no use for it other wise I'd
send it back to Icom to get repaired.

It will switch bands along with Icom equipment and tune but when you
push on parts inside the case the rec signal changes.

It's in good shape with a couple of scratches on top case.
Face is in good condition.
Any one out there interested?
Make an offer.

Thanks

Steve

2850. FA: UHF - CT450*ls Motorola Portables, 4-Watt - "Blue Cases"-"Readout"- Good Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 14:00:12 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <7Dfse.190$SF5.133@fed1read07>
Source record: 15073
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: UHF - CT450*ls Motorola Portables, 4-Watt - "Blue Cases"-"Readout"- Good Condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7523836980&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2851. FA: Very Small - Motorola CP200 Portable Radio - UHF-438-470 Mhz w/Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 14:08:23 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <tJfse.191$SF5.128@fed1read07>
Source record: 15074
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Very Small - Motorola CP200 Portable Radio - UHF-438-470 Mhz w/Charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7523846424&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2852. FA Lots of Vintage BoatAnchor Gear, Collins, Drake, B&W, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 18:50:04 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <uRjse.30195$DC2.20293@okepread01>
Source record: 15075

Please see my auctions for:
Lots of Vintage BoatAnchors Gear, Collins, Drake, B&W, etc

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug

Auctions end soon, Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2853. Re: Intrusion system, *Easy* & *Cheap-to-build* plans, need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 18:51:27 UTC
From: casteele95thbgheavy@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1118947887.117565.285530@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15076

My financial situation precludes a pet, even if "part" of a new and
thus 'unsure' business/money making venture: I'd feel pretty bad if I
took on a "pet" and it needed a vet and I was unable to care for it.
I'm trying to meet my *present* financial obligations, not assume new
ones I may not be able to meet.

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casteele95thbgheavy@yahoo.com wrote:
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> (several detectors/monitors outside that will set off some kind of an
> alarm inside a motor home a hundred to a few hundred feet away). Unless
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> easy to use/understand schematics or plans so I can build the system
> myself.
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> Republic of South Viet Nam, I was an electronic tech in the army, but
> have forgotten most all that, and my only recent such experience was
> building a VERY (!!) simple 12 vdc ultrasonic generator on a
> breadboard.
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> "Cheap to construct" defined: I've been out of work for a year
> while recovering from a black widow spider bite, my last job won't
> take me back, and the only income I have is unemployment and $$ from
> stuff that I inherited that I'm selling.
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> "The Idea," explained: Due to the above bite, I had to give up my
> apartment, lived in a friends camper for a year, and then somebody just
> recently "gave" me a 24-ft. motor home which I am currently trying
> to make drivable and livable but for which I cannot afford to pay for a
> space in an RV park.
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> So, I thought I might offer to park the RV on sites (construction,
> church, whatever) and offer night security monitoring via the use of
> intrusion detectors placed by me around whatever site the MH is on, the
> thought being that they could set off an alarm in the MH that would
> wake me up [unless I can make a business out of this, I still need to
> job hunt during the day] and I could then take whatever steps would be
> appropriate ... like shining a big ole' spot light in the direction
> of the detector that was set off or, better yet, calling the police :)
>
> Any ideas, suggestions, or links that might help would really be
> appreciated.
>

> Christopher A. Steele
> San Diego, CA.

2854. Re: Rocker switch question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 19:20:25 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <Zhkse.169692$1B2.116353@fe10.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15077

Elzo Jenkins wrote:
> http://galleries.cigarweekly.com/Cloud9Bob/PotPourri/rocker?full=1

Looks like a standard switch. Try an NTE 54-386
http://www.wallcoinc.com/ProductDetails.asp?ProductCode=Wal11-54-386

2855. Re: Rocker switch question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 19:33:28 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <cukse.469920$Yr4.150201@fe07.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 15078

Travis Jordan wrote:
> Elzo Jenkins wrote:
> > http://galleries.cigarweekly.com/Cloud9Bob/PotPourri/rocker?full=1
>
> Looks like a standard switch. Try an NTE 54-386
> http://www.wallcoinc.com/ProductDetails.asp?ProductCode=Wal11-54-386

Note that the NTE switch uses an separate LED for power indication. You
may want to also look at Alcoswitch's PRG series.

http://www.rs-components.co.uk/electronic-components-uk/index1016.html

2856. Re: FS FLEXIBLE SHAFT >Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 23:35:53 UTC
From: Nick <nryder@austin.rr.com>
Message-ID: <42B20CD9.1A611A3@austin.rr.com>
Source record: 15079
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Do you take cash?

I'm needing a flexible shaft for my tuner project. Must
be non conductive.

Will it protect me?

2857. Re: FA: $10>COURIER CMM-1 HAND MICROPHONE for CENTURION CB? NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-16 23:39:52 UTC
From: Nick <nryder@austin.rr.com>
Message-ID: <42B20DC8.2600CA70@austin.rr.com>
Source record: 15080
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

What good will that do? so what if he spams?

Whats going to stop him again?

2858. Re: FA: $10>COURIER CMM-1 HAND MICROPHONE for CENTURION CB? NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-17 00:13:33 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050616201330.790$02@newsreader.com>
Source record: 15081
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Nick <nryder@austin.rr.com> wrote:
> What good will that do? so what if he spams?
>
> Whats going to stop him again?
>
Certainly not cross posted vernacular.

2859. Re: Rocker switch question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-17 03:06:54 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <hff4b19jjp1f8ljrtf6f8k34k372e4hte9@4ax.com>
Source record: 15082

On Wed, 15 Jun 2005 21:15:06 -0400, Elzo Jenkins
<Elzo_Jenkins@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Hi all,
>I have this variable power transformer that I need to replace the
>main power switch on. I'm not sure where I could get one or exactly
>what type of switch I need. I was told the company that makes this

Newark Electronics, Digikey, Mouser, etc. All have websites.

Probably needs to be a higher rated switch, as a transformer may pull
a lot of current. Be generous with the specs.

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2860. FA: 3 new type N coax adapters, first quality, made in USA

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-17 04:15:30 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <info@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <l6sse.11178$6o4.1099@fed1read04>
Source record: 15083

Please see
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=7285&item=7524110064&rd=1&ssPageNam
e=WDVW or visit our web site at www.aaarfproducts.com

2861. FA: 3 new, USA made, type N adapters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-17 04:17:59 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <info@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <19sse.11179$6o4.6692@fed1read04>
Source record: 15084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.swap

Please see
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=7285&item=7524110064&rd=1&ssPageNam
e=WDVW or visit our web site at www.aaarfproducts.com

2862. CB Linear AMP (Palomar 225) and an FM Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-17 20:09:18 UTC
From: rejected@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1119038958.208376.43440@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 15085

Is it possible to use a CB Linear amp (Palomar 225 w/SSB ability) and
an FM transmitter to broadcast a PC based radio? I want to be able to
listen to internet radio in my front or back yard. Can this be done?

I have a 50mw transmitter
http://www.veronica.co.uk/50mwsb.htm

Best link I could find for Palomar 225
http://www.copper.com/cgi-bin/checkitout/checkitout.cgi?catalogSTORE:CKIE:prodW90-PALOMAR2
25%2B

Thanks,

Rejected@hotmail.com

2863. Re: Intrusion system, *Easy* & *Cheap-to-build* plans, need

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-17 23:38:56 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <42B35F96.9080405@nettally.com>
Source record: 15086

Check e-bay for "microwave intrusion alarm", "microwave motion sensor", doppler microwave" etc. There are some cheap surplus units which can be activate a relay upon a vehicle or person approaching. Be prepared for false alarms unless you set up properly.

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

2864. RFI on HF rig help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 00:15:57 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <6JJse.15621$6o4.10423@fed1read04>
Source record: 15087

I know, I know - "RFI *on* an HF rig" & not "RFI *from* an HF rig"?

Thats it. In trying to match the capabilities of a friend's HF performance (rx only), I built what seemed to be a better radio (K2). His rig is no lamer, either - its a Yaesu FT-920. I can now equal him on signals heard. We live close enough and have similar antennas so according to the numbers, I should be able to copy signals he has trouble copying more often than not.

Still, I rarely hear better than him. We are usually just equal. According to the specs, I should hear a bit better and I'm not.

I went over to his place and listened - his noise floor was lower by 2 S units. He dosen't own a computer and I do so I figured it was my PC. Came home and shut it down with maybe 1/2 a S unit drop in my noise floor. Even un-plugged the power strip going to the PC.

Then it came to me - I live closer to the city and am on a hill while he lives in a depression. He had noticed another ham who has much more trouble hearing and we both realised that the other ham lives much closer to downtown than we do.

Could my noise floor problem be due to the fact that I have a line of sight path to downtown 3 miles away? My friend is 2 miles out farther and like I said, in a depression that puts him 50 feet below downtown's grade. I'm 50' above downtown.

What can I do to lower the RFI from downtown? I've fought intermod before but on VHF/UHF and that was a long time ago.

I have very little experience with RFI from a city on HF .

Moving is out.

Help? Ideas? I'm not looking for much - I figure if I lower my noise floor 3 db I will have gotten 98% of the noise. I have a RX only port on the K2 and have a 10m inverted V hooked up there but that just kills the whole spectrum except 10m.

BTW the main band of concern here is 40m. Maybe I could build a BPF? Anyone know where I could find plans for one?

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Just my 2�... 73 es gd dx de Ken KG�WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #-1055
Proud builder & owner of Elecraft K2 #4913

2865. Re: RFI on HF rig help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 05:31:05 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <tkOse.333157$cg1.279407@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 15088

Hi Ken,

The excess noise from the environment should override any internal noise generated by any of the current amateur rigs. If there would be any advantage, it would be when listening to weak signals that are very close to strong signals.
Generally, you probably wouldn't see any difference. Now, about those S-Meter readings on noise level.....the most likely reason for the difference is probably S-Meter calibration.
To verify this, you would need to have a signal generator with an accurately calibrated output attenuator. With this piece of equipment, you can inject a 50uV signal into the antenna input. Typically, S9 equals 50uV at 14MHz.
It is hard to tell if this is the reason or if you really do live in a noisier area.
As far as specs, just about every rig I have tested has an MDS in the 0.1uV region. When receiver specs are given, there are at least two methods that can be used. One of them is the soft measurement technique, whereby the output of the signal generator is directly connected to the antenna input, while the hard measurement technique has a 50 ohm thru-load connected between the signal generator and the receiver that is being tested.
The soft measurement technique yields better sensitivity figures, and that is what most of the manufacturers use.
I hope this helps.

Pete

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> *from* an HF rig"?
>
> Thats it. In trying to match the capabilities of a friend's
> HF performance (rx only), I built what seemed to be a
> better radio (K2). His rig is no lamer, either - its
> a Yaesu FT-920. I can now equal him on signals heard.
> We live close enough and have similar antennas so according
> to the numbers, I should be able to copy signals he has
> trouble copying more often than not.
>
> Still, I rarely hear better than him. We are usually just
> equal. According to the specs, I should hear a bit better
> and I'm not.
>
> I went over to his place and listened - his noise floor was
> lower by 2 S units. He dosen't own a computer and I do

> so I figured it was my PC. Came home and shut it down
> with maybe 1/2 a S unit drop in my noise floor. Even un-
> plugged the power strip going to the PC.
>
> Then it came to me - I live closer to the city and am on
> a hill while he lives in a depression. He had noticed another
> ham who has much more trouble hearing and we both realised
> that the other ham lives much closer to downtown than we do.
>
> Could my noise floor problem be due to the fact that I have
> a line of sight path to downtown 3 miles away? My friend
> is 2 miles out farther and like I said, in a depression that puts
> him 50 feet below downtown's grade. I'm 50' above downtown.
>
> What can I do to lower the RFI from downtown? I've fought
> intermod before but on VHF/UHF and that was a long time
> ago.
>
> I have very little experience with RFI from a city on HF .
>
> Moving is out.
>
> Help? Ideas? I'm not looking for much - I figure if I lower my
> noise floor 3 db I will have gotten 98% of the noise. I have a
> RX only port on the K2 and have a 10m inverted V hooked
> up there but that just kills the whole spectrum except 10m.
>
> BTW the main band of concern here is 40m. Maybe I could
> build a BPF? Anyone know where I could find plans for one?
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2866. Re: CB Linear AMP (Palomar 225) and an FM Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 08:58:23 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <OmRse.1317$gt5.285@fed1read02>
Source record: 15089

rejected@hotmail.com wrote:

> Is it possible to use a CB Linear amp (Palomar 225 w/SSB ability) and
> an FM transmitter to broadcast a PC based radio? I want to be able to
> listen to internet radio in my front or back yard. Can this be done?
>
> I have a 50mw transmitter
> http://www.veronica.co.uk/50mwsb.htm
>
>
> Best link I could find for Palomar 225
>
http://www.copper.com/cgi-bin/checkitout/checkitout.cgi?catalogSTORE:CKIE:prodW90-PALOMAR2
25%2B
>
> Thanks,
>
> Rejected@hotmail.com
well,
there are a couple of small problems:

1. you don't have enough drive on the output of your transmitter and
2. the listed amp was not designed for 88-108 Mhz in any case

one additional point, that transmitter uses a heavily coupled antenna
connection, which would pretty much preclude hooking to any external device
without buffering circuits (this starts to get complex and costly real
fast).

better off just getting a better part 15 device or running dedicated speaker
leads to a multimedia distribution box in the house.

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DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
has its limits.

2867. Re: Idea's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 11:54:46 UTC
From: Gary <danahers@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <42B40B86.4040003@comcast.net>
Source record: 15090

Kb2sin wrote:

> Im looking for mounting ideas for the top section of a rohn 45G to be used
> solely on a roof ontop of a home. any idea on how I can mount this
> monstrosity with out guy wires? Please email kb2sin@stny.rr.com
> thanks and 73's
> de kb2sin
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This reminds me of the Yugo I saw last year parked at the hamfest. It had 16 antennas attached in various ways, had the passenger seat removed so he could stack his radios, and had a huge hole in the side for the coax., neatly plugged by the way with clear caulking. Classy.

Assuming your house is constructed of steel i-beams, just weld the base of the tower into the steel roof truss and you should be good to go. If you have a traditionally constructed home of wood, brick, and plaster, then just go ahead and file a claim with your homeowners insurance, indicating the cause as owner stupidity. It will save time on the claim when the tower crashes through your bedroom ceiling at 3 am and pins you under the ceiling fan.

2868. Re: I actually touched the box<g>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 11:56:35 UTC
From: Gary <danahers@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <Ze-dnZv6wb9slinfRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 15091

Justï¿½n Kï¿½se wrote:

> That's right, I was in the local radio store saturday where they're
> holding my new 756pro3 until the check clears (Mon or Tue), and actually
> touched the box. I'm looking forward to a great short wave receiver that
> I can do ham on too, got to play with the store demo and am so stoked.
> Anybody have one of these and can share their experience?

You bought a Pro III to use as a shortwave receiver?

2869. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 12:00:57 UTC
From: Gary <danahers@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <yLSdnedbUZFqkSnfRVn-rQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 15092

mjpatey@gmail.com wrote:

> Hi, everyone-
>
> I don't know if this is the right group for my question, but I can't
> find any other groups to ask.
>
> I've been trying to do research online to find the best pair of GMRS
> radios for vacation/travel use. I'm building the $80 FCC license fee
> into my figures, and have about $160-170 to spend, so the pair of
> radios should cost no more than $80-90.
>
> I've seen 2 Motorola models that look good... the T5950, and the
> T7400R. The 5950 has been out for quite a while, and several users
> have given it good reviews. The T7400R has virtually NO reviews,
> though it seems to have been out for several months.
>
> So why would I be interested in the 7400? It's 2 Watts, and claims a
> greater range (7 miles) than the 5950. But I've only been able to find
> three reviews for it. One says it's the best thing since sliced bread,
> and two others (which were written last year) just say it's not
> available yet.
>
> Does anybody have any experience with these radios, or feel that
> another model is the best out there in the $80-90 range (per pair)?
>
> It's been very frustrating trying to find any information or reviews on
> these things. Usually I enjoy doing web research on tech products
> before buying, but this search has been very tedious. Thanks for any
> help you can provide!
>
> -Mark
>

What you failed to mention here is what you plan on doing with them.
There isn't much more than a nickel's worth of difference between a
cheap FRS radio and a good GMRS radio in your price range. You might get
better communications across a large lake but that would be about it.

2870. Re: RFI on HF rig help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 13:21:45 UTC
From: Dale Parfitt <par@parelectronics.com>
Message-ID: <JdVse.4796$kj5.3590@trnddc03>
Source record: 15093

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> >
> BTW the main band of concern here is 40m. Maybe I could
> build a BPF? Anyone know where I could find plans for one?
>
> The noise is arriving in the 40M band. Since a 40M BPF passes 40M, how
wouould it "know" the difference between noise and signal?
As for noise floor- take Pete's suggestion or take your K2 to your friends
house and compare signals there.

It is likely the noise comes from your house- switching power supplies in
consumer electronics, fan speed controls, dimmers, microwave ovens etc.

Put the K2 on battery power and turn offf the main breaker into the house.

Dale W4OP

2871. Kenwood TU-6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 13:51:34 UTC
From: "Paul R. Stoetzer" <stoetze4@msu.edu>
Message-ID: <d918su$e0n$1@news.msu.edu>
Source record: 15094

Does anybody have the instruction sheet for a Kenwood TU-6 Tone Encoder?

Paul N8HM

2872. FA: $22>B & K model 1420 PORTABLE OSCILLOSCOPE>Tech Special NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 14:06:13 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qTVse.14637$th7.4071@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15095
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7522705001&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2873. FA: New Shure 450, Bird Slugs, Video stuff, Parts, Neat Items for sure!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 14:08:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <OVVse.14638$th7.10438@fe11.lga>
Source record: 15096
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

You won't belive all the nice items, something for all>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

2874. Re: Idea's needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 18:14:18 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d91o9k01m0a@news2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 15097

"Gary" <danahers@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:42B40B86.4040003@comcast.net...
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> > solely on a roof ontop of a home. any idea on how I can mount this
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> > thanks and 73's
> > de kb2sin

I once mounted a section of Rohn 25G on my roof. The house was two-story with a one-story garage. I built a platform out of 2X pressure treated lumber and sat the platfrom straddling the ridgeline of the garage. Inside the garage I spanned several rafters with 2X and ran long bolts through the platform, through the roof, and through the spans thereby securing the platform to the garage roof. I drilled holes in the platform to match the 25G legs and fastened the 25G section to the platform with U-bolts. I then installed a Rohn house bracket on the side of the two-story portion of the house and clamped the tower section into the house bracket. I put a 10-foot piece of high tensile mast in the tower and mounted a 24-element 432 Yagi, small tri-bander, and 5-element vertical beam for 2 FM.

The guy who made the initial post also needs to know that there are roof-mounted towers. They consist of spread tripod legs; mount with bolts going through the roof, lumber in the roof spanning several rafters/trusses, and gobs of roofing tar.

Check out these roof-mounted towers:
http://www.glenmartin.com/industrial/pg17.htm

Joe S.

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> you have a traditionally constructed home of wood, brick, and plaster,
> then just go ahead and file a claim with your homeowners insurance,
> indicating the cause as owner stupidity. It will save time on the claim
> when the tower crashes through your bedroom ceiling at 3 am and pins you

> under the ceiling fan.

2875. Re: RFI on HF rig help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 19:05:11 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <lf_se.25789$6o4.25454@fed1read04>
Source record: 14948

"Dale Parfitt" <par@parelectronics.com> wrote in message
news:JdVse.4796$kj5.3590@trnddc03...

> As for noise floor- take Pete's suggestion or take your K2 to your friends
> house and compare signals there.
>
> It is likely the noise comes from your house- switching power supplies in
> consumer electronics, fan speed controls, dimmers, microwave ovens etc.
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> Put the K2 on battery power and turn offf the main breaker into the house.
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> Dale W4OP
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I did that today - WOW! What a difference! Unplugging my PC and
turning off the SEC 1223 ps (leaving the K2 on SLA cells automatically)
made a HUGE difference! The PC was causing 90% of the noise.

My noise floor went from S7 to S4 and new stations just jumped
out of the air.

My friend still hears less band noise than me but only by 1-1.5db at
the most now.

Now, how do I solve the PC noise problem? I guess I could spend
a small fortune in ferrite snap on chokes but I doubt I would be able
to equal how quiet it is with the PC off. If that's so, I doubt I'll bother
- it's just too easy to turn off the PC during net time......

Would a laptop on batteries work without noise?

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Just my 2...
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #-1055
Proud builder & owner of Elecraft K2 #4913

2876. Re: RFI on HF rig help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 20:50:59 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3hjfpkFhg9egU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14949

To cut down on PC noise, use a metal case with no plastic inserts.
Use ferrite beads/chokes on all cables coming out of case, and if
possible, put a metal plate between PC and radios, I have a metal layer
under my desktop/workbench that is grounded, with the radios above, and
Pc's below, with a LCD monitor connected to each pc through a KVM
switch, with very little if no noise from pc!!!

Bob N9LVU

Ken Bessler wrote:
> "Dale Parfitt" <par@parelectronics.com> wrote in message
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2877. Re: RFI on HF rig help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 21:21:43 UTC
From: Chris <ck@ckradio.net>
Message-ID: <db0te.107420$8S5.74308@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14950

If you have any fluorescent lights in the house, turn them off. Take a
small radio on AM and walk around to find the source.
Much of your noise is probably the PS of the PC. I use to get that when
I used the regular $20 PS's Go to Comp USA and get a good high end
supply, the cabling is shielded and they are designed for low RFI. The
cost is a bit higher, $150-500 but it's worth it if you have computers
near radios. I have 4 computers running in the radio room on 4 UPS's
NO NOISE to the radios at all.
Good Luck!
73 Chris, VE3NGW/W4 Florida

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2878. Emergency Radio: Marine, Aviation, Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-18 22:31:43 UTC
From: Tom <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <jh1te.335523$cg1.142534@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14951

Howdy:

I'm looking for an emergency radio to cover the marine, aviation and 2 meter ham bands. The Yaesu VXA-700 looks good as it covers the ham and aviation bands but I have found no conversion for transmitting on the marine band---just receive only.

Anyone know of any handheld tranceiver that has the capability of transmitting and receiving on the three bands modified or otherwise?

OK... OK... yes I know... legal issues... I've been a ham for 40 years, flying for 30 and sailing aboard ship as a Radio Officer for 20. I'm just looking for one unit for emergency communications instead of two or three separate units and associated accessories; batteries, charger...

Best regards

2879. Re: Emergency Radio: Marine, Aviation, Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 00:17:53 UTC
From: vk3vfl <vk3vfl@optusnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <42b4ba43$0$16492$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 14952

Hi You could look at the Yeasu Vx-5 Hand Held small 5w and it will do what
you want
Geoff
"Tom" <nospam@nospam.com> wrote in message
news:jh1te.335523$cg1.142534@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net...
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2880. Re: Emergency Radio: Marine, Aviation, Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 01:07:36 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <sz3te.7689$VK4.4692@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14953

Most VHF radios on the market that can receive
things can transmit on those same frequencies, the
problem is not the marine band, that can be done
easily, although not legal or fcc/coast guard type
accepted, although the problem comes in with the
aircraft band, that is AM and these rigs don't have
AM tranmit modules.

Being a Ham for that length of time, I would imagine
you knew that though, just get two rigs, an HT for
aircraft transmit and an IC 2100H will do the rest

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Patrick

Patrick H. Mason MS, OHST, EMT-I

A delusion shared by many is a culture; shared by some is a cult;
shared by 2 is love; but a delusion held by one is psychosis.
"Tom" <nospam@nospam.com> wrote in message
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2881. FA: Double FT-243 Xtal Socket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 02:56:46 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <O95te.65962$_o.6103@attbi_s71>
Source record: 14954
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Great for Homebrew.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5783329975

Ends Saturday June-25 18:20:53 PDT (June-26 01:20:53 UTC)

Thanks,
Tom

2882. FA: 20's Vintage DPDT Knife Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 03:00:30 UTC
From: Tom <tfarl@iowatelecom.net>
Message-ID: <id5te.65077$x96.7728@attbi_s72>
Source record: 14955
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5783322030

Ends Saturday June-25 17:23:51 PDT (Sunday June-26 00:23:51 UTC)

Thanks,
Tom

2883. Re: FA: Double FT-243 Xtal Socket

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 03:10:03 UTC
From: Ken Scharf <wa2mzeNOTTHIS@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <yf5te.107158$IQ3.27630@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14956
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

Tom wrote:
> Great for Homebrew.
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> Ends Saturday June-25 18:20:53 PDT (June-26 01:20:53 UTC)
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> Thanks,
> Tom
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>
Nothing special. (You can use an octal tube socket for
the same purpose, cheaper!)

I have some weird double FT-243 crystals though.
Made for Uncle Sam, they house two crystals in one unit,
either a dual channel job, or one for the transmitter and
one for the receiver on the same channel.

2884. FA - National Receiver, Accessories, Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 04:11:19 UTC
From: TL <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1119154279.835652.235750@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZkk4tlQ5fisQ5fme

2885. Re: Emergency Radio: Marine, Aviation, Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 06:43:59 UTC
From: Brad <"bradvk2qq AT w6ir.com">
Message-ID: <42b514ec$0$18643$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>
Source record: 14958

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"> Being a Ham for that length of time, I would imagine
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> aircraft transmit and an IC 2100H will do the rest
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> Patrick
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Yaesu have a new HT that covers Aircraft in AM (TX and RX) and 2m FM, TX and RX, and without knowing more about it, just might open up to Marine FM. It was announced as being designed for Flying Hams.

Brad VK2QQ

2886. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 13:40:28 UTC
From: jlwsecure-google@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1119188428.234016.167840@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14959

You can't use any modified equipment on GMRS. The equipment you use
MUST be GMRS type accepted. And... don't forget you need a license.

2887. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 14:39:42 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <dj0bb19bckepfu5gvljlj6g7mogtja85fm@4ax.com>
Source record: 14960

On 19 Jun 2005 06:40:28 -0700, jlwsecure-google@yahoo.com wrote:

>You can't use any modified equipment on GMRS. The equipment you use
>MUST be GMRS type accepted. And... don't forget you need a license.

The only bands you do not need type accepted/certificated equipment on
are the amateur bands that you are licensed for.

Any modification of a radio in another service will void the type
acceptance.

Actually, commercial broadcasters can modify their equipment, but also
need to monitor their output for any potential problems.

As for the GMRS license, the manufacturers of the radios do inform
buyers that they need an FCC license, but I have never seen printing
that small before. ;-)

Happy trails,
Gary (net.yogi.bear)
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At the 51st percentile of ursine intelligence

Gary D. Schwartz, Needham, MA, USA
Please reply to: garyDOTschwartzATpoboxDOTcom

2888. Does anyone know the current value of a FTV-650B 6m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 16:08:24 UTC
From: ke5ckr@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1119197304.085796.226460@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14961

Hi all,

I've been shopping around for something to get on 6m before summer is over. I recently found a FTV-650B 6m transverter that would go with my FT101B outfit on ebay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4671&item=5781809383&rd=1

I bid $100 and was planning to maybe go to $150. I was looking good on the auction until last night. I checked in this morning and the bidding has reached $255. This seems a little steep since I bought a my FT101B station complete with the VFO and phone patch/speaker, mic, extra final tubes, etc., for about $350. Does anyone here know how much these transverters are worth? I've looked all over the web and can't seem to get any idea. Any input is much appreciated.

Cheers!

- Matt

2889. Need Schmatics / datasheets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 16:20:10 UTC
From: "lennyw@comcast.net" <lennyw@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <1119198010.401601.177090@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14962

Hi

I've got 3 hot hamfest finds so far this season and need documentation on each of them. If you have leads on datasheets or schematics I'd appreciate hearing from you.

Here are the items:

1. A homebrew 420-450 MHz 20 watt amplifier that uses a a Motorola "SHW158 612". A datasheet on the Motorola RF Module would help me get it going (or at least tesed). The amp is missing 1 component (probably a pot used to bias it).

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The commercial sources for documentation on the 2 Heath items are asking very high (way more than the cost of the items themselves) prices for the paper work.

Thanks in advance for any leads.

73,
Lenny W2BVH

2890. Re: Emergency Radio: Marine, Aviation, Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 16:24:02 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <C_gte.8106$VK4.4419@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14963

Wow,

I love being mistaken when I learn something new from it.

I will have to got to the yaesu website and check it out, I must
have 3 separate TX units on it, two phase modulation and one AM.

Thanks for the post

--
Patrick

Patrick H. Mason MS, OHST, EMT-I

A delusion shared by many is a culture; shared by some is a cult;
shared by 2 is love; but a delusion held by one is psychosis.
"Brad" <bradvk2qq AT w6ir.com> wrote in message
news:42b514ec$0$18643$14726298@news.sunsite.dk...
>
> "> Being a Ham for that length of time, I would imagine
> > you knew that though, just get two rigs, an HT for
> > aircraft transmit and an IC 2100H will do the rest
> >
> > --
> > Patrick
>
>
> Yaesu have a new HT that covers Aircraft in AM (TX and RX) and 2m FM, TX
and
> RX, and without knowing more about it, just might open up to Marine FM. It
> was announced as being designed for Flying Hams.
>
>
> Brad VK2QQ
>
>

2891. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 16:28:15 UTC
From: Patrick <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <z2hte.8111$VK4.3768@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14964

Are your absolutely positively sure about that.

I am not trying to be cantankerous here, but I don't think there
is specific type acceptance of GMRS or MURS band radios.

In fact you can buy a RS radio and have it programmed for FRS,
or GMRS is you have the Ticket and they will jack up the power,
the rig can also be programmed for business radio. I have a GMRS
rig made by Motorola right in front of me, I am licensed and use it
on a licensed GMRS repeater.... it has no FCC type acceptance on
it at all.

I could be wrong, but I don't find it in the regs anywhere

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Patrick H. Mason MS, OHST, REMT-I
W4PHM, WPWK542

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2892. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 16:46:44 UTC
From: "Gary S." <Idontwantspam@net>
Message-ID: <i78bb11du5al7tp04n71ul51hieslnnub8@4ax.com>
Source record: 14965

On Sun, 19 Jun 2005 16:28:15 GMT, "Patrick" <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
wrote:

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If it was designed and tested by the manufacturer, for that band, and
you are licensed, it is fine.

Reprogramming or opening up MARS/CAP is not the same as modifying the
radio from its original certificated design.

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2893. FA: UHF-Motorola HT1250ls Plus-Has Voice Storage Module-Large NIMH Batt & Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 17:14:38 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <_Lhte.548$SF5.527@fed1read07>
Source record: 14966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: UHF-Motorola HT1250ls Plus-Has Voice Storage Module-Large NIMH Batt & Charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7524983614&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2894. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 18:38:37 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <NYite.38258$aa3.9282@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14967

jlwsecure-google@yahoo.com wrote:
> You can't use any modified equipment on GMRS. The equipment you use
> MUST be GMRS type accepted. And... don't forget you need a license.

For emergency communications it doesn't matter.
http://frwebgate.access.gpo.gov/cgi-bin/get-cfr.cgi?TITLE=47&PART=97&SECTION=403&TYPE=TEXT

Sec. 97.403 Safety of life and protection of property.

No provision of these rules prevents the use by an amateur station
of any means of radiocommunication at its disposal to provide essential
communication needs in connection with the immediate safety of human
life and immediate protection of property when normal communication
systems are not available.

2895. Re: Does anyone know the current value of a FTV-650B 6m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 18:40:58 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <__ite.8247$VK4.3889@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14968

<ke5ckr@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1119197304.085796.226460@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> Hi all,
>
> I've been shopping around for something to get on 6m before summer is
> over. I recently found a FTV-650B 6m transverter that would go with my
> FT101B outfit on ebay:
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> station complete with the VFO and phone patch/speaker, mic, extra final
> tubes, etc., for about $350. Does anyone here know how much these
> transverters are worth? I've looked all over the web and can't seem to
> get any idea. Any input is much appreciated.

As there were not that many made, I would say they are worth whatever
someone is willing to pay. Just like a collector item. I decided to trade
off my six meter stuff for a low band rig that had 6 meters and 100 watts
output for the reason that I could have six meters and use it as a backup
rig for the other lowband rig.

2896. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 18:49:34 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42B5BD01.353AD4C2@earthlink.net>
Source record: 14969

"Gary S." wrote:
>
> As for the GMRS license, the manufacturers of the radios do inform
> buyers that they need an FCC license, but I have never seen printing
> that small before. ;-)
>
> Gary

I guess that you never worked on any '60s Japanese 12 to 20
transistor, transistor radios where the entire schematic was the size of
a postage stamp. You needed a microscope to read them, if they weren't
damaged. they didn't want you to see that only seven or eight
transistors were needed, and the rest had all the leads soldered
together to raise the parts count.

--
Former professional electron wrangler.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

2897. Re: Need Schmatics / datasheets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 19:02:19 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42B5BFFB.19427E7C@earthlink.net>
Source record: 14970

"lennyw@comcast.net" wrote:
>
> Hi
>
> I've got 3 hot hamfest finds so far this season and need documentation
> on each of them. If you have leads on datasheets or schematics I'd
> appreciate hearing from you.
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> "SHW158 612". A datasheet on the Motorola RF Module would help me get
> it going (or at least tesed). The amp is missing 1 component (probably
> a pot used to bias it).

Motorola parts starting with "S" are proprietary marked for the OEM.
Look at MHW in similar packages to figure out which part they renumbered
for their customer. Here is a page with some basic Motorola hybrid specs
to get you started. http://www.rfparts.com/module.html

> 2. A Heath HA-201A 2 meter fm amplifier. A schematic would allow me to
> figure out how to re-bias this amp for linear service. Please note that
> this is quite different from the HA-201 (without the "A" suffix) for
> which there IS documentation at the BAMA site.

Can't help with this one.

> 3. A Heath IB-1102 nixie based frequency counter. It's currently in
> working condition but it triggers poorly at high frequencies. A
> schematic / manual would allwo me to re-adjust it / modify it for more
> reiable opearation at > 100 MHz.

I have a schematic on the IB-1101 Nixie counter which might help.
Heath reused a lot of their designs, so the input might be close enough
to help.

> The commercial sources for documentation on the 2 Heath items are
> asking very high (way more than the cost of the items themselves)
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2898. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 20:03:42 UTC
From: Bruce in Alaska <bruceg@btpost.net>
Message-ID: <bruceg-CCF4CD.12034419062005@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14971

In article <i78bb11du5al7tp04n71ul51hieslnnub8@4ax.com>,
Gary S. <Idontwantspam@net> wrote:

> On Sun, 19 Jun 2005 16:28:15 GMT, "Patrick" <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
> wrote:
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> you are licensed, it is fine.
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> Reprogramming or opening up MARS/CAP is not the same as modifying the
> radio from its original certificated design.
>
> Happy trails,
> Gary (net.yogi.bear)

well not to be a spoilsport Gary, but you are wrong in your assertation
above. Any modification of the operating perameters that requires
opening up the case of a Type Accepted Radio, would void the Type
Acceptance of that unit. How do I know this, you may wonder? Well, up
untill the Clinton/gore bloodLetting of the FCC, I was a Field Agent
and enforced these specific Federal Regulations.

Bruce in alaska who once did this for a living......
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add a <2> before @

2899. Re: Emergency Radio: Marine, Aviation, Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 20:54:18 UTC
From: Tom <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <_Xkte.989702$w62.210956@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14972

Thanks Geoff. Yes, the VX-5R, with it's amazing frequency coverage, looks like an excellent candidate for an emergency radio: however, after looking at the conversions for extended transmit it is unclear if it will operate in AM mode for the aviation band. Furthermore, I found a bit of discussion that the cpu chip on the newer units are now programmed for band coverages and simply removing the solder bridges won't 'open' it up.

Your selection did get me looking a bit closer at the Yaesu handhelds. I noticed that the VX-7R had AM mode and besides that it covered 70 cm through 6 m! I found conversion notes for extended transmit that includes the aviation band and it does appear it will operate in AM mode in that band.

Oddly, I noted that the VX-7R is identical in appearance to the VXA-700 nav/com handheld. Besides the aviation band the unit also includes the 2 meter ham band which leads me to suspect it can be converted to the marine band when it is 'opened' up. I don't think it can transmit on the 243.000 MHz military emergency channel---would be nice. I suspect the VXA-700 costs a bit more than the VX-7R and would also offer a VOR receiver for navigation. Probably the best option is the VXA-7R 'opened' up.

Thank you for your reply.

Best regards

vk3vfl <vk3vfl@optusnet.com.au> wrote in message
news:42b4ba43$0$16492$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au...
> Hi You could look at the Yeasu Vx-5 Hand Held small 5w and it will do what
> you want
> Geoff

> "Tom" <nospam@nospam.com> wrote in message
> news:jh1te.335523$cg1.142534@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net...
> > Howdy:
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> > I'm looking for an emergency radio to cover the marine, aviation and 2
> > meter ham bands. The Yaesu VXA-700 looks good as it covers the ham and
> > aviation bands but I have found no conversion for transmitting on the
> marine
> > band---just receive only.
> >
> > Anyone know of any handheld tranceiver that has the capability of
> > transmitting and receiving on the three bands modified or otherwise?
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> > OK... OK... yes I know... legal issues... I've been a ham for 40 years,
> > flying for 30 and sailing aboard ship as a Radio Officer for 20. I'm
just

> > looking for one unit for emergency communications instead of two or
three
> > separate units and associated accessories; batteries, charger...
> >
> > Best regards

2900. Re: Emergency Radio: Marine, Aviation, Ham

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-19 22:56:06 UTC
From: Leroy <Leroy11230@legaleagles.com>
Message-ID: <42B5F805.8CC4B3A0@legaleagles.com>
Source record: 14973

Hi Tom,

So I guess it is ok to violate the laws that we
agreed to follow when we signed our fcc apps.

Yes, for emergency use. But why put your life in the
hands of a modified radio ?

If you can afford to use the boat, plane and ham gear,
please consider getting the correct radios.

Your life may depend on it.

Leroy

Tom wrote:

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> separate units and associated accessories; batteries, charger...
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2901. FA: 1-Day-Left: Book - Amateur Radio - Hams - HANDBOOK OF MODERN SOLID-STATE AMPLIFIERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 00:13:53 UTC
From: Ezra <ezra@enskjifalk.com>
Message-ID: <1906200520135375 51%ezra@enskjifalk.com>
Source record: 14974
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4556456377

2902. Re: Need Schmatics / datasheets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 04:04:41 UTC
From: "lennyw@comcast.net" <lennyw@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <1119240281.183930.201180@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14975

Hi Michael,

I posted a reply earlier today, but it seems that it never hit the news server. I aplogize if it now ends up on this thread twice!

Thanks for your reply. I was able to get info on the RF Module by starting at the site you suggested and digging deeper into the net from there. A very similar module is the Motorola MHW-720-1. From that data sheet I find that the missing part(s) on my amplifier board are used to key the first stage of the amplifier during transmit. I'll now be able to test it out without ruining it.

I'd be pleased to reimburse you for the cost of copying and mailing the documentation of the Heath IB-1101. If you're willing to do it please email me: lennyw <at> comcast <dot> net. Maybe the 1101 and 1102 are similar enough that the schematic will help.

If any other members of the newsgroup have info on the Heath IB-1102 frequency counter or the Heath HA-201A 2 meter fm amplifier, I'd appreciate hearing from you.

Thanks again.

73,
Lenny W2BVH

2903. Re: Does anyone know the current value of a FTV-650B 6m transverter?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 12:08:36 UTC
From: Rastafarian Smurf <noname@hotmail.net>
Message-ID: <s4bdb1lijlaca43f8t0e099uid328hqn7m@4ax.com>
Source record: 14976

Yeah $255 is a bit of a crazy price for one of those.
I guess some guys must be desperate for one.

You can get a better idea of real current value by looking here:

http://www.aade.com/hampedia/yaesup.htm
AND
http://www.af4k.com/ham/boneyard2004.htm

Bear in mind that eBay prices often get bid up to about 200% to 400%
of what most of us think is "reasonable!"

On 19 Jun 2005 09:08:24 -0700, ke5ckr@gmail.com wrote:

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>Cheers!
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>- Matt

2904. WTB "Ultimate" Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 17:44:23 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <f30eb1h41emv6uos6fcurlk29ecic8j5sa@4ax.com>
Source record: 14978

I am looking for a heavily modded Pro-2006. As many of the Bill Cheek mods the better. LED , Analog s-meter , 232 interface , etc. If you have one you want to sell please contact me , I have many scanners to trade or will listen to your price. MUST be in 100% working order. Thanks , Tom

2905. WTB "Ultimate" Pro-2006

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 17:44:53 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <g40eb11fc01g6m23183lna8l9ms4kcq2ba@4ax.com>
Source record: 14977

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2906. Re: Need Schmatics / datasheets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 17:49:00 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2006051349010001@ac958008.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14979

In article <1119198010.401601.177090@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
"lennyw@comcast.net" <lennyw@comcast.net> wrote:

> 2. A Heath HA-201A 2 meter fm amplifier. A schematic would allow me to
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> which there IS documentation at the BAMA site.

Lenny-

Many yers ago I had a couple of the HA-201s. They had a chronic problem
of self-oscillation, which I eventually managed to tame. I did not
remember that there was an HA-201A version, but it stands to reason.

I have a couple more of the HA-201s that I picked up at a Hamfest, but
haven't had a chance to do anything with them. I would be interested if
you find any information about the difference. As I recall, my "fix" to
the older version involved adding multiple filter capacitors across the DC
power input. Perhaps there is a better way.

73, Fred, K4DII

2907. FS: (2) MIRAGE VHF AMPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 19:13:13 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <8zEte.4113$mD6.1290@fe07.lga>
Source record: 14980

THOUGHT I HAD THEM SOLD, BUT OH WELL, JUST TRE KICKERS I GUESS:

I HAVE 2 MIRAGE LIKE NEW, NEVER USED, NEVER INSTALLED VHF AMPS. RATINGS: UP TO 50 WATTS IN GIVES YOU UP TO 160 WATTS OUT. WITH MANUAL. OPERATES ON 12VDC. $225 EACH INCLUDES SHIPPING (IN US ONLY) OR BUY BOTH FOR $425 INCLUDING SHIPPING (IN THE US ONLY)

2908. FA: 1-Day-Left: 5 Books - HAM RADIO - ARRL HANDBOOK 1972, Collins Book, Microwave, Power, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-20 21:51:49 UTC
From: Linda <linda@lindsakwos8j.com>
Message-ID: <20062005175149 8089%linda@lindsakwos8j.com>
Source record: 14981
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4556641430

2909. Manual for AZDEN PCS4000???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 05:39:58 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0506201935430.8961@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14982

anyone out there got a manual for the Azden PCS4000. I got most of
the keys figured out, but cant figure out how to keep the stored
chnls that I write. If I turn off the 12VDc I always loose whatever
is stored. I am assumming that the rig was modified somehow as it
needs a minimal dc current to keep the memory inside when its
turned off with the power switch. Also theres no jack or anything
externally that would accept that retention input current.
Joe/KH6JF

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
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2910. TS 530 S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 09:14:25 UTC
From: steve carey <scarey@tds.net>
Message-ID: <42b7d9eb_1@newspeer2.tds.net>
Source record: 14983

I'm looking for new caps for the TS 530S C22 and C24 they 500v at 100 mfd can anybody tell me where I can buy retrofit caps thanks Steve

2911. Re: TS 530 S HV Electrolytic replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 11:50:53 UTC
From: Luke <Luke@theForce.com>
Message-ID: <42B7FF1C.6CE24F8B@theForce.com>
Source record: 14984

Hi Steve,

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TS-520_820_530_830/

Come on over to the group, close to 700 members !

Digikey has the caps you need, same dia. but just a tad
shorter height. They work great !

DIGIKEY P7453-ND

73 L:uke

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> mfd can anybody tell me where I can buy retrofit caps thanks Steve

2912. FA: BEAUTIFUL HEATHKIT HD-1410 IAMBIC KEYER, None as nice:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:22:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HwUte.627$QR1.310@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14985
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Big $15,
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868782&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2913. FA: $10>NEW SHURE 450 Hi/Lo-Z DESK MICROPHONE>Better then 444:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:23:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <oxUte.629$QR1.273@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14986
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868658&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2914. FA: $13> NICE SIMPSON 260 SERIES 5 VOM w/NEW TEST LEADS>POPULAR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:24:36 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pyUte.631$QR1.391@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14987
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

$12 so far;
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868597&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2915. FA: CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:25:24 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9zUte.632$QR1.519@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14988
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Nice Gift too>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868738&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2916. FA: $10>MILITARY AN/URM-120 WATTMETER INSERT 200-500mhz, Handy!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:26:12 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <VzUte.633$QR1.431@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14989
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,us.military.army

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868672&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2917. FA: $10> LAFAYETTE HE-14 TABLE SPEAKER for OLD SW RADIOS 3.2 ohm

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:27:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <KAUte.634$QR1.288@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14990
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868692&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2918. FA: Like-New SPERRY & SABTRONICS Digital Multimeters>CHEEP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:29:18 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <PCUte.636$QR1.481@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14991
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Sabtronics, $10 no bids, original box & papers>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868607&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

Sperry, $10 no bids, Like-New>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868624&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2919. FA: $10>GAVIN INST 6-MTR "MAVERICK II" FILTER + WATTMETER-50's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:30:05 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <yDUte.637$QR1.589@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14992
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868709&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2920. FA: $10>ORIGINAL "UTAH" SIGNAL CORPS HI-Z HEADPHONES, WWII NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:31:25 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <OEUte.638$QR1.461@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14993
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.insignia,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

High Impedance type, great for crystal radios>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868581&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2921. FA: $10>EICO 715 TRANS/MATCH CB/HAM TRANSMITTER TESTER>TECHSPEC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:32:10 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vFUte.639$QR1.31@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14994
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868721&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2922. FA: $10>BRAND NEW MEISSNER 15-7513 WAVE TRAP in BOX>1954-RARE:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 13:32:56 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dGUte.641$QR1.383@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14995
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5782868760&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2923. Re: Manual for AZDEN PCS4000???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 14:38:41 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndbg9jh.p37.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 14996

On Mon, 20 Jun 2005 19:39:58 -1000, Joseph Fenn wrote:
> anyone out there got a manual for the Azden PCS4000. I got most of
> the keys figured out, but cant figure out how to keep the stored
> chnls that I write. If I turn off the 12VDc I always loose whatever
> is stored. I am assumming that the rig was modified somehow as it
> needs a minimal dc current to keep the memory inside when its
> turned off with the power switch.

No, it needs a good internal battery to hold the memory.

Sorry, Joe. I moved to a new QTH just last week, and my dead
PCS-4000 (bad microprocessor) and it's manual and schematics now
sleep with the used kitty litter. I held on to it for several
years -- hoping someone here would make just such an inquiry.
If it wasn't for bad luck, some of us wouldn't have any luck at all.
HI!HI!

73
Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

2924. Re: Manual for AZDEN PCS4000???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 20:47:39 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0506211037290.28843@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14997

Jonsey,
Tnx for the hopeless info. Manual gone with the kitty litter!!!!
this used one I got works okay, its just that I was'nt sure how to
store the freqs in the various channels. BTW I switched it on this
morning and wow there was the last chnl I installed stareing me in
the face, so the internal battery must be of a rechargeable kind.
I had it on all day yesterday so I guess the internal battery took
a charge okay overnight. And the freq I restored with its -600
offset came up just fine. I'll continue playing with it and maybe
get some more fqcys installed. One question. Do you remember if
odd splits can be stored?? I/E afmaRS has a 143.450 output fqcy
and a 142.150 xmit freq (odd split) does the pcs4000 accept that
kind of an ofset or is it limited to the normal +/- 600 or
simplex mode???
Joe/KH6JF

P.S. My email address is good if you wish to email me direct
about this. jfenn@lava.net

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
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2925. FS Couple of 2 Meter Transceivers cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-21 23:06:44 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Z31ue.32642$DC2.27974@okepread01>
Source record: 14898

I have for sale a couple of 2 Meter Mobile Transceivers cheap. One is an Icom IC-280 Mobile 2 meter, 10 watt Transceiver. It works well, comes with the manual, box, cable, mount. Price is $35 plus shipping. The other one is a very nice Midland 2 meter 25 watt transceiver. It comes with a mic and manual and power cable. It works great and looks almost new. However, the meter does not work. It does not move either on receiver or transmit.But this does not effect the operation of the radio. Price is $45 plus shipping. Neather radio has a Tone Board. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

2926. Icom UT-16 Speech Synthesizer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 00:23:52 UTC
From: John <jkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <pc2ue.2036$X57.314215@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14899

Hello All:
I have an Icom UT-16 Speech Synthesizer for an Icom IC-27A
If you are interested
Please send me an e-mail at VE3FDK@rac.ca
John VE3FDK
Hamilton, Ontario Canada

2927. WTB: FT-757GXII Mode Circuit Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 00:28:51 UTC
From: John <jkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <4h2ue.2040$X57.314763@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14900

Hello:
Anyone who might have an inoperable xcvr unit...
I am looking for the Mode Circuit Board for a FT-757GXII (1" x 1/2")
6 LEDS (5 Green 1 Amber) intact on the board with 7 colour coded wires
and the end connectors would be great...
Thank you,
John VE3FDK@rac.ca
Hamilton, Ontario Canada

2928. ** FA - Several Items Ending Wed. Night - No Reserve - Low Prices **

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 02:30:41 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1119407441.278383.195450@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

National NC-270 Receiver - Repairable or for parts
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782569503&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Gonset Phone Patch GPP-1 ** NR **
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782567541&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Kantronics CW / RTTY adaptor - Parts unit?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782572168&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Amplified Scanner Antenna w/BNC Adapter
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782654792&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

NC-580 Battery Charger
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782579565&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Allied Radio Catalog from 1960
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782652377&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

RCA 6146 Tube - NOS - No Reserve
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782575998&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

NOS 832 Tube - No Reserve
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782576346&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

NOS 6KB4C / 6EL4A Tube - Sylvania - No Reserve
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5782577068&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Visual Basic 6 Programming - 17 Videos - No Reserve
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4557364401&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Microslate Datellite 400L25 mobile computer - Parts Unit ?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7524150582&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

2929. Price Range ICOM R-7000 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 06:55:37 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42B90B69.C45C9674@erols.com>
Source record: 14902

Any help appreciated. Ebay had only one for sale but at the beginning
of the bidding stage so no help there. Thanks.
K3BEQ

2930. FA:Mcurdo Silver 5C,Extremely rare.later today

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 14:01:19 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <Paeue.1005915$w62.631269@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

1932/33 McMurdo Silver 5C to be listed later (~9-9:30 PM CDT) today:
Extremely RARE and in working condition, a very nice McMurdo Silver 5C,
Super het of 1932/33 that was featured at the Science Exhibit at Chicago
Worlds Fair. BE ADVISED: if you are looking for a receiver that out performs
the likes of R-2000, HQ-180, etc, pse do not bid-have a nice day. This radio
is for the serious collector that appreciates such a exceptionally rare
antique. I copied SSB on 20 m and 70m this AM BUT I had only an attic
antenna so signals were not as strong as they should be. Covers 1.7-4, 5-12,
& 9-22 mhz. Mid-band is the 'hottest and 10 Mhz WWV is basically right on. I
received noise on 1.7-4 (ant?) but it is receiving a 4 Mhz sig generator
output quite well. Sensitivity drops on the higher band but receives AM
broadcast stations in the 18-9 Mhz region. Unpacked weight is 28 lbs and ~
34 lbs with the 11" speaker! I highly recommend professional packing, but I
will ship in a very large box for protection. FULL INSURANCE IS REQUIRED--NO
EXCEPTIONS. This unit is NOT MINT (which means NEW to me) and if I were to
keep it I would continue to make a few more corrections. It IS very clean.
All tubes check way beyond minimum. All shields in place though may not be
original. Front is crisp and clearly printed (repainted?). SPEAKER INCLUDED;
no cabinet however.Sounds great.
From: heytubeguy on ebay.

2931. FT: R-390-A for Icom 706

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 16:30:25 UTC
From: BillMe <billme@handy.net>
Message-ID: <1119457825.98109b745e133c902f155ccf77f6e90b@teranews>
Source record: 14905

I have a recently restored R-390A that I would like to trade for an Icom 706 (don't need a PS). The 390 is missing the ID tag but is assumed to be Stewart Warner as that is the manufacturer of the tuning unit. It has all filters installed and working, it has been aligned and exceeds original specs, PTO tracking is good, caps have been replaced. The front panel was stripped and repainted the original color (light green). It is an engraved panel and all lettering was filled in. The tube shields (black with inserts) are there and both covers as well. Both correct meters are there. Looks and plays great. Located near Philadelphia.

Any takers? Please respond direct.

Bill, K3PGB

wabateATdandyDOTnet

2932. Re: Price Range ICOM R-7000 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 18:17:31 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <%Whue.102908$4M.55958@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14903

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> Any help appreciated. Ebay had only one for sale but at the beginning
> of the bidding stage so no help there. Thanks.
> K3BEQ

Next time check completed listings.

$360 - $425

2933. Palm m515 ideal for packet or APRS trade with keyer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 19:14:17 UTC
From: SV1EDY <monotika@yahoo.gr>
Message-ID: <1119467657.815877.233580@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14906

Hello dear Friends
I have a Palm m5151 like new in top perfect condition with metal case , extra external keyboard , extra external modem , cradle , power supply , manuals and a software card .
Is absolutely perfect , no scratches or problems , looks like new and I wish to trade it with AEA MM-3 Keyer .
This palm is ideal for ham radio use and you can find a lot of Ham radio programs on the WEB . Take a look at: http://www.qsl.net/va3pkh/palm-ham.html I need a good keyer and I think the AEA keyers is the best but if you have any reasonable offer please contact me .
My email is: m o n o t i k a @ y a h o o . g r of course without spaces .
Best 73s
Toly
SV1EDY

2934. Re: Price Range ICOM R-7000 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 20:23:13 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42B9C8B1.2CE8DAE0@erols.com>
Source record: 14907

Thanks and will do.
K3BEQ
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Travis Jordan wrote:
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> Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
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> > of the bidding stage so no help there. Thanks.
> > K3BEQ
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> $360 - $425

2935. Re: Manual for AZDEN PCS4000???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 21:48:01 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndbjn4i.2dn4.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 14908

On Tue, 21 Jun 2005 10:47:39 -1000, Joseph Fenn wrote:
> Jonsey,
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> this used one I got works okay, its just that I was'nt sure how to
> store the freqs in the various channels. BTW I switched it on this
> morning and wow there was the last chnl I installed stareing me in
> the face, so the internal battery must be of a rechargeable kind.
> I had it on all day yesterday so I guess the internal battery took
> a charge okay overnight.

Ya, but.... Don't rxpect it to necessarily _hold_ a charge --
for very long. If you don't know the provenance of the battery,
just replace it.

> One question. Do you remember if odd splits can be stored??

Nope. Dunno.
I had no need to ever attempt that. So, I never tried it.

It's been 7 or more years since I last 'played' with it. It
died on me just about the time I swore of ever wasting my time
with 2M FM again.

I hope you get it all squared away, Joe.
Aloha es 73
Jonesy
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| Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
| Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
| 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK

2936. FA:Delux Signal Shifter Meissner + Coil Sets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-22 22:22:07 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <jwlue.348555$cg1.123874@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

A DeLux Meissner Signal Shifter in very shape PLUS a complete set of
Meissner Coils (listed separately) can be seen at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking....McMurdo Silver up for bids later today (22nd),
heytubeguy

2937. Re: Manual for AZDEN PCS4000???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-23 01:39:20 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0506221536320.27163@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14910

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
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On Wed, 22 Jun 2005, Allodoxaphobia wrote:

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> | 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK
>
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Jonesy
well I have figured out just about everything without a manual after
all. I still dont know how to setup an odd rptr split (if its even
possible or not). I can do so with the old PCS3000 I had. I am happy
with what I have been able to do like storeing the fqcys, and so far
they are holding up nicely with power off, so alls well that ends
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well.
Joe/KH6JF/abm6jf

2938. FA: 5 Books - Electronics TTL CMOS RADIO AMPLIFIERS Ham Radio Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-23 01:55:07 UTC
From: Laurie <laura@lskdnios8sd.com>
Message-ID: <220620052155073214%laura@lskdnios8sd.com>
Source record: 14911
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4558181709

2939. Mogoo Mobile Search Service (USA) -- www.mogoo.biz ---2024598735

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-23 04:25:32 UTC
From: MogooMobileSearch <MogooMobileSearch@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1119500732.365773.237540@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14912

Mogoo Mobile Search Service Launched -- www.mogoo.biz ---2024598735 ---
MSN: mogoo_inc@hotmail.com
Search with text message on your mobile phone, anytime, anywhere! It's
FREE*!
Mogoo Services
+ Price search (comparison shopping)
+ Coupon & Rebates
+ News
+ Weather
+ Real-time Stock Quotes
+ Local Business Directory
+ Driving Directions
+ Traffic Info
+ Movies Times
+ Flight Updates
+ White Pages
+ Music,MP3 & Ringtones
+ E-mail Notifications
Wish to make a comparison shopping? Like to get the show time for
movies playing near you? Want a driving directions to show you where
you want to go and tells you what you'll find when you get there? Need
to find the number of your favorite delivery place?
All these seem not to be easily satisfied. But now with the emergence
of Mogoo, everything is easy! Just with your mobile phone, Mogoo will
solve all your problems after pressing few phone-keys.
What is Mogoo
Mogoo is a mobile search service that gives your cell phone the power
to get other instant mobile information wherever you are and whatever
you want.
Who can use it
Any cell phone capable of text messaging can use Mogoo services to
quickly access the information. Best of all, it's free and no
registration is required.
How to use it
Use Mogoo services according to the following steps:
(1) Enter your query as a text message (tips for how to query
specific areas can be found on the "Query specific areas")
(2) Send the message to the short code number: 2024598735
(3) Get your instant information back within 10 seconds.
Tip: For ease of use, store the number 2024598735 as a contact in your
cell phone address book.

2940. FA: LAFAYETTE HA-460, SIX METER RADIO **NICE** WORKING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-23 09:50:18 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <uBvue.8204$ik5.3328@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14913

Hi all, I'm posting this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5783510842&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5783510842

Thanks for looking.

2941. FS: K2/100, TenTec Titan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-23 10:06:12 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <oQvue.6088$pU.5723@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14914

K2 s/n 03497, KPA100, KSB2, K160RX, KNB2, KDSP2, tilt stand, latest
firmware,
looseleaf book. Eye candy visual condition outside and inside, and good
electrical working order.

$1150 or near offer, packed well and shipped insured ground to US
destination.
No guarantee except will not be DOA.

TenTec Titan, uses 2 3CX800's, manufactured mid-eighties, s/n 00554. Good
visual
inside/outside and working conditions, with manual. Guaranteed not DOA.

$1600 or near offer, packed well and shipped insured in 3 cartons: amp, ps,
and tubes,
ups/fedex-ground, to US destination.
No guarantee except will not be DOA.

If you call me and get my answering machine,
pls speak slowly and clearly.

Tks for reading.

73, Dave, N3HE
Cincinnati OH

513-674-7202

2942. Re: RFI on HF rig help!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-23 15:20:52 UTC
From: JB <SPAMac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <d9eld3cdi1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 14915

> > As for noise floor- take Pete's suggestion or take your K2 to
your friends
> > house and compare signals there.
> >
> > It is likely the noise comes from your house- switching power
supplies in
> > consumer electronics, fan speed controls, dimmers, microwave
ovens etc.
> >
> > Put the K2 on battery power and turn offf the main breaker into
the house.
> >
> > Dale W4OP
> >
> >
>
> I did that today - WOW! What a difference! Unplugging my PC and
> turning off the SEC 1223 ps (leaving the K2 on SLA cells
automatically)
> made a HUGE difference! The PC was causing 90% of the noise.
>
> My noise floor went from S7 to S4 and new stations just jumped
> out of the air.
>
> My friend still hears less band noise than me but only by 1-1.5db
at
> the most now.
>
> Now, how do I solve the PC noise problem? I guess I could spend
> a small fortune in ferrite snap on chokes but I doubt I would be
able
> to equal how quiet it is with the PC off. If that's so, I doubt
I'll bother
> - it's just too easy to turn off the PC during net time......
>
> Would a laptop on batteries work without noise?
>

I banished my desktop 3 rooms away and still had to do ferrite
tricks to quiet the monitor. I am using a laptop in the radio room
and find no noise. Laptops that use fluorescent backlighting
for the LCD may cause problems, but I haven't seen any noise
with my old Tosh t2100. I am also using an Astron linear power
supply for the entire station.

Being on a hill is nice for VHF/UHF, but there is no advantage
for HF operation due to the added exposure to line noise and
various other man-made distractions.

ac6tk

2943. FS: Kenwood HT Mini/Speaker Mike SMC-32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 00:21:56 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42BB5224.FAD1AB4C@erols.com>
Source record: 14916

Model SMC-32. Sells new for about $53.00. Your cost: $29.95, plus shipping. Near mint condition.

Murray, K3BEQ

2944. How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 02:40:22 UTC
From: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.62.0506240237270.23725@sdf.lonestar.org>
Source record: 14917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I think July 17, is the next Somerset PA hamfest and I've been thinking about going. Its a long drive from here (southern Delaware) and I was wondering how big and how good it has been in the past. Anyone got any recollections from the past?

Art, w4pon

2945. Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 12:25:27 UTC
From: Galen Watts <gwatts@nrao.edu>
Message-ID: <42BBFBB7.20706@nrao.edu>
Source record: 14918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

straydog wrote:
>
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> about going. Its a long drive from here (southern Delaware) and I was
> wondering how big and how good it has been in the past. Anyone got any
> recollections from the past?
>
> Art, w4pon

They have pictures of last year's fest at
http://www.k3smt.org/hf2004/

-W8LNA

2946. FA: Motorola CP200 Very Small UHF "Hamfest" Radio"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 14:03:48 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <kqUue.302$HV1.102@fed1read07>
Source record: 14919
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola CP200 Very Small UHF "Hamfest" Radio"

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7523846424&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2947. FA: Very Nice-Motorola HT1250 ls w/DTMF Front UHF 403-470 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 14:05:59 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <frUue.304$HV1.180@fed1read07>
Source record: 14920
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Very Nice-Motorola HT1250 ls w/DTMF Front UHF 403-470 MHz

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7524983614&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2948. FA: X9000 UHF 100w High Power w/100w Siren Module-Nice Package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 14:09:07 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <8uUue.305$HV1.202@fed1read07>
Source record: 14921
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: X9000 UHF 100w High Power w/100w Siren Module-LQQk

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7526009221&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2949. FA: MOTOROLA "MRTI" TELEPHONE INTERCONNECT W-MSF5000 INTERFACE CARD (No Reserve)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 14:12:05 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <VwUue.306$HV1.207@fed1read07>
Source record: 14922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: MOTOROLA "MRTI" TELEPHONE INTERCONNECT W-MSF5000 INTERFACE CARD

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7526074859&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2950. FA: MOTOROLA PR400 UHF 4-WATT PORTABLE-CHARGER-VERY SMALL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 14:13:52 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ByUue.307$HV1.49@fed1read07>
Source record: 14923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: MOTOROLA PR400 UHF 4-WATT PORTABLE-CHARGER-VERY SMALL

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7526083334&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

2951. FA Vintage Gear/Ending Tomorrow

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 15:43:11 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <gSVue.33378$DC2.940@okepread01>
Source record: 14924

Please see my auctions ending tomorrow for some really nice old Vintage Boatanchor gear: B&W 5100B and 51SB SSB adaptor, B&W Model 370 SSB Receive adaptor, Heathkt 301, 401 station with Scope, Drake TR4CWRIT, lots more. Auction for most gear ending in less than 24 hours. Thanks, Charlie, K5MBX
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug

2952. Re: FS: Kenwood HT Mini/Speaker Mike SMC-32

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 21:06:32 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42BC75D8.E662B207@erols.com>
Source record: 14925

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**The mike has been sold.
Murray, K3BEQ
=====

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" wrote:
>
> Model SMC-32. Sells new for about $53.00. Your cost: $29.95, plus
> shipping. Near mint condition.
>
> Murray, K3BEQ
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2953. WTB: CX-1209/U

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-24 22:46:05 UTC
From: "James F. Mayer" <jfma@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <N20ve.12422$eM6.3307@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14926

I have an RT70A/GRC that needs a power connector I think that this particular radio has never been used sinceI bought it back in the mid '70's and I have not had it powered ip for the lack of proper connectors or power supply. Now that I have power supplies to power it, I need the connector make it work.

2954. FA: Way To Much too List, Shure 450,Keyer, Bird stuff,Simpson 260, ETC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 14:12:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <UCdve.6480$UG3.2242@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14927
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Most end this Sunday nite!
All good stuff & cheep too Like Simpson 260, Heathkit Keyer, Vintage
Lafayette Speaker, Digital Multimeters(2), UTAH Antque Headphones, MFJ
Keyer, Antique Bunnell parts, Ceramic Switches, etc!
Here is the linky to all>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

2955. Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 14:51:49 UTC
From: Winlink 2000 QRM <noname@hotmail.net>
Message-ID: <dkrqb1d6uq9t4eg1hdf6ue0nm6frp1gjq8@4ax.com>
Source record: 14928
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Winlink and QRM - read info here:

http://www.zerobeat.net/bandgrab.shtml

2956. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 17:01:19 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <z5gve.204849$JA.54611@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14929
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Winlink 2000 QRM wrote:
> Winlink and QRM - read info here:

Sorry, but this sounds like the same complaint that the AM'ers had about SSB when it first started up on HF. I can certainly see the utility in the application.

2957. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 18:26:10 UTC
From: "helmsman@mindspring.com" <helmsman@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <kc8rb1pn51bu2oi4aggbcntq08oeidsgdr@4ax.com>
Source record: 14930
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote:

>Winlink 2000 QRM wrote:
>> Winlink and QRM - read info here:
>
>Sorry, but this sounds like the same complaint that the AM'ers had about
>SSB when it first started up on HF. I can certainly see the utility in
>the application.
>
Put it on the garage door frequencies!

2958. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 18:38:06 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <jwhve.6227$B_3.4079@fe05.lga>
Source record: 14931
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:z5gve.204849$JA.54611@fe01.news.easynews.com...
>
> Sorry, but this sounds like the same complaint that the AM'ers had about
> SSB when it first started up on HF. I can certainly see the utility in
> the application.

Not exactly.

On HF, it is fairly unusual that you can hear both sides of a conversation, unlike VHF where if I can hear one station, I can usually hear the other. So when I want to call someone, I listen first. Hearing nothing, I send QRL? (or on phone, "is this frequency in use"). If the station I can't hear gets my QRL, he sends C and I go off looking for another frequency.

Very few, if any, digis actually listen first. Even if they did, they don't have a way to say "Is this frequency in use" and understand the response. And even if they could, they really don't have the opportunity to change frequency, since they need to call on the frequency that the remote robot is listening. It seems as if it would be very difficult to make these automated stations be friendly to other users.

That being said, it looks as if Winlink 2000 is going to be come a significant part of our emergency response, which is one of the reasons we have access to these frequencies to begin with. We should be looking at reasonable solutions, perhaps developing new technologies to enable this sort of capability, rather than just flaming.

Both the pro and con in this argument are absolutely unwilling to listen to/believe the other side. We amateurs need to get our act together and figure out how we can expand the use of a technology like Winlink 2000 without making these automated systems even more of a nuisance than they already are.

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2959. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 20:23:32 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <83jve.9167$jX6.1969@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14932
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

xpyttl wrote:

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> significant part of our emergency response, which is one of the reasons we
> have access to these frequencies to begin with. We should be looking at
> reasonable solutions, perhaps developing new technologies to enable this
> sort of capability, rather than just flaming.
>
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> to/believe the other side. We amateurs need to get our act together and
> figure out how we can expand the use of a technology like Winlink 2000
> without making these automated systems even more of a nuisance than they
> already are.

There's plenty of space. We just don't manage it worth a darn.
If you listen to the ham bands, you'll find that the
vast majority of our allocation is wasted. For instance:
you could put every CW QSO during Sweepstakes into about 75 KC of
spectrum and have lots of elbow room.
For phone, probably 100-125 KCs would be a big plenty.
People want their freqs to end in "5" or "0" and that
is just poor spectrum management. Look at ten and six
meters, even at the peak of the sunspot cycle;
90% of it is empty, wasted space.
Every major city has 100+ repeater pairs allocated,
twenty or thirty repeaters on the air and maybe *three*
that get any sustained use.
That's pitiful and a matter of *ego,* not communication.
75 meters is "crowded" only because of our 5-n-10 KC mindset.
Our problem is ego and "we've always done it this way,"
not a lack of spectrum.

We're going to either make room for new and enhanced
modes or we're going to be swept aside like blacksmiths
and locomotive boiler makers, guys.
The times is passin' us by....

2960. Re: Winlink and QRM /Nice long rant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 21:41:23 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <7ckve.385$B82.126@trnddc04>
Source record: 14933
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Well.... first things first, of course.. why are we always posting such discussion in all these groups for commerce?

Second, and I quote.... "Whatchu talkin' 'bout Willis?"
> If the station I can't hear gets my QRL, he sends C and I go off looking
> for another frequency.
<sorry to whoever posted that. :-) >

I would normally bypass these things but I've been thinking about getting another HF rig lately....and I've been considering why I keep selling them off, trying to warrant a purchase again. I'm thinking it has to do with the words "purpose" and "use".

So, I'm looking at getting back into it and doing something besides setting up a radio and just randomly playing with it or gluing the vfo on some nonsense gathering place.

So here are my questions and observations for your perusal and general flaming.

From the original link posted:

That the HISTORICALLY HIGH LEVEL OF INTERFERENCE BY PACTOR STATIONS to everyone else has demonstrated time and time again that even the operator-controlled Winlink Pactor stations don't care if a frequency is busy (because they can easily take it away), in their passion to get their email from the Internet, so they MUST NOT BE ALLOWED to mix with hams trying to COMMUNICATE WITH EACH OTHER!

Q: Someone please take a minute and point out a single coherent thought or plausible point in the above statement. Bearing in mind that tuning to any random freq can find people squawking over each other like the noise in a crowded room, or a CW freq sounding like my kid running down the "try me" aisle in the toy dept... When did it become impossible for my station to hear 2 other stations that can't hear each other?

Next, from the original link posted.

That ham radio is a HOBBY, not a quasi-commercial email "service" as Winlink provides, and that ham radio, from the very beginning, has always been mainly about hams communicating with other hams, and not about being used for unattended email gateways to the Internet, mostly for a few sailors, because the FCC Maritime Radio Frequencies were set aside for that purpose and are underused.

Observation: If it serves a legitimate purpose and assists a single sailor, military or civilian, it serves a greater purpose than your latest blathering, contest, or quasi-award. The author can 'pucker up and plant one' on that statement. Again, if it is a ham station to ham station, WHERE is the plausible point?? ..... I think I hear a tiny voice yelling "ME, ME, ME... I shall rule the world!"

Also from the original like posted:

That all unattended wideband digital operations, of any type, MUST be confined to the current sub-bands for automatically controlled digital stations, and not allowed to use any frequency they wish just in order to avoid having to wait a short time for a clear frequency in the sub-bands.

Observation: I think SHOULD is a better word. Also take the entire point and reverse it, maybe they feel the same way in a crowded band. Why can't YOU wait a short time for a clear frequency?? [I shall rule the world!!] Also, if you [and Winlink, and Amateur radio in general] wake up and smell the ALE, then you again have a moot point.
If you've ever been on a radio, you realize that attended or unattended matters not; due to world dominators. The problem you're having is with courtesy, not digital ops. Good luck freeing the world of jerks and morons. [and from experience, a dense population infiltration such as the one in ham radio would be a good place to point yer scattergun when you start.]
There's lots of people with lots of free time to build up their personal anger levels for whatever reason, then look for a [safe] place to vent frustrations.
It's the same with the www.
Also, if you paid any attention to Riley at any point, you'd know that he already said APCO25 is fair game on the phone bands, so you are actually showing up on Saturday for the Friday night fights. Sorry you missed us, but thanks for coming out.

And again from the link.....

To stop this attempted takeover, *[I WILL START MY OWN]*
EVERYONE ELSE needs to vote NOT to agree to the Winlink request, so ARRL does not get the wrong impression that the "majority" of hams want to sacrifice the frequencies they use for communicating, so that the less-than-1%, that are Winlink users, don't have to wait longer than 90 seconds to receive an email on HF or can't send picture attachments to the Internet.

Q: STILL trying to understand why he keeps saying "stop hams from communicating so that hams can communicate!" and "I'm not gonna wait 90 seconds on a bunch just because they can't wait 90 seconds!"
You know what... I think Winlink has something wrong....maybe... there're WITCHES!! Everyone chant and point at Winlink... "witch, witch, witch...."
Come to think of it... that pesky ECHOLINK is still going on too! Where's my echolink pitch-fork? C'mon, let's get 'em! Bunch of internet-connected morons sucking up my drivel time... LET'S GET ON THE INTERNET AND COMPLAIN, ESPECIALLY IN ALL THE PLACES WE SHOULDN'T BE! Hahahaha.... this is too funny.

[NOTE: If the author wants real results, he should get on Winlink and email his concerns to the Winlink users... that will complete his hypocritical circle and restore balance to the universe.]
Also,
IF THEY CONSIST OF LESS THAN 1%, HOW THE HECK ARE THEY IN YOUR WAY, BUBBA??
All you want is to have your 100%, right? Why can't people just understand that? It's a mad, mad, mad, world...

Researching the author, I see he is a QRP fan.... leaving me to wonder.... WHY would he want to purposefully limit himself to barely enough power to communicate when he has available a perfectly good 50-100w radio market?? That will give him plenty of power to be heard and not too much to drown anyone out.
I'm betting he operates QRP wherever he wishes, forcing others to WAIT while the do-good folks "give in" feeling sorry and letting the little guy have the time/freq.... what a power rush that must be.
Then again, it could be that he's simply experimenting and enjoying the hobby in the fashion he CHOSE by right, etc....
Nah, couldn't be that.

Before anyone jumps on that, be advised that I've already experienced the common orations on the post-nuclear advantages of QRP training. Here's a news-flash boys... after the smoke clears, your QRP station will either be lost in the new and improved noise floor, or be one of the new big-guns on the suddenly quiet bands.... so I still miss the point. But do I make a hole for you when I hear you? Yes, I do. [Refer to that courtesy thing mentioned above.]

Also, if anyone wonders/cares, I have few "friends" on the local repeater too, since I only use it for communicating when a telephone isn't suitable, or whatever the rules suggest.
Curse me for using simplex instead of the repeater most of the time! See, I had this stupid idea, that the repeater is only useful to me when the communication requirements exceed simplex range. I must be a fool.
It seems that contacting my wife on the repeater [preceeded by paging tones to my alert monitor...OMG!!!] then making my contact, passing necessary info and clearing the frequency is just absurd to the local jaw-breakers who inevitably pounce on any break in the silence, almost demanding attention. How rude I am for not sitting in my hot car in a parking lot for an extra 15 minutes every time I need to tell someone something simple and move on.

Don't get me wrong, I love to chat, ragchewing on a repeater [or HF] is no problem to me, but not every time I key a mic for goodness sakes! But, I digress...

I had a bumper sticker one time.... "I love Jesus, it's his groupies I can't stand.", and I wish I could find an analogous "I love radio, it's the operators I can't stand."

So, with my failure to "get it" along with my apparent stupidity, I now relinquish the floor to whomever.
rb

2961. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-25 22:50:47 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <bdlve.2132$Uc2.1251@trnddc03>
Source record: 14934
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Wow, someone with a clue....
Thank you, David.

A smart person once said that if the answer to any question is "Because
that's the way we always do it.", then it's time to seriously consider
changing the way you do it.
rb

2962. FA: LAFAYETTE HA-460, 6 METER RADIO, LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 12:57:37 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XCxve.35$t07.20@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14935

Hi, I'm posting this for a friend

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5783510842
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5783510842&ssPageName=ADME:L:DS:US:8

Thanks to all who looked.

73

2963. Re: Re: Winlink and QRM /Nice long rant

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 12:59:44 UTC
From: Odo Of Bayeux <noname@hotmail.net>
Message-ID: <si9tb19fau2pbng6n2pmvekvp942vfkndf@4ax.com>
Source record: 14936
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Sat, 25 Jun 2005 21:41:23 GMT, "Woody"
<woody.shadetree@verizon.net> wrote:

>That the HISTORICALLY HIGH LEVEL OF INTERFERENCE BY PACTOR STATIONS to
>everyone else has demonstrated time and time again that even the
>operator-controlled Winlink Pactor stations don't care if a frequency is
>busy (because they can easily take it away), in their passion to get their
>email from the Internet, so they MUST NOT BE ALLOWED to mix with hams trying
>to COMMUNICATE WITH EACH OTHER!
>
>Q: Someone please take a minute and point out a single coherent thought or
>plausible point in the above statement.

It sounds like you have a severe case of "Comprehension Deficit," OM!

>Bearing in mind that tuning to any
>random freq can find people squawking over each other like the noise in a
>crowded room, or a CW freq sounding like my kid running down the "try me"
>aisle in the toy dept... When did it become impossible for my station to
>hear 2 other stations that can't hear each other?

Oh yeah... THAT was REALLY "coherent." LOL!
If people got ON the radio 5% as much as they speculated about it, we
would ALL be better off!

2964. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 14:59:03 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3i7u5mFjsptU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14937
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

I have several Scsii hard drives, and a Pioneer Scsii
CD changer. No documentation.

I also have a lot of C64's 3 good 3-5 fixable or parts.
Including a SX64 portable that is fixable.
Assorted peripherals - drives,printer,parallel/serial ports,
modems, tape drive, graphics pads, joysticks, ect.
A lot of cartridges, and software - games to productivity.
Included are extra books for programming ect.
Plus software to run a BBS from the C64..

I would like to sell it all as one group. Will cost more,
if sold piecemeal....

$100 takes it all on the C64 equipment.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

2965. Wendell E Hall RIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 16:37:36 UTC
From: Audiomatic <harry@harrystraub.com>
Message-ID: <1119803856.891216.85880@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14938

I went to Wendell's web page to check out his replacement meters, and found the notice of his death.
For those of you that didn't know Wendell, he was the last remaining Hickok authorized tube tester repair man. He worked on testers and old equipment for most of his life and was a wonderful man. He provided free info, pep talks and general knowledge about radios and tube testers to anyone who called. Wendell was a nice man and a great tech, he will be missed.

2966. Deviation for 12.5 kHz channel spacing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 16:44:09 UTC
From: Leon <leon_heller@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1119804249.361347.104350@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14939

Does anyone know what the transmitter deviation should be for accessing repeaters with 12.5 kHz channel spacing. I've got a feeling that it should be +/- 3 kHz instead of the +/- 4.5 kHz used for 25 kHz spacing.

73, Leon

2967. Re: Deviation for 12.5 kHz channel spacing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 16:57:07 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d287e3e130331c6989769@localhost>
Source record: 14940

In article <1119804249.361347.104350@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
leon_heller@hotmail.com says...

> Does anyone know what the transmitter deviation should be for accessing
> repeaters with 12.5 kHz channel spacing. I've got a feeling that it
> should be +/- 3 kHz instead of the +/- 4.5 kHz used for 25 kHz spacing.

You're close. It should actually be +/- 2.5kHz.

Keep the peace(es).

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

2968. best radio for recreation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 18:09:06 UTC
From: dcolvey <dcolvey@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <6bCve.1808380$6I.257398@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 14941

I am looking at purchasing two handheld radios for use in the bush i.e. hunting, fishing, and ATV exploring.

I have tried FRS and CB but I understand that VHF is the best, better than UHF, How about the HAM bands, or the GMRS (UHF so probably not as good as VHF. I have considered the VHF Marine radios which are cheaper than other VHF radios..

Any comments or recomendations would be appreciated.

2969. Re: best radio for recreation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 18:24:35 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <CpCve.206685$4M.199379@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14942

dcolvey wrote:
> Any comments or recomendations would be appreciated.

VHF Marine radios can't be used for non-marine applications.

Are you and the people with whom you're going to be communicating all licensed amateur radio operators? If so, then VHF handhelds with external antennas are probably your best choice for range. They are of course considerably more expensive than FRS or GMRS radios.

If you aren't licensed then MURS radios are probably the best compromise of price, durability, and range. You'll need an FCC license for these, but no test is required.

2970. Re: best radio for recreation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 18:36:21 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11bttd52p2c9iee@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14943

In article <CpCve.206685$4M.199379@fe08.news.easynews.com>,
Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net> wrote:

>VHF Marine radios can't be used for non-marine applications.
>
>Are you and the people with whom you're going to be communicating all
>licensed amateur radio operators? If so, then VHF handhelds with
>external antennas are probably your best choice for range. They are of
>course considerably more expensive than FRS or GMRS radios.

Some of the entry-level 5-watt 2-meter handhelds can be had for $100
(street price) here in the U.S. e.g. the Icom T2H. That's probably
comparable to good-quality GMRS radios of similar power (not the
cheapie low-power FRS-plus-GMRS radios being hawked all over the
place), and probably cheaper than MURS radios.

>If you aren't licensed then MURS radios are probably the best compromise
>of price, durability, and range. You'll need an FCC license for these,
>but no test is required.

Here in the U.S., MURS has been a no-license-required service since
2002 (at least). The radios do need to be certificated for MURS use.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads

2971. Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 18:56:30 UTC
From: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.62.0506261856170.28426@sdf.lonestar.org>
Source record: 14944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Fri, 24 Jun 2005, Galen Watts wrote:

> Date: Fri, 24 Jun 2005 08:25:27 -0400
> From: Galen Watts <gwatts@nrao.edu>
> To: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
> Subject: Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?
>
> straydog wrote:
>>
>> I think July 17, is the next Somerset PA hamfest and I've been thinking
>> about going. Its a long drive from here (southern Delaware) and I was
>> wondering how big and how good it has been in the past. Anyone got any
>> recollections from the past?
>>
>> Art, w4pon
>
> They have pictures of last year's fest at
> http://www.k3smt.org/hf2004/
>
> -W8LNA
>

Thanks for the info...

I had a look.

W4PON

2972. FA- Like new Yaesu VX-5RS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 20:39:46 UTC
From: thecop <thecop@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xoEve.7176$UG3.911@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14945

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785162228

2973. Re: best radio for recreation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 20:54:56 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <ACEve.59337$581.28035@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14946

Dave Platt wrote:
> Here in the U.S., MURS has been a no-license-required service since
> 2002 (at least). The radios do need to be certificated for MURS use.

Good catch, Dave -- I had forgotten that the FCC had dropped the license requirement for the MURS band. Thanks for refreshing my memory.

2974. FS Icom R3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 22:26:05 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <1YFve.637$At6.101@trndny09>
Source record: 14947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

I have an Icom R3 for sale with a copy of manual.I have no original box for it.It is the unblocked version.I am asking $300.00 or BRO for it plus shipping.Email me if interested.
Reason for sale is it is to complicated for me to play with.

--
73s from N1RSP
Grid 42
IRLP Node #4162
The Home of The Perfect Storm

2975. Re: Wendell E Hall RIP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-26 22:59:13 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <FqGve.5469$2Z3.3621@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14848

I never knew of him but somebody like that will be missed!

73

Audiomatic wrote:

>I went to Wendell's web page to check out his replacement meters, and
>found the notice of his death.
>For those of you that didn't know Wendell, he was the last remaining
>Hickok authorized tube tester repair man. He worked on testers and old
>equipment for most of his life and was a wonderful man. He provided
>free info, pep talks and general knowledge about radios and tube
>testers to anyone who called. Wendell was a nice man and a great tech,
>he will be missed.
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>

2976. Re: Manual for AZDEN PCS4000???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 01:29:47 UTC
From: Kevin <kberlenatticzdot.com>
Message-ID: <d9nkqi0n6d@enews2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 14849

As I recall, the last memories in the A and B banks can be used for odd splits. You program the RX side in the A bank and the TX side in the channel in the same position on the B bank and then put the offset switch in the AxB position. This is a little hazy, but used two PCS-4000's for years on a 4.25MHz split when I was in CAP. 73,

Kevin, K9HX

"Joseph Fenn" <jfenn@lava.net> wrote in message
news:Pine.BSI.4.61.0506221536320.27163@malasada.lava.net...
>
>
> **
> * Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
> * Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
> **
>
>
> On Wed, 22 Jun 2005, Allodoxaphobia wrote:
>
>> On Tue, 21 Jun 2005 10:47:39 -1000, Joseph Fenn wrote:
>>> Jonsey,
>>> Tnx for the hopeless info. Manual gone with the kitty litter!!!!
>>> this used one I got works okay, its just that I was'nt sure how to
>>> store the freqs in the various channels. BTW I switched it on this
>>> morning and wow there was the last chnl I installed stareing me in
>>> the face, so the internal battery must be of a rechargeable kind.
>>> I had it on all day yesterday so I guess the internal battery took
>>> a charge okay overnight.
>>
>> Ya, but.... Don't rxpect it to necessarily _hold_ a charge --
>> for very long. If you don't know the provenance of the battery,
>> just replace it.
>>
>>> One question. Do you remember if odd splits can be stored??
>>
>> Nope. Dunno.
>> I had no need to ever attempt that. So, I never tried it.
>>
>> It's been 7 or more years since I last 'played' with it. It
>> died on me just about the time I swore of ever wasting my time
>> with 2M FM again.
>>
>> I hope you get it all squared away, Joe.
>> Aloha es 73

>> Jonesy
>> --
>> | Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
>> | Gunnison, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
>> | 7,703' -- 2,345m | config.com | DM68mn SK
>>
>>
> Jonesy
> well I have figured out just about everything without a manual after
> all. I still dont know how to setup an odd rptr split (if its even
> possible or not). I can do so with the old PCS3000 I had. I am happy
> with what I have been able to do like storeing the fqcys, and so far
> they are holding up nicely with power off, so alls well that ends
> well.
> Joe/KH6JF/abm6jf
>

2977. And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 01:49:04 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d9nlu70sce@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 14850

Take a look at this piece of shit. And the guy who put it up is proud of it.

How many serious problems can you spot?

http://deepsouthnet.net/tower.html

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2978. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 02:13:51 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9681C3E1018FBspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14853

"Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in news:d9nlu70sce@news1.newsguy.com:

> Take a look at this piece of shit. And the guy who put it up is proud of
> it.
>
> How many serious problems can you spot?
>
> http://deepsouthnet.net/tower.html
>

I was starting to defend this guy a bit. After all, despite the crappy
base, at least it was adequately guyed..... then I took a close look at
his guy supports.... some might thin trees, if at least one isn't a plant!

You were right. Nothing to brag about. I sure wouldn't want to climb
it.

Ed K7AAT

2979. FA: 2 Books - MICROWAVE THEORY and MEASUREMENTS - Radio, Hams, Electronics - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 02:14:23 UTC
From: Alice <alice@dlaiwk9sk2d.com>
Message-ID: <260620052214232515%alice@dlaiwk9sk2d.com>
Source record: 14851
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4558824491

2980. FA: 3 Books - DIGITAL and ANALOG Electronics - Circuit Analysis - Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 02:15:10 UTC
From: Alice <alice@dlaiwk9sk2d.com>
Message-ID: <260620052215105364%alice@dlaiwk9sk2d.com>
Source record: 14852
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4558826425

2981. Re: Manual for AZDEN PCS4000???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 06:23:49 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0506262015250.21608@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14854

On Sun, 26 Jun 2005, it was written:

> As I recall, the last memories in the A and B banks can be used for odd
> splits. You program the RX side in the A bank and the TX side in the channel
> in the same position on the B bank and then put the offset switch in the AxB
> position. This is a little hazy, but used two PCS-4000's for years on a
> 4.25MHz split when I was in CAP. 73,
>
> Kevin, K9HX
>
>
> "Joseph Fenn" <jfenn@lava.net> wrote in message
> news:Pine.BSI.4.61.0506221536320.27163@malasada.lava.net...
>>
Hey Kevin, thats exactly the info I needed I do believe.
Am saving your msg to my bfr so can print it out. Thats great!!!
for afmars they have a 142.150 (up) and 143.450 (down) so the
split is odd, but your info can do the trick will check it out.
army mars of which I have been a part of since aars days
has the usual simple 148.625 (-600) split so simple to setup.
Did you know that AARS was formed about 1929 by a Signal Corps captain
so as to utilize the "free" benefits of ham radio. All cw
however until end of 1996

Joe

2982. Re:the shops have to make a profit

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 08:42:32 UTC
From: hugh kirkland <hughblair42@btinternet.com>
Message-ID: <d9oe5nlhv1@nwrdmz03.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 14855
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.dxing,alt.ham-radio.eme,alt.ham-radio.ssb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Joel Kolstad" <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1181k5f5tagrv79@corp.supernews.com...
> "HAO'S" <spam@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:d5g8tk$114$1@nic.grnet.gr...
> > what a rip off here in europe adapters go for 5-8euros!
> > is this a radio shack thing (scam?).
>
> It's not uncommon for many stores in the US to have large mark-ups on what
are
> really cheap accessories. For instance, in many of the big electronics
> stores, you'll see USB cables for, e.g., $9.95 when they're more like a
couple
> of bucks mail order! This is something of a silly game, but given the
> significant competition for the 'big ticket' items (computers, printers,
TVs,
> etc.), you can see why they do this.
>
> Keep in mind that this is the same country where coffee shops selling
lattes
> for $3/cup are still multiplying like rabbits. :-)
>
> ---Joel Kolstad
>
>

2983. Icom F4s flashing display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 09:58:06 UTC
From: eug k <wired_au@change-this-to-ho.tmail.com>
Message-ID: <d9oije$2ajv$1@bunyip2.cc.uq.edu.au>
Source record: 14856

hi guys,

I've got a bunch of Icom IC-F4s radios here, two of them, the channel display flashes constantly, and it doesn't seem to transmit or receive.

Another one, when i key up, the red light comes on for a brief second and goes off, and the display starts flashing. When I release tx, it stops flashing.

Are the radios simply locked out, or are they faulty?

When the display flashes, only the name flashes. Any indicators like "LOW" do not flash.

thanks!

2984. Wanted: Drake 2B preselector air variable cap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 11:02:45 UTC
From: k5dh@qsl.net
Message-ID: <S9ydnefrmfRIQSLfRVn-1w@centurytel.net>
Source record: 14857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Anyone parting out a Drake 2B receiver? I need the
preselector air variable capacitor to repair a 2B
that was damaged in shipping.

73,
Dean K5DH

2985. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 11:04:29 UTC
From: "obsidan ball"
Message-ID: <a039c$42bfdd4d$d1cc4136$20462@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 14858
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Winlink 2000 QRM" <noname@hotmail.net> wrote in message
news:dkrqb1d6uq9t4eg1hdf6ue0nm6frp1gjq8@4ax.com...
> Winlink and QRM - read info here:

(much bs snipped)

Not only is you petition date expired, you're beginning to
sound alot like k1man, and that's bad. ;)

2986. Re: Icom F4s flashing display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 13:17:24 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <E%Sve.72777$581.64259@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14859

eug k wrote:
> I've got a bunch of Icom IC-F4s radios here, two of them, the channel
> display flashes constantly, and it doesn't seem to transmit or
> receive.

Start by checking the radio parameters. If you don't have the cloning
or programming software you are SOL.

2987. Re: Icom F4s flashing display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 13:20:53 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <V2Tve.72825$581.6574@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14860

Travis Jordan wrote:
> Start by checking the radio parameters. If you don't have the cloning
> or programming software you are SOL.

Or so I thought...found this with Google -- maybe it will help you.

http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=2975

2988. FS: 9 2) MIRAGE 2 MTR VHF AMPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 15:10:31 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <DFUve.7498$B_3.1143@fe05.lga>
Source record: 14861

FS: (2) MIRAGE B-5016-G 144 mhz VHF AMPS
I HAVE 2 MIRAGE NEW, NEVER USED, NEVER INSTALLED 144 mhz VHF AMPS. RATINGS:
50 WATTS IN GIVES YOU 160 WATTS OUT. WITH MANUAL. OPERATES ON 12VDC. $225
EACH INCLUDES SHIPPING (IN US ONLY) OR BUY BOTH FOR $425 INCLUDING SHIPPING
(IN THE US ONLY)

w9car@charter.net

2989. FA - FT-1000MP service manual, more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 19:04:32 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1119899072.586207.326880@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14862
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FT-1000 MP Service Manual - Original purchased from Yaesu has full
color fold-outs, etc - not a download copy.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785384483&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

Alinco mobile DC adapter for HT's. EDH-18
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785379737&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

Yaesu AA Battery Holder for VX-150 HT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785377944&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

PLC-5 Training Manual and Documentation
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7526972852&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

RS View 32 Training Manual
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7526974434&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

2990. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 22:07:01 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3ibbk4Fkl291U1@individual.net>
Source record: 14863
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB $ 65
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

2991. WTB: National NC-183 Or NC-300 303

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-27 22:45:03 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ab01c193nfvd4cnpffu0jh9si1j9bp4ase@4ax.com>
Source record: 14864

WTB: National NC-183 Or NC-300 303
If you have one forsale please state condition and price.
And please leave phone number to call.
Rich
Essex County NJ

2992. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 02:08:22 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <nobody@frontier.com>
Message-ID: <slrndc1c8m.2r88.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 14865

On Mon, 27 Jun 2005 02:13:51 GMT, Ed wrote:
> "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net> wrote in news:d9nlu70sce@news1.newsguy.com:
>
>> Take a look at this piece of shit. And the guy who put it up is proud of
>> it.
>> How many serious problems can you spot?
>>
>> http://deepsouthnet.net/tower.html
>
> I was starting to defend this guy a bit. After all, despite the crappy
> base, at least it was adequately guyed..... then I took a close look at
> his guy supports.... some might thin trees, if at least one isn't a plant!
> You were right. Nothing to brag about. I sure wouldn't want to climb
> it.

The "deepsouth" part told me just about all I needed to know....

2993. Re: Icom F4s flashing display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 02:20:47 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <42C0B3FF.2050100@netscape.net>
Source record: 14866

Travis Jordan wrote:
> Travis Jordan wrote:
>
>>Start by checking the radio parameters. If you don't have the cloning
>>or programming software you are SOL.
>
>
> Or so I thought...found this with Google -- maybe it will help you.
>
> http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=2975
>
>

Don't think the S model has the keyboard...at least mine doesn't.
The full programming software is available on the web. Don't remember
where I got it tho.
mike

--
Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
.
Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Wanted 12" LCD for Compaq Armada 7770MT.
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

2994. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 02:38:05 UTC
From: ray13 <ray_psi@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1119926285.873894.241150@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14867

Please do tell what are the problems with this install? So I don't make
the same mistakes.

73
KC8OJU

2995. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 03:14:29 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <ig3we.10857$U4.1398405@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14868

"ray13" <ray_psi@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1119926285.873894.241150@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
> Please do tell what are the problems with this install? So I don't make
> the same mistakes.
>
> 73
> KC8OJU
>

Apart from inadequate guying, the base should be buried well below the bottom triangular plate. The tower manufacturer spec's would give details. That tower is going to land on someone's head first storm. Glad it's not my neighborhood.

Ken
ZL1WKT

2996. Question-Ramsey QRP20c(30c, 40c) and Bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 04:05:06 UTC
From: Scott Anderson <ascension_fl@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1119931506.119786.208130@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am going to betray my entry-level lack of understanding about the inner workings of radio electronics here, but my question (out of curiosity, more than anything else) is this: Ramsey Electronics offers kits for QRP transmitters for the 20, 30 and 40-meter bands (http://www.ramseyelectronics.com/cgi-bin/commerce.exe?preadd=action&key=QRP-SERIES)... they are dual crystal control (they provide one, and leave space for one more)-- is it the frequency of the crystal *only* determining the operating band in *these particular radios* (and they are being marketed as being for the different bands based on the frequency of the one crystal provided), or is it something relating to the other circuitry itself that (again, with these particular transmitters) that is determining the operating band? I read the .pdf manual on the Ramsey site, but I am still not certain.

Thanks for any insight-
Scott Anderson

2997. FA - (15) New "N" Connectors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 04:16:25 UTC
From: Not any More <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1119932184.933976.39690@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14870

15 brand new "N" connectors manufactured in the USA by Kings
Electronics, model no. KN-59-176.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785507805&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Still individually sealed in envelopes.

The photos show a "mostly assembled" sample.

View the engineering drawing at:

http://kingselectronics.com/Kingsfiles/kingspdfs/KN-59-176.PDF

The assembly cards are included.

2998. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 05:34:13 UTC
From: JohnM <eaotis@cbpu.com>
Message-ID: <42c0e13f$0$5715$9a6e19ea@news.newshosting.com>
Source record: 14871

Ken Taylor wrote:
> "ray13" <ray_psi@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> news:1119926285.873894.241150@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>
>>Please do tell what are the problems with this install? So I don't make
>>the same mistakes.
>>
>>73
>>KC8OJU
>>
>
>
> Apart from inadequate guying, the base should be buried well below the
> bottom triangular plate. The tower manufacturer spec's would give details.
> That tower is going to land on someone's head first storm. Glad it's not my
> neighborhood.
>
> Ken
> ZL1WKT
>
>

He's got pretty high-res pictures, I zoomed one and he's not only got no thimbles for the guys at the turnbuckles, he's got his clamps on backwards (the saddles are intended to go against the load-bearing side of the cable). Pretty simple issues, wonder what the case is for more involved ones..

John

2999. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 06:38:09 UTC
From: Rex <rj555@northlink.com>
Message-ID: <11c1s4l2870dg31@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14872

With the very light antenna load I don't see any issues. Certainly if a tree falls over there might be so would it be so if it was guyed to ground anchor points and a nearby tree still fell on it. I think you guys are making a mountain out of a mole hill.

I suppose also if a Boeing 747 crash-landed in this guys yard there would be an issue as well..but come on guys...this is no big deal so let's be practical. Frankly I've seen a lot worse and they have been up for years. And, moreover, if everyone erected strictly according to Rohn standards few of us could afford a simple 50 footer!

Obviously this Joe S. guy has no life since he has gone out of his way to start a new thread bashing this fella.
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news:d9nlu70sce@news1.newsguy.com...
> Take a look at this piece of shit. And the guy who put it up is proud of
> it.
>
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>
> http://deepsouthnet.net/tower.html
>
> --
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> -----
>
>

3000. Re: Question-Ramsey QRP20c(30c, 40c) and Bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 12:53:06 UTC
From: MadEngineer <glenn.b.dixon@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1119963186.130614.38360@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14873
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Scott,

I don't blame you for being confused--the manuals have no schematic!
But the inductors and capacitors in several places (such as the
oscillator and the low pass filter on the ouput) are different for each
band model, so you would not be able to switch a unit to a different
band just by changing the crystal.

Hope this helps (probably not what you wanted to hear),

Glenn Dixon, AC7ZN

3001. FA: YAESU FT-290R PORTABLE SSB/FM/CW 2-MTR TRANSCEIVER>NEAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 13:47:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Xxcwe.11934$UG3.3604@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14874
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5784567819&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3002. FA: $11>NEW BIRD ELECTRONICS 4230-059 LINE SECTION w/CABLE>Big$

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 13:48:17 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Dycwe.11935$UG3.702@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14875
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5784567895&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3003. FA: $11>SIGNAL ELECTRIC R-60 SERIES MORSE CODE KEY>Really Nice!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 13:49:00 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <izcwe.11936$UG3.4806@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14877
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5784567844&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3004. FA: $10>KENWOOD TR-2200A PORTABLE FM TRANSCEIVER>MANY CRYSTALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 13:49:43 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Zzcwe.11937$UG3.6132@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14876
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5784567911&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3005. FA: $10> MFJ-422B-X IAMBIC KEYER for YOUR BENCHER PADDLES, HANDY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 13:50:25 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <CAcwe.11938$UG3.11934@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14878
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5784567899&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3006. FA: Drake Filter, BUNNEL Relay+Parts Much Stuff:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 13:58:42 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <oIcwe.11943$UG3.4870@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14879
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

For my whole list, Something for everyone.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3007. FA: NOS Ceramic Switches, Mil-Spec Test leads set>The Best ever!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 13:59:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <oJcwe.11944$UG3.5461@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14755
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

For my whole list, Something for everyone.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3008. Re: Question-Ramsey QRP20c(30c, 40c) and Bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 15:05:46 UTC
From: Tim Wescott <tim@seemywebsite.com>
Message-ID: <11c2ppula0iau8a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> inner workings of radio electronics here, but my question (out of
> curiosity, more than anything else) is this: Ramsey Electronics offers
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> they are dual crystal control (they provide one, and leave space for
> one more)-- is it the frequency of the crystal *only* determining the
> operating band in *these particular radios* (and they are being
> marketed as being for the different bands based on the frequency of the
> one crystal provided), or is it something relating to the other
> circuitry itself that (again, with these particular transmitters) that
> is determining the operating band? I read the .pdf manual on the Ramsey
> site, but I am still not certain.
>
> Thanks for any insight-
> Scott Anderson
>
In general when you build a transmitter you need filters designed for
the frequency band -- if no where else, then there should be a final
filter that prevents harmonics getting out.

--

Tim Wescott
Wescott Design Services
http://www.wescottdesign.com

3009. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 16:04:05 UTC
From: Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <11c2t5ar6q6ht38@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14881
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"xpyttl" <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net> wrote in message
news:jwhve.6227$B_3.4079@fe05.lga...
> Very few, if any, digis actually listen first.

Yes, with "Winlink over Pactor III" being a very noticeable offender here, in that it happens to be so popular at the moment.

> It seems as if it would be very difficult to make these
> automated stations be friendly to other users.

SCAMP intends to address this, and it is a very important problem to be "fixed." There are many people who dislike the idea of using any amateur radio bands for linking Internet data/e-mail/etc. at all (my hypothesis is that they must not have been all that thrilled with packetmail either, but the Internet is the straw that's breaking their backs), but of those who aren't 100% opposed to the idea to begin with, Winlink not presently using busy detectors is a legitimate complaint.

> Both the pro and con in this argument are absolutely unwilling to listen
> to/believe the other side.

There's a lot of this going on, to be sure, but the fact that SCAMP is making slow and steady progress suggests that there are some level heads that will (hopefully) prevail.

---Joel Kolstad

3010. FS 800 Mhz Motorola STX Handheld Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 16:49:22 UTC
From: klenchm@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1119977362.345678.274000@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14882

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4669&item=7525237920&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

This radio comes complete with the following.

Long 800 MHZ antenna
Ni-cad Battery pack
Motorola Rapid Charger (Model Number NLN4038)
I have tested the radio and the following simplex frequencies are
programmed.

858 MHZ
859 MHZ
859.5 MHZ
862 MHZ
862.5 MHZ
864 MHZ
865 MHZ

The Ni-cad pack can take and hold a charge,

3011. Re: Question-Ramsey QRP20c(30c, 40c) and Bands

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 16:57:41 UTC
From: TomS <nobody@home.com>
Message-ID: <d9rvi5oop1@avnika.corp.mot.com>
Source record: 14883
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

If you read the manual, I believe they have one manual for all models, you insert different components based on which band you are building. The various bands require different components in the amplifier matching, output filter, etc circuits.

Tom - AC9TS

"Scott Anderson" <ascension_fl@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:1119931506.119786.208130@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
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> inner workings of radio electronics here, but my question (out of
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> site, but I am still not certain.
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> Thanks for any insight-
> Scott Anderson
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3012. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 19:39:21 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96838102EAA1Dspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14884

> With the very light antenna load I don't see any issues. Certainly if
> a tree falls over there might be so would it be so if it was guyed to
> ground anchor points and a nearby tree still fell on it. I think you
> guys are making a mountain out of a mole hill.
>
>
> I suppose also if a Boeing 747 crash-landed in this guys yard there
> would be an issue as well..but come on guys...this is no big deal so
> let's be practical. Frankly I've seen a lot worse and they have been
> up for years. And, moreover, if everyone erected strictly according to
> Rohn standards few of us could afford a simple 50 footer!
>
>

You apparently have little understanding of safe tower installation requirements, regardless of factory specs. This isn't a simple 50 foot installation... its a 90 foot tower, and when it comes down, its going to have a big effect on the neighbors. The wind loading of that tower preempts any problems with antenna loading. Given the poor base, and especially the lousey guying supports, its an accident waiting to happen.

Ed

3013. FA: 1-Day-Left: 5 Books - Electronics TTL CMOS RADIO AMPLIFIERS Ham Radio Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 20:02:26 UTC
From: Neil <neil@nkslkdjkjsll.com>
Message-ID: <280620051602267767%neil@nkslkdjkjsll.com>
Source record: 14885
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4558181709

3014. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 21:22:33 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <tcjwe.10993$U4.1418949@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14886

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns96838102EAA1Dspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
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>> With the very light antenna load I don't see any issues. Certainly if
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> have a big effect on the neighbors. The wind loading of that tower
> preempts any problems with antenna loading. Given the poor base, and
> especially the lousey guying supports, its an accident waiting to happen.
>
> Ed

Thanks for saying it. Three four-foot deep lumps of concrete are not a
sufficient anchor for a load like that. I gather there's a bit of wind every
so often in MI? Those feet will pop out like corks.

Here's some guys who thought it through a little better:
http://klickitat.ee.washington.edu/Tower/

This data is for self-supporting towers but it's interesting to note:
http://www.anwireless.com/tower.html#foundation

This is sorta relevant (it's a much bigger tower but is just plain neat:
http://greyfort.com/gallery/album12?page=3)

I mean, sure, we've all put up a dodgy 'tower' (I think my biggest self-made
piece of crap was maybe 8 metres high, and at least I was the only one hurt
during removal!), but this is serious shit, it could easily kill people when
it comes down. When, not if.

Ken
ZL1WKT

3015. FT: Kenwood TH-79A DualBand HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 21:59:30 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <r1i3c1p4ktqb751qfnsu0m71ca9fqd23sm@4ax.com>
Source record: 14887

FT: Kenwood TH-79A DualBand HT
With belt clip and comes with Kenwood dual rapid charger.
I may have exrtra battery.
Have to look. Very nice shape.
Looking to trade for an AM receiver.
National 300 or 303 or another AM boatanchor receiver.
Please reply email.
ritchi50@optonline.net

3016. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-28 22:00:31 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <3Mjwe.13222$pa3.6933@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14888
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Joel Kolstad" <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:11c2t5ar6q6ht38@corp.supernews.com...
> "xpyttl" <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net> wrote in message
> news:jwhve.6227$B_3.4079@fe05.lga...
>> Very few, if any, digis actually listen first.
>
> Yes, with "Winlink over Pactor III" being a very noticeable offender here,
> in
> that it happens to be so popular at the moment.
>
>> It seems as if it would be very difficult to make these
>> automated stations be friendly to other users.
>
> SCAMP intends to address this, and it is a very important problem to be
> "fixed." There are many people who dislike the idea of using any amateur
> radio bands for linking Internet data/e-mail/etc. at all (my hypothesis is
> that they must not have been all that thrilled with packetmail either, but
> the
> Internet is the straw that's breaking their backs), but of those who
> aren't
> 100% opposed to the idea to begin with, Winlink not presently using busy
> detectors is a legitimate complaint.
>
>> Both the pro and con in this argument are absolutely unwilling to listen
>> to/believe the other side.
>
> There's a lot of this going on, to be sure, but the fact that SCAMP is
> making
> slow and steady progress suggests that there are some level heads that
> will
> (hopefully) prevail.
>
> ---Joel Kolstad
>
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Put me down in the unconvinced column. I am against ANY un-attented digital
system in any segement other than that set aside for its SOLE use.

Dan/W4NTI

3017. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 01:19:39 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <81t3c1thule1kolc7ug1n0kj019i90qjl3@4ax.com>
Source record: 14889

All GMRS and FRS equipment must be certified by the FCC. It used to
be called "Type-Acceptance", but the current term is "Certified."
Here is a quote from the GMRS regs.

95.603 Certification required.
(a) Each GMRS transmitter (a transmitter that operates or is intended
to operate at a station authorized in the GMRS) must be type accepted.

You can buy a certified radio from RS and have it programmed for GMRS.
You can also bet next week's paycheck on the fact that the Motorola
radio sitting in front of you was type accepted before it was sold..
Motorola couldn't have sold it otherwise, and it wouldn't have been
available to you. If you look up that Motorola model on the FCC
website, you will be able to find the certification documents. You
also need the FCC ID number which should be on the serial number tag.

Dick - W6CCD

On Sun, 19 Jun 2005 16:28:15 GMT, "Patrick" <jimmyk@mindspring.com>
wrote:

>Are your absolutely positively sure about that.
>
>I am not trying to be cantankerous here, but I don't think there
>is specific type acceptance of GMRS or MURS band radios.
>
>In fact you can buy a RS radio and have it programmed for FRS,
>or GMRS is you have the Ticket and they will jack up the power,
>the rig can also be programmed for business radio. I have a GMRS
>rig made by Motorola right in front of me, I am licensed and use it
>on a licensed GMRS repeater.... it has no FCC type acceptance on
>it at all.
>
>I could be wrong, but I don't find it in the regs anywhere

3018. Anyone with a Dead Halli SR-150 ????

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 01:29:37 UTC
From: WD=?ISO-8859-1?B?2A==?=HCO - Biz in Dallas Texas <wd0hco@ev1.net>
Message-ID: <BEE763B1.6EE%wd0hco@ev1.net>
Source record: 14890

Need Y11 the 1651.7 Crystal from the USB BFO circuit.

Please take a look if you have a dead SR-150...

Thanks -WDï¿½HCO - Biz

3019. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 03:29:41 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <42C21677.5080507@yahoo.com>
Source record: 14891

Ken Taylor wrote:
> "Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
> news:Xns96838102EAA1Dspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
>
>>>With the very light antenna load I don't see any issues. Certainly if
>>>a tree falls over there might be so would it be so if it was guyed to
>>>ground anchor points and a nearby tree still fell on it. I think you
>>>guys are making a mountain out of a mole hill.
>>>
>>>
>>>I suppose also if a Boeing 747 crash-landed in this guys yard there
>>>would be an issue as well..but come on guys...this is no big deal so
>>>let's be practical. Frankly I've seen a lot worse and they have been
>>>up for years. And, moreover, if everyone erected strictly according to
>>>Rohn standards few of us could afford a simple 50 footer!
>>>
>>>
>>
>> You apparently have little understanding of safe tower installation
>>requirements, regardless of factory specs. This isn't a simple 50 foot
>>installation... its a 90 foot tower, and when it comes down, its going to
>>have a big effect on the neighbors. The wind loading of that tower
>>preempts any problems with antenna loading. Given the poor base, and
>>especially the lousey guying supports, its an accident waiting to happen.
>>
>> Ed
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>
> Thanks for saying it. Three four-foot deep lumps of concrete are not a
> sufficient anchor for a load like that. I gather there's a bit of wind every
> so often in MI? Those feet will pop out like corks.
>
> Here's some guys who thought it through a little better:
> http://klickitat.ee.washington.edu/Tower/
>
> This data is for self-supporting towers but it's interesting to note:
> http://www.anwireless.com/tower.html#foundation
>
> This is sorta relevant (it's a much bigger tower but is just plain neat:
> http://greyfort.com/gallery/album12?page=3)
>
> I mean, sure, we've all put up a dodgy 'tower' (I think my biggest self-made
> piece of crap was maybe 8 metres high, and at least I was the only one hurt
> during removal!), but this is serious shit, it could easily kill people when

> it comes down. When, not if.
>
> Ken
> ZL1WKT
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>
With this being a guyed tower I find it hard to believe that the feet will come out of the ground or do anything but sink farther into the ground do to the weight of the tower and the soft soil.

I put up a temporary tower in 1978 that is still standing. It is 50 foot high and is sitting right on the ground (about 8 inches in now). I have two sets of guy wires. I have 4 ants on it one being a 42 foot 20 Meter KLM. Also one leg is tied to a tree and one tied to an anchor in the roof of my wife's shop. The third in tied to two posts that are driven in the ground about 3 foot.

Now remember this was my temporary install of almost 30 years ago. Someday soon I am expecting to make it more permanent but.....

Ron WA0KDS

3020. Kenwood TR-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 04:10:57 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42C21F51.E43A12FF@erols.com>
Source record: 14892

Tried several web sites but unable to get a price range for the subj
equipment. The model is a 2 meter multi mode transceiver (FM/SSB/CW)
that runs 25 watts. Any help appreciated. Someone may have sent me
a message previously but had a crash and lost it. Thanks.
K3BEQ

3021. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 04:17:15 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9683D8D1D5DCspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14893

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> With this being a guyed tower I find it hard to believe that the feet
> will come out of the ground or do anything but sink farther into the
> ground do to the weight of the tower and the soft soil.

Tell me what happens to guy wire tension if the weight of the 90' tower
allows it to sink further into the ground?

Ed

3022. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 04:41:52 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42c2263a@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 14894

Ed wrote:
>>With this being a guyed tower I find it hard to believe that the feet
>>will come out of the ground or do anything but sink farther into the
>>ground do to the weight of the tower and the soft soil.
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> Tell me what happens to guy wire tension if the weight of the 90' tower
> allows it to sink further into the ground?
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>
> Ed
>
We all know you go check the tower at least once a week for the 1st 3
months and then slightly less often unless weather gets rough , then you
tighten the turn buckles on the supporting cables , its not perfect but
it is up there.

3023. Free Tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 04:51:17 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ZMpwe.38235$DC2.16858@okepread01>
Source record: 14895

I have a nice antenna tower for the taking/down. It is very similar to a Rohn 25. I think that it is stronger and is built very much the same. It has a Hazer mounted on it that was made for the Rohn 25. It is currently in Amarillo, Texas. It also has a nice house bracket and a ten foot mast as well as a home brew Jenpole. It has 3 guy wires, although they are not needed. I want the Hazer, but the rest is free to someone who will take it down. Contact me via my e-mail or phone 325-677-3675 to make arrangements to take it down. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3024. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 05:22:02 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <42C230BB.1010903@yahoo.com>
Source record: 14896

You do a continue check on the guys and keep tightening.

Ed wrote:

>>With this being a guyed tower I find it hard to believe that the feet
>>will come out of the ground or do anything but sink farther into the
>>ground do to the weight of the tower and the soft soil.
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> Tell me what happens to guy wire tension if the weight of the 90' tower
> allows it to sink further into the ground?
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>
>
> Ed
>

3025. Re: Kenwood TR-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 12:25:53 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <lrwwe.271218$4M.147671@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14897

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> Tried several web sites but unable to get a price range for the subj

You need to learn to use eBay's "completed listings" search.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=40067&item=5781838607&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

3026. FA:Last Day:McMurdo Silver 5C(RARE),Sig Shifter..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 13:05:48 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <M0xwe.1048132$w62.132701@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A working, very rare, very good condition, Mc Murdo Silver 5C + a Meissner Signal Shifter + a complete set of coils: see at :

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looing: heytubeguy

3027. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 16:40:05 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11c5jnv8ppoqe05@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14749

Gentlemen...

First of all a little clarification....

1. It is a 75 ft tower not a 90 ft tower (the mast is 21 ft)
2. It has a base of over 3000 lbs of concrete in the ground (.75 cubic yards)
3. Does my "90 ft tower" weigh any more than anyone else's "90 ft tower?"
4. If it settles then the guys will be tightened to compensate.
5. I have no neighbors near enough to have issues with a fallen tower. I'm in the country.
6. The tower is covered by our homeowner's insurance under the group of "outbuildings and other structures"
7. Yes..I am "proud of it".

Those that have been courteous and helpful..thank you very much. The others can just go fish....or any other appropriate phrase you may think of.
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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

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>> tower allows it to sink further into the ground?
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>> Ed
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3028. New specially designed watt meter just for CB'ers!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 16:54:15 UTC
From: dsofsofhd@aol.com
Message-ID: <42c2d212.13616229@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 14750

New specially designed watt meter just for CB'ers! It will read up to 10 gazillion watts and has four power range settings.

The engineer setting - 100 watts in reads 100 watts on the meter.

The bragging CB'er setting - 100 watts in reads 400 watts on the meter.

The Elkin setting - 100 watts in reads a dead key of 75 and swings to 750 watts.

The DaveMade setting - 100 watts in reads 1500 watts and then your amplifier blows up.

:)

3029. Re: New specially designed watt meter just for CB'ers!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 17:34:15 UTC
From: dsofsofhd@aol.com
Message-ID: <42c2db7f.16029158@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 14756

Oops. I forgot one setting.

The Palomar Elite 300 setting - Your amplifier dead keys different
amounts from day to day, and your sideband audio sounds like crap.

On Wed, 29 Jun 2005 16:54:15 GMT, dsofsofhd@aol.com (Gosh Dawg!)
wrote:

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>New specially designed watt meter just for CB'ers! It will read up to
>10 gazillion watts and has four power range settings.
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>The engineer setting - 100 watts in reads 100 watts on the meter.
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>The bragging CB'er setting - 100 watts in reads 400 watts on the
>meter.
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>The Elkin setting - 100 watts in reads a dead key of 75 and swings to
>750 watts.
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>The DaveMade setting - 100 watts in reads 1500 watts and then your
>amplifier blows up.
>
>:)
>
>

3030. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 18:15:11 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.iiuqdb0.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 14758

On Tue, 28 Jun 2005 18:19:39 -0700, Dick wrote:

>You can buy a certified radio from RS and have it programmed for GMRS.
>You can also bet next week's paycheck on the fact that the Motorola
>radio sitting in front of you was type accepted before it was sold..
>Motorola couldn't have sold it otherwise, and it wouldn't have been
>available to you. If you look up that Motorola model on the FCC
>website, you will be able to find the certification documents. You
>also need the FCC ID number which should be on the serial number tag.

Not all FCC type-accepted/certified UHF commercial-band radios are
certified for GMRS - I owned one, a King-Bendix portable - and upon
inquiring why, it turned out that the manufacturer applied for Part
90 (private land-mobile radio services) certification but overlooked
applying for the Part 95 certification because they weren't thinking.

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Phil Kane - K2ASP -- Beaverton, Oregon
PNW Milepost 754 -- Tillamook District

3031. Re: Kenwood TR-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 19:06:30 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42C2F136.7D754CAE@erols.com>
Source record: 14757

**Agree, but cannot seem to find the right combination. Have to to admit
though, EBAY selling prices are high. Almost seems that people buying
some of the amateur equipment, especially for 2 meters, don't know
what they are buying. In certain cases, they are close to new prices.
Thanks for the data. Much appreciated.
73 K3BEQ
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Travis Jordan wrote:
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> Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> > Tried several web sites but unable to get a price range for the subj
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Name=WDVW

3032. Re: Kenwood TR-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 19:17:58 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <FtCwe.111846$581.30224@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14759

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> Have to to
> admit though, EBAY selling prices are high.

Any transaction takes a seller who is willing to sell and a buyer who is willing to buy, and there seem to be a lot of them pairing up happily on eBay. The concept of "high" is all in the mind.

3033. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 21:51:55 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <%JEwe.10939$jX6.6278@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14751

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns9683D8D1D5DCspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
>
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>> With this being a guyed tower I find it hard to believe that the feet
>> will come out of the ground or do anything but sink farther into the
>> ground do to the weight of the tower and the soft soil.
>
>
>
> Tell me what happens to guy wire tension if the weight of the 90' tower
> allows it to sink further into the ground?

Um ... you DO check your guy wire tension, and adjust as needed
from time to time, right? If not, you too have erected a big tall hazard.

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

3034. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 21:54:10 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6MEwe.10940$jX6.9811@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14752

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:11c5jnv8ppoqe05@news.supernews.com...
> Gentlemen...
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> First of all a little clarification....
>
> 1. It is a 75 ft tower not a 90 ft tower (the mast is 21 ft)
> 2. It has a base of over 3000 lbs of concrete in the ground (.75 cubic
> yards)
> 3. Does my "90 ft tower" weigh any more than anyone else's "90 ft tower?"
> 4. If it settles then the guys will be tightened to compensate.
> 5. I have no neighbors near enough to have issues with a fallen tower. I'm
> in the country.
> 6. The tower is covered by our homeowner's insurance under the group of
> "outbuildings and other structures"
> 7. Yes..I am "proud of it".
>
> Those that have been courteous and helpful..thank you very much. The
> others can just go fish....or any other appropriate phrase you may think
> of.

They just jealous single-wide dwellers, with CC&Rs :-)

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

3035. Re: Kenwood TR-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 22:19:45 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42C31E81.943FDDF1@erols.com>
Source record: 14753

True, it is in the mind of the beholder, however, some of the
beholders have an unrealistic "feel" for what is going on around them.
In essence, they are simply not doing their "homework" when it comes
to pricing. Im certain the Ebay sellers are smiling all the way to the
bank. I would.

Travis Jordan wrote:
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> Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> > Have to to
> > admit though, EBAY selling prices are high.
>
> Any transaction takes a seller who is willing to sell and a buyer who is
> willing to buy, and there seem to be a lot of them pairing up happily on
> eBay. The concept of "high" is all in the mind.

3036. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-29 23:27:12 UTC
From: The Old Man <noname@hotmail.net>
Message-ID: <h6b6c1d8h8kphakgajrpk6hlqt0jq90htj@4ax.com>
Source record: 14754
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Tue, 28 Jun 2005 22:00:31 GMT, "Dan/W4NTI"
<w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote:

>Put me down in the unconvinced column. I am against ANY un-attented digital
>system in any segement other than that set aside for its SOLE use.

But Dan THAT would make too much SENSE! (grin)

The trouble is that the unattended robot train has already left the
station.
ARRL deliberately did this without carefully coinsidering the monster
that they created and now that they persuaded the FCC to go along
with it, the problem is too late to remedy.

One can only hope that they will learn from this horrendous blunder.
Looking at the latest proposal from this same committee, (segmenting
by bandwidth only) I see only more stupidity being foisted on a
majority by a small group in a smoke-filled room.

Most of us are finding out what they did each time, only after the
damage is done.

WHERE is even the basic polling of radio amateurs?
Did they ask amateurs in other countries that will be affected
by this?

Do 40m CW ops REALLY want to be HEMMED IN to the bottom 35 khZ?
OK the rules don't SAY that will happen, but if you give the
Mexican and VE SSB pests and the digital ops and MORE rope than
they have already taken, 40m CW could become a thing of the
past.

YMMV

The Old Man

3037. Re: New specially designed watt meter just for CB'ers!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 01:04:23 UTC
From: "Joe S." <nobody@nowhere.net>
Message-ID: <d9vgeo0okf@news2.newsguy.com>
Source record: 14760

"Gosh Dawg!" <dsofsofhd@aol.com> wrote in message
news:42c2db7f.16029158@127.0.0.1...
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> Oops. I forgot one setting.
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> The Palomar Elite 300 setting - Your amplifier dead keys different
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> >amplifier blows up.
> >
> >:)
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> >
>

Let me guess -- on the first day, you received orders from CB'ers for over
3,000 meters.

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Joe S.

3038. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 01:22:31 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
Message-ID: <11c6iaql7nofha8@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14762
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I assumed you contacted your ARRL division director to make your views known? That's the mechanism by which decisions they make get input from everyday amateurs, so those amateurs' views can be represented in the "smoke-filled room".

After the ARRL's decision, how did your director explain to you how and why the decisions were made?

Or do you just sit and grouse and not bother to make your views known to someone who can actually do something about it?

P.S. If you identify yourself to your ARRL director only as "The Old Man", he's probably not going to pay much attention to you. And rightly so.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

The Old Man wrote:
> On Tue, 28 Jun 2005 22:00:31 GMT, "Dan/W4NTI"
> <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote:
>
>
>>Put me down in the unconvinced column. I am against ANY un-attented digital
>>system in any segement other than that set aside for its SOLE use.
>
>
> But Dan THAT would make too much SENSE! (grin)
>
> The trouble is that the unattended robot train has already left the
> station.
> ARRL deliberately did this without carefully coinsidering the monster
> that they created and now that they persuaded the FCC to go along
> with it, the problem is too late to remedy.
>
> One can only hope that they will learn from this horrendous blunder.
> Looking at the latest proposal from this same committee, (segmenting
> by bandwidth only) I see only more stupidity being foisted on a
> majority by a small group in a smoke-filled room.
>
> Most of us are finding out what they did each time, only after the
> damage is done.
>
> WHERE is even the basic polling of radio amateurs?
> Did they ask amateurs in other countries that will be affected
> by this?

>
> Do 40m CW ops REALLY want to be HEMMED IN to the bottom 35 khZ?
> OK the rules don't SAY that will happen, but if you give the
> Mexican and VE SSB pests and the digital ops and MORE rope than
> they have already taken, 40m CW could become a thing of the
> past.
>
> YMMV
>
> The Old Man
>

3039. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 01:33:18 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <pqi6c11oe9obv6qbl0ssqn3su1huurk3hn@4ax.com>
Source record: 14761

On Wed, 29 Jun 2005 11:15:11 -0700 (PDT), "Phil Kane"
<Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop> wrote:

>On Tue, 28 Jun 2005 18:19:39 -0700, Dick wrote:
>
>>You can buy a certified radio from RS and have it programmed for GMRS.
>>You can also bet next week's paycheck on the fact that the Motorola
>>radio sitting in front of you was type accepted before it was sold..
>>Motorola couldn't have sold it otherwise, and it wouldn't have been
>>available to you. If you look up that Motorola model on the FCC
>>website, you will be able to find the certification documents. You
>>also need the FCC ID number which should be on the serial number tag.
>
> Not all FCC type-accepted/certified UHF commercial-band radios are
> certified for GMRS - I owned one, a King-Bendix portable - and upon
> inquiring why, it turned out that the manufacturer applied for Part
> 90 (private land-mobile radio services) certification but overlooked
> applying for the Part 95 certification because they weren't thinking.

Very true. My point was that Motorola wouldn't sell a commercial or
GMRS radio that had not been certified. It's certainly possible it
wasn't certified to the desired band, but the OP stated that his
Motorola radio wasn't certified (to anything was the way I read it.)

3040. FS: Power SWR Mod meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 02:46:05 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <yYOdnT9gOORzwV7fRVn-vA@comcast.com>
Source record: 14763

RF Limited Model PW-3000
3,000 Watt Inline Meter

Check SWR , Power out, FWD and REV
Covers 1.6 - 30 MHZ at
0 to 30 0 to 300 0 to 3000
SSB and AM PEP readings.
This meter is in New condition,
Have original box and manual.

Price is $100 plus shipping

Steve

3041. FS: Heil Mic and Boom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 02:53:35 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ZoCdnfoIUO0tw17fRVn-2Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 14764

I have a PL-2T boom for the Heil Mac's
Also have a HM10 Duel 4 and 5 el mic forsale.
Both are 2 weeks old. I switch over to a SM-8

Price is $150 for both items.

I have original boxes.

Steve

3042. Echolink access

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 04:05:04 UTC
From: gascoyne <gascoyne@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <QbKwe.8186$5D4.3098@newsfe4-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14765

Hi

I am new to amateur radio so I am having to get used to the new technology. I use a Yaesu FT-8800E.

I can access local repeaters but nothing happens if I try to turn on repeaters which are further afield.

I am also having problems turning on Echolinks. I have tried to use the Echolink frequency 145.2875. I key the mic and type into the mic and nearly always get a message saying the link does not exist. I have tried links which have just been closed down so I know the node exists. I always type in a # before the number but I wondered if there were any further settings I needed to adjust.

I hope someone can help.

Mick

3043. FA - FRG-100 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 04:06:19 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120104379.630473.9580@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5786007644&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Click on the view larger image button for a close up look at the
selected pages.

3044. Re: FS: Power SWR Mod meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 04:15:09 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <YkKwe.9847$Q05.454@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14767

Can you send me a picture of it?

Steve wrote:
> RF Limited Model PW-3000
> 3,000 Watt Inline Meter
>
> Check SWR , Power out, FWD and REV
> Covers 1.6 - 30 MHZ at
> 0 to 30 0 to 300 0 to 3000
> SSB and AM PEP readings.
> This meter is in New condition,
> Have original box and manual.
>
> Price is $100 plus shipping
>
> Steve
>
>
>

3045. Re: Echolink access

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 04:17:05 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <MmKwe.9848$Q05.5769@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14768

First you need to know if there are any special access codes to enter.
The possibility of the machine not hearing all your codes....either you
are entering too fast or too slow for the machine. Check with the node
owner.

gascoyne wrote:
> Hi
>
> I am new to amateur radio so I am having to get used to the new technology.
> I use a Yaesu FT-8800E.
>
> I can access local repeaters but nothing happens if I try to turn on
> repeaters which are further afield.
>
> I am also having problems turning on Echolinks. I have tried to use the
> Echolink frequency 145.2875. I key the mic and type into the mic and nearly
> always get a message saying the link does not exist. I have tried links
> which have just been closed down so I know the node exists. I always type
> in a # before the number but I wondered if there were any further settings I
> needed to adjust.
>
> I hope someone can help.
>
> Mick
>
>

3046. FS DTV /Dish Network/Cablevison goodies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 10:11:06 UTC
From: Chris NI4L <ni4l@charter.net>
Message-ID: <WyPwe.22076$B_3.21887@fe05.lga>
Source record: 14769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,nc.forsale

I have the following Multi-Switch all brand new still in the box.
4- Eagle Aspen 2-2180-ce 3X8 40-2200 mhz
3- Atras DTV-38Am 3X8 40-2200 mhz
7- Zinwell Sam-3402 3X4 40-2150 mhz
4- Eagle Aspen DTV3X4 3X4 40-2050 mhz
1-Zinwell SAM-4803 4X8 with AC/DC Module
All DTV approved.
FS PPC EX-6 COAX FITTINGS
I have 8 bags each contain 50 fittings for RG-6 Coax these are
COMPRESSION fittings NOT crimp-on
7 bags brand new 1 bag missing 2 or 3 fittings.
So a total of aprox 400 fittings
FS COAX WALL PLUGS
Push in Black hard plastic wall plugs fits RG-6 with ground, Mini-Eight
fits nicely also makes drilling a hole in the wall or floor to run your
coax through look professional, also seal up hole.
Have 500 of these New in the bags 100 in each bag.
I can do paypal
Would like to sell this as ONE WHOLE LOT or trade all of it for a 2
meter rig or SW recevier
Thanks for looking

3047. Re: Icom F4s flashing display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 10:25:28 UTC
From: eug k <wired_au@change-this-to-ho.tmail.com>
Message-ID: <da0hao$31e5$2@bunyip2.cc.uq.edu.au>
Source record: 14770

mike <spamme0@netscape.net> wrote:
> Travis Jordan wrote:
> > Travis Jordan wrote:
> >
> >>Start by checking the radio parameters. If you don't have the cloning
> >>or programming software you are SOL.
> >
> >
> > Or so I thought...found this with Google -- maybe it will help you.
> >
> > http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=2975
>
> Don't think the S model has the keyboard...at least mine doesn't.
> The full programming software is available on the web. Don't remember
> where I got it tho.

Hi guys,

Ugh, my news server dropped all the other responses. Hurrah for google groups! :)

The S model doesn't have the keyboard, but no matter, I made up a cable and found the software on the net. The radios were apparently programmed out of band. All good now, except for one radio which has really low audio. Could be defective, although im hoping it's just a modulation adjustment...

thanks guys!

3048. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 12:57:50 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <da0q8e$1uf$1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 14771
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com> wrote:
>I assumed you contacted your ARRL division director to make your views
>known? That's the mechanism by which decisions they make get input from
>everyday amateurs, so those amateurs' views can be represented in the
>"smoke-filled room".

From my perspective, I can copy CW very well with a narrow filter, even
with a large amount of QRM from a digital system.

And, the digital system is probably not going to be able to deal with
my interference half as well as I can deal with its.

Since I am reading this on rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors, where it is
crossposted, may I recommend the use of the audio filter on the Collins
R-390A? It is frighteningly effective at getting rid of this trash.
--scott

--
"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

3049. Re: Echolink access

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 13:32:50 UTC
From: Leon <leon_heller@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1120138370.400901.176860@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14772

Try accessing the nodes via your PC.

73, Leon

3050. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 14:25:09 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <dhTwe.2466$iv3.1072@fe02.lga>
Source record: 14773
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Roy Lewallen" <w7el@eznec.com> wrote in message
news:11c6iaql7nofha8@corp.supernews.com...

>I assumed you contacted your ARRL division director to make your views
>known?

Good answer, Roy. But I'm pretty sure that "The Old Man" isn't a League
member, or if he is, he takes no part in his Section. He said:

>> Most of us are finding out what they did each time, only after the damage
>> is done.

Certainly I heard about it well before hand, and expressed some concern, in
this case to our vice-director who happened to be dealing with this
particular issue. I got some additional feedback which reduced, but did not
eliminate, my concerns.

I suspect if "The Old Man" was on the radar of his section or division folks
as someone who was reasonably active, he would have had plenty of
opportunity for input early on. Most directors send out emails about stuff
like this to anyone in their division they suspect is active. Actually, if
I recall there was even a mention of this happening in QST well ahead of
time, but there is a lot of stuff in QST and something like this is easy to
miss.

Most folks, though, would rather bitch than take a few minutes to educate
their representatives. Kind of a shame, really, that so many folks can
spend so much energy bitching, but are unwilling to spend even a little
energy to make amateur radio better.

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3051. FS: 2 meter HT amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 15:00:45 UTC
From: JB <SPAMac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <da11j9$k4f$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 14774
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://teckstuff.freespaces.com

3052. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 15:16:28 UTC
From: Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <11c833vl4cc0a75@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14775
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Scott Dorsey" <kludge@panix.com> wrote in message
news:da0q8e$1uf$1@panix2.panix.com...
> And, the digital system is probably not going to be able to deal with
> my interference half as well as I can deal with its.

A frequency-hopping spread spectrum system with a reasonable amount of error correction won't be bothered much at all by iCW, as a matter of fact. :-)

3053. FS: 2m amp good link

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 15:16:44 UTC
From: JB <SPAMac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <da12he$ke1$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 14776
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

arrrgh! Try this link instead!

http://tekstuff.freespaces.com/

3054. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 16:31:46 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <da16pinvb1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 14777
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com> wrote:
>"Scott Dorsey" <kludge@panix.com> wrote in message
>news:da0q8e$1uf$1@panix2.panix.com...
>> And, the digital system is probably not going to be able to deal with
>> my interference half as well as I can deal with its.
>
>A frequency-hopping spread spectrum system with a reasonable amount of error
>correction won't be bothered much at all by iCW, as a matter of fact. :-)

Yes, but a frequency hopping system should recognize that this individual
channel is currently not good, and stop using it!
--scott

--
"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

3055. Re: Winlink and QRM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 20:25:27 UTC
From: Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <11c8l79pfoqh60b@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14778
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Scott Dorsey" <kludge@panix.com> wrote in message
news:da16pinvb1@panix2.panix.com...
> Joel Kolstad <JKolstad71HatesSpam@yahoo.com> wrote:
> >A frequency-hopping spread spectrum system with a reasonable amount of
error
> >correction won't be bothered much at all by iCW, as a matter of fact. :-)
> Yes, but a frequency hopping system should recognize that this individual
> channel is currently not good, and stop using it!

If it can, certainly... but it's the standard "near-far" problem in that you
may be able to hear the interferer (the FHSS system) but he can't hear you.
:-(

3056. FA Lot of old and newer gear/ending soon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 20:30:25 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <zDYwe.38394$DC2.36195@okepread01>
Source record: 14779

Please see my auctions ending soon for lots of great
Boatanchors: B&W 370 SSB adpt, Drake TR4CWRIT, NCL2000, more Ten-Tec 961 PS,
705 mic, Drake RV4 VFO, etc

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug

Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3057. Re: Echolink access

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-06-30 20:34:31 UTC
From: Brad <"bradvk2qq AT w6ir.com">
Message-ID: <42c4575b$0$18650$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>
Source record: 14780

If your signal to the node is in any way noisy and you are sending long tones, the decoder may read that as several tones of the same digit. I hear it here. Some people think that pressing that button longer will help, but instead of a "4" the decoder gets "4444".

Try nodes with stronger, cleaner signals. Improve your own antenna setup if you are having problems with distant repeaters.

Brad.

"STEVE TROOK" <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET> wrote in message news:MmKwe.9848$Q05.5769@fe08.lga...
> First you need to know if there are any special access codes to enter. The
> possibility of the machine not hearing all your codes....either you are
> entering too fast or too slow for the machine. Check with the node owner.
>
> gascoyne wrote:
>> Hi
>>
>> I am new to amateur radio so I am having to get used to the new
>> technology.
>> I use a Yaesu FT-8800E.
>>
>> I can access local repeaters but nothing happens if I try to turn on
>> repeaters which are further afield.
>>
>> I am also having problems turning on Echolinks. I have tried to use the
>> Echolink frequency 145.2875. I key the mic and type into the mic and
>> nearly
>> always get a message saying the link does not exist. I have tried links
>> which have just been closed down so I know the node exists. I always
>> type
>> in a # before the number but I wondered if there were any further
>> settings I
>> needed to adjust.
>>
>> I hope someone can help.
>>
>> Mick
>>

3058. increasing sensibility on IC-28A/H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-01 02:26:02 UTC
From: pr7bok <yvson77@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1120184762.505125.74970@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14781

Hi guys,

I observed that my IC-28H rig is a little def.

How can I increase the sensibility of my Icom IC-28H?

Are there any adjustment to do this or It only can be done using an
external preamp?

73,

Yvson - PR7BOK

3059. Re: increasing sensibility on IC-28A/H

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-01 03:12:52 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <v6c9c1ln4cqjvia6n9s3qsqr8cai0irvpo@4ax.com>
Source record: 14782

On 30 Jun 2005 19:26:02 -0700, "pr7bok" <yvson77@gmail.com> wrote:

>Hi guys,
>
>I observed that my IC-28H rig is a little def.
>
>How can I increase the sensibility of my Icom IC-28H?
>
>Are there any adjustment to do this or It only can be done using an
>external preamp?
>
>73,
>
>Yvson - PR7BOK

I have a 28H sitting right here beside me. Been using it since it was purchased new, and I find the sensitivity to be excellent. It is not adjustable. You might want to look at the RF amplifier, Q4. It might have been blown by static or being too close to RF. The service manual is available here. http://www.mods.dk/

Dick - W6CCD

3060. FS:Kenwood Dual Rapid Charger Model KSC-14

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-01 13:04:30 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mqfac19qk9hn25ulrokprdjv22n94i81jm@4ax.com>
Source record: 14783

FS:Kenwood Dual Rapid Charger Model KSC-14

Great working and Great looking Charger.

Will trickle charge or rapid charge.

I used it for a Kenwood TH-79A which I sold.

Reason for selling is, I just don't use it anymore.

Price: 60.00 Essex County NJ

ritchi50@optonline.net

3061. FS: Motorola HT-1000 VHF 150.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-01 14:04:07 UTC
From: Rich <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <fajac11qljbueb067il1bipigeqfla7ol0@4ax.com>
Source record: 14784

FS: Motorola HT-1000 VHF 150.00
146-178 MHz 5 Watts H01KDCAA2AN
Looks GREAT!!!!! And works GREAT!!!!!
Comes with antenna and battery. Battery is not good.
Great deal at 150.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3062. BOONTON RF PROBE MODEL 91-12F

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 01:18:57 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <11cbqs14jobsu4a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14785

FOR SALE

Boonton RF Probe, Model 91-12F, S/N 10631, for use with Boonton Model 91 and 92 RF Voltmeters.

Condition: Good physical condition, functionally untested. The screw-on tip is missing - don't believe I ever had it.

Price: $10.00 includes shipping via Priority U.S. Mail to addressees in the lower 48 states.

Other terms and conditions: Pay by postal money order. Sale is final - no returns on this item.

Contact: BOB CARTER, W5BTC dc2light@radix.net

3063. suitability of ham radio for recreation use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 05:24:43 UTC
From: dcolvey <dcolvey@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <vypxe.1851150$6l.273592@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 14786

thanks for zero feed back on my recent request for information re. use of ham radio for recreational use of hand held radios.... this is not a user friendly user group thanks for nothing...

3064. Re: suitability of ham radio for recreation use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 05:31:32 UTC
From: Brad <"bradvk2qq AT w6ir.com">
Message-ID: <42c626ad$0$18643$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>
Source record: 14787

"dcolvey" <dcolvey@shaw.ca> wrote in message
news:vypxe.1851150$6l.273592@pd7tw2no...
> thanks for zero feed back on my recent request for information re. use of
> ham radio for recreational use of hand held radios.... this is not a user
> friendly user group thanks for nothing...
>
Well aren't you a bitter little bunny? hmm? Instead of bitching, pehaps you
should check back through the lists. You received THREE replies.

Brad.

3065. Re: suitability of ham radio for recreation use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 05:33:47 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11cc9prd57uti8d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14788

In article <vypxe.1851150$6l.273592@pd7tw2no>, dcolvey <dcolvey@shaw.ca> wrote:

>thanks for zero feed back on my recent request for information re. use of
>ham radio for recreational use of hand held radios.... this is not a user
>friendly user group thanks for nothing...

There were two significant responses to your request, both posted in
June 26th, by Travis Jordan and by myself. You should be able to see
the whole thread using the following URL:

http://groups-beta.google.com/group/rec.radio.amateur.equipment/browse_thread/thread/45bb0
9796d91fb36/fe26bf4930e0ea50?q=group:rec.radio.*+author:dcolvey@shaw.ca&rnum=1&hl=en#fe26b
f4930e0ea50

Possibly there was a problem on whatever news server you use, which
prevented your from seeing them?

To summarize the responses:

- You can't use VHF marine radios for non-marine applications (at
least not here in the U.S.)

- MURS radios might be suitable, as they are VHF and do not require a
license (again, here in the U.S.)

- A lot of the cheaper GMRS radios are not really much better than
FRS radios, and may not suit your needs.

- Entry-level VHF ham radios can be had for about $100 each, and are
likely no more expensive than decent GMRS radios and are probably
cheaper than MURS radios. They do require licenses to use.
They're probably your best bet if all operators are (or are willing
to become) licensed amateur radio operators.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

3066. FS: MIRAGE B 5016 G VHF AMPS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 12:32:38 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <yPvxe.4534$iv3.255@fe02.lga>
Source record: 14789

I HAVE 2 MIRAGE NEW, NEVER USED, NEVER INSTALLED 144 mhz VHF AMPS. RATINGS: 50 WATTS IN GIVES YOU 160 WATTS OUT. WITH MANUAL. OPERATES ON 12VDC. $200 EACH INCLUDES SHIPPING (IN US ONLY) OR BUY BOTH FOR $375 INCLUDING SHIPPING (IN THE US ONLY)

3067. FA: 1-Day-Left: 2 Books - MICROWAVE THEORY and MEASUREMENTS - Radio, Hams, Electronics - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 12:43:06 UTC
From: Sandy <sandy@rksignklrsssa.com>
Message-ID: <020720050843063395%sandy@rksignklrsssa.com>
Source record: 14790
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4558824491

3068. FA: 1-Day-Left: 3 Books - DIGITAL and ANALOG Electronics - Circuit Analysis - Etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 12:43:33 UTC
From: Sandy <sandy@rksignklrsssa.com>
Message-ID: <020720050843334969%sandy@rksignklrsssa.com>
Source record: 14791
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4558826425

3069. FA:TUBES:811, 572B,5U4,12BH7..+MO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 12:43:51 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <b_vxe.379822$cg1.114169@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Have 811A, 572B, 5U4 rectifiers + a few others and more coming after the 4th; see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx and Happy Birthday America, heytubeguy

3070. FA: 1DAY LEFT>YAESU FT-290R SSB + NEW BIRD LINE SECTION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 13:55:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <F1xxe.112$js.41@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14793
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All my items are here, all clean stuff, no junk, well mostly NO junk;-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3071. FA: 1-Day Left-MFJ KEYER for BENCHER + VINTAGE SIGNAL MORSE KEY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 13:58:11 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <V3xxe.114$js.51@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All my items are here, all clean stuff, no junk, well mostly NO junk;-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3072. FA: 1-Day Left>KENWOOD TR-2200A Portable+ 1950's NUMERCHRON DIGITAL CLOCK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 13:59:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <n5xxe.115$js.46@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14795
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All my items are here, all clean stuff, no junk, well mostly NO junk;-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3073. FA: 1-DAY LEFT> $100 Mil-Spec test leads NEW+ DRAKE TV-3300 LOW-PASS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 14:01:01 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <y6xxe.116$js.20@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14796
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All my items are here, all clean stuff, no junk, well mostly NO junk;-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3074. FA: J.H. BUNNEL RELAY w/PARTS + 10 NOS OAK CERAMIC SWITCHES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 14:02:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_7xxe.117$js.41@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14797
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

All my items are here, all cheep too, all clean stuff, no junk, well mostly
NO junk;-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3075. Re: FA: 1-DAY LEFT> $100 Mil-Spec test leads NEW+ DRAKE TV-3300 LOW-PASS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 14:26:44 UTC
From: m II <None@owl.nest.org>
Message-ID: <Euxxe.126128$on1.71476@clgrps13>
Source record: 14798
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:

> All my items are here, all clean stuff,

Why not put all the advertising inside ONE posting? It would be a lot more considerate. Some people consider your sale notices as spam, why not reduce the total number of intrusions?. The crossposting of commercial advertising is in bad form too.

mike

3076. FREE subscription to Ham Radio e-Zine - K9YA Telegraph

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 16:48:07 UTC
From: K9YA <no_reply@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <bzzxe.6760$RC6.2795@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14799

Check out the latest issue of the K9YA Telegraph:

Fishing for QSOs By Philip Cala-Lazar, K9PL

My Lucky Dayton Trip By Steve Wolfcale, N9WAT

Ham Radio and Scouting By Art Steinke, WB9JKY, trustee, W9BSA

They Could Have and Should Have By Rod Newkirk, VA3ZBB/W9BRD

Liverpool's Skyline to Flash Morse Code Messages

Morse Tips & Quips

Subscribe for FREE at http://www.k9ya.org

3077. Re: suitability of ham radio for recreation use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 21:12:48 UTC
From: Big Ugly <xxx@xxx.com>
Message-ID: <xxx-B8B1D9.16125102072005@news-rdr-01.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14800

In article <42c626ad$0$18643$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>,
"Brad" <bradvk2qq AT w6ir.com> wrote:

> "dcolvey" <dcolvey@shaw.ca> wrote in message
> news:vypxe.1851150$6l.273592@pd7tw2no...
> > thanks for zero feed back on my recent request for information re. use of
> > ham radio for recreational use of hand held radios.... this is not a user
> > friendly user group thanks for nothing...
> >
> Well aren't you a bitter little bunny? hmm? Instead of bitching, pehaps you
> should check back through the lists. You received THREE replies.
>
> Brad.

I hope he don't plan any unlicensed family type "recreational use of
hand held radios" operation around my neck of the woods, I'l call Riley
in a New York heartbeat.

3078. Re: suitability of ham radio for recreation use

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 22:02:23 UTC
From: John Smith <pocketstimulation@handson.nut>
Message-ID: <1120341784.d256a1b8dc1b0679865861a3e502b973@teranews>
Source record: 14801

"Big Ugly" <xxx@xxx.com> wrote in message
news:xxx-B8B1D9.16125102072005@news-rdr-01.rdc-kc.rr.com...
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>> Well aren't you a bitter little bunny? hmm? Instead of bitching, pehaps
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>> Brad.
>
> I hope he don't plan any unlicensed family type "recreational use of
> hand held radios" operation around my neck of the woods, I'l call Riley
> in a New York heartbeat.
>
Oooh I'l bet that really scares the crap out of him. that sissy riley, and
you should both shut the hell up!

KOP WANNABE!

3079. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 22:33:58 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <qDExe.15107$pa3.7788@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14802

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:11c5jnv8ppoqe05@news.supernews.com...
> Gentlemen...
>
> First of all a little clarification....
>
> 1. It is a 75 ft tower not a 90 ft tower (the mast is 21 ft)
> 2. It has a base of over 3000 lbs of concrete in the ground (.75 cubic
> yards)
> 3. Does my "90 ft tower" weigh any more than anyone else's "90 ft tower?"
> 4. If it settles then the guys will be tightened to compensate.
> 5. I have no neighbors near enough to have issues with a fallen tower. I'm
> in the country.
> 6. The tower is covered by our homeowner's insurance under the group of
> "outbuildings and other structures"
> 7. Yes..I am "proud of it".
>
> Those that have been courteous and helpful..thank you very much. The
> others can just go fish....or any other appropriate phrase you may think
> of.
> --
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
> Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
> www.deepsouthnet.net
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Ya gotta understand Charlie that most of those complaining all live on
postage stamp lots, in cities, with neighbors. On the other hand, us
"Southerners" know better than to move into a antenna restricted
sub-division, with wall to wall covenants. They are to be felt sorry for.

I think your tower looks fine, when I get mine up this year I'll work you
on the 2 meter net.

Dan/W4NTI

3080. Re: GMRS radios?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 22:34:24 UTC
From: JB <SPAMac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <da8r25$1l2n$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 14807

Yes Some Mot Business band radios are certified for GMRS but beware of the bandwidth and power restrictions for that band vs. different model options. Forget about using the business band radios for FRS as they aren't compatible. Many GMRS/FRS radios are mode ambidextrous in order to be compatible.

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message news:pqi6c11oe9obv6qbl0ssqn3su1huurk3hn@4ax.com...
> On Wed, 29 Jun 2005 11:15:11 -0700 (PDT), "Phil Kane"
> <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop> wrote:
>
> >On Tue, 28 Jun 2005 18:19:39 -0700, Dick wrote:
> >
> >>You can buy a certified radio from RS and have it programmed for GMRS.
> >>You can also bet next week's paycheck on the fact that the Motorola
> >>radio sitting in front of you was type accepted before it was sold..
> >>Motorola couldn't have sold it otherwise, and it wouldn't have been
> >>available to you. If you look up that Motorola model on the FCC
> >>website, you will be able to find the certification documents. You
> >>also need the FCC ID number which should be on the serial number tag.
> >
> > Not all FCC type-accepted/certified UHF commercial-band radios are
> > certified for GMRS - I owned one, a King-Bendix portable - and upon
> > inquiring why, it turned out that the manufacturer applied for Part
> > 90 (private land-mobile radio services) certification but overlooked
> > applying for the Part 95 certification because they weren't thinking.
>
> Very true. My point was that Motorola wouldn't sell a commercial or
> GMRS radio that had not been certified. It's certainly possible it
> wasn't certified to the desired band, but the OP stated that his
> Motorola radio wasn't certified (to anything was the way I read it.)

>
>

3081. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 22:38:52 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <0IExe.15111$pa3.11709@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14803

Oh one more thing Charlie.

Several years ago I cobbled up a 25 and a 20G Rohn tower to make me a 90 footer.

Dug a 5 foot deep hole X 3' across and stuck a crappy looking section in it, Think I used about 12 bags of Quick Creet. Bracketed the next section to the house, and the crew stacked the rest and we guyed it with 3/8" twisted steel, turnbuckles and trailor tie down (6') long concreted in with 4 bags each.

Hung a full sized 20 meter monobander on it.

Stood three tornado's, four very strong straight line wind storms and stayed up for 6 years before I took it down to move.

The tornado's tore up two trees either side of it BTW.

On inspection found NO problems. Sold the whole mess, and its still up.

Dan/W4NTI

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:11c5jnv8ppoqe05@news.supernews.com...
> Gentlemen...
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> in the country.
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> "outbuildings and other structures"
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> Those that have been courteous and helpful..thank you very much. The
> others can just go fish....or any other appropriate phrase you may think
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>
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> www.deepsouthnet.net
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>
> "Ron" <wa0kds@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> news:42C230BB.1010903@yahoo.com...
>> You do a continue check on the guys and keep tightening.
>>
>> Ed wrote:
>>
>>>>With this being a guyed tower I find it hard to believe that the feet
>>>>will come out of the ground or do anything but sink farther into the
>>>>ground do to the weight of the tower and the soft soil.
>>>
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>>>
>>> Tell me what happens to guy wire tension if the weight of the 90'
>>> tower allows it to sink further into the ground?
>>>
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>>>
>>> Ed
>>>
>>
>
>

3082. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-02 23:48:19 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11ce9ujfjr97m1b@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14804

Thx Dan..it's a deal!!

73 / DX

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Charlie
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www.deepsouthnet.net

"Dan/W4NTI" <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote in message
news:qDExe.15107$pa3.7788@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
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> postage stamp lots, in cities, with neighbors. On the other hand, us

> "Southerners" know better than to move into a antenna restricted
> sub-division, with wall to wall covenants. They are to be felt sorry
> for.
>
> I think your tower looks fine, when I get mine up this year I'll work you
> on the 2 meter net.
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
>

3083. Re: And the guy who put this up is proud of it

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 00:05:21 UTC
From: Brad <"bradvk2qq AT w6ir.com">
Message-ID: <42c72b65$0$18648$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>
Source record: 14805

"Dan/W4NTI" <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote in message
news:0IExe.15111$pa3.11709@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net...
> Stood three tornado's, four very strong straight line wind storms and
> stayed up for 6 years before I took it down to move.
>
> The tornado's tore up two trees either side of it BTW.

Charlie has his tower guyed to a tree.

Brad.

3084. Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 11:40:15 UTC
From: DL7JSK <dl7jsk@darc.de>
Message-ID: <da8iql$fm6$05$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 14806

Hello all!
The maximum baudrate is 4800,using the FT-817Commander with the FT-817 and
CT-62 cable.When I set it to 9600 or 38400,the radio will not be found.
I use Win XP Pro and a PIII with 400 MHz

Any ideas which setttings have to be changed?

73
Tom

3085. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 14:29:55 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <DDSxe.210138$581.98769@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14808

DL7JSK wrote:
> Any ideas which setttings have to be changed?

When you say you set 'it' to a baud rate other than 4800, what 'it' are
you talking about.

You need to set the baud rate on both the radio and the software
program.

3086. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 15:31:48 UTC
From: DL7JSK <dl7jsk@darc.de>
Message-ID: <da90cqbai05$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 14809

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
news:DDSxe.210138$581.98769@fe05.news.easynews.com...
> DL7JSK wrote:
>> Any ideas which setttings have to be changed?
>
> When you say you set 'it' to a baud rate other than 4800, what 'it' are
> you talking about.
>
> You need to set the baud rate on both the radio and the software
> program.

It don't matter how I set the baud rate at the com port,the radio isn't
recognised unless I set the 817-Commander to 4800,the slowest setting.
Btw,how do you set the radio baud rate? There is no possibility on the
817.You can set the bps on Icom radios,but not with the 817

73
Tom

3087. FA - (15) New N Connectors - 50 Ohms - Mil-Spec - Ending Tuesday

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 16:55:32 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120409731.963831.307910@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14810
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

(15) New N Connectors - 50 Ohms - Mil-Spec
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785507805&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Alinco mobile DC adapter for HT's. EDH-18 - NO RESERVE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785379737&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3088. FA - Yaesu FRG-100 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 16:58:05 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120409885.006986.131090@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Yaesu FRG-100 Service Manual -
Original - purchased from Yaesu with color foldouts, etc.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5786007644&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3089. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 17:04:52 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <UUUxe.30691$H46.21319@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14812

DL7JSK wrote:
> Btw,how do you set the radio baud rate? There is no
> possibility on the 817.You can set the bps on Icom radios,but not
> with the 817

RTFM, page 61. Menu item 14. Default 4800 baud, options 9600, 38400.

73's.

3090. Re: FA - Yaesu FRG-100 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 18:16:20 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <UXVxe.383655$cg1.142461@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I tried e-mailing you directly about this, but your e-mail bounces. This
manual is available as a free download at www.mods.dk.com
Same thing goes for various Kenwood, Icom, and Drake service manuals.

Pete

"kk4tl" <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1120409885.006986.131090@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Yaesu FRG-100 Service Manual -
> Original - purchased from Yaesu with color foldouts, etc.
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5786007644&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1
>

3091. FA: x9000 w/siren

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-03 18:47:56 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <xpWxe.3177$HV1.1073@fed1read07>
Source record: 14814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7527400895&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3092. WANTED Kenwood filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz) for TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 00:20:28 UTC
From: Opcom <eccm@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <gh%xe.505$vT3.0@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14815
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Looking for one..

Kenwood TS-430S optional filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz bandwidth)

Need for shut-in listening to SW broadcasts and the occasional AM
ham transmission.

The standard Kenwood AM filter is really the SSB filter which is
too narrow for AM BC SWL.

I realize this is an old part (1986), but maybe there is one out
there in a '430 that is only used for listening to SSB or CW (AM
TX does not require this filter, it's only used for wideband RX),
or maybe a junker TS-430S available I can rob one from.

Filter is plainly labeled and can be seen by removing the top of
the radio. May be marked "Trio" or "Kenwood" and will be marked
"AM FILTER YK-88A".

center frequency = 8831.5 KHz
passband = 6KHz @ -6dB
attenuation bandwidth = 11KHz >60dB

Thank you, any help would be appreciated, Please decode my e-mail
address below by removing spaces and subtituting @ for AT and .
for DOT (sorry spam is a real issue.)

--
rest begards,
Patrick Jankowiak

- reply to r e c y c l e r AT s w b e l l DOT n e t

3093. FA:TUBES Added: 6SN7GTB, 6V6Y, 5691

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 00:20:41 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <th%xe.384536$cg1.346772@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A few more tubes types added include 6SN7GTB, 6V6Y, 5691; see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, Happy Birthday America, heytubeguy

3094. FA: MICROWAVE BOOKS - THEORY and MEASUREMENTS - Radio, Hams, Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 01:53:01 UTC
From: Henry R <henry@hsifrkd5jgfk.com>
Message-ID: <030720052153019870%henry@hsifrkd5jgfk.com>
Source record: 14817
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4560049033

3095. Re: FA - Yaesu FRG-100 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 03:36:56 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120448216.559118.186510@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I went to mods.dk but all I could find under the manuals area was a
"FR-100B" file with 2 small pages with a schematic on each.

Please post the complete link to the FRG-100 service manual.

Thanks for the heads up.

3096. Re: FA - Yaesu FRG-100 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 08:23:10 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <Ol6ye.385552$cg1.123605@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14819
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

I just checked it myself. Apparently, this manual has been removed from the website. Strange.....I downloaded this 11.5MB file back in the middle of May. I stand corrected. Please accept my apology.

Pete

"kk4tl" <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message news:1120448216.559118.186510@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> "FR-100B" file with 2 small pages with a schematic on each.
>
> Please post the complete link to the FRG-100 service manual.
>
> Thanks for the heads up.
>

3097. Icom IC-781 support group here -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 10:10:58 UTC
From: HK <kennjd@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <IK2dnWkFduXvl1TfRVn-jw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 14820

ICOM IC-781 support group back in action -

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/Icom781

3098. IC-781 group - correct URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 10:14:25 UTC
From: HK <kennjd@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <KeednStiVqrdllTfRVn-og@adelphia.com>
Source record: 14821

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/IcomIC781/

3099. Re: FA - Yaesu FRG-100 Service Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 11:54:45 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120478085.898647.169990@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Notta problem, sir. Apology accepted.

Yaesu has (or had) some owner's manuals on their site for free download
but I've never seen a service manual there.

Hey thanks for trying.

3100. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 14:52:17 UTC
From: DL7JSK <dl7jsk@darc.de>
Message-ID: <dabif2$jg7$05$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 14823

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
news:UUUxe.30691$H46.21319@fe03.news.easynews.com...
> DL7JSK wrote:
>> Btw,how do you set the radio baud rate? There is no
>> possibility on the 817.You can set the bps on Icom radios,but not
>> with the 817
>
> RTFM, page 61.
Awfully sorry,I don't have it!

> Menu item 14. Default 4800 baud, options 9600, 38400.

Tnx anyway
Tom

3101. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 15:24:32 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <Qwcye.50030$pI6.20421@fe06.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14824

DL7JSK wrote:
> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
> news:UUUxe.30691$H46.21319@fe03.news.easynews.com...
> > DL7JSK wrote:
> > > Btw,how do you set the radio baud rate? There is no
> > > possibility on the 817.You can set the bps on Icom radios,but not
> > > with the 817
> >
> > RTFM, page 61.
> Awfully sorry,I don't have it!

Google for it?

3102. Phase Noise Measurements via a Spectrum Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 16:18:02 UTC
From: Scotty OpAmp <scotty_opamp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1120493882.241995.304780@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14825

Hello All,

I am trying to measure the phase noise of a VCO and hopefully
someone can clarify I have power ratings for the center frequency as
well as 10k and 100k [9.17 dBm, -6.28dBm (-15.45dBc), -43.96dBm
(-53.13dBc)].
I know Phase Noise is dBc/Hz, but I am struggling for a way to
actually calculate it. Any help would be greatly appreciated.

-s.o.

3103. Re: WANTED Kenwood filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz) for TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 16:33:36 UTC
From: gb <onw9mapsgb@no.arrl.spam.net>
Message-ID: <V_WdnZDXMYp4-VTfRVn-gA@comcast.com>
Source record: 14826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Opcom" <eccm@swbell.net> wrote in message
news:gh%xe.505$vT3.0@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
> Looking for one..
>
> Kenwood TS-430S optional filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz bandwidth)
>
> Need for shut-in listening to SW broadcasts and the occasional AM ham
> transmission.
>
> The standard Kenwood AM filter is really the SSB filter which is too
> narrow for AM BC SWL.
>
> I realize this is an old part (1986), but maybe there is one out there in
> a '430 that is only used for listening to SSB or CW (AM TX does not
> require this filter, it's only used for wideband RX), or maybe a junker
> TS-430S available I can rob one from.
>
> Filter is plainly labeled and can be seen by removing the top of the
> radio. May be marked "Trio" or "Kenwood" and will be marked "AM FILTER
> YK-88A".
>
> center frequency = 8831.5 KHz
> passband = 6KHz @ -6dB
> attenuation bandwidth = 11KHz >60dB
>
> Thank you, any help would be appreciated, Please decode my e-mail address
> below by removing spaces and subtituting @ for AT and . for DOT (sorry
> spam is a real issue.)
>
> --
> rest begards,
> Patrick Jankowiak

Unless you specifically want a Kenwood part for restoration originality,
etc.
There is always International Radio (INRAD)
http://www.qth.com/inrad/

International Radio is a supplier of custom designed, high performance
quartz crystal filters for communications receivers and transceivers.
Filters are available for communications receivers and transceivers. This
includes ICOM, Yaesu, Kenwood, Drake, Heath, as well as special designs for
experimental work.

w9gb

3104. Re: WANTED Kenwood filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz) for TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 16:36:44 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <dabois$ko0$1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 14827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

gb <onw9mapsgb@no.arrl.spam.net> wrote:
>
>Unless you specifically want a Kenwood part for restoration originality,
>etc.
>There is always International Radio (INRAD)
>http://www.qth.com/inrad/
>
>International Radio is a supplier of custom designed, high performance
>quartz crystal filters for communications receivers and transceivers.
>Filters are available for communications receivers and transceivers. This
>includes ICOM, Yaesu, Kenwood, Drake, Heath, as well as special designs for
>experimental work.

These guys do nice work. I will suggest getting an 8 KC filter instead of
the 6 KC one, though. Noisier, but better-sounding.
--scott
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"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

3105. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 18:37:04 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <zqmdndJW17hqHFTfRVn-1g@comcast.com>
Source record: 14828

"DL7JSK" <dl7jsk@darc.de> wrote in message
news:dabif2$jg7$05$1@news.t-online.com...
> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
> news:UUUxe.30691$H46.21319@fe03.news.easynews.com...
>> DL7JSK wrote:
>>> Btw,how do you set the radio baud rate? There is no
>>> possibility on the 817.You can set the bps on Icom radios,but not
>>> with the 817
>>
>> RTFM, page 61.
> Awfully sorry,I don't have it!
>
>> Menu item 14. Default 4800 baud, options 9600, 38400.
>
> Tnx anyway
> Tom
>

I always advise my students that the most important accessories in their shacks are the manuals. If they buy used gear or they lose or damage the manual, I advise them to track down a manual from the manufacturer if possible or good quality copies. I also tell them don't skip it just because they may have to pay a price for them. Manuals are simply too important.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

3106. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 21:36:26 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <uZhye.99269$4g1.20852@fe11.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14829

DL7JSK wrote:
> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
> > Menu item 14. Default 4800 baud, options 9600, 38400.
>
> Tnx anyway
> Tom

Tom - Do you know how to access the menu? If not, you are in bigger
trouble than just not being able to change the baud rate of the CTI.

3107. Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-04 22:41:21 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42C9BB11.82B5B9E5@erols.com>
Source record: 14830

Recommendations for a mike that would be used with a Kenwood TS-820 and provide clean, clear audio. Presently using either the D-104 or the Heil headset/boom with the DX cartridge. Good reports with the processor off but bad reports with it on. Suggestions please and thanks? K3BEQ

3108. Re: Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 00:00:18 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <l4kye.3562$HV1.3049@fed1read07>
Source record: 14831

I used the D-104 for several years on a TS-820

A problem with "reports" is -- HF non-Dxers wouldn't know good processing
from bad. Most will tell you turn off the processing.

A true DXer can access your audio -- have them give you a report.

Use headphones and the MONI switch to assess it yourself and keep the COMP
LEVEL down -- then advance for reasonable compressed audio -- worked for me.

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
news:42C9BB11.82B5B9E5@erols.com...
>
> Recommendations for a mike that would be used with a Kenwood TS-820 and
> provide clean, clear audio. Presently using either the D-104 or the
> Heil headset/boom with the DX cartridge. Good reports with the
> processor off but bad reports with it on. Suggestions please and thanks?
> K3BEQ

3109. Re: Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 01:23:04 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42C9E0F8.52772EA8@erols.com>
Source record: 14832

Good point. Completely forgot about the compression level know. Chalk
it up to a senior moment.

Caveat Lector wrote:
>
> I used the D-104 for several years on a TS-820
>
> A problem with "reports" is -- HF non-Dxers wouldn't know good processing
> from bad. Most will tell you turn off the processing.
>
> A true DXer can access your audio -- have them give you a report.
>
> Use headphones and the MONI switch to assess it yourself and keep the COMP
> LEVEL down -- then advance for reasonable compressed audio -- worked for me.
>
> --
> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
>
> "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:42C9BB11.82B5B9E5@erols.com...
> >
> > Recommendations for a mike that would be used with a Kenwood TS-820 and
> > provide clean, clear audio. Presently using either the D-104 or the
> > Heil headset/boom with the DX cartridge. Good reports with the
> > processor off but bad reports with it on. Suggestions please and thanks?
> > K3BEQ

3110. Re: Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 02:17:54 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42C9EDD2.6818830@erols.com>
Source record: 14833

***Got hold of veteran dxer overseas and tried the Heil with the
processor on and various positions of the compression level knob. In
each position the report was the same. "With the compression on,
I lose 50% of my talk power". Seems there is a tremendous difference
with it off as opposed to on. Reports with the compression off are
excellent and very competitive in breaking through the pileups.
Perhaps there is a problem with the compression circuitry because
the reports are typically the other way around in my experiences with
the Kenwood 830S and 940S. Since it is a backup rig will simply use it
without compression. The Heil makes up for the difference. Thanks again.

Caveat Lector wrote:
>
> I used the D-104 for several years on a TS-820
>
> A problem with "reports" is -- HF non-Dxers wouldn't know good processing
> from bad. Most will tell you turn off the processing.
>
> A true DXer can access your audio -- have them give you a report.
>
> Use headphones and the MONI switch to assess it yourself and keep the COMP
> LEVEL down -- then advance for reasonable compressed audio -- worked for me.
>
> --
> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
>
> "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:42C9BB11.82B5B9E5@erols.com...
> >
> > Recommendations for a mike that would be used with a Kenwood TS-820 and
> > provide clean, clear audio. Presently using either the D-104 or the
> > Heil headset/boom with the DX cartridge. Good reports with the
> > processor off but bad reports with it on. Suggestions please and thanks?
> > K3BEQ

3111. FA - (15) New N Connectors - 50 Ohms - Mil-Spec - Ending Tonight

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 03:15:16 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120533316.603242.245520@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5785507805&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3112. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 06:58:35 UTC
From: Cmd Buzz Corey <us@them.ten>
Message-ID: <BfmdnSxMR68FelffRVn-gw@gbronline.com>
Source record: 14653
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

LittleGreenAlien wrote:
> What in the shit is the stupid FCC thinking?????

Can you guys even read? He was sited for the major infraction of not properly identifying his station, very much against the rules, as well as for his language.

3113. Re: WANTED Kenwood filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz) for TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 07:41:01 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndckean.k56.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 14835
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <dabois$ko0$1@panix2.panix.com>, Scott Dorsey wrote:
> These guys do nice work. I will suggest getting an 8 KC filter instead of
> the 6 KC one, though. Noisier, but better-sounding.

I have a 4kHz one in my R5000 (compatible with the TS-430). I prefer that to
the Kenwood high qaulity 6kHz one.

My 430 has the filter so I can't test it, but if you look on the mods pages
you find a way of twisting knobs to get it to work without a filter.

You could also try the ts-430 yahoo group.

Geoff.

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Geoffrey S. Mendelson, Jerusalem, Israel gsm@mendelson.com N3OWJ/4X1GM
IL Voice: (077)-424-1667 IL Fax: 972-2-648-1443 U.S. Voice: 1-215-821-1838
VoN Skype: mendelsonfamily. Looking for work as a CTO or consultant in
handheld gaming, large systems development, handheld device construction, etc.
See U.S. patent applications 20050108591, 20050107165.

3114. Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 08:47:54 UTC
From: 11 Meter Shit <myname@hotmail.net>
Message-ID: <k0ikc15lctdj4rvik0f1nqbhuofokvjccp@4ax.com>
Source record: 14836
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he said "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.

Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick on that guy?

http://www.fcc.gov/eb/FieldNotices/2003/DOC-249279A1.html

I think THEY should have to submit an explanation of why they ALLOWED shit on the air (BPL) - he he!

3115. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 10:26:22 UTC
From: "Gen. Geroge Hammond" <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0ftye.26850$Q05.24123@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

sadly, I agree

11 Meter Shit wrote:

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>"shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
>
>Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick on
>that guy?
>
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>
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>shit on the air (BPL) - he he!
>
>
>

3116. Re: Kenwood R-5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 11:22:25 UTC
From: Vincent <vincze33@starmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns968A880B2FA97vincze33starmailcom@193.204.121.65>
Source record: 14838

Il /16 giu 2005/, ** ha scritto:

> I'm selling some receivers and don't know much about them. I have a
> kenwood R-5000, and I see online ads where people are talking about
> what filters are on the units. How do I know if this unit has a
> filter, and how do I know which filter it is? photo at:
> http://www.skylovers.org/Receivers/Kenwood-R-5000.jpg

Hi, here you can find the manual:

http://www.rigpix.com/kenwood/r5000.htm

at page 16 you can find a table with the effects of various filter
combination, try using the selectivity switch ("7" on page 13) if you
find differences that maybe mate the ones listed on page 16. But if
you want to know what they are you have to open the radio; see at the
link above page 102 of the service manual part 2. If filters are there
you can fin their "numbers" on them.

> photo at: http://www.skylovers.org/Receivers/Kenwood-R-5000.jpg

It have been hurth! :-(

Ciao, excuse my English.

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Stars shine like eyes

3117. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 11:25:53 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <57uye.72148$iM6.20330@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Gen. Geroge Hammond wrote:
> sadly, I agree

The major infraction was failure to identify - not the obscenity. Also, the enforcement letter you cite is only half of the transaction. The other ham with which he was in contact was cited for violations, too.

http://www.arrl.org/news/enforcement_logs/2004/0710.html

3118. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 12:21:55 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <DXuye.4153$aY6.1153@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14841

"DL7JSK" <dl7jsk@darc.de> wrote in message
news:dabif2$jg7$05$1@news.t-online.com...
> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
> news:UUUxe.30691$H46.21319@fe03.news.easynews.com...
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> >> Btw,how do you set the radio baud rate? There is no
> >> possibility on the 817.You can set the bps on Icom radios,but not
> >> with the 817
> >
> > RTFM, page 61.
> Awfully sorry,I don't have it!

You can download one here .

http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html

3119. Re: Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 12:23:09 UTC
From: Royce Dean <plumber101@excite.com>
Message-ID: <NYuye.134613$nG6.64737@attbi_s22>
Source record: 14840

Hard to beat the 'original' hand mic that comes with the radio. They still
can be found.

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
news:42C9BB11.82B5B9E5@erols.com...
>
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> provide clean, clear audio. Presently using either the D-104 or the
> Heil headset/boom with the DX cartridge. Good reports with the
> processor off but bad reports with it on. Suggestions please and thanks?
> K3BEQ

3120. FA: Lets try this>All Seperate links to my newest, Nice stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 14:44:14 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <31xye.10561$SQ1.6477@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14842
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

NICE HAMMARLUND S-100 RADIO SPEAKER>HQ-100/105/110>NEAT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235574&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

RARE SHELL CB-12 ONE CHANNEL CB TUBE-TYPE RADIO>1950's
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235487&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

VINTAGE SONAR XE-10 TUBE-TYPE FM EXCITER
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6543398980&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

OLD WESTERN ELECTRIC 194W HEADPHONES 2.2K OHMS>1917?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6543399053&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS BC-906-D FREQUENCY METER>WWII 1943
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235471&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

12 BRAND-NEW 12V MINI-TRANSFORMERS, 120vac>QRP, HAM NR!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235750&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

P & H ELECTRONICS AFC-2 AUDIO COMPRESSION AMPLIFIER>NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235525&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

GOLD LINE GLC 1091 WATTMETER 10/100/1000WATTS NICE & NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235668&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3121. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 16:36:15 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3ivr7uFm573aU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB $ 65
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A 95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsi cd changer that uses Pioneer
audio cd carts.

I have Scsi drives/controllers + cables (internal/external)
Scsi I/II let me know what you are looking for.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

3122. Re: Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 16:46:14 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42CAB956.5EA619C@erols.com>
Source record: 14844

**Thanks. Will look into it. Do you happen to know the model nr?

Royce Dean wrote:
>
> Hard to beat the 'original' hand mic that comes with the radio. They still
> can be found.
>
> "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:42C9BB11.82B5B9E5@erols.com...
> >
> > Recommendations for a mike that would be used with a Kenwood TS-820 and
> > provide clean, clear audio. Presently using either the D-104 or the
> > Heil headset/boom with the DX cartridge. Good reports with the
> > processor off but bad reports with it on. Suggestions please and thanks?
> > K3BEQ

3123. Autek RF1 manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 16:58:13 UTC
From: leo <lionelcarter@lineone.net>
Message-ID: <42cabba1$1_3@mk-nntp-1.news.uk.worldonline.com>
Source record: 14845

My Autek RF1 manual/instructions has page 3 backed with page 5, and a
second 5 with 6 (correct). So I'm missing page 4.
Can anyone help with a copy of page 4 (for personal research purposes only)?

3124. Re: Lets try this>All Seperate links to my newest, Nice stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 17:41:29 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <dDzye.63008$H46.50167@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14846
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:

It took you HOW LONG to respond to suggestions to do this?

You are still spamming, and I hope eBay gets your attention soon.

3125. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 17:54:45 UTC
From: Dan <diverd4778@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120586085.370196.296130@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14648
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

11 Meter Shit wrote:
> The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he said
> "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
>
> Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick on
> that guy?
>
> http://www.fcc.gov/eb/FieldNotices/2003/DOC-249279A1.html
>
> I think THEY should have to submit an explanation of why they ALLOWED
> shit on the air (BPL) - he he!

What a fucking waste of energy and our Tax Dollars..

3126. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 17:55:31 UTC
From: Honus <honus1@earthlink.net.is.invalid>
Message-ID: <nQzye.5058$Gv3.4597@trnddc02>
Source record: 14847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Dan" <diverd4778@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1120586085.370196.296130@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>
>
> 11 Meter Shit wrote:
> > The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he said
> > "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
> >
> > Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick on
> > that guy?
> >
> > http://www.fcc.gov/eb/FieldNotices/2003/DOC-249279A1.html
> >
> > I think THEY should have to submit an explanation of why they ALLOWED
> > shit on the air (BPL) - he he!
>
> What a fucking waste of energy and our Tax Dollars..

No shit.

Sorry...I couldn't help myself. ;)

3127. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 18:06:57 UTC
From: LittleGreenAlien <lga@aliens.r.us.org>
Message-ID: <ch4upyckqjesov4.050720051107@kirk>
Source record: 14649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

What in the shit is the stupid FCC thinking?????

LGA

"11 Meter Shit" <myname@hotmail.net> wrote in message
news:k0ikc15lctdj4rvik0f1nqbhuofokvjccp@4ax.com...
> The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he
> said
> "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
>
> Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick
> on
> that guy?
>
> http://www.fcc.gov/eb/FieldNotices/2003/DOC-249279A1.html
>
> I think THEY should have to submit an explanation of why they
> ALLOWED
> shit on the air (BPL) - he he!
>
>

3128. Re: WANTED Kenwood filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz) for TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 18:20:53 UTC
From: Dave Holford <holford@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <42CACF85.AFB54432@sympatico.ca>
Source record: 14650
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> "Opcom" <eccm@swbell.net> wrote in message
> news:gh%xe.505$vT3.0@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
> > Looking for one..
> >
> > Kenwood TS-430S optional filter YK-88A (AM 6KHz bandwidth)
> >
> > Need for shut-in listening to SW broadcasts and the occasional AM ham
> > transmission.
> >
> > The standard Kenwood AM filter is really the SSB filter which is too
> > narrow for AM BC SWL.
> >
> > I realize this is an old part (1986), but maybe there is one out there in
> > a '430 that is only used for listening to SSB or CW (AM TX does not
> > require this filter, it's only used for wideband RX), or maybe a junker
> > TS-430S available I can rob one from.
> >
> > Filter is plainly labeled and can be seen by removing the top of the
> > radio. May be marked "Trio" or "Kenwood" and will be marked "AM FILTER
> > YK-88A".
> >
> > center frequency = 8831.5 KHz
> > passband = 6KHz @ -6dB
> > attenuation bandwidth = 11KHz >60dB
> >
> > Thank you, any help would be appreciated, Please decode my e-mail address
> > below by removing spaces and subtituting @ for AT and . for DOT (sorry
> > spam is a real issue.)
> >
> > --
> > rest begards,
> > Patrick Jankowiak
>

Hi,

I'm replying through the groups since someone might have information relevant to my filter and your needs.

I have a Kenwood YK-88A-1 which I used to used in my R-5000.

All of the filters in my R-5000 and TS-430 were interchangeable, except that the YK-88A-1 came on a small plug in PCB designed specifically to fit the R-5000 AM filter mounting.

I removed the PCB to use one of the SSB filters in my TS-450 which uses all plug in filters; which have the same designation as those in the TS-430 except for the "-1" which signifies the plug in PCB.

When I still had my TS-430 I compared the specs and found the only difference was the center frequencies of the CW filters.

I'm going into this explanation since the YK-88A-1 spec sheet shows a center frequency of 8830 kHz and as I recall from the TS-430 manual the only filter that differed was the CW one.

So - my conclusion, based on comparing AM, CW and SSB filters is that the YK-88A-1 should be identical to the YK-88A except for the plug in PCB, which I have removed. - it also has a part number of L71-0237-.5 and "8H3" stamped on the side.

If you are interested I'll be pleased to send you photos to help in your decision.

Comments and clarifications are invited.

Regards,
Dave

3129. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 19:14:52 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <42cadc30$0$30503@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 14651
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"11 Meter Shit" <myname@hotmail.net> wrote in message
news:k0ikc15lctdj4rvik0f1nqbhuofokvjccp@4ax.com...
> The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he said
> "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
>
> Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick on
> that guy?
>
> http://www.fcc.gov/eb/FieldNotices/2003/DOC-249279A1.html
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> I think THEY should have to submit an explanation of why they ALLOWED
> shit on the air (BPL) - he he!
>
Pragmatically, the guy must submit an explanation because somebody reported
him to FCC, most likely via ARRL. No, "they" are not listening on 11 meters
nor apparently on 75. But I'd be willing to bet that if you recorded some
of this activity so that the 'culprits' could be identified then reported it
to your ARRL Official Observer Coordinator that they too could get a note
from the FCC.

3130. Re: Slow baudrate with CT-62 cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 19:45:22 UTC
From: DL7JSK <dl7jsk@darc.de>
Message-ID: <daeo7e$b7u$04$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 14652

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
news:uZhye.99269$4g1.20852@fe11.news.easynews.com...
> DL7JSK wrote:
>> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> schrieb im Newsbeitrag
>> > Menu item 14. Default 4800 baud, options 9600, 38400.
>>
>> Tnx anyway
>> Tom
>
> Tom - Do you know how to access the menu? If not, you are in bigger
> trouble than just not being able to change the baud rate of the CTI.

No problem, Travis.I figured out everything by myself.I just didn't know
where to look for.

73
Tom

3131. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 21:31:51 UTC
From: LittleGreenAlien <lga@aliens.r.us.org>
Message-ID: <hvuc024n8i2qxzt.050720051431@kirk>
Source record: 14654
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

quit

i think all the people out there want to get amateur licenses now so
they can be reported by you and you type

some grew up after grade school

some did not

LGA

"Vito" <vito@crosslink.net> wrote in message
news:42cadc30$0$30503@dingus.crosslink.net...
> "11 Meter Shit" <myname@hotmail.net> wrote in message
> news:k0ikc15lctdj4rvik0f1nqbhuofokvjccp@4ax.com...
>> The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he
>> said
>> "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
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>> Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick
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> recorded some
> of this activity so that the 'culprits' could be identified then
> reported it
> to your ARRL Official Observer Coordinator that they too could get a
> note
> from the FCC.
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>

3132. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 21:40:41 UTC
From: LittleGreenAlien <lga@aliens.r.us.org>
Message-ID: <m655jqxwyrq8fox.050720051440@kirk>
Source record: 14655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

read my lips

the FCC sucks for even mentioning that shit

LGA

"Cmd Buzz Corey" <us@them.ten> wrote in message
news:BfmdnSxMR68FelffRVn-gw@gbronline.com...
> LittleGreenAlien wrote:
>> What in the shit is the stupid FCC thinking?????
>
>
> Can you guys even read? He was sited for the major infraction of not
> properly identifying his station, very much against the rules, as
> well as for his language.
>

3133. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 21:55:45 UTC
From: fred finklemiester <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething>
Message-ID: <finklmiesters-9B1199.16554505072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <BfmdnSxMR68FelffRVn-gw@gbronline.com>,
Cmd Buzz Corey <us@them.ten> wrote:

> LittleGreenAlien wrote:
> > What in the shit is the stupid FCC thinking?????
>
>
> Can you guys even read? He was sited for the major infraction of not
> properly identifying his station, very much against the rules, as well
> as for his language.

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3134. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 22:04:59 UTC
From: fred finklemiester <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething>
Message-ID: <finklmiesters-A4D66A.17045905072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <57uye.72148$iM6.20330@fe01.news.easynews.com>,
"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote:

> Gen. Geroge Hammond wrote:
> > sadly, I agree
>
> The major infraction was failure to identify - not the obscenity. Also,
> the enforcement letter you cite is only half of the transaction. The
> other ham with which he was in contact was cited for violations, too.
>
> http://www.arrl.org/news/enforcement_logs/2004/0710.html

Shit is in the dictionary. I found shit in the American Heritage
Dictionary, 1975. Shit means: To deceive or mislead, among other
things.

Why is everybody so uptight about shit?

3135. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 22:24:21 UTC
From: DJ <Replytolist@this.list>
Message-ID: <TvGdnSV59L0MlVbfRVn-ig@comcast.com>
Source record: 14658
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

And it's all a year old.

"fred finklemiester" <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething> wrote in message
news:finklmiesters-9B1199.16554505072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article <BfmdnSxMR68FelffRVn-gw@gbronline.com>,
> Cmd Buzz Corey <us@them.ten> wrote:
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> > LittleGreenAlien wrote:
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> > Can you guys even read? He was sited for the major infraction of not
> > properly identifying his station, very much against the rules, as well
> > as for his language.
>
> cited

3136. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 22:34:42 UTC
From: Jim Douglas <james.douglas@genesis-software.com>
Message-ID: <zfKdnaob1NU4I1bfRVn-2A@comcast.com>
Source record: 14659
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Right, this is not good, this guy say's shRt and we are looking at crap daily on TV that is 1000 times worse! I wonder how many people actually heard him, and from that group how many give a crap!

"11 Meter Shit" <myname@hotmail.net> wrote in message news:k0ikc15lctdj4rvik0f1nqbhuofokvjccp@4ax.com...
> The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he said
> "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
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> Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick on
> that guy?
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> http://www.fcc.gov/eb/FieldNotices/2003/DOC-249279A1.html
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> I think THEY should have to submit an explanation of why they ALLOWED
> shit on the air (BPL) - he he!
>

3137. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 22:44:34 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <t3Eye.14627$Db5.16013414@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 14660
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Fred:

Well, to tell you the truth, the only things I have got against it is,
it is filthy and stinks, other than that, nothing...

John

"fred finklemiester" <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething> wrote in
message
news:finklmiesters-A4D66A.17045905072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article <57uye.72148$iM6.20330@fe01.news.easynews.com>,
> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote:
>
>> Gen. Geroge Hammond wrote:
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>> The major infraction was failure to identify - not the obscenity.
>> Also,
>> the enforcement letter you cite is only half of the transaction.
>> The
>> other ham with which he was in contact was cited for violations,
>> too.
>>
>> http://www.arrl.org/news/enforcement_logs/2004/0710.html
>
> Shit is in the dictionary. I found shit in the American Heritage
> Dictionary, 1975. Shit means: To deceive or mislead, among other
> things.
>
> Why is everybody so uptight about shit?

3138. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 22:50:48 UTC
From: fred finklemiester <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething>
Message-ID: <finklmiesters-8578B8.17504905072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14661
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <zfKdnaob1NU4l1bfRVn-2A@comcast.com>,
"Jim Douglas" <james.douglas@genesis-software.com> wrote:

> Right, this is not good, this guy say's shRt and we are looking at crap
> daily on TV that is 1000 times worse! I wonder how many people actually
> heard him, and from that group how many give a crap!

Or give a shit.

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> "11 Meter Shit" <myname@hotmail.net> wrote in message
> news:k0ikc15lctdj4rvik0f1nqbhuofokvjccp@4ax.com...
> > The FCC says that this guy must submit an EXPLANATION of why he said
> > "shit" on the air on 2m FM simplex. Oh boy.
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> > Are they listening to 11m CB or hams on 75m SSB at night?? Why pick on
> > that guy?
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> >
> > I think THEY should have to submit an explanation of why they ALLOWED
> > shit on the air (BPL) - he he!
> >

3139. For Sale All Mode Kenwood TR-751A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 23:06:22 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42CB126E.D21F78DD@erols.com>
Source record: 14662

For Sale:
Kenwood TR-751A 2 meter, all mode, SSB/FM/CW, 25 watts: $150.00 + ship.
(Very clean, in original box, with mike and mount. No manual. Working.)
Part of an estate sale. Reply to my email address please. Thanks.
Murray, K3BEQ

3140. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 23:42:16 UTC
From: fred finklemiester <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething>
Message-ID: <finklmiesters-901266.18421705072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14663
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <t3Eye.14627$Db5.16013414@news.sisna.com>,
"John Smith" <assemblywizard@gmail.com> wrote:

> Fred:
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> Well, to tell you the truth, the only things I have got against it is,
> it is filthy and stinks, other than that, nothing...
>
> John

Hi John,

Yes and we're all full of it.

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> "fred finklemiester" <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething> wrote in
> message
> news:finklmiesters-A4D66A.17045905072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> > In article <57uye.72148$iM6.20330@fe01.news.easynews.com>,
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> >> The major infraction was failure to identify - not the obscenity.
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> >> the enforcement letter you cite is only half of the transaction.
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> >> other ham with which he was in contact was cited for violations,
> >> too.
> >>
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> > Shit is in the dictionary. I found shit in the American Heritage
> > Dictionary, 1975. Shit means: To deceive or mislead, among other
> > things.
> >
> > Why is everybody so uptight about shit?

3141. Re: FA: Lets try this>All Seperate links to my newest, Nice stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 23:50:24 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42cb1c5d$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 14664
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:
complaints as follows / spammer
Name: ool-44c22273.dyn.optonline.net
IP Address: 68.194.34.115
Location: New York (40.761N, 73.522W)
Network: Unknown

Registrant:
CSC Holdings, Inc
1111 Stewart Avenue
Bethpage, NY 11714-3533
US
Registrant:
CSC Holdings, Inc
1111 Stewart Avenue
Bethpage, NY 11714-3533
US

Domain Name: OPTONLINE.NET

Administrative Contact:
Administrator, eMedia CVDOMAIN@CABLEVISION.COM
CSC Holdings, Inc.
1111 Stewart Avenue
Bethpage, NY 11714-3533
US
516.803.4259 fax: 516-803-1186

Technical Contact:
CSC Holdings, Inc CVDOMAIN@CABLEVISION.COM
1111 Stewart Avenue
Bethpage, NY 11714-3533
US
516-803-2400

Record expires on 06-Oct-2005.
Record created on 07-Oct-1996.
Database last updated on 5-Jul-2005 19:46:57 EDT.

Domain servers in listed order:

NS.CV.NET 167.206.1.30
NS.CVNET.COM 167.206.1.103

3142. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 23:50:49 UTC
From: "Dr.Ace - WH2T" <Ace@WH2T.com>
Message-ID: <d836c$42cb1cd2$4e0b799$3645@DIALUPUSA.NET>
Source record: 14665
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>> Fred:
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>> Well, to tell you the truth, the only things I have got against it is,
>> it is filthy and stinks, other than that, nothing...
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>> John
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> Hi John,
>
> Yes and we're all full of it.

Speak for your self.
Ace - WH2T

3143. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 23:53:31 UTC
From: Arnold Schwarzenegger <arnie@terminators.org>
Message-ID: <zdvss4zjgo6ce0n.050720051653@kirk>
Source record: 14667
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

ahhh

so you don't think your shit stinks huh?

arnold

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>

3144. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-05 23:58:52 UTC
From: fred finklemiester <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething>
Message-ID: <finklmiesters-F71B39.18585405072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14666
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <d836c$42cb1cd2$4e0b799$3645@DIALUPUSA.NET>,
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> Speak for your self.
> Ace - WH2T

You mean to say you're not full of shit??

3145. Equipment For Sale - Estate Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 02:17:24 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42CB3F34.E619B48F@erols.com>
Source record: 14668

Astron Power Supply RS-12: $25.00 OBO (A few minor scratches on top.)
(Probably too costly to ship. Reside in Maryland near DC. Your call
on shipping or pickup. Don't mind driving a few miles to meet buyer.)

Sea Ranger 6000 VHF/FM Marine Transceiver. 1w low/25w high,
no DC cord: $20.00. (Clean and working.)

MFJ Noise Bridge 202B: $15 OBO

MFJ Keyer 407C: $20.00 OBO

Kenwood SWR Meter SW-200 (200w) without coax adapter: Very clean.
Make offer.

Palomar Engineer VLF Converter: Make Offer

Kantronics KAMPLUS (I think this is a TNC?) Make offer.

Reply to home Email please. Tnx

K3BEQ, Murray

3146. Realistic HTX-202 Shows Error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 02:26:52 UTC
From: Kim_Jong_Il@volcanomail.com
Message-ID: <1120616812.738891.5520@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14669

I'm reviving this thread to add another data point. My HTX-202, not used for some time, is showing the "Er 1" error message. My owner's manual, date code 10A1, makes no mention of this on page 36.

That's no problem, as I saw the link posted the last time this was a thread at rrae. Thanks to all who posted with the solution to this problem, and to WB3QCK for providing the website with the lavish illustrations.

http://www.qsl.net/wb3gck/htx-202_err1.htm

Thanks again.

3147. Did Kenwood actually make the TM-2400?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 03:16:15 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0507052316160001@ac8100c6.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14670

I came across a mention of a one watt 2400 Mhz FM transceiver made by Kenwood. There is a photo at http://www.rigpix.com/kenwood/tm2400.htm.

It appears to be a variant of the TM-642/742/942 tri-band rigs. I found references to it a Japanese Kenwood site, where the TM-2400 was mentioned among the rigs that use the various modules for the tri-banders.

Has anyone actually seen one? Was it produced? Is its band module available separately? I suspect the answers to these questions are all "NO" based on my web search.

73, Fred, K4DII

3148. Re: FA: Lets try this>All Seperate links to my newest, Nice stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 04:09:58 UTC
From: Telamon <telamon_spamshield@pacbell.net.is.invalid>
Message-ID: <telamon_spamshield-0B65DF.21095805072005@newssvr13-ext.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14671
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <42cb1c5d$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>, atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
wrote:

> cooltube wrote: complaints as follows / spammer

< Snip >

OK, he has been spamming this and other news groups but he does not
spoof or change his headers so why don't you just kill file him if it
bothers you? You only have to create one filter for him. There is far
worse on the news group. There are quite a few posting stupid,
disgusting off topic crap and flames all the time.

--
Telamon
Ventura, California

3149. Re: FA: Lets try this>All Seperate links to my newest, Nice stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 04:43:05 UTC
From: "M.S." <notvalid@email.add>
Message-ID: <zjJye.12$FN5.15279@sooner.brightok.net>
Source record: 14672
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Careful now, your suggestion is logical, reasonable, and easy to do. I'm sure there is some Usenet rule against that. ;)

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"Telamon" <telamon_spamshield@pacbell.net.is.invalid> wrote in message news:telamon_spamshield-0B65DF.21095805072005@newssvr13-ext.news.prodigy.com...
> In article <42cb1c5d$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>, atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
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>
> < Snip >
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> Telamon
> Ventura, California

3150. Re: FA: Lets try this>All Seperate links to my newest, Nice stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 04:55:05 UTC
From: atec <atec77@XXhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42cb63c7$1@dnews.tpgi.com.au>
Source record: 14673
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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> worse on the news group. There are quite a few posting stupid,
> disgusting off topic crap and flames all the time.
>
Why not place all of the for sale in one advert ?
because its a spammer.

3151. New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 13:39:55 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <info@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <D9Rye.7586$Eo.763@fed1read04>
Source record: 14674
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Please email or call for your free copy of our latest coax connector,
adapter, cable assembly & bulk coaxial cable catalog.

No minimum order

No handling fees.

web: www.aaarfproducts.com
email: sales@aaarfproducts.com
call: 949 481 3154
fax: 949 388 5448
mail: AAA RF Products, 949 Calle Amanecer, San Clemente, CA 92673 USA

3152. Re: Did Kenwood actually make the TM-2400?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 13:42:46 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <pdRye.99105$pI6.80522@fe06.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14675

Fred McKenzie wrote:
> I came across a mention of a one watt 2400 Mhz FM transceiver made by
> Kenwood. There is a photo at
> http://www.rigpix.com/kenwood/tm2400.htm.

http://groups-beta.google.com/group/rec.radio.amateur.policy/messages/6c91b006cb49575f,9cbc66bf773d1dbf?hl=en&thread_id=a830d56033bfe8f4&mode=thread&noheader=1&q=kenwood+%22tm-2400%22&_done=%2Fgroup%2Frec.radio.amateur.policy%2Fbrowse_frm%2Fthread%2Fa830d56033bfe8f4%2F9cbc66bf773d1dbf%3Fq%3Dkenwood+%22tm-2400%22%26rnum%3D2%26hl%3Den%26#doc_9cbc66bf773d1dbf

" it's a Japanese model of the TM-742 that comes with a
1W 2.4GHz double-thick module, and does 2400-2450) "

3153. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 14:13:51 UTC
From: "Dr.Ace - WH2T" <Ace@WH2T.com>
Message-ID: <7e88$42cbe715$4fc66d4$8371@DIALUPUSA.NET>
Source record: 14676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yes, That is my contention.
Ace - WH2T

>> > Hi John,
>> >
>> > Yes and we're all full of it.
>> ---------------------------------------
>> Speak for your self.
>> Ace - WH2T
> ========================
> You mean to say you're not full of shit??

3154. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 15:00:35 UTC
From: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.62.0507061455130.14492@mx.freeshell.org>
Source record: 14677
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 5 Jul 2005, fred finklemiester wrote:

> Date: Tue, 05 Jul 2005 23:58:52 GMT
> From: fred finklemiester <finklmiesters@fits.fits.orsomething>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.shortwave,
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??
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Technically, and scientifically, it would probably be quite correct to say
that virtually all of his large intestinal volume really is 100% full of
real shit. Possibly a large fraction of his small intestins, too,
depending on your definition of shit. After death, you ain't worth shit
anyway (except maybe a dollar's worth of calcium, iron, etc.).

There are exceptions (eg. just before colonoscopies, sigmoidoscopies,
situations of that nature, etc.)

I think everyone's shit stinks. So does everyone's gas. Bad breath is not
too nice, either. We all get BO sooner or later, too.

;-)

(smart ass has spoken)

3155. Re: Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 15:22:03 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <vGSye.5244$HV1.1561@fed1read07>
Source record: 14678

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DXers and contesters have found this to be very effective for busting pileups. Listen to pileups -- the kids and YL's frequently get thru with the high pitched voices.

One might assess this as a loss of "talk power" but it is quite to the contrary. In fact
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The stock mic for the TS-820 is indeed a great rag chew mic as is the Heil HC-5 "The Key Element"

The best of both can be found in the Heil mics that have both elements.

Usually for rag chewing, don't use the processor and a high frequency mic. But I wouldn't be without a high freq mic and processing when DXing or contesting.

Again I suggest you get a local real DXer or contester to assess your audio

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

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>> can be found.
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>> > Heil headset/boom with the DX cartridge. Good reports with the
>> > processor off but bad reports with it on. Suggestions please and
>> > thanks?
>> > K3BEQ

3156. A car with 6 antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 15:28:58 UTC
From: Christopher O'Callaghan <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <dagtbr$dt5$1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 14679

never saw a car with 6 big antennas(3-4 feet)and 3 small ones all on mag mounts...WOW

3157. Ham radio beginner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 16:02:49 UTC
From: Ham Radio <webmaster@hamradiostarter.com>
Message-ID: <JgTye.9707$H41.9576@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14680

If you want to get into ham radio and don't know how to start, check out:

http://www.hamradiostarter.com

You will find everything you need to get your license and get started in ham radio.

3158. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 16:44:14 UTC
From: gagnonrchrd@netscape.net
Message-ID: <1120668254.300765.326040@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14681
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Do you have a link without having to use the plug in? I refuse to use
the plug in as I do not like all the advertisements dancing in my face.
If not, there are plenty of other vendors. Thank you.

Richard

Email address is only for google groups log in.

AAA RF Products wrote:
> Please email or call for your free copy of our latest coax connector,
> adapter, cable assembly & bulk coaxial cable catalog.
>
> No minimum order
>
> No handling fees.
>
>
> web: www.aaarfproducts.com
> email: sales@aaarfproducts.com
> call: 949 481 3154
> fax: 949 388 5448
> mail: AAA RF Products, 949 Calle Amanecer, San Clemente, CA 92673 USA

3159. Re: Ham radio beginner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 17:00:18 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <C6Uye.281253$581.178593@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14682

Ham Radio wrote:
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> http://www.hamradiostarter.com

$10.00 SUBSCRIPTION REQUIRED.

3160. problem with IC-22S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 17:55:48 UTC
From: larry <larya@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <mdidnQHK_aA2hlHfRVn-tw@rogers.com>
Source record: 14683

Greetings

Since this is a group concerning equipment.. I have a question...I have an IC-22S which has a technical problem...

When in operation, it only operates in simplex....I have the front panel off so I could follow the wiring easier... The center pin, of the +duplex simplex -duplex switch goes to the diode matrix board.. even the schematic doesn't help from there...

The outside two wires, acording to the schematic go the other places....

Does anyone know what signals I should see on the outside two wires... I am not too concerned about whether they are the - or + duplex signals only what they should be...

Larry ve3fxq

3161. Re: Query on Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 18:05:14 UTC
From: JB <SPAMac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <dah6lt$2rnf$1@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 14684

HC-5 works well with most rigs it matches to. TS2000
allows additional EQ that is a bit cleaner than the HC-4. I find
that Bandwidth in excess of 2.6 is worthless and 2.4 is most
useful (2.2 kHz if I don't mind sounding like a girl to get
the DX).

I used a Shure 444 with my TS830 with good results for years.
With some trial and error and monitoring on a second receiver
much attenuated, I learned to keep the compression down to
6 db and it sounded great and clean by flattening the low
frequency components and sharply filtering below 400 Hz.
Switching to the HC-5 found little change with the
processor on because there is less energy in the lower end
to start with.

You need to compare the different mics when listening on
another RCVR. A difficult set-up, but worthwhile. Also it helps
to have a scope set up to monitor the envelope when
T-shooting the processor. It will give you a better appreciation
for what is going wrong. Proper mic selection and technique
can give as much intelligibility that can be had with processing.

I am using a Pro-Set to maintain the proper mic distance.

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3162. Re: Ham radio beginner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 18:33:13 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <JtVye.5272$HV1.1004@fed1read07>
Source record: 14685

Free "How to get into Amateur Radio"

http://www.arrl.org/hamradio.html

AND

http://www.hamquick.com/articles/art_what_ham.php

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>

3163. Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 20:07:14 UTC
From: Bill Smith <kb3gun-nospam1@VERIZON.net>
Message-ID: <42cc39e2$0$52206$ec3e2dad@news.usenetmonster.com>
Source record: 14686
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

"straydog" <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org> wrote in message
news:Pine.NEB.4.62.0506261856170.28426@sdf.lonestar.org...
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> On Fri, 24 Jun 2005, Galen Watts wrote:
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>> Date: Fri, 24 Jun 2005 08:25:27 -0400
>> From: Galen Watts <gwatts@nrao.edu>
>> To: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
>> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
>> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
>> Subject: Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?
>>
>> straydog wrote:
>>>
>>> I think July 17, is the next Somerset PA hamfest and I've been thinking
>>> about going. Its a long drive from here (southern Delaware) and I was
>>> wondering how big and how good it has been in the past. Anyone got any
>>> recollections from the past?
>>>
>>> Art, w4pon
>>
>> They have pictures of last year's fest at
>> http://www.k3smt.org/hf2004/
>>
>> -W8LNA
>>
>
> Thanks for the info...
>
> I had a look.
>
> W4PON
>
>

Hello Art,
This is only our second annual hamfest. Last year it was held in August, a day after the hurricane came thru. Our turnout was only about 300. Feedback so far this year says we should have between 500-750. Good odds for winning a door prize or the main drawing.
Worst case, we're only 6 miles from the 9/11 Flight 93 Crash Site / Memorial. That in itself would make the trip worth it. The Somerset

Somerfest is also running from Friday thru Sunday. Food, Music, Fun... I should work for the Chamber of Commerce...HiHi

Hope to see you here.
Bill kb3gun
http://www.k3smt.org

3164. Re: Realistic HTX-202 Shows Error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 20:11:30 UTC
From: Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <42CC3AF2.7020605@optonline.net>
Source record: 14687

If I remember correctly it is letting you know the memory back up
battery needs to be replaced.
Also, if you reset the radio it should work till you turn it off again.

73 and good luck,

Kim_Jong_Il@volcanomail.com wrote:

>I'm reviving this thread to add another data point. My HTX-202, not
>used for some time, is showing the "Er 1" error message. My owner's
>manual, date code 10A1, makes no mention of this on page 36.
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>thread at rrae. Thanks to all who posted with the solution to this
>problem, and to WB3QCK for providing the website with the lavish
>illustrations.
>
>http://www.qsl.net/wb3gck/htx-202_err1.htm
>
>Thanks again.
>
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>

3165. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 22:34:48 UTC
From: U-Know-Who <no-one@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <c0Zye.129958$PR6.35880@tornado.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 14688
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

<gagnonrchrd@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:1120668254.300765.326040@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Do you have a link without having to use the plug in? I refuse to use
> the plug in as I do not like all the advertisements dancing in my face.

Maybe he can type one on a manual typewriter and snail mail it to you.

Sheesh!!!

> If not, there are plenty of other vendors. Thank you.
>
> Richard
>
> Email address is only for google groups log in.
>
>
>
> AAA RF Products wrote:
>> Please email or call for your free copy of our latest coax connector,
>> adapter, cable assembly & bulk coaxial cable catalog.
>>
>> No minimum order
>>
>> No handling fees.
>>
>>
>> web: www.aaarfproducts.com
>> email: sales@aaarfproducts.com
>> call: 949 481 3154
>> fax: 949 388 5448
>> mail: AAA RF Products, 949 Calle Amanecer, San Clemente, CA 92673 USA
>

3166. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 23:03:50 UTC
From: AKC owns this NG <keyklownzrnutjobs@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1120691030.708885.179160@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14689
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

and maybe you will not be a fairy crackhead someday too, Chapwoman the
sissy boy.

3167. New program. Two SWR meters.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-06 23:18:06 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dahoremf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 14690

This program models the behaviour of a transmission line plus antenna.
The line impedance can have any Zo. The antenna feedpoint impedance
can be any value of R+jX. Line length can be any fraction and number
of wavelengths. Line overall attenuation can be any value of dBs.

There is an SWR meter located at each end of the line. The meters also
indicate the reflection coefficients at the locations. Meter Zo can
be set equal to line Zo or to the standard 50 ohms.

Line input impedance can be observed to change versus line length in
wave-lengths, line attenuation and antenna impedance. The transforming
action of the line can be demonstrated. The smaller SWR and reflection
coefficient at the transmitter end of the line can be seen. The exact
increase in loss due to standing waves on the line is calculated.

The program can be used in practical applications and also for
educational purposes. It is hoped it may prevent the outbreaks in
violence which frequently occur in newsgroups about the meanings of
SWR and the notions of reflected power.

Download program SWRARGUE from website below in a few seconds. File
size = 41 Kbytes. Run immediately. No unzipping inconvenience.

....
Regards from Reg, G4FGQ
For Free Radio Design Software go to
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
....

3168. 2-EA Motorola UHF CT-Series Portable Radios "Blue Cases" Work Fine-No Reserve

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 00:20:33 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <lz_ye.5340$HV1.3132@fed1read07>
Source record: 14691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

2-EA Motorola UHF CT-Series Portable Radios "Blue Cases" Work Fine-No Reserve

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7529273516&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3169. !!FA: BC560XLT mobile/base scanner + 2 CB Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 00:43:21 UTC
From: jimbradley@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1120697001.376141.286170@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14692

CB 1
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dl...item=5787640466

CB 2
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dl...item=5787641946

Moble/home use scanner
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dl...item=5787638757

VIEW ALL AUCTIONS!!!

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZjimQ2dofQ2dware

3170. Re: Realistic HTX-202 Shows Error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 00:57:35 UTC
From: Bob McConnell <rmcconne@NOSPAM.lightlink.com>
Message-ID: <uovoc1l9rr9s7ftrt6to915e4jc3d1c4pm@4ax.com>
Source record: 14693

That battery is soldered to the PC board inside the radio. Last time I had it replaced (98?) it cost me US$65.00 at the local shack. Next time I do it myself.

Bob McConnell
N2SPP

On Wed, 06 Jul 2005 16:11:30 -0400, Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net> wrote:

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>battery needs to be replaced.
>Also, if you reset the radio it should work till you turn it off again.
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>73 and good luck,
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>>illustrations.
>>
>>http://www.qsl.net/wb3gck/htx-202_err1.htm
>>
>>Thanks again.
>>
>>
>>

3171. Re: Realistic HTX-202 Shows Error

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 01:13:39 UTC
From: Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Kk%ye.1701$js.597@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14694

$65 bucks, wow. Do it yourself is right!!
It is an easy one to do.
73
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>had it replaced (98?) it cost me US$65.00 at the local shack. Next
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>>>
>>>http://www.qsl.net/wb3gck/htx-202_err1.htm
>>>
>>>Thanks again.
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3172. FA: Kenwood TS-850S AT & Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 03:26:20 UTC
From: "John M. Klein" <john_klein@msn.com>
Message-ID: <wh1ze.15314$Fy4.2170@trnddc04>
Source record: 14695

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5787334136

3173. Re: problem with IC-22S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 03:33:14 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0607052333140001@ac9c8b74.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14696

In article <mdidnQHK_aA2hlHfRVn-tw@rogers.com>, "larry" <larya@rogers.com>
wrote:

> Since this is a group concerning equipment.. I have a question...I have an
> IC-22S which has a technical problem...

Larry-

I can't answer your question. I can only provide the stock reply for
IC-22S problems, and let you see if it can be applied.

It seems that the Phase Lock Loop PCB used stainless steel pins to connect
the front and back sides. Even if you succeed in soldering that
combination, the joint will eventually fail.

The solution is to take it apart, remove the pins and replace with wire
that can be soldered.

If your - or + duplex signals are connected to the PLL, they well could be
affected by poor connection of the feed-thru pins.

73, Fred, K4DII

3174. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 03:46:53 UTC
From: Gregg <nospam@unknown.org>
Message-ID: <42cca599$1_1@dowco.com>
Source record: 14697
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Behold, AKC owns this NG scribed on tube chassis:

> and maybe you will not be a fairy crackhead someday too, Chapwoman the
> sissy boy.

Well aren't you the right little loser.

--
Gregg "t3h g33k"
http://geek.scorpiorising.ca
Ratings are for transistors, tubes have guidelines

3175. Re: Did Kenwood actually make the TM-2400?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 08:46:33 UTC
From: Geert Jan de Groot <nobody@nodomain.com>
Message-ID: <42ccebe9$0$91474$e4fe514c@news.xs4all.nl>
Source record: 14698

> I came across a mention of a one watt 2400 Mhz FM transceiver made by
> Kenwood. There is a photo at http://www.rigpix.com/kenwood/tm2400.htm.
> Has anyone actually seen one? Was it produced?

I have seen several in Akihabara (which is the "electronics market district"
in Tokyo, Japan - if you ever go to Tokyo, be sure to visit it!).

It was remarkably expensive, I believe around Y200.000,-,
at a time that $1 was Y110.

It would be very nice if the manufacturers would consider making
equipment for the higher bands. There's little for the 23cm band
(FT911, FT912, TM833, IC81) and equipment for higher bands
is even harder.

Side-remark: If you are going to buy equipment in Akihabara, be aware
that a lot of the hamradio equipment is J-marked, as indicated by
a J in a triangle. The frequency limits of J-mark equipment are fixed
for the Japanese market and can't be changed by jumpers or diodes.
For Europe, this is fine as bands generally overlap (with the exception
of 1240-1260 Mhz which the Japanese don't have), but for USA folk
this could be a problem. Non-J-mark equipment is sometimes available,
but you need to ask and it's availability is spotty.
Changing J-mark to non-J-mark versions generally involves CPU replacement.

On the other hand, Akihabara _stocks_ equipment that is not even available,
for any price, in other places. This also applies for tools,
measuring equipment and accessories. There are several rigs that
aren't even sold overseas! Recommended.

73,

Geert Jan PE1HZG

3176. Re: Ham radio beginner?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 15:14:22 UTC
From: luke <luke@noaspamforme.com>
Message-ID: <42CD46CD.2E04DDAC@noaspamforme.com>
Source record: 14699

http://www.eham.net free also or you can make subscription
but no difference in the content.

Caveat Lector wrote:

> Free "How to get into Amateur Radio"
>
> http://www.arrl.org/hamradio.html
>
> AND
>
> http://www.hamquick.com/articles/art_what_ham.php
>
> --
> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
>
> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
> news:C6Uye.281253$581.178593@fe05.news.easynews.com...
> > Ham Radio wrote:
> >> If you want to get into ham radio and don't know how to start, check
> >> out:
> >>
> >> http://www.hamradiostarter.com
> >
> > $10.00 SUBSCRIPTION REQUIRED.
> >
> >

3177. Painting NC-303 Cabinet cost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 15:52:19 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <atjqc1ppg0cik3j19i7k7qcrenpnqjo759@4ax.com>
Source record: 14700

Painting NC-303 Cabinet cost
Hi
I have a National NC-303 and the cabinet needs to be repainted.
Can someone tell me how much this would cost?
Thanks...Rich
ritchi50@optonline.net

3178. Re: Painting NC-303 Cabinet cost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 19:41:27 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <Hzfze.116781$H46.28989@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14701

ritchi50@optonline.net wrote:
> I have a National NC-303 and the cabinet needs to be repainted.
> Can someone tell me how much this would cost?

How much do you want to spend? I could do it for $2 with latex, or if
you want spray enamel it would be $4.50

3179. Re: Painting NC-303 Cabinet cost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 22:29:26 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <c5brc1ps09fcpdes22a509go4ccbhod1b5@4ax.com>
Source record: 14702

I meant to have it done by someone.
Rich

On Thu, 07 Jul 2005 19:41:27 GMT, "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net>
wrote:

>ritchi50@optonline.net wrote:
>> I have a National NC-303 and the cabinet needs to be repainted.
>> Can someone tell me how much this would cost?
>
>How much do you want to spend? I could do it for $2 with latex, or if
>you want spray enamel it would be $4.50
>

3180. Re: Painting NC-303 Cabinet cost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-07 23:45:08 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <78jze.168772$4g1.33730@fe11.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14703

ritchi50@optonline.net wrote:
> I meant to have it done by someone.
> Rich

OK, I'll charge you $15 labor for latex, $25 for enamel.

Plus shipping.

How's that?

3181. Re: Painting NC-303 Cabinet cost

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 01:06:56 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <nobody@frontier.net>
Message-ID: <slrndcrkdg.4of.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 14704

On Thu, 07 Jul 2005 23:45:08 GMT, Travis Jordan wrote:
> ritchi50@optonline.net wrote:
>> I meant to have it done by someone.
>> Rich
>
> OK, I'll charge you $15 labor for latex, $25 for enamel.
>
> Plus shipping.
>
> How's that?

Rich,

It's time to create a killfile -- if you don't already have one.

3182. Re: IC-781 group - correct URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 01:55:40 UTC
From: 160guy <160guy@flash.net>
Message-ID: <42CDDD1C.5EE7B9D2@flash.net>
Source record: 14705

781 are dead radios!

7800 Now wears the Icom pants!!!

N5RC.

3183. F/A BIRD - DIELECTRIC Power Elements - Slugs HF-VHF-UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 04:07:52 UTC
From: Nevada_Radio <Guesswho6969@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <s_mze.3514$Tc6.651@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14706

ENDS SOON

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5787931769&rd

3184. Spectra parts, siren, cables, more.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 05:24:35 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <n6oze.34177$mr4.30139@trnddc05>
Source record: 14707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Spectra stuff for sale or trade:

ASN Encryption box:
TRN9843A DES CFB Hybrid module and ADV SEC ENC board intact.
[This hybrid will work in KVL's, Key Variable Loaders as well.]
Both Medeco keys included. If nothing else, here is a great source for
a DES Hybrid to use in your keyloader, and a couple of near pick-proof
lock/key tumblers for your other projects!
I have one of these boxes stripped of parts and bolted to my radio table,
blends in with the radio stuff
and makes a great safe for a billfold and small items. $30

SIU box:
The serial interface unit, YLN1120A, missing bracket, opens with
the standard 2135, not included. $20

HHCH MICROPHONE:
YCN4021A, round connector, UP/DN, SECURE/SCAN, R1/R2/OFF switches.
excellent condition, no cracks, well taken care of. $30

SIREN:
Systems 9000, HLN1185B unit
Siren to radio cable, HKN4763B
Including nice long power and speaker cables. $55

SIREN SWITCH box:
YLN4659A, Remote siren switch [not DEK], under-dash mount.
Toggles for Siren on/off, PA on/off, Yelp/Wail/Hi-Lo, and a phono mini-plug
for audio. Includes proper cable to SIU, uncut. $30

SPEAKER:
Well, its a brown speaker in excellent condition. No bracket, plug intact,
not cut. $12

CABLES:
YKN4239A, DUAL ADV SECURENET SW BOX, has DB15 on one end for the SIU, and a
16pin maxtrac-type on the other. Standard length, uncut.
Not a clue what this was for...? $12

YKN4237A, Your basic HHCH control head to SIU cable. Round connector and
DB25, ign wires, speaker wires, etc. All intact and uncut. Includes
"L-bracket" for mounting. $25

MOUNTING TRAYS:
2ea. Spectra mounting trays, excellent condition and clean. $25 ea.

ENHANCED CONTROL HEAD:
Not sure on the nomenclature, but it is a trunking head, HCN1047A,
has 3 rockers on bottom, strangely it's in excellent condition but the
lettering on the buttons is worn off. Lettering on the faceplate is perfect.
Untested, $40

VHF RADIOS:

2ea. VHF 110w Spectras, both needing repair, T83GXA7HA9AK,
radios only, no accys or trays.

1.) Intermittent RF board RX problem, otherwise fine. Buy before it's
stripped for $55

2.) Fail 01/90, No idea what happened, Buy before it's stripped for $40

Tell me what parts you want and make a reasonable offer for said part.
MLM I do not know, but I do know these radios can be HHCH or
A7/A9. Email for more info.

3.) 1ea. UHF 403-433MHz Spectra, HHCH, 110w, tested fine. Includes tray.
$55 or, make an offer on parts.

BUYER PAYS SHIPPING... figure $10 for stuff that fits into a flat-rate box.

Thanks!
rb

3185. Re: IC-781 group - correct URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 09:58:08 UTC
From: K9VUJ <k9vuj@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <k9vuj-FBA9AD.04580708072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14708

In article <42CDDD1C.5EE7B9D2@flash.net>, 160guy <160guy@flash.net>
wrote:

> 781 are dead radios!
>
>
> 7800 Now wears the Icom pants!!!
>
>
> N5RC.

They seem to be selling pretty good. I know of one dealer that has sold
a ton ot the 7800s. I am a bit surprised at the amount of fun money
that's out there.

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email: K9VUJ@arrl.net

3186. FA: Collins 75S-3A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 13:27:33 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <9bvze.5015$8f7.2212@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14709

Nice one

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5787682838

Thanks for looking.

3187. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 13:59:41 UTC
From: Albert & Btittany Spear <FLIR@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <hFvze.1495$ER6.329@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14710
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

What the heck are you talking about? The Macronedia player plugin?
Totally harmless. no cookies no spyware. Its just another way of displaying
data and pictures.

<gagnonrchrd@netscape.net> wrote in message
news:1120668254.300765.326040@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Do you have a link without having to use the plug in? I refuse to use
> the plug in as I do not like all the advertisements dancing in my face.
> If not, there are plenty of other vendors. Thank you.
>
> Richard
>
> Email address is only for google groups log in.
>
>
>
> AAA RF Products wrote:
>> Please email or call for your free copy of our latest coax connector,
>> adapter, cable assembly & bulk coaxial cable catalog.
>>
>> No minimum order
>>
>> No handling fees.
>>
>>
>> web: www.aaarfproducts.com
>> email: sales@aaarfproducts.com
>> call: 949 481 3154
>> fax: 949 388 5448
>> mail: AAA RF Products, 949 Calle Amanecer, San Clemente, CA 92673 USA
>

3188. Wanted: Kenwood R-600 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 14:31:40 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <ne3tc1hhnkek11vditggrvbf2vhdhone10@4ax.com>
Source record: 14711

Anybody have a Users manual in .pdf form they could send me ?

P-L-E-A-S-E !!!!!!

3189. Re: IC-781 group - correct URL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 15:40:23 UTC
From: Floyd Sense <fsense@copper.net>
Message-ID: <42ce9ec9_5@newsfeed.slurp.net>
Source record: 14712

I will beat you in any contest, any time, using my 781.

K8AC

"160guy" <160guy@flash.net> wrote in message
news:42CDDD1C.5EE7B9D2@flash.net...
> 781 are dead radios!
>
>
> 7800 Now wears the Icom pants!!!
>
>
> N5RC.
>

3190. FA: ADI AR-146 50W 2 Meter Amatuer Radio New in Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 17:26:00 UTC
From: pwborders@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1120843560.883106.250890@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14713

ADI AR-146 50W 2 Meter Amatuer Radio New in Box

I am an individual selling my own personal property, no resales or returned items or dubious origin to

worry about.

I bought two of these a while back at a hamfest for my two cars. I installed one and used it and really

liked it. The other car developed a few problems and I never got around to installing this one so it is

still in the original box never unpacked. I really like the one I use, it does everything I want in a

car radio.

Specifications

* Frequency Range - 144 to 148 Mhz
* Mode - F3E(FM)
* Antenna Impednce - 50 Ohm
* Power Requirements
o Transmit - 11A
o Receive - 0.6A
* Dimensions - 5 1/2" W x 1 37/64" H x 6 17/32" D (Projections Included)
* Weight - 2.65 Lbs
* Output Power
o HI - 50W
o MED - 10W
o LOW - 5W

Includes

* ADI AR-146 Radio
* DTMF Microphone
* Mounting Bracket and Hardware
* Power Cable
* Manual
* Original Box

For more Information, Pictures, or to place a bid go to:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5787299750

3191. Re: Wanted: Kenwood R-600 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 18:42:41 UTC
From: Paul <21df147@onetel.com>
Message-ID: <42cec8ba@212.67.96.135>
Source record: 14714

"Scan Da Bands" <vzeip5vc@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:ne3tc1hhnkek11vditggrvbf2vhdhone10@4ax.com...
> Anybody have a Users manual in .pdf form they could send me ?
>
> P-L-E-A-S-E !!!!!!
There is a copy of the service manual at www.mbars.co.uk in the software and
manuals section.
Regards Paul

3192. FA: TEN-TEC Argonaut 515 SSB/CW QRP Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 18:53:31 UTC
From: ronfol@ktc.com
Message-ID: <42cecb68.83916219@news.ktc.com>
Source record: 14715

Nice Argonaut 515 . See at

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=4674&item=5786370423

3193. FA: MOTOROLA HT1250 ls UHF WIDE-BAND PORTABLE RADIO-NICE CONDITION !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 21:25:18 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <3bCze.7610$HV1.34@fed1read07>
Source record: 14716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: MOTOROLA HT1250 ls UHF WIDE-BAND PORTABLE RADIO-NICE CONDITION !!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7529750909&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3194. FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS-VHF 5-WATT-SCAN PORTABLE RADIO-CHARGER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 21:26:15 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <XbCze.7611$HV1.2796@fed1read07>
Source record: 14717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS-VHF 5-WATT-SCAN PORTABLE RADIO-CHARGER

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7529754878&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3195. FA: MOTOROLA X-9000-U.H.F.-100-W-Mobile Radio-w-100Watt SIREN Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 21:28:10 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <KdCze.7612$HV1.2472@fed1read07>
Source record: 14718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: MOTOROLA X-9000-U.H.F.-100-W-Mobile Radio-w-100Watt SIREN Amp

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7527400895&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3196. Azden/PCS4000 Mem storage battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 21:51:29 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0507081148300.9407@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14719

Does anyone here know what size and type of battery is needed
to replace the one that keeps the freqcs stored (even when power is off)?
I mean in the PCS4000 model. Is it nicad/lithium or what?
Before I open it up wanna have a replacement in hand.
Joe/KH6JF

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
****

3197. FA - Variac

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 22:02:42 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1120860162.679234.244900@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7529747974&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3198. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 22:27:23 UTC
From: Albert & Btittany Spear <FLIR@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <f5Dze.1620$ER6.125@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14721
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Yup, no question about it. You know everything.

"Fred Abse" <excretatauris@cerebrumconfus.it> wrote in message
news:pan.2005.07.08.20.23.38.135339@cerebrumconfus.it...
> On Fri, 08 Jul 2005 13:59:41 +0000, Albert & Btittany Spear wrote:
>
>> What the heck are you talking about? The Macronedia player plugin?
>> Totally harmless. no cookies no spyware. Its just another way of
>> displaying
>> data and pictures.
>
> But why should anybody think they need animated eye candy to sell RF
> components?
>
> Easily-accessed solid product data is what generates sales enquiries in
> engineering.
>
> --
> "Electricity is of two kinds, positive and negative. The difference
> is, I presume, that one comes a little more expensive, but is more
> durable; the other is a cheaper thing, but the moths get into it."
> (Stephen Leacock)

3199. Re: Azden/PCS4000 Mem storage battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 23:23:27 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndcu2nf.1jrn.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 14722

On Fri, 8 Jul 2005 11:51:29 -1000, Joseph Fenn wrote:
> Does anyone here know what size and type of battery is needed
> to replace the one that keeps the freqcs stored (even when power is off)?
> I mean in the PCS4000 model. Is it nicad/lithium or what?
> Before I open it up wanna have a replacement in hand.
> Joe/KH6JF

Joe

A quick interaction with google:

"http://www.the-battery-store.com/Azden Two-Way Radio.htm"

(Idiots that put spaces in URL's..... sigh....)

Pretty much the same battery (3.6V NiCad) that you can find for
cordless phones -- found in blister packs at (yeech) Radio Shack,
(YEECH!) WalMart (the "Made in China Store"), and others.

73
Jonesy
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Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
Pueblo, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
38.24N 104.55W | config.com | DM78rf | SK

3200. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-08 23:32:50 UTC
From: w4sef@comcast.net
Message-ID: <42cf0d0c.165046@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 14723
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

What plugin??? Works fine here with Firefox and IE

On Wed, 6 Jul 2005 06:39:55 -0700, "AAA RF Products"
<info@aaarfproducts.com> wrote:

>Please email or call for your free copy of our latest coax connector,
>adapter, cable assembly & bulk coaxial cable catalog.
>
>No minimum order
>
>No handling fees.
>
>
>web: www.aaarfproducts.com
>email: sales@aaarfproducts.com
>call: 949 481 3154
>fax: 949 388 5448
>mail: AAA RF Products, 949 Calle Amanecer, San Clemente, CA 92673 USA
>
>

3201. FA:Tubes:6L6,6V6Y,807,12AX7,6JS6C.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 00:48:02 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <69Fze.1105606$w62.46417@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Added a few more tubes. Have a look, tnx:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

+ Amphenol 2 pin Mic connector set and 5691 tubes (red base). heytubeguy

3202. FA:5691 Red Base,2-pin mic plug + more tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 00:50:47 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <HbFze.401815$cg1.189726@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Added a few more tubes. Have a look, tnx:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

+ Amphenol 2 pin Mic connector set and 5691 tubes (red base). heytubeguy

3203. Re: Wanted: Kenwood R-600 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 05:38:53 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <rmouc1trvj432dltr8gjcbqq3vn3staep3@4ax.com>
Source record: 14726

Appreciate it Paul !!!!

On Fri, 8 Jul 2005 19:42:41 +0100, "Paul" <21df147@onetel.com> wrote:

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>"Scan Da Bands" <vzeip5vc@verizon.net> wrote in message
>news:ne3tc1hhnkek11vditggrvbf2vhdhone10@4ax.com...
>> Anybody have a Users manual in .pdf form they could send me ?
>>
>> P-L-E-A-S-E !!!!!!
>There is a copy of the service manual at www.mbars.co.uk in the software and
>manuals section.
>Regards Paul
>

3204. FA: 1-Day-Left: MICROWAVE BOOKS - THEORY and MEASUREMENTS - Radio, Hams, Electronics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 12:33:58 UTC
From: Paul <paul@plsdkijmijfs.com>
Message-ID: <090720050833585500%paul@plsdkijmijfs.com>
Source record: 14727
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4560049033

3205. Kenwood TS2000 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 14:15:45 UTC
From: John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <42CFDC0E.6050100@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14728

According to the manual I read on line, the TS2000 has separate linear control and ALC input connections for HF and 6M. The HF control is a relay and the 6M control is an Open Collector circuit.

Anyone have experience or suggestions on how best to interface this with an Amplifier that covers HF and 6M with only one control line and ALC output. The control voltage and current are within the limits of the transceiver.

Would it make sense to just connect the two control lines in parallel? Not knowing the internal circuitry I am not sure what isolation might be needed for the ALC lines.

FWIW I went to the Kenwood site and tried the Contact Us link - it went nowhere. Is there an email address to try this question on Kenwood?
John

3206. FA: WWII Radio, Hammarlund Spkr, Rare CB, SONAR Item, WE Headphones, STUFF all Good!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 14:40:23 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <tlRze.122611$mx5.80985@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14729
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Seems that no matter how I do this, people complain.
I'd like to thank the folks that offer suggestions to those who complain
about nothing.
Also, to thos to send me E-Mail with nothing in them, they are easy enough
to delete, 100's at a time if need be!

NICE HAMMARLUND S-100 RADIO SPEAKER>HQ-100/105/110>NEAT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235574&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

RARE SHELL CB-12 ONE CHANNEL CB TUBE-TYPE RADIO>1950's
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235487&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

VINTAGE SONAR XE-10 TUBE-TYPE FM EXCITER
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6543398980&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

OLD WESTERN ELECTRIC 194W HEADPHONES 2.2K OHMS>1917?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6543399053&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS BC-906-D FREQUENCY METER>WWII 1943
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235471&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

12 BRAND-NEW 12V MINI-TRANSFORMERS, 120vac>QRP, HAM NR!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235750&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

P & H ELECTRONICS AFC-2 AUDIO COMPRESSION AMPLIFIER>NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235525&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

GOLD LINE GLC 1091 WATTMETER 10/100/1000WATTS NICE & NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5786235668&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3207. Polytronics,Poly-Comm PC-2C, owners of this 2 meter AM transceiver-Looking For

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 18:58:00 UTC
From: WA8NPR <wa8npr@sssnet.com>
Message-ID: <Q6-dnRM2HYmig03fRVn-1g@massilloncabletv.com>
Source record: 14730
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

While cleaning out some of my junk today I found an excellent condition original schematic, with voltage charts, for the Poly-Comm PC-2C, 2 meter AM transceiver.

If you have one of these rigs and need a schematic, you can have this one for free from me!

Thanks for reading, Rich WA8NPR

3208. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 19:46:35 UTC
From: Tom MacIntyre <tom__macintyre@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <gba0d1918nsdkkn076aer3bk2ai6r42q07@4ax.com>
Source record: 14731
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

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On Fri, 08 Jul 2005 23:32:50 GMT, w4sef@comcast.net (Steven Fritts)
wrote:

>What plugin??? Works fine here with Firefox and IE

You likely already have the plug-n?

Tom

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>On Wed, 6 Jul 2005 06:39:55 -0700, "AAA RF Products"
><info@aaarfproducts.com> wrote:
>
>>Please email or call for your free copy of our latest coax connector,
>>adapter, cable assembly & bulk coaxial cable catalog.
>>
>>No minimum order
>>
>>No handling fees.
>>
>>
>>web: www.aaarfproducts.com
>>email: sales@aaarfproducts.com
>>call: 949 481 3154
>>fax: 949 388 5448
>>mail: AAA RF Products, 949 Calle Amanecer, San Clemente, CA 92673 USA
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3209. Re: Azden/PCS4000 Mem storage battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 21:06:18 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0507091105230.26406@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14732

Ok thanks Jonesy. I have one of those never used before.
Will open it up and see of physical size is okay.
Joe

****
* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
****

3210. FREE IPOD!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 21:25:42 UTC
From: bookboy26@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1120944342.422306.181550@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14733

Yea it's true. I don't know if anyone has tried this yet, but I was not sure if it was real. So anyway, I did actually do the deal and I just received my free ipod in the mail today. I assumed this was a fake, and just a scam to get me to sign up for stuff, but its actually real. This Isn't much of a rant, but I recommend anyone interested to give it a try.

http://www.freeiPods.com/default.aspx?referer=9025306

Oh and heres some links proving it's legit. U do not have to take my word for it. Its also been on CNN but I cant seem to find the link.

--Wired Magazine News--

http://www.wired.com/news/mac/0,2125,64614,00.html

--Geek.com--

3211. Re: New Coax Connector & Adapter Catalog Now Available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 22:44:35 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42D0533C.DE83BF7E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 14734
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Tom MacIntyre wrote:
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> On Fri, 08 Jul 2005 23:32:50 GMT, w4sef@comcast.net (Steven Fritts)
> wrote:
>
> >What plugin??? Works fine here with Firefox and IE
>
> You likely already have the plug-n?
>
> Tom

He'll find that out when a website demands the version of the week to
work.

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Link to my "Computers for disabled Veterans" project website deleted
after threats were telephoned to my church.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

3212. Re: WWII Radio, Hammarlund Spkr, Rare CB, SONAR Item, WE Headphones, STUFF all Good!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 23:43:30 UTC
From: CW <cmagers@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <CiZze.1353$dU3.163@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14735
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Then don't do it. Easy, eh?

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:tlRze.122611$mx5.80985@fe08.lga...
> Seems that no matter how I do this, people complain.

3213. Re: Wanted: Kenwood R-600 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-09 23:48:59 UTC
From: Yodar <JStrain4@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <LnZze.149511$VH2.15423@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 14736

Scan Da Bands wrote:
> Anybody have a Users manual in .pdf form they could send me ?
>
> P-L-E-A-S-E !!!!!!

he might have it in inventory

http://www.w7fg.com/index.html

yodar

3214. FA: ADI AR-146 50W 2 Meter Amatuer Radio New in Box Less Than 24 Hours Left

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-10 00:56:09 UTC
From: "Peter W. Borders" <pwborders@cox.net>
Message-ID: <lm_ze.55520$iU.26743@lakeread05>
Source record: 14737

ADI AR-146 50W 2 Meter Amatuer Radio New in Box

I am an individual selling my own personal property, no resales or

returned items or dubious origin to worry about.

I bought two of these a while back at a hamfest for my two cars. I

installed one and used it and really liked it. The other car developed

a few problems and I never got around to installing this one so it is

still in the original box never unpacked. I really like the one I use,

it does everything I want in a car radio.

Specifications

* Frequency Range - 144 to 148 Mhz
* Mode - F3E(FM)
* Antenna Impednce - 50 Ohm
* Power Requirements
o Transmit - 11A
o Receive - 0.6A
* Dimensions - 5 1/2" W x 1 37/64" H x 6 17/32" D (Projections

Included)
* Weight - 2.65 Lbs
* Output Power
o HI - 50W
o MED - 10W
o LOW - 5W

Includes

* ADI AR-146 Radio
* DTMF Microphone
* Mounting Bracket and Hardware
* Power Cable
* Manual
* Original Box

For more information, pictures or to place a bid go to:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5787299750

3215. Want: Manual for Azden PCS-5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-10 02:14:16 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns968EC40BBB775spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14738

Can anyone point me to a download source for an operating manual for the Azden PCS 5000? Thanks in advance.

Ed

3216. Want Yaesu FT8500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-10 04:12:42 UTC
From: Paul Hinman <paul.hinman@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <_e1Ae.1921750$Xk.1884455@pd7tw3no>
Source record: 14739

Several years ago I bought a Yaesu FT8500 dual band transceiver at a close out sale. Before I could get it installed in the car, we had a house fire and and it was destroyed. This was the transceiver with the infamous Mr. Potatoe-Head microphone. I still would like to get one, if you have one that is in working condition, with the instruction manual, please let me know what you would accept for it.

Thanx - Paul

3217. Re: FA: WWII Radio, Hammarlund Spkr, Rare CB, SONAR Item, WE Headphones, STUFF all Good!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-10 14:25:48 UTC
From: r2000swler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1121005548.349749.80260@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14740
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

The all too clueless "cooltube" post a list of ancient crap FA.

Most of the time I just ingore your crap offereings.
But your rant got my attention.
Many, perhaps maybe most people in this and other NGs
already KNOW about Ebay. And go there to look for things
they want. Looking at this list I see very few things(1) that relate
directly to SW. Maybe you should at the trim your offerings to
stuff that is on topic.
Or even better, just stop posting this crap.

I make it a point to never buy from spammers and sir your
offereings are clearly spam. In the good old days jaber mouths
like you had their coax pinned. Too bad there is no similar
method of stoping you today.

Terry

3218. Re: problem with IC-22S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-10 14:40:55 UTC
From: Ron <ron@onwisconsin.com>
Message-ID: <1fc2d1d8fb72770sg4efkn0700aines749@4ax.com>
Source record: 14741

LArry, Do you have a schematic for the 22s? If not I may be able help.
I have one though I can;'t put myy hands on it immediately.
Talk about bringing back memories!
That was a great radio in it's time except for the problems that
killed it. Through plated holes and pins that eventually would fail as
was pointed out by another contributor. Had a really nice receive with
helical resonators on the frront end.

Thirty years ago!! My age is showing!
Contact me if you need that print
ron@onwisconsin.com

On Wed, 6 Jul 2005 13:55:48 -0400, "larry" <larya@rogers.com> wrote:

>Greetings
>
>Since this is a group concerning equipment.. I have a question...I have an
>IC-22S which has a technical problem...
>
>When in operation, it only operates in simplex....I have the front panel off
>so I could follow the wiring easier... The center pin, of the +duplex
>simplex -duplex switch goes to the diode matrix board.. even the schematic
>doesn't help from there...
>
>The outside two wires, acording to the schematic go the other places....
>
>Does anyone know what signals I should see on the outside two wires... I am
>not too concerned about whether they are the - or + duplex signals only what
>they should be...
>
>Larry ve3fxq
>

3219. FA: Alpha 374A Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-10 21:24:32 UTC
From: WZ1U <wz1u@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <rf43d1ha33pmq4hl3b7c695rftvf2iluui@4ax.com>
Source record: 14742

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5788520632&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3220. Re: Deviation for 12.5 kHz channel spacing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 01:35:57 UTC
From: CWB <cboone@nospam.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <12kAe.135797$PR6.111267@tornado.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 14743

Bandwidth = 2 x (dev + max freq of mod)...so 2x (4.5+3) = 15 kHz B/W, so 4.5kHz dev COULD work on 15 kHz spacing if everything was perfect (DEAD on freq, etc)....but this not a perfect world.....5 kHz dev will work in 20 kHz spacing but not a 15 kHz world!

For 3 k dev, it's 2x 3+3 or 12 kHz.....again ok for 12.5 kHz if everything was perfect...but the rcvrs probably arent filtered for that as well!
For 12.5 kHz spacing, the dev has to be lower like 2.5 kHz...but then your audio will be lower in the normal 20khz spaced radios...

Chris
WB5ITT

"Leon" <leon_heller@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:1119804249.361347.104350@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Does anyone know what the transmitter deviation should be for accessing
> repeaters with 12.5 kHz channel spacing. I've got a feeling that it
> should be +/- 3 kHz instead of the +/- 4.5 kHz used for 25 kHz spacing.
>
> 73, Leon
>

3221. Check out this Ultimate kW Mackay MSR4030 Auto coupler/tuner!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 06:29:47 UTC
From: Colin Gunn <cgunn@telus.net>
Message-ID: <vloAe.146310$on1.73655@clgrps13>
Source record: 14744

http://cgi.ebay.ca/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=48711&item=5788422677&rd=1&ssPageName=WDVW

3222. Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 10:07:59 UTC
From: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.62.0507111002200.21971@mx.freeshell.org>
Source record: 14745
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Wed, 6 Jul 2005, Bill Smith wrote:

> Date: Wed, 6 Jul 2005 16:07:14 -0400
> From: Bill Smith <kb3gun-nospam1@VERIZON.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
> Subject: Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?
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> "straydog" <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org> wrote in message
> news:Pine.NEB.4.62.0506261856170.28426@sdf.lonestar.org...
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>> On Fri, 24 Jun 2005, Galen Watts wrote:
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>>> Date: Fri, 24 Jun 2005 08:25:27 -0400
>>> From: Galen Watts <gwatts@nrao.edu>
>>> To: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
>>> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
>>> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
>>> Subject: Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?
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>>>> I think July 17, is the next Somerset PA hamfest and I've been thinking
>>>> about going. Its a long drive from here (southern Delaware) and I was
>>>> wondering how big and how good it has been in the past. Anyone got any
>>>> recollections from the past?
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>>>> Art, w4pon
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>>> They have pictures of last year's fest at
>>> http://www.k3smt.org/hf2004/
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>> Thanks for the info...
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>> I had a look.
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>> W4PON
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> Hello Art,
> This is only our second annual hamfest. Last year it was held in August, a
> day after the hurricane came thru. Our turnout was only about 300. Feedback
> so far this year says we should have between 500-750. Good odds for winning
> a door prize or the main drawing.
> Worst case, we're only 6 miles from the 9/11 Flight 93 Crash Site /
> Memorial. That in itself would make the trip worth it. The Somerset
> Somerfest is also running from Friday thru Sunday. Food, Music, Fun... I
> should work for the Chamber of Commerce...HiHi
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> Hope to see you here.
> Bill kb3gun
> http://www.k3smt.org
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Thanks for the further information. However, here is my problem: first, for me its a long drive one way (5-6 hours and I'd have to stay in a motel Sat night, come back home Sunday, PM). Then, I was driving around yesterday and the bigger problem: sticker shock at the gas pump (I was gazing at a sign that showed $2.30+/gal for low test regular) . I'd be spending more money on gas for the round trip than I'd expect to spend on goodies, toys, parts, etc at the fest itself. :-(

Art
W4PON

3223. FA: Icom HTs 2AT 4AT 02AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 12:21:27 UTC
From: Bob <bob@uniquedifferent.com>
Message-ID: <bvtAe.21072$eM6.14987@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14746

Icom 144 MHZ IC-2AT and 440Mhz IC-4AT w/Acc

Icom 02AT IC-02AT 2 Meter Transcierver

3224. Re: Kenwood TS2000 Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 14:04:47 UTC
From: JB <SPAMac6tk@cybertime.net>
Message-ID: <datusl$6lr$4@madmax.keyway.net>
Source record: 14747

Buy the service manual. Internally, the ts 2000 has a similar
switching circuit for 6m and HF but adds a relay for HF. You should
know what to do when you see the circuit. A lot will depend on what
the amp needs.

ac6tk
http://tekstuff.freespaces.com

"John" <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote in message
news:42CFDC0E.6050100@worldnet.att.net...
> According to the manual I read on line, the TS2000 has separate
linear
> control and ALC input connections for HF and 6M. The HF control is
a
> relay and the 6M control is an Open Collector circuit.
>
> Anyone have experience or suggestions on how best to interface this
with
> an Amplifier that covers HF and 6M with only one control line and
ALC
> output. The control voltage and current are within the limits of
the
> transceiver.
>
> Would it make sense to just connect the two control lines in
parallel?
> Not knowing the internal circuitry I am not sure what isolation
might be
> needed for the ALC lines.
>
> FWIW I went to the Kenwood site and tried the Contact Us link - it
went
> nowhere. Is there an email address to try this question on
Kenwood?
> John
>

3225. Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 14:58:02 UTC
From: Bill KB3GUN <kb3gun@swronline.com>
Message-ID: <42d288da$0$52197$ec3e2dad@news.usenetmonster.com>
Source record: 14598
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

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> spending more money on gas for the round trip than I'd expect to spend on
> goodies, toys, parts, etc at the fest itself. :-(
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> Art
> W4PON
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I understand completely, Art. I'm in the same boat when it comes to distant hamfests. I have to run premium in my jeep and it's running $2.50 now.

Thanks anyway for you interest.

73
Bill kb3gun
Somerset PA Hamfest
http://www.k3smt.org/hamfest

3226. AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 17:49:26 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11d5c9ls4rt5p7c@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14599
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In all honesty to those that ridiculed the tower and it's associated riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the category 4 hurricane Dennis. I never expected this kind of result...live and learn I suppose. Here is the direct link..

1. http://deepsouthnet.net/storm_damage.html

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Charlie
Ham Radio - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

3227. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 18:08:49 UTC
From: "David G. Nagel" <nagel@core.com>
Message-ID: <11d5ddkek1b715f@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14600
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Your point would have been better if you had used actual before and
after pictures. If you check the name on each picture you will find that
they are the same exact file. Nice try...

Dave N

3228. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 18:58:50 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11d5gbpnl960keb@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14601
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The images are the same yeah...DUH!!
Since there was no damage.....except perhaps your brain damage.
You don't catch on too fast do you?

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3229. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 19:05:12 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <8mg5d1l7jl9645i6nc1m0maj8ii1n4gvrb@4ax.com>
Source record: 14602
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Not sure what Charlie's point is -- the Dennis hurricane historical
map doesn't show it anywhere close to Union, Mississippi...

bob
k5qwg

3230. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 19:28:59 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <a3b4f$42d2c87e$97d55c31$19268@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 14603
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

While the after picture may represent the condition of your tower after the storm, it is NOT an after picture. Why the false representation?

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> wrote in message news:11d5c9ls4rt5p7c@news.supernews.com...
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3231. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 19:35:57 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11d5ihah26vq99f@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14604
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Because the images are virtually the same..even if I stepped outside and
shot a "true after" picture it would be the same image.

Sorry to disappoint all you guys but there was no damage here.....as all but
a very few "tower experts" predicted.

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3232. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 19:37:57 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11d5il29agtucee@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14605
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

That's crap John....provide a link that shows the track "nowhere near". We were under a Inland Hurricane" warning from 5PM last night. Maybe your cartographer skills are a little rusty.

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> map doesn't show it anywhere close to Union, Mississippi...
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> bob
> k5qwg
>
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3233. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 19:46:32 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <d2j5d1p42ijbbk42io91f809mhb7mig37e@4ax.com>
Source record: 14606
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 11 Jul 2005 14:37:57 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net>
wrote:

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>were under a Inland Hurricane" warning from 5PM last night. Maybe your
>cartographer skills are a little rusty.

Looks like it was hitting Mississippi up around Columbus, and heading
North from you...

How high did your winds get ... in Union?

http://www.wunderground.com/tropical/tracking/at200504.html

bob
k5qwg

3234. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 19:52:11 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11d5jfk6llsevec@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14607
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bob,
The storm was not a pinpoint single line width across the map but over 3 0 0 m i l e s wide. I did not measure the "winds in Union". If they were not high enough for you then maybe better luck next time.

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3235. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 20:07:44 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <4uj5d111ebenscmhd8seur1qm9geantdmu@4ax.com>
Source record: 14608
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 11 Jul 2005 14:52:11 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net>
wrote:

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>m i l e s wide. I did not measure the "winds in Union". If they were not
>high enough for you then maybe better luck next time.

According to the storm category indications on the map at

http://www.wunderground.com/tropical/tracking/at200504.html

"Hurricane Dennis" was actually a "tropical depression" before it ever
crossed into Mississippi, some distance north of Union.

Charlie, I would never wish high winds upon anyone, but before you
brag about riding out a Category 4 Hurricane, you should be a little
more accurate in your terminology :-)

Have a good one...

bob
k5qwg

3236. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 20:30:01 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <gFAAe.255$Qu4.23654@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14609
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Charlie, you may have noticed that the thread died once people realised you are out of town and not endangering anyone else. Good on you for putting up a tower out there, what the hell, eh? But the distortions aren't exactly helpful.

More to the point, how's the DX'ing? I used to have to go to a nearby mountainside road to get any height like you have now.

Cheers.

Ken

3237. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 20:31:05 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11d5lomlla9k19f@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14610
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

President Bush has authorized "Disaster Relief Funds" for 38 counties in
Mississippi including my county of Newton.
1. http://www.wtok.com/home/headlines/1678647.html

You cartographer skills as well as your meteorological powers of analysis
leave a lot to be desired.

Have a nice day.....sorry my tower did not collapse and that no one in my
family was killed. Maybe next time..eh?

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> http://www.wunderground.com/tropical/tracking/at200504.html
>
> "Hurricane Dennis" was actually a "tropical depression" before it ever
> crossed into Mississippi, some distance north of Union.
>
> Charlie, I would never wish high winds upon anyone, but before you
> brag about riding out a Category 4 Hurricane, you should be a little
> more accurate in your terminology :-)
>
> Have a good one...
>
> bob
> k5qwg
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3238. Re: FA: Icom HTs 2AT 4AT 02AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 20:31:28 UTC
From: Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kGAAe.11040$js.1546@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14611

???? where, what auction site, what's the auction number??

Ta ta

Bob wrote:

>Icom 144 MHZ IC-2AT and 440Mhz IC-4AT w/Acc
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>Icom 02AT IC-02AT 2 Meter Transcierver
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3239. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 20:39:45 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <q5m5d1h9s3nj383pkh1d6qulcb7n0mrkpr@4ax.com>
Source record: 14612
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 11 Jul 2005 15:31:05 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>President Bush has authorized "Disaster Relief Funds" for 38 counties in
>Mississippi including my county of Newton.
>1. http://www.wtok.com/home/headlines/1678647.html

Yep, those tropical depressions can be rough -- let us know next time
it rains in Union -- we'll want to see "before & after" pics of your
tower.

bob
k5qwg

>
>You cartographer skills as well as your meteorological powers of analysis
>leave a lot to be desired.
>
>Have a nice day.....sorry my tower did not collapse and that no one in my
>family was killed. Maybe next time..eh?

3240. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 20:44:23 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <11d5mhnlemj3e6f@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14613
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

There are no distortions Ken. The tower looks the same the day before Dennis as it does now the day after. The WHOLE POINT in using 2 identical photos was to illustrate that there IS NO DIFFERENCE after the storm.

I have been on Usenet for 20 years or more and it is always the same....people just wait in the wings to take pot shots at others. I posted a link to the tower photos and all I got was ridicule and cuss words.

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You guys can all go fish..or any other "F" word you might be able to think of.

Sorry to rob you all of the splendor of viewing my new tower down on the ground.

You fuckers are all a bunch of real sick bastards.

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"Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz> wrote in message
news:gFAAe.255$Qu4.23654@news.xtra.co.nz...
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> you are out of town and not endangering anyone else. Good on you for
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> aren't exactly helpful.
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> More to the point, how's the DX'ing? I used to have to go to a nearby
> mountainside road to get any height like you have now.
>
> Cheers.
>
> Ken
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3241. FS: AMP SUPPLY LK-500ZB/C

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 21:01:24 UTC
From: "Richard W. Solomon, W1KSZ" <w1ksz@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <pgn5d1p7e4qtav6e38bfeb49oi88bj83br@4ax.com>
Source record: 14614

PRICE REDUCED, now only $750

LK-500ZB upgraded to LK-500ZC by Amp Supply, includes WARC
Bands. Two 3-500Z triodes in excellent shape. Includes original
manual and TWO NEW 3-500Z Spares. $800, PICKUP ONLY
in Lexington, Mass.

73, Dick, W1KSZ

3242. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 21:18:27 UTC
From: Big Ugly <xxx@xxx.com>
Message-ID: <xxx-61C0A7.16182711072005@news-rdr-02.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14615
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <11d5mhnlemj3e6f@news.supernews.com>,
"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> wrote:

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> as it does now the day after. The WHOLE POINT in using 2 identical photos
> was to illustrate that there IS NO DIFFERENCE after the storm.
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If you make yourself a target you become one dummy.

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> "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz> wrote in message
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> > mountainside road to get any height like you have now.
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> > Cheers.
> >
> > Ken
> >
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3243. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 21:19:52 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42d2e37a$1_1@spool9-west.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14616
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie wrote:
> The WHOLE POINT in using 2 identical photos
> was to illustrate that there IS NO DIFFERENCE after the storm.

I'll bet CSI could find a difference.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3244. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 21:22:54 UTC
From: K7ITM <k7itm@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1121116974.074626.13810@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14617
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hey, Charlie, glad to hear your tower suffered no ill effects. You'll
be overjoyed to know that mine didn't either. Sorry, no pix available.

Cheers,
Tom

3245. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 21:54:19 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <iUBAe.305$Qu4.25546@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14618
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Just posting a real 'after' shot would have shut people up (well, most, as you say).

Anyway, still glad it didn't come down. My only beef was ever the neighbours - since they aren't in sight (and I notice you don't seem to have your house near it either) I say go for it.

Cheers.

Ken

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>> Cheers.
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>> Ken
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3246. Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 22:21:48 UTC
From: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.62.0507112215390.4471@mx.freeshell.org>
Source record: 14619
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

On Mon, 11 Jul 2005, Bill KB3GUN wrote:

> Date: Mon, 11 Jul 2005 10:58:02 -0400
> From: Bill KB3GUN <kb3gun@swronline.com>
> Reply-To: Bill KB3GUN <kb3gunlessspam@swronline.com>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
> Subject: Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?
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> "straydog" <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org> wrote in message
> news:Pine.NEB.4.62.0507111002200.21971@mx.freeshell.org...
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>> On Wed, 6 Jul 2005, Bill Smith wrote:
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>>> Date: Wed, 6 Jul 2005 16:07:14 -0400
>>> From: Bill Smith <kb3gun-nospam1@VERIZON.net>
>>> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
>>> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
>>> Subject: Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?
>>>
>>> "straydog" <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org> wrote in message
>>> news:Pine.NEB.4.62.0506261856170.28426@sdf.lonestar.org...
>>>>
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>>>> On Fri, 24 Jun 2005, Galen Watts wrote:
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>>>>> Date: Fri, 24 Jun 2005 08:25:27 -0400
>>>>> From: Galen Watts <gwatts@nrao.edu>
>>>>> To: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
>>>>> Newsgroups: rec.radio.swap, rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,
>>>>> rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.homebrew
>>>>> Subject: Re: How big has Somerset, PA hamfest been in the past?
>>>>>
>>>>> straydog wrote:
>>>>>>
>>>>>> I think July 17, is the next Somerset PA hamfest and I've been
>>>>>> thinking
>>>>>> about going. Its a long drive from here (southern Delaware) and I was
>>>>>> wondering how big and how good it has been in the past. Anyone got any
>>>>>> recollections from the past?
>>>>>>

>>>>>> Art, w4pon
>>>>>
>>>>> They have pictures of last year's fest at
>>>>> http://www.k3smt.org/hf2004/
>>>>>
>>>>> -W8LNA
>>>>>
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>>>> Thanks for the info...
>>>>
>>>> I had a look.
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>>>> W4PON
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>>> Hello Art,
>>> This is only our second annual hamfest. Last year it was held in August,
>>> a
>>> day after the hurricane came thru. Our turnout was only about 300.
>>> Feedback
>>> so far this year says we should have between 500-750. Good odds for
>>> winning
>>> a door prize or the main drawing.
>>> Worst case, we're only 6 miles from the 9/11 Flight 93 Crash Site /
>>> Memorial. That in itself would make the trip worth it. The Somerset
>>> Somerfest is also running from Friday thru Sunday. Food, Music, Fun... I
>>> should work for the Chamber of Commerce...HiHi
>>>
>>> Hope to see you here.
>>> Bill kb3gun
>>> http://www.k3smt.org
>>>
>>>
>>>
>>
>> Thanks for the further information. However, here is my problem: first,
>> for me its a long drive one way (5-6 hours and I'd have to stay in a
>> motel Sat night, come back home Sunday, PM). Then, I was driving around
>> yesterday and the bigger problem: sticker shock at the gas pump (I was
>> gazing at a sign that showed $2.30+/gal for low test regular) . I'd be
>> spending more money on gas for the round trip than I'd expect to spend on
>> goodies, toys, parts, etc at the fest itself. :-(
>>
>>
>>
>> Art
>> W4PON
>>
>

> I understand completely, Art. I'm in the same boat when it comes to distant
> hamfests. I have to run premium in my jeep and it's running $2.50 now.
>
> Thanks anyway for you interest.
>
> 73
> Bill kb3gun
> Somerset PA Hamfest
> http://www.k3smt.org/hamfest

Well, thanks again.

FWIW, it sure would be nice if for some of these fests
someone could go around, at the end, with a video camera or d-cam and take
pictures (something like for that URL of the last one) of the unsold major
stuff (and maybe guys selling parts?) and post these on the club website
as a "possibly still available" item and an email address (or something
like that).

All a guy would need is: a cardstock with price and email address in felt
tip pen ink, held in front of the gear. That shouldn't be too hard, or the
guy selling the stuff could provide his own jpeg images on a floppy disk.

I'm not particularly interested in eBay/auctionering stuff
(since you have to play the escalating price game, then the shipping
question, etc). But, if a guy said "Here is X, I'd like Y dollars for it,
and subject to negotiations" I could get more interested in this.

Art, W4PON

3247. Re: FS Icom R3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 23:11:26 UTC
From: Steve Dunn <neham@despammed.com>
Message-ID: <eoCdnRz-Rcc9YU_fRVn-rA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 14620
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.swap

N1RSP wrote:
> I have an Icom R3 for sale with a copy of manual.I have no original box for
> it.It is the unblocked version.I am asking $300.00 or BRO for it plus
> shipping.Email me if interested.
> Reason for sale is it is to complicated for me to play with.
>

If it is really an unblocked version of the R3, I'll buy it from you for
$300, if it is in good condx. Where are you located? How much shipping?

Steve

3248. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-11 23:47:37 UTC
From: Buck <iam@this.site>
Message-ID: <f316d1570jbqtlsff0ikd099drtusr77na@4ax.com>
Source record: 14621
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 11 Jul 2005 12:49:26 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>In all honesty to those that ridiculed the tower and it's associated
>riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the category
>4 hurricane Dennis. I never expected this kind of result...live and learn I
>suppose. Here is the direct link..
>
>1. http://deepsouthnet.net/storm_damage.html

Just because the antenna wasn't damaged in this storm doesn't mean it
its installation is safe. So it withstood a storm whose biggest claim
to fame around her is flood damage.

Will the antenna stand the test of time?

Good luck
Plonk!

--
73 for now
Buck
N4PGW

3249. FS TS-570SD Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 00:15:12 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <8YDAe.40190$DC2.30454@okepread01>
Source record: 14622

I have for sale a nice Kenwood TS-570SD. This is the one that covers 6 meters as well as all of the other HF Bands. Great General Coverage receiver too.
This transceiver works perfectly and looks good. There are a couple of small back spots in the trim ring around the front panel. Otherwise it is in great cosmetic condition. Comes with the original box, mobile mic, power cord. I do not have the manual but they can be downloaded from the Kenwoood webpage. Price is $775. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3250. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 00:28:06 UTC
From: Russ <carlzomer@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <qt26d157vi7ukrm02d1hg0hjtup952dgdp@4ax.com>
Source record: 14623
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 11 Jul 2005 19:47:37 -0400, Buck <iam@this.site> wrote:

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>to fame around her is flood damage.
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>Will the antenna stand the test of time?
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>Good luck
>Plonk!

While I'm not going to "plonk" you, I would advise you to get better guy anchors. Trees and utility poles aren't up to the task. If it was me, I'd set some 6 or 8 inch steel pipe about four to six feet into a BIG block of cement leaving six or seven feet out of the ground. Have lugs welded to the pipe and attach the guys to the lugs. This will get the guys up over head high and allow grass cutting and the like around the posts. When the tree comes down, so will your tower. Of course, using two different brands of tower section was just foolish, the money spent on making a possibly faulty adapter could have gone for another good section of tower. But, hey, it's your tower and your money. As for me and mine, good engineering practice takes precedence over make-do every time. Another amazing fact is that someone climbed up there to put it up and set antennas. It must have been a crazy man, as no sane tower-monkey would have climbed up there on two different tower sections and faulty guying. Be sure and post photos of the wreck when it comes down,eh.

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3251. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 00:46:56 UTC
From: Peter LaGrange <lagrange_0090@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ZmEAe.23810$x82.18913@fe03.lga>
Source record: 14624
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie wrote:

> I have been on Usenet for 20 years or more and it is always the
> same....people just wait in the wings to take pot shots at others. I posted
> a link to the tower photos and all I got was ridicule and cuss words.

You'd think your twenty years of Usenet experience would not have failed
you like this.

> Sorry to rob you all of the splendor of viewing my new tower down on the
> ground.
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> You fuckers are all a bunch of real sick bastards.
>

No one wants your tower to fall down, nor harm to you or your family.
But you basically posted troll fodder and then have the audacity to
whine when it's not the attention you so wanted.

If you don't like the heat, don't post stupid things on Usenet.

3252. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 00:48:42 UTC
From: "David G. Nagel" <nagel@core.com>
Message-ID: <11d64re1jpbnod1@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14625
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie wrote:

> Because the images are virtually the same..even if I stepped outside and
> shot a "true after" picture it would be the same image.
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> Sorry to disappoint all you guys but there was no damage here.....as all but
> a very few "tower experts" predicted.
>
If they are two different pictures why do they have the same file name?

Dave N

3253. FS TS-450SAT Cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 00:57:29 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <NzEAe.40195$DC2.13410@okepread01>
Source record: 14626

I have a very good looking Kenwood TS-450SAT that does not work. It shows some things on the display, but no sound, no buttons work It is dead except for some letters and digits showing on the display when turned on.. This transceiver is from an estate and it has been stored for around 5 years. It was suppose to be working when taken out of service. I think it has some power supply problems probably from not being turned on for so long. This one has the built in Antenna Tuner and it all looks brand new on the inside. It has the original box and power cord, but no mic. Price is $285 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks,
Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3254. FS Nice Kenwood TS-940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 01:11:02 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <uMEAe.40198$DC2.27289@okepread01>
Source record: 14627

I have for sale a very clean Kenwood TS-940SAT. This is from an estate and has been in storage for 10 years. It works great. No problems at all and great
audio. It has an optional CW Filter, original box, and AC power cord. No manual, but they can be downloaded from the Kenwood webpage. It looks great also. This transceiver is one fine radio. Price is $775 plus actual shipping costs. Thanks,Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3255. FS Kenwood TS-120S Mobile HF Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 01:26:30 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <__EAe.40201$DC2.6829@okepread01>
Source record: 14628

I have for sale a clean Kenwood TS-120S HF Transceiver in great working condition. It has been stored for 10 years. It has a few scuffs and scratches but is in overall good shape. It comes with the power cord, no mic, no manual, but they can be downloaded from the Kenwood Webpage. Price is $195 plus shipping from 79602. This is a great little mobile rig.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3256. Re: FA: Icom HTs 2AT 4AT 02AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 01:35:04 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dav6o8tfe1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14630

Maybe the poster just wanted to see how much interest there might be in this particular item?

"Jack O'neill" <TOKRA@optonline.net> wrote in message news:kGAAe.11040$js.1546@fe10.lga...
> ???? where, what auction site, what's the auction number??
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> Ta ta
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> Bob wrote:
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>>Icom 144 MHZ IC-2AT and 440Mhz IC-4AT w/Acc
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>>Icom 02AT IC-02AT 2 Meter Transcierver
>>
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3257. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 01:35:05 UTC
From: spaceyfi <spaceyfi5@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1121132105.203448.125460@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14629
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Definately, sometimes we learn our lessons the hard way.

Susan
Ham to be
Husband Leon is KB7YXG

3258. FS Kenwood TS-520 Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 01:41:42 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <edFAe.40205$DC2.16559@okepread01>
Source record: 14631

I have a very good Kenwood TS-520 for sale. It is in nice cosmetic condition
and works great. This one has the AC and DC power supplies built in.
It come with the manual and the AC power cord. Price is $185 plus shipping
from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3259. Re: FA: Icom HTs 2AT 4AT 02AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 03:32:52 UTC
From: Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <oRGAe.24$4Q1.21@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14632

Could be, ya never know

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3260. FA: All New listings, Tram Titan & CB's, Drake Tuner, rare SB-620 panadapter & More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 13:43:29 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <7OPAe.11186$js.5332@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14633
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All nice stuff.

TRAM TITAN 23-CHANNEL TUBE CB RADIO with COLLINS FILTER
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924550&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

HEATHKIT SB-620 "SCANALYZER" PANADAPTER O'SCOPE>RARE NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924581&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

DRAKE MN-4 MATCHING NETWORK ANTENNA TUNER>A Nice One:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924608&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

COBRA 29 WX NW ST 40-CHANNEL AM MOBILE CB RADIO>NEAT-O
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924635&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

US NAVY AN/URM-120 WATTMETER w/CASE+ELEMENT 1KW<30mhz
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924545&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

HALLICRAFTERS S-40 SW RECEIVER>COMPLETE KNOB SET NICE:)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924600&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

MYOUNG MY-77 MULTI-DISPLAY DMM, BIG DISPLAY> Like Fluke
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924574&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

12 NOS RAF HI-QUALITY USA ELECTRONIC RACK PANEL HANDLES
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7529560270&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3261. FA: HEATHKIT SB-620 "SCANALYZER" PANADAPTER O'SCOPE>RARE NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 14:10:03 UTC
From: RICH-WA2RQY <wa2rqy@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0bQAe.11190$js.9958@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14635

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924581&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3262. FS - 56' free standing tower

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-12 14:12:22 UTC
From: ALF <armand@magma.ca>
Message-ID: <ZKCdnRJI3vrZU07fRVn-vA@magma.ca>
Source record: 14634

Details here > http://www.usedottawa.com/classified-ad/56465

3263. Buy and Sell your Tube Gear!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 01:22:29 UTC
From: Jeff James <cbstv@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <p1_Ae.136437$mx5.34804@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14636

You never know what you'll find..
http://www.dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi
FREE ads Dedicated to Vintage Amateur Radio...

3264. Automate Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 02:12:17 UTC
From: crossbar <budmann@gtemail.net>
Message-ID: <3lt8d1lgodb6s0rl3g7spsigiuf5ehrdgh@4ax.com>
Source record: 14637

I have been given this piece of equipment and I don't know what it is. At first glance it looks like some sort of RTTY interface. It is in a green metal case,has a big knob in the middle with slow on one end of the range and fast on the other, a range switch that toggles between LOW and HIGH,another knob on the bottom part of the face plate that has a range for Mark to Space, and a three position switch that says AC. The positions are off, on and hold on. Inside there are 4- "5963/12au7" 1- "OB2" and 1- "OA2" vacuum tubes, a transformer, and a high pressure mercury Western Electric relay. There are 2 - 1/4" jacks on the back labeled "Side-Tone Jack" and "Key Lever Jack". There are 2 pots also one labeled "DC BALANCE" and the other "SIDE-TONE volume. There is a label on the back that says "Ben Woodruff W9UE". I have looked up the call sign on the internet and it doesn't belong to Ben Woodruff any more. Just thought someone could help me figure out what this is!

Thanks in advance!

N9NAU

3265. Help: Problem with TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 02:21:46 UTC
From: Chris <va3ut@rac.ca>
Message-ID: <YU_Ae.3097$6e3.390452@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14639

Thanks for reading this posting.

I need some help from experts. My TS-830S stopped transmitting. It was working fine until few months ago, then it shows a little delay on transmit. When I pressed PTT, the first couple of seconds get cut off in the beginning. After this point, everything seems working fine with good power. I thought it was caused by faulty driver or final tubes, so I replaced all three tubes. After I replaced all three tubes, the symptom disappeared but I ran into a new problem.

I was turning the TC1 trimmer to neutralize the final, and I saw a small sparks and smelled some burn. From this moment, no output power. When I turn the meter to Ip, it goes to infinite on transmit even if I try to adjust it using the BIAS pot. The voltage on the plate seems OK.

Does anyone know what the problem might be? I think one of resisters or caps got burned but I can't see it since the board is under the chassis. Should I take it apart and check it out?

Any input will be greatly appreciated. Thanks.

Chris VA3UT

3266. Re: Automate Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 03:06:13 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <8x%Ae.25893$mC.12544@okepread07>
Source record: 14638

It would be a vintage electronic keyer. W9UE keyers were in '60s ARRL Handbooks, as I recall.
73 de Glenn AA5PK

"crossbar" <budmann@gtemail.net> wrote in message news:3lt8d1lgodb6s0rl3g7spsigiuf5ehrdgh@4ax.com...
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3267. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 04:40:01 UTC
From: Rick Scott <rickn7hj@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <ws6dnbh2ppq_BknfRVn-3Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 14640
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bob Miller wrote:
>
> Yep, those tropical depressions can be rough -- let us know next time
> it rains in Union -- we'll want to see "before & after" pics of your
> tower.
>
> bob
> k5qwg

Hardly even a tropical depression. here is the WEATHER.COM Wind history
for Union (Actually Meridian) for the last few days. I would not call
it a Cat 4 Hurricane, but like every thing Charlie says its an exaggeration

http://www.wunderground.com/history/airport/KMEI/2005/7/12/MonthlyHistory.html#calendar

DATE High Avg Gusts Events
9 24 3 59 Rain , Thunderstorm
10 37 8 28 Rain
11 21 13 20 Rain
12 16 2 30 Thunderstorm

3268. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 04:45:10 UTC
From: Rick Scott <rickn7hj@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <HKudneuxpbHKAUnfRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14641
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie wrote:
> President Bush has authorized "Disaster Relief Funds" for 38 counties in
> Mississippi including my county of Newton.
> 1. http://www.wtok.com/home/headlines/1678647.html

NOT FOR DISASTER RELIEF FUNDS but Federal assistance for Debris Removal and Emergency services ... NOT A DISASTER AREA. Nice Exaggeration!

Additionally, Brown said the state and affected local governments in 23 counties are eligible to apply for federal funds to pay 100 percent of the approved costs for debris removal and emergency services related to the hurricane, including requested emergency work undertaken by the federal government, for a period of up to 72 hours.

The 23 counties designated eligible for the assistance include Clarke, Covington, Forrest, George, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Jefferson Davis, Jones, Kemper, Lamar, Lauderdale, Lowndes, Marion, Neshoba, Newton, Noxubee, Pearl River, Perry, Smith, Stone, and Walthall.

3269. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 10:43:15 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@cox.net>
Message-ID: <gf6Be.31364$ro.4327@fed1read02>
Source record: 14642
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:11d5gbpnl960keb@news.supernews.com...
> The images are the same yeah...DUH!!
> Since there was no damage.....except perhaps your brain damage.
> You don't catch on too fast do you?
>
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> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
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Ed
WB6WSN
El Cajon, CA USA

3270. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 10:56:28 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Fr6Be.31365$ro.9600@fed1read02>
Source record: 14644
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:11d5mhnlemj3e6f@news.supernews.com...
> There are no distortions Ken. The tower looks the same the day before
> Dennis as it does now the day after. The WHOLE POINT in using 2 identical
> photos was to illustrate that there IS NO DIFFERENCE after the storm.
>
> I have been on Usenet for 20 years or more and it is always the
> same....people just wait in the wings to take pot shots at others. I
> posted a link to the tower photos and all I got was ridicule and cuss
> words.
>
> Now that it survived the affects of hurricane Dennis I get accusations
> that Dennis never even came near my home.
> You guys can all go fish..or any other "F" word you might be able to think
> of.
>
> Sorry to rob you all of the splendor of viewing my new tower down on the
> ground.
>
> You fuckers are all a bunch of real sick bastards.
>
> --
>
> Charlie
> Ham Radio - AD5TH
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Yeah, this is definitely my last post on the thread.

Charlie, you are a damn liar. If you go back to the record, you will find that I responded with cogent comment regarding legalities of encroachment, concerns about mechanical stress and inadequacies of base planning. For whatever personal reasons you have, you are incapable of accepting the realistic analyses that you requested.

Here Chuckie, print this and post it on your wall: You've got one tremendous tower, good buddy, and I'm proud to say that I live 2000 miles away from it, and you!

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Ed
WB6WSN

El Cajon, CA USA

3271. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 11:01:02 UTC
From: Ed Price <edprice@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Xv6Be.31366$ro.11006@fed1read02>
Source record: 14645
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"spaceyfi" <spaceyfi5@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1121132105.203448.125460@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Definately, sometimes we learn our lessons the hard way.
>
> Susan
> Ham to be
> Husband Leon is KB7YXG
>

Some people, a select few, can repeat the course indefinitely, yet still
rant at the gods over their misfortunes.

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Ed
WB6WSN
El Cajon, CA USA

3272. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 12:04:52 UTC
From: Big Endian <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <nospam-6B0EF9.07045213072005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14643
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <gf6Be.31364$ro.4327@fed1read02>,
"Ed Price" <edprice@cox.net> wrote:

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> annual updates posting the same original image, thereby proving that Chuckie
> has not only built a strong, but an eternal tower?

Me thinks charlie is a kook.

3273. FA: Icom 2AT 4AT 02AT HTs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 13:20:15 UTC
From: Bob <bob@uniquedifferent.com>
Message-ID: <jy8Be.22288$eM6.15379@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14549

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5788556423

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5788556930

3274. FA: MFJ-1275 Sound Card

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 13:23:18 UTC
From: Bob <bob@uniquedifferent.com>
Message-ID: <aB8Be.22293$eM6.12561@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14551

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5788557470

3275. FA: Icom BC-35 Battery charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 13:26:14 UTC
From: Bob <bob@uniquedifferent.com>
Message-ID: <WD8Be.22298$eM6.4586@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14550

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5788558317

3276. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 14:15:00 UTC
From: Metamorph <Metawhat000000001@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <pd8ad1dguu81plvgv6smh7hnaot04bqvi4@4ax.com>
Source record: 14647

On Tue, 5 Jul 2005 17:34:42 -0500, "Jim Douglas"
<james.douglas@genesis-software.com> wrote:

>Right, this is not good, this guy say's shRt and we are looking at crap
>daily on TV that is 1000 times worse!

Yea, but you don't bite the hand that bribes.

3277. Re: Fs: Scom 7K repeater controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 14:31:55 UTC
From: boterea@gmail-dot-com.no-spam.invalid
Message-ID: <42d525db_1@spool9-west.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14548

Fred, If the controller is still available I'd like a chance to bid on
it.

Thanks,

Bob

-------------= Posted from Ugroups.com =-------------
---= Fast & Free Web Portal to Usenet Newsgroups =---
-------------= http://www.ugroups.com/ =-------------

3278. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-13 14:47:06 UTC
From: John Ferrell <johnferrell@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <1k8ad1tbls6lp2tara0chdg65mqktqejln@4ax.com>
Source record: 14646
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment;charlie@earthlink.net

Hang tough & enjoy your tower Charlie!
If it breaks, fix it. Otherwise enjoy it!

Some day I may get brave and post the pictures of my fold over-crank
up mast with the CushCraft A3 beam on it. It waves around in the wind
like a sailboat mast and flexes the I-beam gantry enough to scare the
clueless when it is time to do antenna work.

When mine breaks, I will either fix or replace, just as I have always
done...

My current worries are lightning and ice.

It has only been up about five years, time will tell.

On Wed, 13 Jul 2005 03:43:15 -0700, "Ed Price" <edprice@cox.net>
wrote:

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>has not only built a strong, but an eternal tower?

3279. Coax Cable, Connector & Adapter Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 03:19:39 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <info@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <0QkBe.8790$Eo.5341@fed1read04>
Source record: 14552
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.components

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mail: AAA RF Products, 949 Calle Amanecer, San Clemente, CA 92673 USA

3280. FA: Yaesu FT470 HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 12:40:56 UTC
From: BDM <metzb1@yahoo.nospam.com>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d3ffd358007995d989685@news.east.cox.net>
Source record: 14553

Please check it out if you are interested:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5788543105
&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

eBay item number 5788543105

-Brian

3281. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 13:49:27 UTC
From: Aristotle <wandering_philosopher@socratic_discipline.org>
Message-ID: <s8rcd11667hi69umrl4v8nim8dgd7jqseo@4ax.com>
Source record: 14554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 6 Jul 2005 09:13:51 -0500, "Dr.Ace - WH2T" <Ace@WH2T.com>
wrote:

Unless you have immediately evacuted your bowels prior to writing that
comment i would dare say you may be inn error.
>Yes, That is my contention.
> Ace - WH2T
>
>
>>> > Hi John,
>>> >
>>> > Yes and we're all full of it.
>>> ---------------------------------------
>>> Speak for your self.
>>> Ace - WH2T
>> ========================
>> You mean to say you're not full of shit??
>

3282. What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 14:31:05 UTC
From: Joeseph <NOSPAM+++++@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <cpscd1pntms4h0jgucumopkr80r98iotdu@4ax.com>
Source record: 14555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This is a very screwy problem. First lets get the set-up of my
radio equipment;

The amp puts out about 100 watts on HF.

RADIO----->2 TRANSISTOR AMP----->SWR METER------> ANTENNA

Note the SWR meter comes AFTER the 2 transistor amp.

Ok, when I check the SWR on my antenna it shows 1.1. When I turn the
amp on it shows over 3.x SWR. The antenna is rated at 5 KW. The amp
only puts out about 100 watts.

Hmmm.....Ok lets see what happens when I use my 1 KW oil filled dummy
load.

RADIO-----> 2 TRANSISTOR AMP---->SWR METER------->1 KW DUMMY LOAD

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3283. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 15:31:14 UTC
From: Bill Janssen <billj9@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <6zvBe.1589$j21.575@news01.roc.ny>
Source record: 14556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Joeseph wrote:

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> This is a very screwy problem. First lets get the set-up of my
>radio equipment;
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>The amp puts out about 100 watts on HF.
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>load.
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Check the frequency (or frequencies) coming out of the amplifier. I will bet
that what comes out is not equal to what goes in. The antenna is not a
good match for those other frequencies.

Bill k7NOM

3284. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 17:11:52 UTC
From: Tim Wescott <tim@seemywebsite.com>
Message-ID: <11dd76n2b9qua1d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14557
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bill Janssen wrote:

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What Bill is trying to tell you is that your amplifier is probably oscillating or putting out way bad harmonics. That certainly fits the symptoms with the antenna attached; it's a bit surprising with your dummy load unless the dummy load is only good to two meters (chances are your oscillation is higher than 2M, and harmonics certainly would be). You could also see odd results if the SWR meters aren't good beyond 2M, but I don't know which direction they tend to go with way high frequencies.

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Tim Wescott
Wescott Design Services
http://www.wescottdesign.com

3285. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 17:17:46 UTC
From: Joeseph <NOSPAM+++++@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <l07dd19msvfv5k1olrg5dm3sap3p27tnfm@4ax.com>
Source record: 14558
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 14 Jul 2005 15:31:14 GMT, Bill Janssen <billj9@ieee.org>
wrote:

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Smart guy you are! I never thought of that, but it makes perfect
sense. I don't have a spectrum analyzer, but since the 2nd harmonic
and higher lands above 30 MHz then I should be able to place my Barker
and Williamson low pass filter (30 MHz cut off) between the amp and
the SWR meter. Hopefully the low pass filter will allow the
fundamental through, and stop the higher frequencies (assuming they
are normal multiples of the fundamental frequency). If the
attenuation is great enough the SWR meter should not show the SWR jump
since the unwanted frequencies should be attenuated before they get to
the SWR meter.
Assuming you are correct my next problem will stopping the extra
frequencies from getting out of the amp in the first place.

J.

3286. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 17:46:23 UTC
From: big Boss <goodlookin_hardpunchin@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <PxxBe.13884$yC5.3489@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Your transistor amp is putting out garbage; transmitting harmonics that your
SWR Meter is responding to. You need tuning/lowpass filters on both input
and output.

"Joeseph" <NOSPAM+++++@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:cpscd1pntms4h0jgucumopkr80r98iotdu@4ax.com...
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3287. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 17:46:57 UTC
From: Tim Wescott <tim@seemywebsite.com>
Message-ID: <11dd98gggfp0f01@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Joeseph wrote:
> On Thu, 14 Jul 2005 15:31:14 GMT, Bill Janssen <billj9@ieee.org>
> wrote:
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> the SWR meter.
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> frequencies from getting out of the amp in the first place.
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> J.
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Be sure to verify that it's not oscillating, and that any excessive
harmonics don't indicate some other problem with the amp (if you're in
the process of homebrewing it then it just means you forgot the dang
lowpass filter, but if the amp is a commercial unit & you're using it as
intended then there may be something broke).

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3288. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 17:53:26 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
Message-ID: <11dd9ksc9hoeab5@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Joeseph wrote:
> , , ,
> Assuming you are correct my next problem will stopping the extra
> frequencies from getting out of the amp in the first place.

No, your problem should be figuring out how to prevent them from getting generated in the first place. If the harmonic or spurious content is that high, there's something seriously wrong.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

3289. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 17:56:16 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11dd9q0s5ok066e@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14562
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>RADIO----->Drake L-4B----->SWR METER------->Dummy load
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>dummy load and the external antenna.
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>significantly when I turn on the 2 transisor amp, but stay low when I
>turn on a Drake L-4B.

If I had to guess, I'd guess that your MRF455 amplifier may have some instability issues, and may have a nasty parasitic oscillation going on. You might also want to check its grounding, and the RF relay which I presume switches it into or out of the circuit. I'm guessing that you've got RF flowing where it shouldn't.

I picked up a few MRF455 transistors last year and have toyed with the idea of using them as a PA in a homebrew rig, but from what I can see in the application notes they require a goodly amount of care in the amplifier design and circuit layout. If they aren't used properly it looks to me as if they can be quite prone to misbehave, oscillate, etc.

If you can borrow a spectrum analyzer, take a careful look at the amp's output, and wave a probe around the amp itself (prior to the low-pass output filter). It would not surprise me if you find that you're spurring the horse a bit :-)

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

3290. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 18:50:17 UTC
From: Joeseph <NOSPAM+++++@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <tscdd1d3a3g0o4jsr1m8qglt91l2n90u4c@4ax.com>
Source record: 14563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 14 Jul 2005 10:31:05 -0400, Joeseph
<NOSPAM+++++@earthlink.net> wrote:

Thanks for all your help guys. I think you've hit the nail on the
head. Now it is time for me to do some more reading, and fix this
puppy.

J

3291. FA - Variac - Superior Electric Powerstat - Ends Friday afternoon 7/15/05

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-14 22:33:04 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1121380384.682879.263970@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,sci.electronics.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7529747974&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3292. Re: Why did you say "shit" on the air??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 00:26:36 UTC
From: Murray <radioranch@qth.com>
Message-ID: <42D702BC.4060909@qth.com>
Source record: 14565
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Body handling: Binary attachment payload not displayed: radioranch.vcf

Sure gotta wade thru a bunch of it to find anything here, see you guys
havent changed much...goodbye...K5MDM

Aristotle wrote:
> On Wed, 6 Jul 2005 09:13:51 -0500, "Dr.Ace - WH2T" <Ace@WH2T.com>
> wrote:
>
> Unless you have immediately evacuted your bowels prior to writing that
> comment i would dare say you may be inn error.
>
>>Yes, That is my contention.
>> Ace - WH2T
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>>>>>Hi John,
>>>>>
>>>>>Yes and we're all full of it.
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>>>>Speak for your self.
>>>> Ace - WH2T
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>>>========================
>>>You mean to say you're not full of shit??
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[One or more binary attachments are retained only in the source text.]

3293. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 00:59:38 UTC
From: straydog <aes1492@sdf.lonestar.org>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.62.0507150052350.18363@mx.freeshell.org>
Source record: 14566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

After reading all the other replies up to this moment, let me ask if you:
1. remove the radio (i.e. run the amp without the radio connected at all)
what do you get (if any reading of forward and/or reflected power), and
2. leave the radio connected to the amp, but run the amp without drive
power at all, then what do you get?
3. Can you vary the drive level (say down to lower levels) and still see
the SWR go up.
From what was written below, its not clear for sure if you are implying
that the amp did have a proper level of RF drive or not. But, I'd still be
interested in knowing if you get forward power and/or reflected power with
the amp turned on but without drive. I've actually had amplifiers where
the application of power and certain tuning conditions cause extra
frequencies to come out in addition to what was supposed to come out. And,
sometimes I got self-oscillation if the amplifier was NOT being driven
with input drive.

---------- No change to below, included for reference and context---

On Thu, 14 Jul 2005, Joeseph wrote:

> Date: Thu, 14 Jul 2005 10:31:05 -0400
> From: Joeseph <NOSPAM+++++@earthlink.net>
> Newsgroups: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew, rec.radio.amateur.equipment
> Subject: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?
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3294. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 02:57:28 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9693CB64BDDFDspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14567
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> In all honesty to those that ridiculed the tower and it's associated
> riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the
> category 4 hurricane Dennis.

According to my map you weren't hit by hurricane Dennis..... maybe a
bit of tropical storm.... maybe.

Ed

3295. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 03:01:10 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9693CC0A32206spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14568
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> http://www.wunderground.com/history/airport/KMEI/2005/7/12/MonthlyHisto
> ry.html#calendar
>
> DATE High Avg Gusts Events
> 9 24 3 59 Rain , Thunderstorm
> 10 37 8 28 Rain
> 11 21 13 20 Rain
> 12 16 2 30 Thunderstorm

Damn! gusts to 59 and they get Federal disaster assistance? Hell, we had gusts that high in the past couple months on the Oregon coast. Maybe we ought to appy too?

Ed K7AAT

3296. COMMUNICATIONS SPECIALISTS (com spec) PL WANTED.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 04:26:37 UTC
From: Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_VGBe.2138$2c7.1691@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14569

Hi all, does anyone have an older Communications Specialists PL laying
around that they are not using.
I think the model is an SS-32.
If so, please e-mail me direct.

THANKS,

73

3297. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 12:44:13 UTC
From: Dale Parfitt <par@parelectronics.com>
Message-ID: <xcOBe.17929$C15.10225@trnddc08>
Source record: 14570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Thanks for all your help guys. I think you've hit the nail on the
> head. Now it is time for me to do some more reading, and fix this
> puppy.
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> J
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> I have not seen much description on the solid state amp except that it has
MRF455 transistors. Because these devices were a favorite in the manufacture
of CB amplifiers, I am suspicious that the only output filtering is a HPF
set to cutoff around 30MHz.
So, running this amp on the lower HF bands would allow a lot of harmonic
energy to appear at the output.

Dale W4OP

3298. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 12:46:39 UTC
From: Derek Twynham <derek.photo@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <db8b7f$e4t$1@news.al.sw.ericsson.se>
Source record: 14571
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> only puts out about 100 watts.

When I had this it was caused by arcing at the antenna. VSWR perfect with low power, but it even made an audible noise when you screwed the power up.

1 - Try this using a band-pass filter:
RADIO-->2 TRANSISTOR AMP-->SWR METER-->FILTER-->DUMMY
If amp churns out shit then the filter will reflect it. If VSWR is good, then:

2 - Eliminate your feeder (could be breaking down):
RADIO-->2 TRANSISTOR AMP-->SWR METER-->FEEDER-->DUMMY
When you do this you may even see a duff contact/joint.
If the feeder insulation is breaking down then VSWR rises again. If not then:

3 - Check out the antenna / balun / feed points for strands of wire, smoke, etc.

3299. FA:'S' Mmeters for HQ-110,Sx-42 + more stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 17:25:18 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <2kSBe.423748$cg1.332150@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Nice 'S' meters for HQ-110 AND SX-42 + other stuff being added; see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking , Heytubeguy

3300. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 18:27:37 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <irvfd1h0fc030ijh90caduvflvbudi8fc6@4ax.com>
Source record: 14573
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 15 Jul 2005 02:57:28 GMT, Ed
<Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:

>
>> In all honesty to those that ridiculed the tower and it's associated
>> riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the
>> category 4 hurricane Dennis.
>
>
> According to my map you weren't hit by hurricane Dennis..... maybe a
>bit of tropical storm.... maybe.
>
>
>
> Ed
>

According to the weather map he was about 100 miles from the "eye" of
a tropical depression, which is one notch below a tropical storm.

bob
k5qwg

3301. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 19:12:06 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <db91q6ooh1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 14574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

To think in terms of SWR readings is a waste of time and effort.

You are all confusing yourselves. Furiously digging yourselves even
further into the mire.

Go back to square one and begin again from Ohm's Law.

Reg

3302. FA - Icom MB-62 Mobile Bracket for IC-706 series radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 19:34:34 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1121456074.620852.79700@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Fits IC-706 / IC-706 Mk 2 / IC-706 Mk 2G radios
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5789851678&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Variac
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7529747974&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3303. FA - Yaesu FT-2600M 2m mobile radio - Near Mint Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 19:36:55 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1121456215.106009.302000@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14576
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yaesu FT-2600M
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5789861265&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Variac
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7529747974&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3304. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 20:27:57 UTC
From: xpyttl <xpyttl_NOSPAM@earthling.net>
Message-ID: <S3VBe.7763$1Y1.3374@fe02.lga>
Source record: 14577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Roy Lewallen" <w7el@eznec.com> wrote in message
news:11dd9ksc9hoeab5@corp.supernews.com...
> Joeseph wrote:
> > , , ,
>> Assuming you are correct my next problem will stopping the extra
>> frequencies from getting out of the amp in the first place.
>
> No, your problem should be figuring out how to prevent them from getting
> generated in the first place. If the harmonic or spurious content is that
> high, there's something seriously wrong.

Nice answer, Roy. That was my knee-jerk, too.

Joseph, remember, the problem isn't only "stopping them from getting out of the amp...". Those other frequencies are some sort of parasitic in the amplifier. Besides being stuff you don't want going to the antenna, they are robbing your amp of the ability to amplify the frequencies you DO want amplified, and they are unnecessarily heating up your transistors and sapping their life.

So first, keep them from being generated, then stiffen up that low pass filter so anything that does get created is way, way down. Far lower than what will show up as an apparent SWR problem.

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3305. FS Lot of Vintage stuff and amps, tuners, callbooks, etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-15 23:24:06 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <nAXBe.40301$DC2.1743@okepread01>
Source record: 14578

Please see my auctions for Lots of Vintage Stuff, Amps, Tuners, CallBooks,
etc
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3306. FA: Motorola CT-150 & CT-450 UHF Radios-Both go to highest bidder-No reserve !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 05:58:19 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <tn1Ce.14833$HV1.2572@fed1read07>
Source record: 14579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola CT-150 & CT-450 UHF Radios-Both go to highest bidder-No reserve !!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7529273516&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3307. FA: UHF Motorola HT1250 ls Portable Radio-16-Ch Conventional Frequencies-Rapid Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 06:02:42 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <8q1Ce.14834$HV1.13849@fed1read07>
Source record: 14580
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: UHF Motorola HT1250 ls Portable Radio-16-Ch Conventional Frequencies-Rapid Charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7529750909&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3308. Suggstions on 10M Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 12:05:12 UTC
From: Dennis <dkovacs@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <1121515512.780011.224200@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14581

Hi All,
New to ham, former CB'er in the process of obtaining my license. Would appreciate any feedback, advise or suggestions on what is best 10M base station rig. Don't have a lot of $$ but was looking at the Galaxy-2715 or Ranger-2890WX.
Thanx in advance & any info is appreciated.

3309. FA:Simpson KV,WestH. DB meters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 12:45:52 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <4k7Ce.428553$cg1.326100@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.,radio.amateur.homebrew

Two very nice meters: Simpson kv and Westinghouse DB , see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

more things being added, check often, tnx 72 heytubeguy

3310. Re: Suggstions on 10M Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 13:51:19 UTC
From: Steven L Umbach <n9rou@n0-spam-for-me-comcast.net>
Message-ID: <kJSdnT5FpNAQjUTfRVn-rw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14583

I don't know your budget but you can get a brand new real ham radio that covers nine bands with 100 watts for around $545 - the Icom 718. It may not look as fancy as some of the CB base rigs but it will abosutlely blow them away in performance, particualry for the reciever. Going up from there and your options are many as far as rigs. --- Steve KK9ZZ

http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/hamhf/0718.html --- Icom 718
http://www.hamradio.com/ --- one link to ham radio equipment.
http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/947 -- subjective reviews of the Icom 718 and to eham.

"Dennis" <dkovacs@ieee.org> wrote in message
news:1121515512.780011.224200@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Hi All,
> New to ham, former CB'er in the process of obtaining my license. Would
> appreciate any feedback, advise or suggestions on what is best 10M base
> station rig. Don't have a lot of $$ but was looking at the Galaxy-2715
> or Ranger-2890WX.
> Thanx in advance & any info is appreciated.
>

3311. FA: All Items ending this Sunday>List within>Last Call!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 14:38:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <D29Ce.88$Vn2.10@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14449
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Below are links to "stuff" ending tomorrow nite but you might want to check
out stuff ending next week also, like Collins R-390A stuff, S-40 parts, Bird
43 meter, etc!
This link shows all items..GL..
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
All nice stuff.

TRAM TITAN 23-CHANNEL TUBE CB RADIO with COLLINS FILTER
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924550&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

HEATHKIT SB-620 "SCANALYZER" PANADAPTER O'SCOPE>RARE NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924581&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

DRAKE MN-4 MATCHING NETWORK ANTENNA TUNER>A Nice One:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924608&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

COBRA 29 WX NW ST 40-CHANNEL AM MOBILE CB RADIO>NEAT-O
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924635&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

US NAVY AN/URM-120 WATTMETER w/CASE+ELEMENT 1KW<30mhz
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924545&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

HALLICRAFTERS S-40 SW RECEIVER>COMPLETE KNOB SET NICE:)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924600&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

MYOUNG MY-77 MULTI-DISPLAY DMM, BIG DISPLAY> Like Fluke
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5787924574&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

12 NOS RAF HI-QUALITY USA ELECTRONIC RACK PANEL HANDLES
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7529560270&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3312. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 15:49:47 UTC
From: Larry <mcmlviii@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3jsol3Frk2rhU3@individual.net>
Source record: 14584
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie wrote:
> In all honesty to those that ridiculed the tower and it's associated
> riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the category
> 4 hurricane Dennis. I never expected this kind of result...live and learn I
> suppose. Here is the direct link..
>
> 1. http://deepsouthnet.net/storm_damage.html
>

Charlie, there is only one photo on that web page, shown twice. Do you
have a photo of any damage you took after the storm? I could not find
one in http://deepsouthnet.net/images/.

73
N1POP

3313. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 17:29:31 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <dugid11o9pccfd66hven00cr1m8pphgic1@4ax.com>
Source record: 14585

On Sat, 16 Jul 2005 08:49:47 -0700, Larry <mcmlviii@comcast.net>
wrote:

>Charlie wrote:
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>> riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the category
>> 4 hurricane Dennis. I never expected this kind of result...live and learn I
>> suppose. Here is the direct link..
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>
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>have a photo of any damage you took after the storm? I could not find
>one in http://deepsouthnet.net/images/.
>
>73
>N1POP

Looks like it came through unscathed! :-)

Dick - W6CCD

3314. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 18:39:22 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns969576FBBFCBBspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14586
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> In all honesty to those that ridiculed the tower and it's associated
> riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the
> category 4 hurricane Dennis. I never expected this kind of
> result...live and learn I suppose. Here is the direct link..
>
> 1. http://deepsouthnet.net/storm_damage.html
>

Glad your antenna system came through unscathed during your spell of
increased wind. My neighbor came home from the bar, drunk, sucessfully
too. Glad you both are unscathed!

Ed

3315. Re: Suggstions on 10M Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 20:11:25 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <MRdCe.174328$CI1.62970@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14587

Dennis wrote:
> New to ham, former CB'er in the process of obtaining my license.

Congratulations, and welcome to the world of amateur radio.

Those two radios you listed are primarily sold to truckers and other illegal radio operators, not to real hams.

Consider an entry-level multi-band radio that will provide you with much broader horizons and a much better introduction to the breadth of ham radio. Examples include the Icom IC-718, Yaesu FT-840 or Kenwood TS-570.

3316. Re: Suggstions on 10M Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 20:41:01 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrnddis65.lu8.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 14588

In article <1121515512.780011.224200@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
Dennis wrote:
> Hi All,
> New to ham, former CB'er in the process of obtaining my license. Would
> appreciate any feedback, advise or suggestions on what is best 10M base
> station rig. Don't have a lot of $$ but was looking at the Galaxy-2715
> or Ranger-2890WX.

Don't be taken in by the flash of the Galaxy and Ranger. They are
really freeband radios. Some are sold to hams, most are modified to
work on freeband an used illegaly.

10 meters is truely a "magic band". 10 meter propigation is only there
when the sun is "hot". In the summer you get some international propigation,
during the late day (just before sunset is best). During the peak of
a sunspot cycle, you can get worldwide propigation all day and night.

When it's open 25 watts on SSB or CW and you are cooking. When it's dead
1000 watts on CW won't do much.

There are also 10 meter repeaters. Many of them existed before 2m
repeaters and are linked to them. Almost all of them now require a CTCSS
(PL) tone to work them.

When I lived in the Philly I had several conversations with people in
their car in Florida and the midwest using 2m and 440 fm rigs. I
was working them with a 10m FM transceiver. (TS-430). I also brought
my 10m FM handheld with me when I spent some time in D.C. and
worked a linked repeater on it.

If you don't want the FM capability, you should be able to get a Radio
Shack HTX-100 used pretty cheap. They have hot receivers and excelent
transmitters. They only do SSB and CW, but they do it well.

You might also look for a good used miltiband rig. I have a fondness
for Ten-Tec. You can get a Triton IV digital for less than $300.
It was made a long time ago, but there are many that are in good shape.
They lack the bells and whistles of more modern rigs, including
general coverage receivers, WARC bands (5mHz, 10mHz, 17 and 12 meters)
and FM. They do CW and SSB very well. Nothing IMHO beats tuning in
an SSB signal with a PTO (permably tuned oscilator (analog)).

Since you will have passed a morse test, you can get on CW and the
TenTec rigs do QSK (being able to hear the band) between dits and das,
better than anyone else.

If you haven't started to learn morse yet, buy a copy of "Code Quick".
It's the best way of learning morse code ever made and it's about $50.
For me it was the best investment in ham radio I ever made.

Geoff.

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handheld gaming, large systems development, handheld device construction, etc.
Support amateur (ham) radio, boycott Google!!!

3317. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 21:24:01 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11diuoskjn7hrce@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14589
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Larry,
I intentionally posted the very same identical mage twice since there was no damage and no change in the image even had I taken one after the storm cleared. There was no damage here at all to the station in any way.

I NEVER realized my photographic prowess would cause such a stir which included accusations of "misrepresentation" "spoofing" "nice try" and comments about my "shit tower" "crappy installation" etc. I was even ridiculed for not "being in the eye of the hurricane". Gee maybe next time I can request a 200 mph cat 5 hurricane to plow through my backyard.

Be that as it may since human nature and the heart of man are such I simply wanted to show that there was absolutely no damage.

So to "prove" there was no damage here is a link to a snap I just took of the tower. Geesh Louise......
1. http://deepsouthnet.net/images/100_5512.jpg

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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

"Larry" <mcmlviii@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:3jsol3Frk2rhU3@individual.net...
> Charlie wrote:
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>> riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the
>> category 4 hurricane Dennis. I never expected this kind of result...live
>> and learn I suppose. Here is the direct link..
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>> 1. http://deepsouthnet.net/storm_damage.html
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> Charlie, there is only one photo on that web page, shown twice. Do you
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> in http://deepsouthnet.net/images/.
>
> 73
> N1POP

3318. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 21:24:55 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11diuqh6edfqqf7@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14590
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

TY Ed....President Bush has authorized emergency disaster funds for our
county due to "increased winds!"

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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns969576FBBFCBBspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
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>>
>> 1. http://deepsouthnet.net/storm_damage.html
>>
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> Glad your antenna system came through unscathed during your spell of
> increased wind. My neighbor came home from the bar, drunk, sucessfully
> too. Glad you both are unscathed!
>
>
> Ed

3319. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 21:42:15 UTC
From: spaceyfi <spaceyfi5@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1121550135.663755.202010@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14591
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It may not reached that area but it was a large storm so you could get dmaging winds hundreds of miles from where the hurricane hit. While it looks like the pictures don't show damage, it could be further down.

Susan
Future Ham

3320. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 22:07:13 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11dj19nifnkpuf8@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14592
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good God Almighty.....

What will it take to satisfy you folks? How about free airfare to
Mississippi and a personal inspection of my station? For Pete's sake!!!!!

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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

"spaceyfi" <spaceyfi5@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1121550135.663755.202010@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> dmaging winds hundreds of miles from where the hurricane hit. While it
> looks like the pictures don't show damage, it could be further down.
>
> Susan
> Future Ham
>

3321. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 22:18:03 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42d988a1$1_1@spool9-west.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14593
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie wrote:
> What will it take to satisfy you folks?

Probably a bona fide after photo.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3322. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 22:49:37 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11dj3p9kmo00id6@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14594
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Cecil,
Here is the link (again) to the "bona fide" - A F T E R - photo just today.

But ..I can hear it already.."You already repaired the damage!"

1. http://deepsouthnet.net/images/100_5512.jpg

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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

"Cecil Moore" <w5dxp@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:42d988a1$1_1@spool9-west.superfeed.net...
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> Probably a bona fide after photo.
> --
> 73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp
>
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> News==----
> http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+
> Newsgroups
> ----= East and West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption
> =----

3323. QUESTION: Icom IC-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 23:34:44 UTC
From: Timothy@tholtom.freeserve.co.uk
Message-ID: <1121556884.623265.7570@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14595

Anyone know anything about the soon to be released (??) Icom IC-7000?
Is it going to be worth whatever price they are going to charge?
(Assuming it's going to be more than the 703 MkII....)

Maybe it'll depress the prices of the 703 MkII....

Tim

3324. Re: QUESTION: Icom IC-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-16 23:49:17 UTC
From: MARGIE RODGERS <ke5bfa@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <12hCe.3836$Zu1.896@trnddc04>
Source record: 14596

That is IC 706 MKIIG not 703. The IC 7000 isn't supposed to replace the 706 (yeah, right!). Irregardless it is naturally going to be above a grand for it.

<Timothy@tholtom.freeserve.co.uk> wrote in message news:1121556884.623265.7570@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Anyone know anything about the soon to be released (??) Icom IC-7000?
> Is it going to be worth whatever price they are going to charge?
> (Assuming it's going to be more than the 703 MkII....)
>
> Maybe it'll depress the prices of the 703 MkII....
>
> Tim
>

3325. Attn Jonsey re PCS4000 mem battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 00:03:31 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0507161353480.12121@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14597

Jonesy,
Ref replaceing the built in nicad in the PCS4000 to retain the mem
chnls. I would never be able to find that small ni-cad type cell,
so instead I removed the strange 3 stack and routed two wires externally
to a standard lion wireless ph battery. They are kinda expensive at
about $19 at walmart, but the idead worked out great. The lion
will probably last a lot longer than any form of NI-cAD anyway.
Its 3 cells about size of a 3 AA batteries with little white clip
on them. Made sure I got all the +'s and -'s wired correctly.
Now it holds the memory like as if it was brand new. One more thing
however. You said to do a wide spread offset like
142.150 (up) and 143.450 (down) on the AFMARS voice repeater I am still
working on that. You said put the up fqcy in A chnl slot 1 and the
down freqcy in B chnl slot 1 then switch to A-B to get the proper
spred. Correct me if I am wrong.
Joe (aka kilroy)
email is valid so can email aidred if you wish.

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
* Hi State ARMY MARS COORDINATOR *
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b

3326. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 00:17:35 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <sh8jd1lb0ejikkvaflr5eubsdbsiv9830c@4ax.com>
Source record: 14498

On Sat, 16 Jul 2005 16:24:01 -0500, "Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote:

>Hi Larry,
> I intentionally posted the very same identical mage twice since there was
>no damage and no change in the image even had I taken one after the storm
>cleared. There was no damage here at all to the station in any way.

I think the problem was that the thread was titled, AD5TH Tower -
Storm Damage Photos. So naturally we all assumed that there was storm
damage and you were going to show us the damage in the picture.
Apparently, you were trying to show something entirely different.
That the storm DIDN'T damage the tower. Perhaps you should have
titled it, "AD5TH Tower Escapes Storm Damage Photos." It would have
been easier to understand what you were trying to convey, and none of
these negative comments would have been triggered. Glad everything is
OK.

Dick - W6CCD

3327. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 00:48:50 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9695B59D6AB58spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14499
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in news:11diuqh6edfqqf7@news.supernews.com:

> TY Ed....President Bush has authorized emergency disaster funds for our
> county due to "increased winds!"
>

Yeah, I heard. Winds gusting to 59 mph. Just a few months ago we had
winds gusting to 70 here on the Pacific North West coast. Wonder why no
one got disaster funds?

Ed

3328. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 00:59:18 UTC
From: troll finder 2005 <deeeenoregistrar@hotmail.co.uk>
Message-ID: <G3iCe.1412$Hd4.1200@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 14501
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns9695B59D6AB58spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
> "Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in news:11diuqh6edfqqf7@news.supernews.com:
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> > county due to "increased winds!"
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had
> winds gusting to 70 here on the Pacific North West coast. Wonder why no
> one got disaster funds?
>
>
>
> Ed

yea??
well my missus just let rip
it messured 156 on the rectum scale.
do we get a disaster funds?
:)

3329. Re: Attn Jonsey re PCS4000 mem battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 00:59:42 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrnddjbbu.2q8e.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 14500

On Sat, 16 Jul 2005 14:03:31 -1000, Joseph Fenn wrote:
> Jonesy,
> Ref replaceing the built in nicad in the PCS4000 to retain the mem
> chnls. I would never be able to find that small ni-cad type cell,
> so instead I removed the strange 3 stack and routed two wires externally
> to a standard lion wireless ph battery. They are kinda expensive at
> about $19 at walmart, but the idead worked out great. The lion
> will probably last a lot longer than any form of NI-cAD anyway.
> Its 3 cells about size of a 3 AA batteries with little white clip
> on them. Made sure I got all the +'s and -'s wired correctly.
> Now it holds the memory like as if it was brand new.

I'm glad you worked out a solution.

> One more thing
> however. You said to do a wide spread offset like
> 142.150 (up) and 143.450 (down) on the AFMARS voice repeater I am still
> working on that. You said put the up fqcy in A chnl slot 1 and the
> down freqcy in B chnl slot 1 then switch to A-B to get the proper
> spred. Correct me if I am wrong.

OK, correction: It was not me that mentioned that.
I never had a need for non-600 kcs splits.
73
Jonesy
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Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
Pueblo, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
38.24N 104.55W | config.com | DM78rf | SK

3330. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 01:11:11 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9695B967E9BAAspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14502
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>
> What will it take to satisfy you folks? How about free airfare to
> Mississippi and a personal inspection of my station? For Pete's
> sake!!!!!
>

Yah know, Charlie, in retrospect, the only thing that bothers me about your installation is the one guy point as shown in 100_5463.jpg . It just looks a bit unsubstantial in the picture. I would grant that maybe in person, it might seem better.... however, thanks for the offer for free airfare, but I prefer the temps here on the Oregon coast.

Ed K7AAT

3331. WTB: Yaesu FRV-7700 VHF option

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 01:39:40 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <uldjd1d673b773879tqpjdfhv00etoor8c@4ax.com>
Source record: 14503

Looking for a Yaesu FRV-7700 VHF option or the internal one for an
FRG-8800.

3332. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 03:55:32 UTC
From: Larry <mcmlviii@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3ju35sFri1r8U3@individual.net>
Source record: 14504
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charlie wrote:
> Hi Larry,
> I intentionally posted the very same identical mage twice since there was
> no damage and no change in the image even had I taken one after the storm
> cleared. There was no damage here at all to the station in any way.

Good to hear, Charlie, and thanks for the clarification.

> I NEVER realized my photographic prowess would cause such a stir which
> included accusations of "misrepresentation" "spoofing" "nice try" and
> comments about my "shit tower" "crappy installation" etc.

I remind myself that we are amateurs, after all. As such, we might do
things differently from professionals or self-proclaimed professionals.

I also remind myself that this is Usenet, and it attracts all sorts of
opinions and posting styles. Not all of them are worth reading or replying.

73
N1POP

3333. Re: Attn Jonsey re PCS4000 mem battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 05:09:21 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0507161906040.9041@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14505

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
* Hi State ARMY MARS COORDINATOR *
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On Sat, 17 Jul 2005, Allodoxaphobia wrote:

> On Sat, 16 Jul 2005 14:03:31 -1000, Joseph Fenn wrote:
>> Jonesy,
>> Ref replaceing the built in nicad in the PCS4000 to retain the mem
>> chnls. I would never be able to find that small ni-cad type cell,
>> so instead I removed the strange 3 stack and routed two wires externally
>> to a standard lion wireless ph battery. They are kinda expensive at
>> about $19 at walmart, but the idead worked out great. The lion
>> will probably last a lot longer than any form of NI-cAD anyway.
>> Its 3 cells about size of a 3 AA batteries with little white clip
>> on them. Made sure I got all the +'s and -'s wired correctly.
>> Now it holds the memory like as if it was brand new.
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>> 142.150 (up) and 143.450 (down) on the AFMARS voice repeater I am still
>> working on that. You said put the up fqcy in A chnl slot 1 and the
>> down freqcy in B chnl slot 1 then switch to A-B to get the proper
>> spred. Correct me if I am wrong.
>
> OK, correction: It was not me that mentioned that.
> I never had a need for non-600 kcs splits.
> 73
> Jonesy
> --
> Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
> Pueblo, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
> 38.24N 104.55W | config.com | DM78rf | SK
>
Hmmmm thot it was you but guess not. Anyhow seems reasonable
that on odd splits you would use both a and b groups otherwise
can see no other way to do odd splits which are quite common on
MARS systems.
Joe
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3334. Re: Suggstions on 10M Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 07:22:08 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <1121584928.218243.223460@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14506

Dennis wrote:
> Hi All,
> New to ham, former CB'er in the process of obtaining my license. Would
> appreciate any feedback, advise or suggestions on what is best 10M base
> station rig. Don't have a lot of $$ but was looking at the Galaxy-2715
> or Ranger-2890WX.

Junk to the core. Forget 'em.

> Thanx in advance & any info is appreciated.

It's nice to see another CBer "cross the bridge", welcome aboard and
best of luck to you Dennis.

The only 10M-only ham transceievers out there which I know about are
the Radio Shack series of adaptations of their 5 watt Realistic 11M CB
mobile rigs like their 25 watt HTX-100. Which is a lousy radio by most
hams' standards but they work and you can get one for around a hundred
bucks used. You can't beat that no way nohow on a budgetary basis
assuming that all you want out of ham radio at this point in your
development is a cheap and dirty way to get on 10M ssb and CW from
home. Which is a not a very good idea because 10M is dying fast at
this point in the sunspot cycle and you'll wind up talking to yourself
on 10M.

http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/2158

At the risk of being another snotty supremely predjudiced old fart ham
who takes a very dim view of CB radio don't use the term "base station"
which is straight-up CB jive talk. Avoid it. Hams have "desktop rigs",
"mobile rigs, "portable rigs" and vhf/uhf handhelds.

In general you'll have to spend several hundred bucks more for a used
"real" MF/HF ham desktop rig. And a whole lot more on a new desktopper.
But in return you would get would get far better receiver performace,
usually 100 watts out, the ability to operate in the other nine ham
bands below 10M and in most cases you'd also be able to contiuously
tune for shortwave broadcasts and such and even your local AM stations.

There are gobs of those rigs out. Used version can be had for maybe
half of their MSRPs. I have an FT-847 which I bought new for $1,350 on
sale a couple years ago. You can get a used 847 for $700-800 by surfing
around the Web which is quite typical of the kinds of savings you can
find in the used gear market. With a bit of diligence you can find an
oldie but goodie desktopper which does it all for $300.

http://www.eham.net/reviews/products/14

w3rv

3335. Re: QUESTION: Icom IC-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 12:12:34 UTC
From: Manfred Lange <ANTISPAM___ml@fan.net>
Message-ID: <1s3if81q4dhps$.302atgzrl5gd$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 14507

On 16 Jul 2005 16:34:44 -0700, Timothy@tholtom.freeserve.co.uk wrote:

> Anyone know anything about the soon to be released (??) Icom IC-7000?
> Is it going to be worth whatever price they are going to charge?
>

No - it depends on the price!

As I have heard from ICOM Germany, it will not be released before spring
2006. Wait and see!

PDF-Info pre-release:

http://www.radioworld.co.uk/~radio/catalog/images/ic7kpre.pdf

Regards
Manfred
DK3UD

3336. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 12:38:06 UTC
From: Clarke <guy_wire_man_not_highwire@aol.com>
Message-ID: <42DA512D.2C2B85F@aol.com>
Source record: 14508
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good photo,

I don't like the angle between the other two guy cables,
almost 150 deg. or more !

Danger, Will Robinson, Danger !

Charlie wrote:

> Hi Cecil,
> Here is the link (again) to the "bona fide" - A F T E R - photo just today.
>
> But ..I can hear it already.."You already repaired the damage!"
>
> 1. http://deepsouthnet.net/images/100_5512.jpg
>
> --
>
> Charlie
> Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
> www.deepsouthnet.net
>
> "Cecil Moore" <w5dxp@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:42d988a1$1_1@spool9-west.superfeed.net...
> > Charlie wrote:
> >> What will it take to satisfy you folks?
> >
> > Probably a bona fide after photo.
> > --
> > 73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp
> >
> > ----== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com - Unlimited-Uncensored-Secure Usenet
> > News==----
> > http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+
> > Newsgroups
> > ----= East and West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption
> > =----

3337. Re: QUESTION: Icom IC-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 13:59:18 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <hvokd1hjpf1jaue8hd8530o0dupvomn2n4@4ax.com>
Source record: 14509

On 16 Jul 2005 16:34:44 -0700, Timothy@tholtom.freeserve.co.uk wrote:

>Anyone know anything about the soon to be released (??) Icom IC-7000?
>Is it going to be worth whatever price they are going to charge?
>(Assuming it's going to be more than the 703 MkII....)
>
>Maybe it'll depress the prices of the 703 MkII....
>
>Tim

Universal Radio says it will be out in August, but who really knows?
See their info at...

http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/hamhf/0700.html

bob
k5qwg

3338. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 16:36:52 UTC
From: Big Ugly <xxx@xxx.com>
Message-ID: <xxx-A7C7A6.11365317072005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14510
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <11dj3p9kmo00id6@news.supernews.com>,
"Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote:

> Hi Cecil,
> Here is the link (again) to the "bona fide" - A F T E R - photo just today.
>
> But ..I can hear it already.."You already repaired the damage!"
>
> 1. http://deepsouthnet.net/images/100_5512.jpg

looks touched up

3339. Resistor frequency response

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 17:16:09 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dbe3op$c1a$1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 14511

FREQUENCY RESPONSE OF RESISTORS.

Program METALFLM.exe 41 Kbytes.

This program models small low-wattage wire-ended resistors including spiralled metal-film resistors. The model's equivalent circuit is a chain of T and L networks. Values of lumped inductance and stray capacitance are estimated by the program from the component's physical dimensions.

The component with it's terminating leads is treated as a lumped L and C non-uniform transmission line. The program computes input impedance from 10 KHz up to 5 GHz with the other end grounded. Fast and slow frequency sweeps are available to observe maxima and minima of Zin.

Max and min Zin are approximately related to the physical length of the component, including connecting leads, but occur at frequencies far higher than the usual and useful working frequency range.

The reflection cefficient and standing-wave-ratio are calculated with reference to Zo, Zo being the DC value of the resistor. The usefulness of the component as a dummy load or for other purposes at any frequency can then be ascertained.

The effectiveness versus frequency of solid carbon-rod resistors and multi-turn UHF chokes, which are of similar wire-end construction, can also be determined. Chokes can be wound over the bodies of high-value wire-ended resistors, the parallel resistance value perhaps having some desirable effect on the ultimate response.

Another use for resistors having a good high frequency response, or at least a known frequency response, is for ratio arms and switched resistors in impedance bridges and other measuring instruments.

Download METALFLM in a few seconds and run immediately.

....
Regards from Reg, G4FGQ
For Free Radio Design Software go to
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
....

3340. Fantastic Military kW auto coupler for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 19:18:18 UTC
From: Colin Gunn <cgunn@telus.net>
Message-ID: <_9yCe.157795$on1.152688@clgrps13>
Source record: 14512
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Fantastic Military kW auto coupler for sale. Mackay MSR4030 type. Check out ebay at

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5788422677&category=48711&ssPageName=WDVW&rd=1

VE7TNT

3341. IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 21:53:15 UTC
From: Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4rACe.13849$4Q1.6448@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14513

http://csearch.auctions.yahoo.com/cuser?userID=extremeelectronics1&acc=us

IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY

3342. Anybody KNOW what PC Card this is?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 22:03:07 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <ealld1lq82jmt3k3ko9em58nprsunr5uvc@4ax.com>
Source record: 14514

I have a card that I need to find out what it is/does. Does anyone know a site where I can do this?

http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_full.jpg

http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_back.jpg

http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info.jpg

http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info2.jpg

http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info3.jpg

3343. beginner's radio suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 22:15:08 UTC
From: librarian <pam.wren@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1121638508.644146.284520@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14515

Pls give suggestion for a reciever, low to mid-price range and whether
or not I'll need an antenna. thanks

3344. Re: Anybody KNOW what PC Card this is?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-17 23:49:24 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <b8CCe.1282$PL5.166478@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14516

"Scan Da Bands" <vzeip5vc@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:ealld1lq82jmt3k3ko9em58nprsunr5uvc@4ax.com...
>I have a card that I need to find out what it is/does. Does anyone
> know a site where I can do this?
>
> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_full.jpg
>
> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_back.jpg
>
> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info.jpg
>
> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info2.jpg
>
> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info3.jpg

Other than saying the obvious - it's STD-Bus (old!), and has 8085 processor, serial parallel and relay interface, it's a little difficult to say much else unless someone here actually knows it personally. Do you know what it came out of? If you had a decompiler you could disassemble the code in the EPROM, but that'd be a last resort.

I did a quick search on "GEMS" and "MUDFET" but no result. The "multi contorl card" (note spelling mistake) may ring a bell with someone, but again, no result from a quick search. It may be an old monitoring card from GEMS Sensors (www.gemssensors.com) but that's a guess.

Ken

3345. FA: Kenwood TS-450S - Excellent Condition!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-18 05:11:35 UTC
From: Mark Petereit <Mark@You-and-Improved.com>
Message-ID: <1121663495.652377.89060@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14517

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5790387879

Silent Key Auction for Herb Petereit, W0AFY. If you knew Herb, you knew that he was one of the "old timers". One of his first jobs after moving to Omaha, Nebraska, in the 60's was building Galaxy V's at World Radio. He knew his gear inside and out, knew how everything worked, and took a lot of pride in keeping everything running in top shape. For many HAMS in the Omaha area in the 70's and 80's, Herb was the guy to go to when you needed help.

Herb passed away on Veteran's Day, November 11th, 2003, after a severe bout of pneumonia. He was 71 years old.

This auction is for a very nice Kenwood TS-450S AT multi-mode (AM/FM/USB/LSB/CW/FSK) ham transceiver in great condition. It was Herb's secondary rig, so it didn't get much use. As far as I can tell, it never left his hamshack, and was usually covered. It comes with the original shipping box and documentation.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5790387879

3346. Re: beginner's radio suggestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-18 17:48:35 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <TXRCe.389128$ub.376648@fe07.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14518

librarian wrote:
> Pls give suggestion for a reciever, low to mid-price range and whether
> or not I'll need an antenna. thanks

What frequency? Unless you plan on using it to listen to a very close
nearby transmitter, yes, you will need an antenna.

3347. fs mics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-18 21:55:54 UTC
From: clfe <postmaster@clfurent.com>
Message-ID: <MzVCe.19467$Tf5.17866@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 14519

"G" stand D104 - $20
"TUG8" stand D104 $35
Turner +2 microphone $25

Shipping not included. Payable by Postal MO only. Sold AS IS. Worked when last used. Physically in decent shape. Have been stored in protective coverings.

Last offering on "any" news groups. Prices good til midnight 7-18-05 Eastern Time - then they go to E-Bay.
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visit - www.clfurent.com

3348. Re: IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 02:18:23 UTC
From: dutchman2u <DUTCH@ELP.RR.COM>
Message-ID: <1121739503.818087.183550@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14520

well i hope so i just wone the auction on a yeasu ft1000mp mkv
dutch

Jack O'neill wrote:
> http://csearch.auctions.yahoo.com/cuser?userID=extremeelectronics1&acc=us
>
>
> IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY

3349. Re: Suggstions on 10M Equip

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 02:54:04 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <jcqod1pp7p3fhojhsml3vljmaa8rdf4fst@4ax.com>
Source record: 14521

On 16 Jul 2005 05:05:12 -0700, "Dennis" <dkovacs@ieee.org> wrote:

>Hi All,
> New to ham, former CB'er in the process of obtaining my license. Would
>appreciate any feedback, advise or suggestions on what is best 10M base
>station rig. Don't have a lot of $$ but was looking at the Galaxy-2715
>or Ranger-2890WX.
> Thanx in advance & any info is appreciated.

No sense in spending $3-400 for a one band rig, especially when the
sun spot cycle is declining and 10 meters is slowing down, when you
can spend about $5-6-700 for an all band HF-rig like an Icom 718,
Yeasu 840, Kenwood TS-50 or Alinco DX-77T.

Rangers and Galaxys are glorified CB rigs. You can do better.

bob
k5qwg

3350. f.s. Icom Ic-751a transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 03:40:56 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <cD_Ce.11408$5N3.9938@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14522
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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forsale Icom ic-751a hf xcvr, covers 160-10 meters, 100w's output, 500hz cw
filter. have handheld hm-36 mic, power cord
and manual. asking $450 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net
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3351. f.s. am AL-1200 Linear amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 03:40:56 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <cD_Ce.11407$5N3.8469@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14524
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale original black face Ameritron AL-1200 (pre mfj). this amp uses
3cx-1200a7 tube and easily does legal limit.
has peter dahl transformer, dayton blower, eimac tube, socket and
chimney.very nice with manual.
asking $1200 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3352. f.s. Kenwood ts-940sat hf transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 03:40:57 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <dD_Ce.11409$5N3.4301@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14523
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale a Kenwood ts-940sat xcvr, has yk88a am filter, yg-455c cw filter,
mc-60 microphone, sp-940 speaker.
equipment in nice shape, have manuals and boxes for ts-940 and sp-940.
asking $1000 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3353. f.s. AEA pk232mbx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 03:40:58 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <eD_Ce.11410$5N3.9179@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14525
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
software. unit not working and I don't have time
to mess with it. asking $50 here in Phila., Pa. will ship if you pay
shipping. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3354. f.s. Kenwood TL-922a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 03:40:58 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <eD_Ce.11411$5N3.919@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14526
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Kenwood TL-922a linear amp uses 2x 3-500z tubes.have original
shipping carton.
have not tested yet but will put on the air this weekend. if all goes well
will be asking $1000 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3355. Re: Anybody KNOW what PC Card this is?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 05:29:47 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <qt3pd1l9mnh7tm94rfa04fe9c7ro22lstr@4ax.com>
Source record: 14527

Ken thanks for the info 100%.

On Mon, 18 Jul 2005 11:49:24 +1200, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
wrote:

>"Scan Da Bands" <vzeip5vc@verizon.net> wrote in message
>news:ealld1lq82jmt3k3ko9em58nprsunr5uvc@4ax.com...
>>I have a card that I need to find out what it is/does. Does anyone
>> know a site where I can do this?
>>
>> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_full.jpg
>>
>> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_back.jpg
>>
>> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info.jpg
>>
>> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info2.jpg
>>
>> http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/card/card_info3.jpg
>
>Other than saying the obvious - it's STD-Bus (old!), and has 8085 processor,
>serial parallel and relay interface, it's a little difficult to say much
>else unless someone here actually knows it personally. Do you know what it
>came out of? If you had a decompiler you could disassemble the code in the
>EPROM, but that'd be a last resort.
>
>I did a quick search on "GEMS" and "MUDFET" but no result. The "multi
>contorl card" (note spelling mistake) may ring a bell with someone, but
>again, no result from a quick search. It may be an old monitoring card from
>GEMS Sensors (www.gemssensors.com) but that's a guess.
>
>Ken
>

3356. Interesting Marconi BH-30 Linear Amplifier For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 06:08:08 UTC
From: Colin Gunn <cgunn@telus.net>
Message-ID: <cN0De.137878$tt5.23122@edtnps90>
Source record: 14528
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Check out http://www3.telus.net/ve7tnt/ for a unique auto-tune 2x 300-5z linear amplifier for sale.

Ve7TNT

3357. Re: Wanted: Kenwood R-600 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 10:08:17 UTC
From: Vincent <vincze33@starmail.com>
Message-ID: <Xns96987B7A0DF40vincze33starmailcom@193.204.121.65>
Source record: 14529

Il /08 lug 2005/, *Scan Da Bands* ha scritto:

> Anybody have a Users manual in .pdf form they could send me ?
>
> P-L-E-A-S-E !!!!!!

Look here:

http://www.hamdirectory.info/KENWOOD_RX.html

Bye from Italy, ciao.

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Stars shine like eyes

3358. Wanted: Drake 2B receiver parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 12:23:46 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <mh6De.2$b06.1@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 14530
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Anyone parting out a Drake 2B receiver?

I need the following parts:

(1) "Preselector" air variable capacitor assembly
(2) crystal for 28.0 - 28.5 MHz (10m CW)
(3) crystal for 10.0 - 10.5 MHz (30m)

I suspect that 2A parts will also work.
I know that 4-Line parts will not work.

73,
Dean K5DH

3359. FA: Collins R-390A Radio Parts>IF Unit, Antenna Relay, Name Tag!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 13:40:16 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <6p7De.84$sf6.83@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14531
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

COLLINS R-390A FINAL I.F. UNIT>ALL FILTERS>MOTOROLA '56
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697637&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A ANTENNA RELAY W/screws>MOTOROLA
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697617&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A NAME PLATE TAG with 4 SCREWS>NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697606&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3360. FA: Hallicrafters S-40 Parts>Like-New BIRD 43>YAESU Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 13:43:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9s7De.88$sf6.2@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14532
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

TWO(2) ORIGINAL HALLICRAFTERS S-40 RADIO DIALS>NICE>NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697582&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

BEAUTIFUL BIRD ELECTRONCS model 43 WATTMETER>LIKE NEW!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697649&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

YAESU YD-844 Hi-Z DYNAMIC PTT DESK MICROPHONE>Tech Spec
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697551&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3361. FA: VOMAX VTVM w/Box 1947>ROBOT 400 W/Camera>Meteor Headphones 2K

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 13:47:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <cw7De.89$sf6.42@fe08.lga>
Source record: 14533
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

VINTAGE METEOR 2000 OHM HEADPHONES>Great>Crystal radios
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697573&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

McMURDO SILVER 900 "VOMAX" SIGNAL TRACER & VTVM in BOX
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531293786&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ROBOT 400 SSTV CONVERTER & HITACHI CCTV CAMERA>NICE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697596&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

"TONS" 5lbs of NOS RESISTORS-CAPS-PARTS->4-Builders>NR!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531293812&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES>USA:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531799570&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3362. FS: Radio marine manuals.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 14:16:16 UTC
From: Mike <mlinger@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <dbj1vg$pj1$1@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 14534

FS: I have about 5 or 6 legal size boxes of Marine radio service manuals. I got them from a friend who used to work at Radio Holland in Houston. They service shipboard radio equipment and when the ships dumped HF radios for satellite stuff he got a pile of their old manuals. No, I am not going to look for a specific manual in all that stuff but I am going to offer it all as one lot to whomever might need the stuff. Some of the names I saw in there (many more too) are Sailor, Motorola, Data Marine, SAIT, Marconi Marine, MacKay, Icom, Debeg, etc. If anyone is interested before I post it all on eBay, let me know. $125 takes all. Located in TX 77840.

3363. Re: Wanted: Kenwood R-600 MANUAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 17:08:47 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <cscqd1lhiug1ih996tge36d84vodggta0l@4ax.com>
Source record: 14535

THANKS - GOT IT !!!

On Tue, 19 Jul 2005 12:08:17 +0200, Vincent <vincze33@starmail.com>
wrote:

>Il /08 lug 2005/, *Scan Da Bands* ha scritto:
>
>> Anybody have a Users manual in .pdf form they could send me ?
>>
>> P-L-E-A-S-E !!!!!!
>
>Look here:
>
>http://www.hamdirectory.info/KENWOOD_RX.html
>
>Bye from Italy, ciao.

3364. WTD: Collins parts sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 17:42:01 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96986D4705724spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 14536

I have a Collins 51S1-1 receiver in need of some mechanical parts for a restoration project, primarily needing the perferated metal case. Can anyone point me to a source for such parts? Thanks.

Ed K7AAT

3365. Re: IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-19 20:36:09 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <1vdDe.1729$PL5.203887@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14537

Keep us posted......

Ken

"dutchman2u" <DUTCH@ELP.RR.COM> wrote in message
news:1121739503.818087.183550@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> well i hope so i just wone the auction on a yeasu ft1000mp mkv
> dutch
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> Jack O'neill wrote:
>> http://csearch.auctions.yahoo.com/cuser?userID=extremeelectronics1&acc=us
>>
>>
>> IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY
>

3366. Re: Wanted: Drake 2B receiver parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 00:47:50 UTC
From: gb <onw9mapsgb@no.arrl.spam.net>
Message-ID: <U9WdnQl6frndAkDfRVn-jg@comcast.com>
Source record: 14538
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

"--=H=--" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
news:mh6De.2$b06.1@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
> Anyone parting out a Drake 2B receiver?
>
> I need the following parts:
>
> (1) "Preselector" air variable capacitor assembly
> (2) crystal for 28.0 - 28.5 MHz (10m CW)
> (3) crystal for 10.0 - 10.5 MHz (30m)
>
> I suspect that 2A parts will also work.
> I know that 4-Line parts will not work.
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

Well the crystals can be obtained from the normal crystal makers.

For the air variable - I would try Oren Elliott Products (largest mfg in US) - who supplied air variable capacitors for many manufacturers (Heath, Collins, etc.)
http://www.orenelliottproducts.com/capacito.htm

w9gb

3367. Re: WTD: Collins parts sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 00:52:48 UTC
From: Larry <wa9vrh@mtco.com>
Message-ID: <42DDA060.1050302@mtco.com>
Source record: 14539

Hi Ed,

You might give the Collins Collectors Association reflector a try. Go
to www.collinsradio.org where you can sign up for the reflector
and then post a message with a want list.

73 Larry WA9VRH
Collins Collectrors Association Archive Manager

Ed wrote:

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>restoration project, primarily needing the perferated metal case. Can
>anyone point me to a source for such parts? Thanks.
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>
> Ed K7AAT
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>

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3368. Re: IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 01:41:22 UTC
From: Jack O'neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <42DDABC2.4020406@optonline.net>
Source record: 14540

Please let all of us know if all goes well with this guy and you have
the radio.
Seems to me and others that this guy is selling these high end radios
WAY to cheap.
Red flags are popping up all over the place!
I really hope he is on the up and up.
AND I hope you can pay with Paypal. At least
you will be able to get your money back.
All of his auctions are over now??
Good luck and let us know.

73
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dutchman2u wrote:

>well i hope so i just wone the auction on a yeasu ft1000mp mkv
>dutch
>
>Jack O'neill wrote:
>
>
>>http://csearch.auctions.yahoo.com/cuser?userID=extremeelectronics1&acc=us
>>
>>
>>IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY
>>
>>
>
>
>

3369. Re: WTD: Collins parts sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 03:36:58 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9698D225B5563spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 14541

>
> You might give the Collins Collectors Association reflector a try.
> Go to www.collinsradio.org where you can sign up for the reflector
> and then post a message with a want list.
>
> 73 Larry WA9VRH
> Collins Collectrors Association Archive Manager

Thanks Larry. I will do just that. It looks like I've taken on a rather expensive proposition in the refurbishment of this old Rx given me. I hope it is worth it!

Ed K7AAT

3370. Force 12 Sigma-5 Vertical Dipole on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 04:52:13 UTC
From: rfpexec@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1121835133.170769.302590@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14542

Hi,

I am selling my Force 12 sigma-5 Vertical dipole antenna on ebay.

I have the ability to ship it anywhere in the world.

To see the antenna click on this link:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5790843071&category=4672&ssPageName=WDVW&rd=1

If that link does no work for you, go to: http://ebay.com and do a
search for: force 12 sigma-5

Thanks for looking.

73s

Bill

3371. Re: Wanted: Drake 2B receiver parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 12:18:34 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <uirDe.1$N26.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 14543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I know that I can buy crystals from the "usual suspects".
I was hoping someone had them lying around.

The air variable cap needs to come from a 2B. It's not
an off-the-shelf type of part, plus it has a built-in
vernier drive and the right shaft diameters, so I can't
use a generic part. Having one custom-built would cost
more than the radio is worth.

So... the search goes on...

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <U9WdnQl6frndAkDfRVn-jg@comcast.com>, onw9mapsgb@no.arrl.spam.net
says...
>
>"--=H=--" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
>news:mh6De.2$b06.1@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
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>>
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>>
>> 73,
>> Dean K5DH
>>
>
>Well the crystals can be obtained from the normal crystal makers.
>
>For the air variable - I would try Oren Elliott Products (largest mfg in
>
>US) - who supplied air variable capacitors for many manufacturers (Heath
>,
>Collins, etc.)
>http://www.orenelliottproducts.com/capacito.htm
>
>w9gb

>
>

3372. FA: 71A, 6146A, 5Y3/6087 TUBES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 13:04:06 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <aZrDe.15936$5N3.5221@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

See these tubes at :

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

other tubes and items coming as well. Check back often, tnx heytubeguy

3373. Dead SR-150 ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 13:22:38 UTC
From: WD=?ISO-8859-1?B?2A==?=HCO <wd0hco@ev1.net>
Message-ID: <BF03BA4D.10BB%wd0hco@ev1.net>
Source record: 14545

I looking for one....

tnx es 73 de WDï¿½HCO

3374. WANTED TO BUY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 19:04:19 UTC
From: Dennis Griffin <w4dg@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <TexDe.11461$iG6.5875@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 14546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Want to buy: Heathkit HP-14 DC power supply (IN ANY CONDITION), for the Heathkit HA-14 Compact KW Mobile Amplifier. Please state condition, price and if cables are included via email w4dg@tampabay.rr.com or telephone (727) 391-9912.

3375. Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-20 20:07:56 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2007051607560001@aca846b6.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14547

My trusty Sears/Generac 3500 watt generator worked like a champ in the 12 days I was out of power during one of last year's hurricanes. However it is too big to fit in my car to take to some other site such as on Field Day.

When I saw the 3000 watt generators in Walmart, they appeared to be small enough to fit in the trunk of my car, and looked well made. They are made in China, and carry the "ETQ" brand from Eastern Tools and Equipment company, model TG3000. They cost somewhat less than similar Sears, Briggs & Stratton, et cetera generators.

The generator comes with a manual, a tool kit in a pouch and a small round screen that may be intended to be installed in the exhaust pipe as a spark arrestor.

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The most serious negative observation was that routine maintenance items appear to be proprietary. Part numbers given are ETQ3000TG62 for the spark plug, and ETQ3000TG76 for the air filter element. Five years from now when new ones are needed, will the company still be there? I expect there are commonly available parts that would work, but how can you be sure you have the right spark plug?

73, Fred, K4DII

3376. Re: Autek WM1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-21 03:28:02 UTC
From: nx7u@arrl.net
Message-ID: <42df1636.6415558@news.west.cox.net>
Source record: 14448

Love mine, wouldn't trade it for any competitor.

On Wed, 20 Jul 2005 06:06:35 GMT, Just&#65533;n K&#65533;se
<chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:

>Just ordered my WM1 based on several recommendations from friends, and
>have also read horror stories on eHam too. Does anyone currently reading
>this group have experience they'd care to share?
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>
>JK

3377. D.I.Y. Pirate Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-21 12:21:18 UTC
From: k2 <drmongo@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1121948478.564191.202500@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14450

I remember when I was a youth there used to be loads of FM pirate radio stations round our way (Sheffield, UK). All the latest underground tunes were played - no commercial sh*t.

Nowadays there seems to be hardly any. What's the deal with that?

Me and my mates have been considering setting up our own FM station and we've come across this site:

http://www.broadcastrepublic.co.uk

They look like professionals to us and their prices seem pretty good - Transmitters from £280 and Complete Broadcast Packages from £600.

Anyone else used them?

Cheers,
k2

3378. FA: $10>"TONS" 5lbs of NOS RESISTORS-CAPS-PARTS->4-Builders>NR!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-21 14:01:15 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <NUNDe.2349$Qy1.610@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14451
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531293812&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3379. FA: Much Stuff, All winners>Collins R-390A parts, etc!

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Date: 2005-07-21 14:03:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <6XNDe.2350$Qy1.1592@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14452
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.video.marketplace

Hi All;
All these items are winners and end sunday nite, no junk here, please check them out!
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3380. FS Kenwood TS-520

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-21 15:01:23 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <6NODe.40465$DC2.36762@okepread01>
Source record: 14453

I have a very good Kenwood TS-520 for sale. It is in nice cosmetic condition
and works great. This one has the AC and DC power supplies built in.
It come with the manual and the AC power cord. Price is $175 plus shipping
from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3381. Re: IS THIS GUY FOR REAL??? YAHOO AUCTIONS, SOUNDS TOOO FISHY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-21 15:16:23 UTC
From: dutchman2u <DUTCH@ELP.RR.COM>
Message-ID: <1121958983.059350.119130@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14454

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697596&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

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Date: 2005-07-21 23:42:01 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <gjc0e1dvk5mo70qfq5k6sbe07eprpne2mf@4ax.com>
Source record: 14459
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 11 Jul 2005 15:44:23 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>There are no distortions Ken. The tower looks the same the day before Dennis
>as it does now the day after. The WHOLE POINT in using 2 identical photos
>was to illustrate that there IS NO DIFFERENCE after the storm.
>
>I have been on Usenet for 20 years or more and it is always the
>same....people just wait in the wings to take pot shots at others. I posted
>a link to the tower photos and all I got was ridicule and cuss words.
>
>Now that it survived the affects of hurricane Dennis I get accusations that
>Dennis never even came near my home.
>You guys can all go fish..or any other "F" word you might be able to think
>of.
>
>Sorry to rob you all of the splendor of viewing my new tower down on the
>ground.
>
>You fuckers are all a bunch of real sick bastards.

What a bunch of passive-aggressive crap. If you really wanted
to make the point, you would have posted an honest "after" shot, not
your smartass little duplicate.

3387. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-21 23:46:00 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <jsc0e1hvkio6e1nhjqrhjgorgjns5lhpgb@4ax.com>
Source record: 14460
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 17 Jul 2005 00:48:50 GMT, Ed
<Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:

>"Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in news:11diuqh6edfqqf7@news.supernews.com:
>
>> TY Ed....President Bush has authorized emergency disaster funds for our
>> county due to "increased winds!"
>>
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>
> Yeah, I heard. Winds gusting to 59 mph. Just a few months ago we had
>winds gusting to 70 here on the Pacific North West coast. Wonder why no
>one got disaster funds?
>
>

Because less than a third of your population is named Bubba.

>
> Ed

3388. SB200 mods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 01:20:43 UTC
From: "Fred Maxwell"
Message-ID: <l2i0e1le42iu504qsl639srer7c14g7fn8@4ax.com>
Source record: 14461

I have a 200 that has never been touched.

Since I have had a stroke (at 49!) from high cholesterol, I am not able to box it up and ship it to have the latest mods.

I could have someone loads it in the back of my car however and take it to be modified with the updates.

My question is this: What place closest to Greenville, South Carolina does the mods on the SB 200. I am a teacher, but on a Saturday, I will gladly deliver it to whomever will modify it for me!!

Thanks!!

Please reply to my e-mail since I do not get to check this site often...

Fred Maxwell
WA4PAV
fcm2@ nospam ix.netcom.com

3389. Re: D.I.Y. Pirate Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 02:58:15 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <2ln0e1ta8q17f3odf1d6lmki39utv5b5ov@4ax.com>
Source record: 14462

On 21 Jul 2005 05:21:18 -0700, "k2" <drmongo@gmail.com> wrote:

>I remember when I was a youth there used to be loads of FM pirate radio
>stations round our way (Sheffield, UK). All the latest underground
>tunes were played - no commercial sh*t.
>
>Nowadays there seems to be hardly any. What's the deal with that?
>
>Me and my mates have been considering setting up our own FM station and
>we've come across this site:
>
>http://www.broadcastrepublic.co.uk
>
>They look like professionals to us and their prices seem pretty good -
>Transmitters from ï¿½280 and Complete Broadcast Packages from ï¿½600.
>
>Anyone else used them?
>
>Cheers,
>k2

This doesn't directly address your question, but a really strange
story showed up in The Progressive. Clear Channel, the owner of about
1,200 radio stations in the U.S., tried to dupe listeners in Akron,
Ohio, by posing as an anti-corporate pirate radio station. "Via audio
trickery, Clear Channel made it sound as though some pirate radio
signals from 'Radio Free Ohio' were bleeding into several of the
stations it owns."

The 'pirate' signals were lashing out at corporate radio, and, of
course, there's no more corporate, conservative, right-wing owner of
radio stations in America than Clear Channel.

Weird.

Bob
k5qwg

3390. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 03:18:47 UTC
From: Bob Schreibmaier <k3ph@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <u8icnUoGOLMI-H3fUSdV9g@ptd.net>
Source record: 14463

In article <fmmck-20070516075600001@aca846b6.ipt.aol.com>, fmmck@aol.com says...
>There is also a question about whether the 3000 watts is peak or
>continuous power, depending on whether you go by the manual that came with
>it (peak) or the manual downloaded from the ETQ web site (continuous).

The web site seems to indicate 2.5 KW continous, 3 KW maximum.

73,
Bob

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+---+
| Bob Schreibmaier K3PH | E-mail: k3ph@ptd.net |
| Kresgeville, PA 18333 | http://www.dxis.org |
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3391. Re: Autek WM1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 03:31:36 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <42E0689C.A1E45822@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 14464

I bought a new one about 15 or 18 months ago (lighted meters) and love it. Thinking about buying another to replace an older unit (of another brand) that doesn't have a remote sensor.

If I were the complaining type, the only things I could find wrong with it are the relatively open back (the "on" led can be lit by ambient light coming in through the window from behind the unit), and there have been a couple of times I would have preferred to unplug the remote head to reroute cables...

Operationally it's great, works fine and the calibration of the power meter was pretty close right out of the box.

Now that you bring it up, I should probably go ahead and order the second one while I have a few bucks in the equipment fund and before I forget...

Thanks
Rick -- AH7H

"Justï¿½n Kï¿½se" wrote:

> Just ordered my WM1 based on several recommendations from friends, and
> have also read horror stories on eHam too. Does anyone currently reading
> this group have experience they'd care to share?
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>
> JK

3392. Collins 30S-1 Linear for Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 04:15:37 UTC
From: paul.baldock@verizon.net
Message-ID: <Jp_De.11687$JJ.1782@trnddc09>
Source record: 14465
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Collins 30S1 $1500.00. Buyer Collect from WA 98282

Has been my main station amp for the last 15 or so years.

>1200W output on all bands, using a 4CX1500B.

Works perfectly both electrically and mechanically.

Case has a few scratches but not bad for 40 years old, and has a hole drilled to access the bias control.

Emblem is missing.

Front panel, dials and meters look almost perfect.

Solid State Rectifier.

Solid State Time Delay Relay.

Military pull-out 4CX1500B. I have 3 of these. $150.00 each, or $400.00 for the 3.

New 4CX1500B. 1 only at $250.00

Buy the Amp and all the tubes for $2000.00. Buyer collect.

EMail pbaldock@verizon.net

3393. Re: 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 06:21:47 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0507212020150.4561@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14466
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Mr Kubichek,
Were you by any chance out here in Hawaii for some years back
as we had a Capt Kubichek that was involved with our MARS bbS
which I used many times.????
Joe ABM6JF

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
* Hi State ARMY MARS COORDINATOR *
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3394. ICOM 725

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 11:18:54 UTC
From: steve carey <scarey@tds.net>
Message-ID: <42e0d5f4_3@newspeer2.tds.net>
Source record: 14467

LOOKING FOR UI-7 AM/FM BOARD FOR ICOM 725 THANKS STEVE

3395. FA: Last few hours for Collins/Heath 6146A's(Syl)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 12:46:28 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <EU5Ee.22377$5N3.18030@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14468
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

NOS Sylvania 6146A'S X2, for some Colling/ heath etc that need 'A' 6146,
SEE AT:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Other stuff coming along, thanks for looking: heytubeguy

3396. FA:VY RARE/NICE McMurdo Silver 5C+'Buy it now'

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 15:24:42 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <_c8Ee.22749$5N3.3598@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

FA at ebay address below. Pse read description and shipping info carefully
on this very rare working unit from 1932-33 era:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx 73, heytueguy

3397. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 15:25:16 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2207051125160001@ac9f4bda.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14470

In article <u8icnUoGOLMI-H3fUSdV9g@ptd.net>, Bob Schreibmaier
<k3ph@ptd.net> wrote:

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I believe the manual may have been assembled from parts of other manuals, not created for this specific machine.

As Justin suggested, I plan to look for an equivalent spark plug. The one in mine is marked "LD F7TC". I found that the F7TC is made by two Chinese companies, SG and LD. However, the only source is an importer with a 10,000 plug minimum order! Then there was a discrepancy in the importer's picture of the plug. Mine has a threaded electrode (even though it uses a push-on cap), but the picture did not have a threaded electrode unless there is a piece that unscrews. I found one reference to an NGK BPR7ES as a possible equivalent, but there was a huge disclaimer message associated with it.

73, Fred, K4DII

3398. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 15:40:21 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3kcib5Fsvjs3U1@individual.net>
Source record: 14471

Try this link, it show that the Bosch W7 BC plug as a cross reference
to the F7TC plug...

http://www.trantek.com/file/plugs.htm

Once you know the Bosch, you should be able to cross reference it to the
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Date: 2005-07-22 15:45:04 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3kcijvFsvjs3U2@individual.net>
Source record: 14472

As a further note, check these cross references..

http://moped2.org/aspforum/display_message.asp?mid=753

motorcraft: ae32
bosch: w7bc
champion: l87yc
ngk: bp6hs

Bob N9LVU

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3400. FA: NIB 6JE6C Tubes, Linear Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 16:42:56 UTC
From: tw@emailaccount.com
Message-ID: <1122050576.567044.229000@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14473
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

New-in-box pair of Sylvania 6JE6C / 6LQ6 Tubes, fully tested:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5790299885

Worldwide shipping available.

3401. FA - Hi Sierra HS-1500 - Needs repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 18:53:55 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1122058435.415877.249850@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14474
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Sierra HS-1500 - Needs repair - low opening bid - click the link
for a complete desctiption -
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5791724898&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

3402. FA: Motorola CP-200 438-470 Portable Radio-Auction

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 22:23:36 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <HIeEe.16437$HV1.12712@fed1read07>
Source record: 14475
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola CP-200 438-470 Portable Radio-Auction

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531628388&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3403. FA: 3 Motorola SP-50 + Radios with Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 22:25:42 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <FneEe.16438$HV1.6170@fed1read07>
Source record: 14476
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: 3 Motorola SP-50 + Radios with Chargers

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531710338&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3404. FA: MJF-941D HF-Antenna Versa-Tuner-NR-Good Condition-Currently $5.50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 22:29:09 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <7seEe.16439$HV1.9415@fed1read07>
Source record: 14477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5790135981&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3405. FA: LED Readout Panel-For Building a Large Digital Clock-No Reserve $1.00

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 22:32:35 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <7ueEe.16444$HV1.11194@fed1read07>
Source record: 14478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: LED Readout Panel-For Building a Large Digital Clock-No Reserve $1.00

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5790144118&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3406. FA: Motorola HT1250 ls "Plus"Portable Radio-Charger-With "Voice Storage" Option

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-22 22:36:12 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <zxeEe.16448$HV1.6866@fed1read07>
Source record: 14479
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7533105838&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3407. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 05:09:28 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2307050109280001@ac930cfa.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14480

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Bob-

Thanks for the tip. You were apparently more successful than I at finding data on the F7TC.

Using the Bosch W7BC number with a search engine, I found the Enker web site, that had a cross reference between several companies. Their list also includes some dimensional data. Unfortunately the W7BC plug has only a 1/2 inch threaded "reach". The F7TC has a 3/4 inch thread, if I understand what they mean by reach. (The Bosch W7CC and NKG B7ES are plugs that fall in this category.)

The plug is gapped at 0.030". Thread diameter appears to be 13.7 mm, but I think it is within tolerance of the common 14mm. The top electrode appears to match a 36 tpi thread guage. An 8-32 nut doesn't quite fit. I think it is a metric thread, 3.5 mm OD with a pitch of 1.4 or 1.5 mm.

I measured the DC resistance between the top electrode and where it comes out the bottom. The reading was around 2 Ohms, but that could be the result of contact resistance. I assume it is not a resistance-type plug.

73, Fred, K4DII

3408. Ramsey MW-BCB-SW antenna kit on Ebay.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 05:58:33 UTC
From: Fat Jack <jack_10410@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1122098313.748247.272880@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

complete unbuilt kit, covers 500khz to 15mhz continuous coverage;
the antenna sells for 89.95 at ramsey
view it at
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5791531537
it's item no 5791531537 if the link doesn't work
opening bid is 30.00, there is no reserve,
full details and specs at
http://www.ramseyelectronics.com/cgi-bin/commerce.exe?preadd=action&key=SM100

3409. TE Systems 1452G - Photos and Manual online

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 12:46:07 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11e4f174jor8l7b@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14482
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Photos of outside and inside of 1452G. Also link to download owners / service manual.

1. http://www.ad5th.com/te-systems-1452g.html

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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

3410. FA:Heath: SQ-1, SG-7 (not SG-1),VY Nice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 13:31:26 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <OErEe.471168$cg1.189960@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14483
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Two Heathkit test instruments: tubes checked/replaced, old tubular caps/electrolytics replaced, guaranteed not DOA: NOTE: SG-7 IS MISLABELED IN TITLE AS SG-1: See at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

ALSO TAKE A LOOK AT THE McMURDO SILVER 5C!!, TNX 73 heytubeguy

3411. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 13:42:26 UTC
From: Gary <danahers@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <JNWdnQecyJXX1H_fRVn-vw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14484
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Me thinks charlie is a kook.

With all this attention, one might think that someone in his county might hear of this and take a second look at the engineering. It might be true that being in the boonies, nobody really cared at the time when Charlie said he was goin' to put up a tower, But now that it is there, looking like a ride at CB World, they might want to review it. We also need to keep an eye on the SK list. Something could happen to innocent folks if it falls the wrong direction, and in my experience there is no right direction for a tower to fall.

3412. FA: Sony Video Cable, Optimus Tape Deck, Sennheier 1968 Catalogue!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 13:50:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <WWrEe.6816$El3.2410@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14486
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.video.marketplace

All right here & great deals!>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3413. FA: Zenith R7000-2, Mil-Spec test leads, Uniden SSB CB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 13:52:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <AYrEe.6817$El3.3428@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14485
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All Right here with cheep prices & Clean>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3414. FA: Mint Triplett 630-NA VOM, Collins R-390A Parts, Hallicrafters S-40 Parts, MORE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 13:53:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <LZrEe.6819$EI3.5006@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14488
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

All Right here with cheep prices & Clean>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3415. FA: List for Sunday nite, Don't miss these, nice prices!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 13:55:07 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <1%rEe.6820$EI3.3229@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14487
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.video.marketplace

VINTAGE METEOR 2000 OHM HEADPHONES>Great>Crystal radios
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697573&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

McMURDO SILVER 900 "VOMAX" SIGNAL TRACER & VTVM in BOX
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531293786&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ROBOT 400 SSTV CONVERTER & HITACHI CCTV CAMERA>NICE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5789697596&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

"TONS" 5lbs of NOS RESISTORS-CAPS-PARTS->4-Builders>NR!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531293812&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES>USA:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531799570&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3416. FA Ending today: SM-220, TS-570SG, NCL-2000, B&W370 SSB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 14:27:08 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <WssEe.40535$DC2.4577@okepread01>
Source record: 14489

Please see my auctions ending soon: Many items including SM-220, TS-570SG,
NCL-2000, B&W370 SSB Adaptor, SB-200, MC-60A,
Many More Items including some nice Vintage Gear. See at:
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3417. Re: Ramsey MW-BCB-SW antenna kit on Ebay.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 15:37:09 UTC
From: "ars_wa8mea@netzero.com" <ars_wa8mea@netzero.com>
Message-ID: <1122133029.704670.14570@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Or better yet, get yourself a proven performer of an antenna from DWM
Communications (Since 1989!) for MUCH LESS!

http://qth.com/dwm

73, Bill - WA8MEA
Host, DX Radio School

Fat Jack wrote:
> complete unbuilt kit, covers 500khz to 15mhz continuous coverage;
> the antenna sells for 89.95 at ramsey
> view it at
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5791531537
> it's item no 5791531537 if the link doesn't work
> opening bid is 30.00, there is no reserve,
> full details and specs at
> http://www.ramseyelectronics.com/cgi-bin/commerce.exe?preadd=action&key=SM100

3418. Re: Ramsey MW-BCB-SW antenna kit on Ebay.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 15:40:38 UTC
From: dxAce <dxace@milestones.com>
Message-ID: <42E264F6.59FD7C76@milestones.com>
Source record: 14491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"ars_wa8mea@netzero.com" wrote:

> Or better yet, get yourself a proven performer of an antenna from DWM
> Communications (Since 1989!) for MUCH LESS!
>
> http://qth.com/dwm
>
> 73, Bill - WA8MEA
> Host, DX Radio School

Damn... the maker of the totally worthless 'Tiny Tenna'!

dxAce
Michigan
USA

http://www.iserv.net/~n8kdv/dxpage.htm

3419. FS: Numerous ham items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 18:37:42 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <W7wEe.40833$e%5.26447@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 14492

http://members5.boardhost.com/kc2ftn/

3420. Re: Ramsey MW-BCB-SW antenna kit on Ebay.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 19:13:39 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1122146019.854068.138170@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14493
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

dxAce wrote:
> #*@* ... the maker of the totally worthless 'Tiny Tenna'!

Now now Mr. Ace .. those are such harsh words.

Perhaps we should call for testimonials from users of the Tiny-Tenna.
Get the info first hand. They could check in with basic info:
- name
- location
- what's the DX-iest station they ever heard with their Tiny-Tenna.
- what radio they use with their tiny-tenna
- do they wish the FCC would dump the code test from a ham license.

We could even give prizes.
First prize - Kevin will mention your name on The Great Liberty Net.
Second prize - Kind Jewish Indian will mention your name to "the
friendlies".
Third prize - the Tiny-Tenna user gets to hang out with Nashville Joe
at the Huntsville hamfest.

There - that oughta bring out a few million testimonials. We predict
(no pun intended) that they'd all be from Mr. Davies, though.

3421. FS Ending Today, MLA2500, CM-2 Tunned Input, WaCom 440 Duplexers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 19:16:42 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <nIwEe.40551$DC2.39970@okepread01>
Source record: 14494

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3422. Re: Ramsey MW-BCB-SW antenna kit on Ebay.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 19:24:26 UTC
From: John Smith <assemblywizard@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <PPwEe.464$wR4.5756041@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 14495
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

KK4TL:

Naaa, we'd much rather hear test-a-moan'ials from those people duped into buying Wayne Greene's silver wire and battery and making "colloidal silver" and the medical miracles which have been produced from drinking it!!! <grin>

For get a one-transistor antenna preamp which boosts the noise floor in direct proportion with the signal desired!!! That any ma'roon knows is a waste of money!

John

"kk4tl" <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message news:1122146019.854068.138170@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> dxAce wrote:
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>
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> Joe
> at the Huntsville hamfest.
>
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> predict
> (no pun intended) that they'd all be from Mr. Davies, though.
>

3423. Re: Astatic D-104 wired for Icom w/ K0SF amp board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 19:28:18 UTC
From: k0sf <k0sf.1sn5bq@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <k0sf.1sn5bq@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 14496

I happened across these comments on the D104 mic buffer. For now, the ampmicro website is dead. But, I still sell the amp buffers, and I provide support for fixes and modifications for users, new or from re-sale.

I have modified the circuit slightly since '99 to enhance bass response. Also, there is a FET based amplifier that works in some applications, but the author missed two points regarding my buffer:

1.) The FET buffer is single-ended, mine is balanced, which is the Astatic D104 cartridge configuration.

2.) The FET consumes considerable more power. The op-amp I use is a micro power device, allowing it to run from a 9V battery for months, or from a power take-off from an electret cartridge-biased mic input such as what is used by Icom.

You can contact me at k0sf@arrl.net for additional info. The buffer sells for $30 wired and tested, plus $5 shipping and handling in CONUS.

73,

Steve Fraasch, K0SF
k0sf@arrl.net

Brian Wrote:
> Russ -
>
> I was intrigued enough by your mention of the K0SF board to do a web
> search,
> as I was not familiar with it -- as it turns out, it is the same
> circuit I
> found inside the base of an Astatic 10DA that I had purchased on eBay
> not
> too long ago. Now I know the source of the circuit.
>
> (For those unfamiliar with the K0SF board, it designed to allow use of
> the
> high-impedance D-104 with the old unamplified UG-8 base with
> low-impedance
> rigs).
>
> Thanks for the (perhaps unintended) education.
>
>

> Brian
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>
>
> "RaOuL" russ@bit-net.com wrote in message
> news:stK1b.6562$Nc.4087150@news1.news.adelphia.net...-
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=3041718873
>
> This auction is for an Astatic D-104 desk microphone with the K0SF-
> amplifier-
> board installed and wired for an 8 pin Icom radio.
>
> While this microphone does work great, it is an "ugly duckling" -
> there-
> are-
> 2 holes drilled in the base and the base has been painted black. This
> was
> all from its previous life as a CB mic. :(It has been rescued from
> that-
> and-
> is now a serious ham mic!
>
> This product is in working condition, but is sold strictly "as-is"
> because
> that is how all electronics gear is sold on ebay these days.
>
> High bidder will pay within 10 days of auction close by either PayPal
> or
> money order. Shipping charges will be the actual charges from 03051
> to-
> your-
> destination for 3 lbs. through Priority Mail.
>
> Hurry! Auction ends Sunday afternoon!!! Current bid is $10.49
>
> Thanks for looking.
>
> Russ KB1GKN
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> -

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k0sf

3424. Re: Ramsey MW-BCB-SW antenna kit on Ebay.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 21:28:57 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1122154137.362940.62250@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14497
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hey man you leave Wayne Greene outa thissa here argy-ment. Wayne's a hero. A legend in his own mind .. I mean ... time.

You shoulda been there. Atlanta hamfest in the late 1970s. When it was held at the old Marriott. He was a forum speaker there. We dropped in 2 years in a row - 1977 &1978. It was when "hobby computers", as he called them, were first coming on. Both times he announced (emphatically) that he was going to become a billionaire (he emphisized the "b") writing computer games. (To this day I wonder if Bill Gates is feeling the heat of Mr. Greene's impending takeover.)

The 2nd year, he announced that his ex had just cleaned his clock in the divorce by taking Byte magazine from him. No problem - Kilobaud was gonna blow their doors off. He'd show her who could put out a computer magazine. Yeah right. Hey I Wonder what a complete collection of Kilobaud's would fetch on ebay. Har har har.

After one of the "seminars" we were even fortunate enough to ride the same elevator as Mr. Green and his entourage. Hmmm .. wonder what ever became of Sherry. We were guessing she was the cause of "the divorce". She was no Pamela Anderson, but for Mr. Greene, she was quite a fine specimen of "the younger woman".

3425. Rotor cable supplier?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 22:24:17 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <hszEe.19054$Eo.10749@fed1read04>
Source record: 14398

Anyone know who has the best price for 100' of
8 conductor rotor cable? Ham III rotor turning a
Mosley TA-33M for a load.
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Just my 2... 73 es gd dx de Ken KG WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #-1055
Proud builder & owner of Elecraft K2 #4913

3426. Ten-Tec Pegasus info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 22:25:37 UTC
From: Info Needed <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <BtzEe.20710$NU2.14278@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14399

Hello All:

I'm looking for any info that anyone in the group here has regarding the Ten-Tec Pegasus Model 550 Computer controlled HF rig.

Pro and Con

Looking for info also on this radio's Bandpass abilities. Rejecting very strong RF on other band. BC band overload ?? rejection ability. Ham band overload ??

I've read the EHAM reviews. Just looking for as much info before i decide if i want to deal for one.

Also, does anyone know if the optional keypad/rotorary dial thing can still be bought ??

Thanks to all that respond.

info needed

3427. Re: Rotor cable supplier?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-23 23:28:12 UTC
From: jake <jake@jake.net>
Message-ID: <42E2D28A.5EA92660@jake.net>
Source record: 14400

http://www.cablexperts.com
http://thewireman.com/

Ken Bessler wrote:

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> 8 conductor rotor cable? Ham III rotor turning a
> Mosley TA-33M for a load.
> --
> Just my 2ï¿½... 73 es gd dx de Ken KGï¿½WX
> Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #-1055
> Proud builder & owner of Elecraft K2 #4913

3428. Re: AD5TH Tower - Storm Damage Photos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 00:10:44 UTC
From: Radio Active <no1@home.not>
Message-ID: <Xns969CAEBEEA7D9no1homenot@216.196.97.136>
Source record: 14401
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Charlie" <charlie@earthlink.net> scribbled in
news:11d5c9ls4rt5p7c@news.supernews.com:

> In all honesty to those that ridiculed the tower and it's associated
> riggings etc...I have posted photos of the damage incurred from the
> category 4 hurricane Dennis. I never expected this kind of
> result...live and learn I suppose. Here is the direct link..
>
> 1. http://deepsouthnet.net/storm_damage.html
>

Oh wow, that's just terrible! How will you ever recover? ;-)

73
Ed

3429. Re: Ten-Tec Pegasus info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 00:15:03 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <qan5e19prbvt8of73rvbidcplgm7ihp30a@4ax.com>
Source record: 14402

On Sat, 23 Jul 2005 22:25:37 GMT, "Info Needed" <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
wrote:

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>
> Hello All:
>
> I'm looking for any info that anyone in the group here has regarding the Ten-Tec Pegasus
> Model 550 Computer controlled HF rig.
>
> Pro and Con
>
> Looking for info also on this radio's Bandpass abilities. Rejecting very strong RF on
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deal for one.
>
> Also, does anyone know if the optional keypad/rotorary dial thing can still be bought ??
>
> Thanks to all that respond.
>
> info needed

QST did a review, which would be available at the ARRL web site,
product reviews...

bob
k5qwg

3430. Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 02:54:07 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E302CF.A4612B0A@erols.com>
Source record: 14403

Another ham friend and me both have 100 w slugs for 100-250 Mhz. (100c).
Both are bad. Tests were made on three different Bird meters and a 3rd
slug known to be good.

On all 3 meters inputting 100 w, the good slug showed 100 watts while
the two bad ones showed 70 w and 60 w respectively. Pretty high odds
that we both would have faulty slugs eh?

So the questions are: what happened to make them go bad, and can they
be reasonably repaired by the Bird Corporation? Although we will
be calling Bird personnel next week I thought I would throw out the
question here.

Last but not least, any good 100w 100-250 Mhz slugs out there for sale?

73 K3BEQ

3431. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 03:38:27 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <T2EEe.16159$aY6.15992@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14404

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
news:42E302CF.A4612B0A@erols.com...
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> 73 K3BEQ

You did test them into a good dummy load ? Anyway if you peel back the
label there is an adjusting screw. YOu may be able to adjust that to match
the known good slug. That adjustment is a small pot.

3432. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 04:09:33 UTC
From: artie <artie.m@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <230720052109336594%artie.m@gmail.com>
Source record: 14405

In article <42E302CF.A4612B0A@erols.com>, Murray Green, K3BEQ
<mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

> Another ham friend and me both have 100 w slugs for 100-250 Mhz. (100c).
> Both are bad. Tests were made on three different Bird meters and a 3rd
> slug known to be good.
>
> On all 3 meters inputting 100 w, the good slug showed 100 watts while
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> question here.
>
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>
> 73 K3BEQ

Could have been as simple as dropping them -- which is why I'm hesitant to buy slugs at hamfests if I can't check 'em out. Don't remember what frequency the crossover occurs, but at a fairly low frequency, around 2 meters iirc, coupling in the slug changes from a variable capacitor that's adjusted to making the adjustment by moving the coupling element.

The coupling adjustment is underneath the label on the top of the slug.

Bird used to offer a recal service that was fairly reasonable.

Oh, and you are using a good dummy load for those tests, like a Bird dummy load that's still providing a flat 50 ohm load at your test frequency, right?

(I've got a "new" Bird -- it's only about 30 years old.)

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Namaste--

3433. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 04:12:23 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2407050012230001@ac978bc6.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14406

In article <fmmck-2307050109280001@ac930cfa.ipt.aol.com>, fmmck@aol.com (Fred McKenzie) wrote:

>The F7TC has a 3/4 inch thread, if I
> understand what they mean by reach. (The Bosch W7CC and NKG B7ES are
> plugs that fall in this category.)

I took the original plug down to an auto parts store. Between their cross-referencing and what we did prefiously here, the closest plug seems to be the NGK BP7ES. Physically it appears to be identical, and the top electrode unscrews to reveal a thread like the F7TC electrode.

I bought one with the idea of saving the original and using the replacement. However, when I tried to start the generator with the new plug, the recoil starter mechanism broke!

It seems that the spring assembly was spot welded in four places to the housing cover. I suspect three out of four welds were completely defective, and the fourth didn't last long. It may have been the fourth or fifth time I tried to start the generator.

I didn't want to go to the trouble of shipping a heavy generator to some repair depot, so I took it back to Walmart for a refund. I will miss having a generator that is just small enough to fit into the trunk of a Toyota Corolla, yet is capable of supplying a modest amount of power. However, another copy of the same generator, or a new recoil starter mechanism, is likely to fail again for the same reason. I certainly can't recommend getting one after this experience.

73, Fred, K4DII

3434. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 04:33:34 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns969CDB47845FEspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 14407

> So the questions are: what happened to make them go bad, and can they
> be reasonably repaired by the Bird Corporation? Although we will
> be calling Bird personnel next week I thought I would throw out the
> question here.
>

Do a Google search on the subject. You will find plenty of information on this if you use the right search words. I suspect the resistor or diode in the slugs are bad. Here is one ham's (now defunct) website info I got off a Google cache:

Ed

Inside Those Bird Slugs

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In addition, I was always curious as to what was on the insides of those little beasts. After all, what could be inside to make that little thing worth so much money? Since mine was dead, and I had little to lose, I opened it up to see. I will share with you the inside story, and I now know why they are so dear to the pocketbook.

I did not take this project lightly. I spent long hours searching the Internet but was never able to find any information on the slugs themselves, either pictures or text, to describe what the folks in Cleveland placed inside those little gold cylinders. I hope this article can save someone else some search time if they attempt the same endeavor.

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connection on the other side of the slug the same way, expecting the same results. If you find continuity, or a very low resistance, from the shell to a connection in both directions, something is shorted in the slug. If you find no continuity in either direction, something is open in the slug. Either way will cause it not to work. On the one I had, I had no continuity.

Over a period of months I would pick that slug up and try to twist, poke, pull and generally try to see how to get inside it to see if anything was obviously gone. It resisted my every attempt. My wife would have said, "throw it away... it isn't any good. Just forget the money that you wasted on it.....It's gone!"

I don't think so. 'Course I really didn't tell her that I bought a dud so she didn't actually say that. Finally, over a year past the original purchase, I decided to take drastic steps. After all, it's dead anyway ---- what can I hurt?

Carefully examining the dead slug revealed that someone had used some type of grinding tool on the face of the slug on two sides. (I know, I know, I should have seen that sooner.....and especially before I bought it.....) The two round grinding spots were within the arrow which seems to be on all Bird slugs showing which direction it is to be turned. One was directly within the arrow head and the other at the opposite, tail side of the arrow.

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Once the finger piece was off, I could see a 1/2 watt resistor with a piece of spaghetti over one lead. It was soldered on one side to a small terminal which was one of the two connection pieces which are always visible on the side. The other lead of the resistor connected to another terminal and on to the top of a diode coming through the remaining part of the slug.

Two more screws were also revealed and once they were removed, the white nylon cover which shielded the primary RF detection pieces was removable. This round white piece of nylon is the piece which you see on the lower section of all Bird slugs. The slug I had was a 50C which was calibrated

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Putting things back together, everything fit fine and there were no left-over pieces (unlike some of my previous projects). The slug was tried and worked as it was supposed to. At least, it read upscale when power was applied through the wattmeter connectors.

Bird slugs are expensive because they are manufactured to close tolerances and I imagine it takes quite a bit of time (Time = $$$$) to assure the accuracy to which users have come to expect of Bird products. My repaired slug certainly did read something but there was no assurance that it would anywhere near the accuracy that was demanded of that unit. I compared the repaired slug to another I had which covered the same range and they read to same values. Yes, since that one had been defective and I still needed that value, I had purchased another. The repaired slug read the same as the untouched, other one which had become its replacement. Lucky? Probably. Happy? Absolutely!!

Had I been able to verify the contents and inner make-up of the Bird slug earlier, that is, if I could have read what you just read, I would have started the repairs much sooner. It may be that I was just lucky and attempting this project again on a different dud slug would have resulted in a much different outcome. I was, however, very pleased with the final result on this particular attempt. If you attempt the same, I hope you have similar success because, as we all know, "A Bird in the hand is..... oh, never mind....." ----- K5LAD

3435. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 04:39:34 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2407050039340001@ac978bc6.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14408

In article <42E302CF.A4612B0A@erols.com>, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
<mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

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Murray-

I've had a couple slugs go bad. One I was able to perform surgery on, and it appears to be repaired. Neither had the problem you are seeing.

I would be careful about drawing a conclusion based only on what you have seen. Consider that the combination of slug and meter is only accurate to 5 percent of full scale. This gives you a ten watt spread right off the bat, even if all met specifications. And you must make comparisons using the same setup with only the slugs changed between readings.

You didn't say it, but I assume the "good" slug is also a 100C. What makes you think that the one reading 100 Watts is correct? Do you have a 100 watt rig that you trust to be putting out exactly that power? Even if it is, that depends on your power supply putting out exactly 13.8 volts. You may find that a slight drop in power supply voltage can produce a radical drop in power output. If it is in your vehicle, it can easily make thirty watts difference between having the engine running and not.

I suggest you put off trying Ralph's suggestion until you determine if Bird will correct the problem, and don't be surprised if there is some simple explanation about the discrepancy in readings.

73, Fred, K4DII

3436. Re: Ten-Tec Pegasus info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 05:28:37 UTC
From: Info Needed <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <8GFEe.6354$_%4.4542@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14409

Been there, done that. Looking for REAL operation comments.

Thanks

"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
news:qan5e19prbvt8of73rvbidcplgm7ihp30a@4ax.com...
On Sat, 23 Jul 2005 22:25:37 GMT, "Info Needed" <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
wrote:

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> Hello All:
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> I'm looking for any info that anyone in the group here has regarding the Ten-Tec Pegasus
> Model 550 Computer controlled HF rig.
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> Pro and Con
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> Looking for info also on this radio's Bandpass abilities. Rejecting very strong RF on
other band. BC band overload ?? rejection ability. Ham band overload ??
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> I've read the EHAM reviews. Just looking for as much info before i decide if i want to
deal for one.
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> Also, does anyone know if the optional keypad/rotorary dial thing can still be bought ??
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> Thanks to all that respond.
>
> info needed

QST did a review, which would be available at the ARRL web site,
product reviews...

bob
k5qwg

3437. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 15:15:14 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dc0ba3mhp1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14410

How big a guy are you anyway? Are you a former football player with a 300 lb pull and maybe you're just too rough on the machine?

"Fred McKenzie" <fmmck@aol.com> wrote in message news:fmmck-2407050012230001@ac978bc6.ipt.aol.com...
> I bought one with the idea of saving the original and using the
> replacement. However, when I tried to start the generator with the new
> plug, the recoil starter mechanism broke!
>
> It seems that the spring assembly was spot welded in four places to the
> housing cover. I suspect three out of four welds were completely
> defective, and the fourth didn't last long. It may have been the fourth
> or fifth time I tried to start the generator.
>
> I didn't want to go to the trouble of shipping a heavy generator to some
> repair depot, so I took it back to Walmart for a refund. I will miss
> having a generator that is just small enough to fit into the trunk of a
> Toyota Corolla, yet is capable of supplying a modest amount of power.
> However, another copy of the same generator, or a new recoil starter
> mechanism, is likely to fail again for the same reason. I certainly can't
> recommend getting one after this experience.
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> 73, Fred, K4DII

3438. FS:IC-706MKIIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 19:44:43 UTC
From: Fred <amateurswapshop@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1122234283.333890.75880@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14411

Hiya, I have FS an IC-706 MKIIG in great physical and mechanical working order. It includes everything from the factory in box. Unit was never used mobile and has low air-time. Asking $400. Thanks and 73's

3439. FS: FT-7800R 2M/440 $200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 20:57:32 UTC
From: Fred <amateurswapshop@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1122238652.839547.50130@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14412

Hi,I have the FT-7800R, Barely used with all accesories in box. Asking
$200 firm

3440. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 21:27:31 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E407C3.F3CEC713@erols.com>
Source record: 14413

Thanks, did not know about that.
73 K3BEQ
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Ralph Mowery wrote:
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> "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:42E302CF.A4612B0A@erols.com...
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> You did test them into a good dummy load ? Anyway if you peel back the
> label there is an adjusting screw. YOu may be able to adjust that to match
> the known good slug. That adjustment is a small pot.

3441. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 21:29:54 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E40852.1048B811@erols.com>
Source record: 14414

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> In article <42E302CF.A4612B0A@erols.com>, Murray Green, K3BEQ
> <mgreen@erols.com> wrote:
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> Could have been as simple as dropping them -- which is why I'm hesitant
> to buy slugs at hamfests if I can't check 'em out. Don't remember what
> frequency the crossover occurs, but at a fairly low frequency, around 2
> meters iirc, coupling in the slug changes from a variable capacitor
> that's adjusted to making the adjustment by moving the coupling
> element.
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> The coupling adjustment is underneath the label on the top of the slug.
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> Bird used to offer a recal service that was fairly reasonable.
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> Oh, and you are using a good dummy load for those tests, like a Bird
> dummy load that's still providing a flat 50 ohm load at your test
> frequency, right?
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> (I've got a "new" Bird -- it's only about 30 years old.)
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> Namaste--

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 21:30:36 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E4087C.C0C7618A@erols.com>
Source record: 14415

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 21:33:08 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E40914.DF52EC40@erols.com>
Source record: 14416

Thanks for reply. Yes, we will definitley contact Bird first.
On the 100 watts it was absolute, of that you can be assured. Again
thanks.
73 K3BEQ
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Fred McKenzie wrote:
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3444. Re: FS:IC-706MKIIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 21:49:50 UTC
From: MO <kc7vkp@excite.com>
Message-ID: <1122241789.964426.128460@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14417

I would like to buy your IC-706 MKIIG. I emailed befor but am not sure
if you received it . This is the first time using the group. Please
email me with your call sign and method of payment.
73 WALT
kc7vkp

3445. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 22:39:43 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ds58e15eekd12upip9csbjk9u16r81es86@4ax.com>
Source record: 14418

On Sat, 23 Jul 2005 22:54:07 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
<mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

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I had a 250 watt HF slug that went bad for no good reason. It was
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registering 160 watts on a 100 watt rig. Figured getting it
recalibrated would cost more than a new slug, so simply bought a new
slug.

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Date: 2005-07-24 22:44:55 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <8968e1dhbskb2gifnik1kmov1c9gpppgfk@4ax.com>
Source record: 14419

On Sun, 24 Jul 2005 05:28:37 GMT, "Info Needed" <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
wrote:

> Been there, done that. Looking for REAL operation comments.
>
> Thanks

As I understand it, the Jupiter is the same as the Pegasus, but with a
front panel & knobs. The Eham reviews on the Jupiter are amazingly
varied; some love it, some hate it. You may just have to try the
Pegasus on a trial basis, if possible, and not take anyone else's word
on it.

bob
k5qwg

>
>
> "Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
news:qan5e19prbvt8of73rvbidcplgm7ihp30a@4ax.com...
> On Sat, 23 Jul 2005 22:25:37 GMT, "Info Needed" <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
> wrote:
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> > >
> > >
> > > Hello All:
> > >
> > > I'm looking for any info that anyone in the group here has regarding the Ten-Tec
Pegasus
> > > Model 550 Computer controlled HF rig.
> > >
> > > Pro and Con
> > >
> > > Looking for info also on this radio's Bandpass abilities. Rejecting very strong RF on
other band. BC band overload ?? rejection ability. Ham band overload ??
> > >
> > > I've read the EHAM reviews. Just looking for as much info before i decide if i want to
deal for one.
> > >
> > > Also, does anyone know if the optional keypad/rotorary dial thing can still be bought
??
> > >
> > > Thanks to all that respond.
> > >
> > > info needed

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> QST did a review, which would be available at the ARRL web site,
> product reviews...
>
> bob
> k5qwg

3447. Re: FS:IC-706MKIIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-24 23:35:36 UTC
From: dvs1bob <dvs1bob.1spgne@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <dvs1bob.1spgne@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 14422

Fred i would like to know if you still have radio for sale? and somemisc
things about it Fred Wrote:
> Hiya, I have FS an IC-706 MKIIG in great physical and mechanical
> working order. It includes everything from the factory in box. Unit
> was
> never used mobile and has low air-time. Asking $400. Thanks and 73's

--
dvs1bob

3448. Military RX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 00:01:27 UTC
From: Contact Piotr Kołaczek <pk@econtact.pl>
Message-ID: <dc1a4fhio1@achot.icm.edu.pl>
Source record: 14420

I have just put photos of old Polish (but designed in Soviet Union)
military HF receiver on my website. If you like such stuff take a look
at pk.econtact.pl

73 de sp9jop

3449. FA: 19 Issues - IEEE Transactions on MICROWAVE THEORY and TECHNIQUES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 01:45:52 UTC
From: andrew <andrew@kdjfokjowkdirv.com>
Message-ID: <240720052145528723%andrew@kdjfokjowkdirv.com>
Source record: 14421
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4564539117

3450. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 05:34:08 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <7Q_Ee.27277$do5.1525@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14423

Harrrray for curiosity!!!!
Just a FYI you might check out the Directional coupler project from ARRL Handbook 1974 page 636.
This is the homebrew version of the Brand Name Bird. But it can give a good understanding of what's happening.
If you have time and a friend to help calibrate your project. Works great. Lasts long time.

http://personal.atl.bellsouth.net/m/e/metacalv/Directionalcoupler.html

After you build one.... it's just like most other electronic gear... Buying one made for how ever much money is
just convenience. Well I retired now... more time than money hi hi

73 Y'all WB9SMX Gary

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
news:42E407C3.F3CEC713@erols.com...
> Thanks, did not know about that.
> 73 K3BEQ
> \\\\\\
>
> Ralph Mowery wrote:
>>
>> "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
>> news:42E302CF.A4612B0A@erols.com...
>> >
>> > Another ham friend and me both have 100 w slugs for 100-250 Mhz.
>> > (100c).
>> > Both are bad. Tests were made on three different Bird meters and a 3rd
>> > slug known to be good.
>> >
>> > On all 3 meters inputting 100 w, the good slug showed 100 watts while
>> > the two bad ones showed 70 w and 60 w respectively. Pretty high odds
>> > that we both would have faulty slugs eh?
>> >
>> > So the questions are: what happened to make them go bad, and can they
>> > be reasonably repaired by the Bird Corporation? Although we will
>> > be calling Bird personnel next week I thought I would throw out the
>> > question here.
>> >
>> > Last but not least, any good 100w 100-250 Mhz slugs out there for sale?
>> >
>> > 73 K3BEQ
>>

>> You did test them into a good dummy load ? Anyway if you peel back the
>> label there is an adjusting screw. YOu may be able to adjust that to
>> match
>> the known good slug. That adjustment is a small pot.

3451. WTB ARRL Handbook CD Version 2.0 1998

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 05:48:19 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <r1%Ee.27413$do5.17457@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14424

WTB ARRL Handbook CD Version 2.0 1998.
I am looking to complete CD collection.

Thanks 73 WB9SMX Gary email via wb9smx@arrl.net

3452. FA: ICOM IC-03AT 220MHz HANDI TALKIE, NEAR MINT AND 1.5 GHz FREQUENCY COUNTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 09:55:33 UTC
From: Dan Jackson <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <cG2Fe.7952$EI3.1831@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14425

I'm posting this for a friend

Icom IC-03AT, 220MHz HT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792416354
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792416354&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

Startek 1.5Ghz frequency counter

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792152550
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792152550&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

Thanks for looking

3453. FA: 1-Day-Left: 3 Books - OP AMP HANDBOOK - MICRO-ELECTRONIC CIRCUITS - SOLID-STATE ELECTRONICS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 11:14:35 UTC
From: Diane <diane@dsljiwojkdo.com>
Message-ID: <250720050714353213%diane@dsljiwojkdo.com>
Source record: 14426
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4563443385

3454. To fit a regular automobile radio slot

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 12:56:27 UTC
From: Cheesehead <dplotusnotes@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1122296187.935684.6320@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14427

My car has an extra radio slot into which I'd like to put a
2-meter/440 combo unit.
Does anyone make a unit to fit a standard-sized vehicle mounting?

Vehicle is a 1997 E320. The original cell phone & controller are going
to be removed. They're FS if anyone is interested. :)

Also, if you are looking for a replacement broadcast radio for your
car, these units (I think they're Alpine) have a WB feature. It was
great to have as I drove into Madison, WI, on Sat. while that
nasty-looking front was moving in @ 60 - 85 mph.

Collin
KC8TKA

3455. Update on Bird Watt Meter Slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 16:11:27 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E50F2F.377F234@erols.com>
Source record: 14428

Thanks to all for your comments on the faulty 100-250 Mhz 100 watt
Bird Slug. (100c)

My ham friend and I made separate calls to Bird Corporation and talked
to two Bird Corporation technicians Monday morning. Both believe it is
a deteriorated diode that is causing the lower readings. The slugs
are rated at +/- 5%.

The pot underneath the label tab is for recalibration purposes and
and has to be adjusted carefully. However it will not correct a bad
or deteriorating diode. They will recalibrate for $50 but no longer
repair slugs. A new slug is $75 plus shipping from their distributors.
Slightly less if you have an account with them.

Again thanks for all of your inputs.
73 K3BEQ

3456. question about making backup of FT-7800 programming software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 16:23:41 UTC
From: filegrabber <p2pis@good.gov>
Message-ID: <Xns969E5F91B4CD1p2pisgoodgov@216.196.97.142>
Source record: 14429

I don't know if this is a good group to post this in, if not
please direct me to a propper group.
I'm trying to make a backup copy of the programming software for the
Yaesu FT-7800 mobile radio.
This programming software comes on a minidisc which I might ad is the
first program I've seen come on this type of media.
I first tried to make an image of this disc using cloneCD, however I'm
guessing because the image was unreadable, that cloneCD doesn't support
minidisc image creation.
So then I actually went in to the disc and copied the setup file from the
disc to one of my hard drives.
I then burned it on to a regular CD and handed it to a friend so he could
use it.
I guess I should've tested the instalation first before I handed my
friend the CD though, because a while later he calls me up saying the
installation did not work.
Since I had installed the program on my computer from the original
minidisc, I was a bit stunned.
So I offered to go through the install process with my friend so I could
see if I have the same problems he did.
So I launch the setup file from my hard drive since that's the file my
friend had on the CD I made him, and sure enough,
after entering the serial number just as it appeared on the minidisc
package, the same serial that I installed to my computer via the minidisc
just fine, an error came up saying that the code was invalid! This was
the same problem my friend was having when he tried to install from the
CD I made him.
I thought this was odd, since the setup file used in both the CD I made
my friend and the install file on my hard drive was the same file as the
setup file on the original minidisc!
Upon closer checking I discovered that somehow the setup fiile when
launched generates I guess some sort of checksum for the media being
installed from because when I launched the setup installer from 1 of my
hard drives, when I got to the enter serial box I saw the following:
Please enter the serial number for Advanced Data
Management Software into the fields below.
0C85-8C66
I thought those numbers looked interesting so I put the install file on
my other hard drive and launched it, when I got to the enter serial box
on that drive, I got this:
Please enter the serial number for Advanced Data
Management Software into the fields below.
18DF-8EE5
The 18DF-8EE5 and the 0C85-8C66 numbers being different depending on

which drive I launched the installer from suggest that serial numbers are physical media specific.
Does anyone know of a way I can backup the FT-7800 program installer and be able to install it successfully?
any help on this would be appreciated.
Thanks in advance,
Monty KD6CAE

3457. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 16:45:40 UTC
From: Joeseph <NOSPAM+++++@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <bn5ae1d3hdcdenjfl69jm6gtpe93ivaqcm@4ax.com>
Source record: 14430
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 15 Jul 2005 19:12:06 +0000 (UTC), "Reg Edwards"
<g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote:

>To think in terms of SWR readings is a waste of time and effort.
>
>You are all confusing yourselves. Furiously digging yourselves even
>further into the mire.
>
>Go back to square one and begin again from Ohm's Law.
>----
>Reg
>

Actually they are correct. I ran an experiment using a Barker and
Williamson low pass filter with a 32 MHz cutoff.

With the set-up below the SWR went high when the amp was turned on.

RADIO===>AMP===>SWR METER====>ANTENNA

With the set-up below the SWR stayed at 1.1:1 with and without the amp
on.

RADIO===>AMP===>LOW PASS FILTER===>SWR METER===>ANTENNA

Also the output of the amp showed about 110 watts without the low pass
filter, but with the low pass filter the watt meter installed after
the low pass filter showed about 75 watts. That means about 30 watts
was being transmitted above 30 MHz even through the fundamental was at
28 MHz.

I doubled the value of the capacitors going form the collector to
ground, and the SWR dropped to 1.5:1 with the amp on and 1.1:1 with
the amp off. Then I add 470 pf capacitors from the trasnsitor base to
ground and the SWR with the amp dropped to 1.3:1 with the amp on.
With the TVI filter in-line the SWR is 1.1:1 with and without the amp
on.

A lack of working space inside the amp case made it difficult to
install a pi-network on the input and output side of the transistor
finals.

Thanks for everyone's help. The SWR increased was caused by harmonics
above the fundamental frequency, and they were outside the bandwidth
of the antenna.

3458. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 18:41:09 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2507051441090001@ac8530b4.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14431

In article <dc0ba3mhp1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>, "John N9JG"
<john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:

> How big a guy are you anyway? Are you a former football player with a 300 lb
> pull and maybe you're just too rough on the machine?

John-

Perhaps I don't know my own strength, but it was all I could do to lift
the generator to put it back in the box. I've been starting machines with
recoil starters for 50 years, and this the first time one broke!

The spots that should have been welded were clean. There was no sign of
metal deformation either from being welded or from being torn. The
question is, what held it together for the first few starts?

73, Fred, K4DII

3459. Re: FS:IC-706MKIIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 19:13:49 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <42E53ACD.3080505@yahoo.com>
Source record: 14433

I have emailed Fred about this radio and have not received any response.
I also resently got scammed on a 706 that I paid for and never
received. Is Fred real ? Fred is not the person that scammed me unless
he is playing with a new name.

Thanks
Ron WA0KDS

MO wrote:
> I would like to buy your IC-706 MKIIG. I emailed befor but am not sure
> if you received it . This is the first time using the group. Please
> email me with your call sign and method of payment.
> 73 WALT
> kc7vkp
>

3460. Re: Review of Walmart Emergency Power Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 19:18:39 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dc3duf$87i$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14432

Spit and chewing gum?

"Fred McKenzie" <fmmck@aol.com> wrote in message
news:fmmck-2507051441090001@ac8530b4.ipt.aol.com...
> The spots that should have been welded were clean. There was no sign of
> metal deformation either from being welded or from being torn. The
> question is, what held it together for the first few starts?
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> 73, Fred, K4DII

3461. Re: Update on Bird Watt Meter Slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 20:24:05 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <qgiae1l3vp1au1tn3dq2muvp9fnp6st0mi@4ax.com>
Source record: 14434

On Mon, 25 Jul 2005 12:11:27 -0400, "Murray Green, K3BEQ"
<mgreen@erols.com> wrote:

>
>Thanks to all for your comments on the faulty 100-250 Mhz 100 watt
>Bird Slug. (100c)
>
>My ham friend and I made separate calls to Bird Corporation and talked
>to two Bird Corporation technicians Monday morning. Both believe it is
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>repair slugs. A new slug is $75 plus shipping from their distributors.
>Slightly less if you have an account with them.
>
>Again thanks for all of your inputs.
>73 K3BEQ

FYI, this guy sells both new and used Bird slugs.

http://www.radiodan.com/

He might do a trade-out with you.

bob
k5qwg

3462. Re: Update on Bird Watt Meter Slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-25 21:07:49 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <42E554A5.8010205@netscape.net>
Source record: 14435

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> Thanks to all for your comments on the faulty 100-250 Mhz 100 watt
> Bird Slug. (100c)
>
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> to two Bird Corporation technicians Monday morning. Both believe it is
> a deteriorated diode that is causing the lower readings. The slugs
> are rated at +/- 5%.
>
Isn't that 5% of FULL SCALE?
And with the highly nonlinear scale, the thing can be WAY off in the
middle. I've never had two bird slugs that read the same at half scale.
mike

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> 73 K3BEQ

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Wanted 12" LCD for Compaq Armada 7770MT.
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

3463. FA: 3 Books - MICROPROCESSORS - Pentium, 8080, 8085, Z80, 8088...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 01:28:44 UTC
From: Drew <drew@kdojsijfisd.com>
Message-ID: <2507200521284456 77%drew@kdojsijfisd.com>
Source record: 14436
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4564759518

3464. Motorola Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 01:48:42 UTC
From: Fritz <bush_whack@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <_DgFe.30902$B52.24069@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14437

Does anyone know of a Motorola reflector where I can get part number
decoding and MOD information?
Fritz

3465. Re: Update on Bird Watt Meter Slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 02:48:36 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E5A484.B76CFEC0@erols.com>
Source record: 14438

***Im certain it would be full scale. My particular slug read 60w
when it should be reading 100w which of course is a high percentile
discrepancy.
73 Murray, K3BEQ
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mike wrote:
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> Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
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> ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

3466. Re: Update on Bird Watt Meter Slug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 02:57:55 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E5A6B3.80BF5036@erols.com>
Source record: 14439

***Thanks. I checked it out and it looks good. $15 saving on used slug
vs new, in my case, but with a new warrantee.
K3BEQ
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Bob Miller wrote:
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> k5qwg

3467. Re: Ten-Tec Pegasus info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 04:09:46 UTC
From: WD=?ISO-8859-1?B?2A==?=HCO <wd0hco@ev1.net>
Message-ID: <BF0B21BA.1340%wd0hco@ev1.net>
Source record: 14440

I got one and will be happy to comment...

>>> Looking for info also on this radio's Bandpass abilities. Rejecting very
>>> strong RF on other band. BC band overload ?? rejection ability. Ham band
>>> overload ??

Ham band and General RF Rejection is quite good. I have one local who is
about 1/2 mile from me. When I operate on 40m CW he can be 600 cycles above
or below me and I won't hear him and he's not blocking my RX.

CON - BC Band Rejection is bad. My only ant is a 150' long wire about 30'
up. Unfortunately for me I have a 50 KW AM about 7 miles from my house and
two other AM stations about 12 miles. I can hear them when I go below the BC
band. Only thing down there is AERO Beacons. I can only pick up AM BC below
the BC band - 160 meters and above is clean.

>>> Also, does anyone know if the optional keypad/rotorary dial thing can still
>>> be bought ??

I highly recommend it as tuning via keyboard is a real pain and YES Ten-Tec
still sells them.

My other comments:

(1) You need at least a 30 amp power supply with this rig. I had a Astron
20A and blew it up. Now using a Astron 50 amp supply. Ten-Tec tech sez this
is 80% of all problem calls are caused by using too small a supply.

(2) Outside antenna should be at least 20 to 50 feet away from the radio.
Don't stick a wire on the SO-238 in back of the PEG and expect it to work.
You'll be picking up nothing but computer and monitor noise.

(3) Computer Speed doesn't matter. I have used '386 '486 P1 P2 and P3
computers running Windows 95, 98 and NT. Performance is exactly the same.
You would expect this since the link is 56K serial. This is the bottle neck.
Getting a faster computer buys you nothing. UNLESS you want to use the radio
while doing something else. Like using the Internet or CHAT. Then it makes a
difference. After getting tired of getting infected with virus and spy-ware
and re-installing Windows a million times - I now have a computer dedicated
just to the PEG - setup exactly the way I want. It's not connect to the
Internet or anything.

(4) SSB always gets great reports. But few people know CW has a perfect tone
and the AM sounds damn good. Ten Tec makes good sounding equipment.

(5) SHORTWAVE is excellent - I have about 23 SW receivers and I hate to
admit it but my Peg beats them all including a Watkins-Johnson. Very
sensitive and yet has a high dynamic range. Widest filter is 8 KC. Would

have been nice if you could go wider say 15 KC for local BC stations.

(6) CON - No doubt about it - it takes some getting use to. Usually about 4 to 6 weeks - then you will NEVER want to go back to knobs. Most people give up long before that. Give the rig a month and a half before you decide.

(7) MOST IMPORTANT - Why Ten Tec didn't sell this point I will never know.

This radio is the most reliable ever built. Why you say ? It has no knobs - pushbuttons, lamps or switches. These things cause 90% of all problems on other radios. Dirty pot or bandswitch? Burned out lamp? Busted switch?

NOT ON THIS RIG !!! The power switch is the only moving part on this radio.

The PEG consists of 3 circuit boards - each with about 5 or 10 parts - everything else is software on the chip.

Unless the radio is hit by lightning it should stay operating maintenance free for the next 20 or 30 years.

Like I said - I like mine but it takes some getting used to....

Biz WDï¿½HCO

> On Sun, 24 Jul 2005 05:28:37 GMT, "Info Needed" <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
> wrote:
>
>> Been there, done that. Looking for REAL operation comments.
>>
>> Thanks
>
> As I understand it, the Jupiter is the same as the Pegasus, but with a
> front panel & knobs. The Eham reviews on the Jupiter are amazingly
> varied; some love it, some hate it. You may just have to try the
> Pegasus on a trial basis, if possible, and not take anyone else's word
> on it.
>
> bob
> k5qwg
>
>
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>>
>> "Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
>> news:qan5e19prbvt8of73rvbidcplgm7ihp30a@4ax.com...
>> On Sat, 23 Jul 2005 22:25:37 GMT, "Info Needed" <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>>>
>>>
>>> Hello All:
>>>
>>> I'm looking for any info that anyone in the group here has regarding the

>>> Ten-Tec Pegasus
>>> Model 550 Computer controlled HF rig.
>>>
>>> Pro and Con
>>>
>>> Looking for info also on this radio's Bandpass abilities. Rejecting very
>>> strong RF on other band. BC band overload ?? rejection ability. Ham band
>>> overload ??
>>>
>>> I've read the EHAM reviews. Just looking for as much info before i decide if
>>> i want to deal for one.
>>>
>>> Also, does anyone know if the optional keypad/rotorary dial thing can still
>>> be bought ??
>>>
>>> Thanks to all that respond.
>>>
>>> info needed
>>
>> QST did a review, which would be available at the ARRL web site,
>> product reviews...
>>
>> bob
>> k5qwg
>

3468. Re: Motorola Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 05:05:35 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2607050105360001@ac8e3dd8.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14441

In article <_DgFe.30902$B52.24069@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>, "Fritz"
<bush_whack@hotmail.com> wrote:

> Does anyone know of a Motorola reflector where I can get part number
> decoding and MOD information?

Fritz-

I don't know if this will help. You may get some help through APCO.
Check out http://www.apcointl.org/bulletin/bull/november/november61.html
and see if it leads you anywhere.

73, Fred, K4DII

3469. FA: Custom HEATHKIT Clockw/Call, Hallicrafters S-40 Parts, Mil-Spec test leads

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 13:40:21 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <a3rFe.14433$_x.13205@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14443
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

CUSTOM HEATHKIT LOGO QUARTZ WALL CLOCK>W/YOUR CALL:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5791540523&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET>BIG $100 VALUE NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7532973041&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

HALLICRAFTERS S-40 MAIN/BANDSPREAD BEZELS + SPKR GRILL
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5791540499&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3470. FA: NEW STUFF>Zenith R7000-2, TRIPLETT 630-NA, LIONEL J-38 Key!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 13:40:25 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <e3rFe.14435$_x.6571@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14442
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

ZENITH R7000-2 TRANS OCEANIC SW RECEIVER w/BOX>NEAT-O:)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5791540425&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

US SIGNAL CORPS LIONEL J-38 MORSE CODE CW KEY>WWII Neat
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5791540441&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

BEAUTIFUL TRIPLETT 630-NA (type 1) VOM USA>Best Made:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5791540532&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3471. FA: Ceramic Switches, UNIDEN SSB CB, 12-NOS 12v TRANFORMERS :-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 13:45:49 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <h8rFe.14447$_x.1344@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14444
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

12 BRAND-NEW 12V MINI-TRANSFORMERS, 120vac>QRP, HAM NR!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5791540553&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES>USA:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531799570&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

UNIDEN PC 244 AM SSB 40-CHANNEL MOBILE CB RADIO>NEAT-O
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5791540455&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3472. Re: Motorola Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 15:28:26 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <uEsFe.35988$5N3.20636@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14445

Also, don't forget batlabs.

"Fred McKenzie" <fmmck@aol.com> wrote in message
news:fmmck-2607050105360001@ac8e3dd8.ipt.aol.com...
> In article <_DgFe.30902$B52.24069@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>, "Fritz"
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> and see if it leads you anywhere.
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> 73, Fred, K4DII

3473. FA: Motorola SP-50 Plus Radio's "Short" Housings-Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 22:09:42 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <CwyFe.21708$HV1.7487@fed1read07>
Source record: 14446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola SP-50 Plus Radio's "Short" Housings-Chargers

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7531710338&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3474. Re: Motorola Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 22:24:05 UTC
From: Steve Nosko <suteuve.nosukowicuz@moutouroula.com>
Message-ID: <dc6d65$c7j$1@engnntp2.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 14447

There is a web site called batlabs, but I think it is for older 2-Way stuff.
Post what you're after and perhaps I can help. Or try me at the arrl
forwarder call@arrl.net

73, Steve, K;9.D,C'I

"Fritz" <bush_whack@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:_DgFe.30902$B52.24069@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com...
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> decoding and MOD information?
> Fritz
>
>

3475. Re: What would cause the SWR to go up drastically when I turn my amp on?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 23:46:56 UTC
From: Straydog <asdf@panix.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.63.0507261944210.8924@panix3.panix.com>
Source record: 14348
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for sharing your results with the rest of us. That's a good experiment you described. The only "final clincher" would be if you had a receiver that covered the spectrum where you might find out what the spurious signal was that was being generated. Most power transistor circuits I've seen have all kinds of weird bypassing, ferrite beads on power-carrying lines, funny adjustable variable capacitors in funny places in the circuit. Good luck otherwise.

===== no change to below, included for reference and context =====

On Mon, 25 Jul 2005, Joeseph wrote:

> On Fri, 15 Jul 2005 19:12:06 +0000 (UTC), "Reg Edwards"
> <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote:
>
>> To think in terms of SWR readings is a waste of time and effort.
>>
>> You are all confusing yourselves. Furiously digging yourselves even
>> further into the mire.
>>
>> Go back to square one and begin again from Ohm's Law.
>> ----
>> Reg
>>
>
> Actually they are correct. I ran an experiment using a Barker and
> Williamson low pass filter with a 32 MHz cutoff.
>
> With the set-up below the SWR went high when the amp was turned on.
>
> RADIO===>AMP===>SWR METER====>ANTENNA
>
> With the set-up below the SWR stayed at 1.1:1 with and without the amp
> on.
>
> RADIO===>AMP===>LOW PASS FILTER===>SWR METER===>ANTENNA
>
> Also the output of the amp showed about 110 watts without the low pass
> filter, but with the low pass filter the watt meter installed after
> the low pass filter showed about 75 watts. That means about 30 watts
> was being transmitted above 30 MHz even through the fundamental was at
> 28 MHz.
>
> I doubled the value of the capacitors going form the collector to

> ground, and the SWR dropped to 1.5:1 with the amp on and 1.1:1 with
> the amp off. Then I add 470 pf capacitors from the trasnsitor base to
> ground and the SWR with the amp dropped to 1.3:1 with the amp on.
> With the TVI filter in-line the SWR is 1.1:1 with and without the amp
> on.
>
> A lack of working space inside the amp case made it difficult to
> install a pi-network on the input and output side of the transistor
> finals.
>
> Thanks for everyone's help. The SWR increased was caused by harmonics
> above the fundamental frequency, and they were outside the bandwidth
> of the antenna.
>
>

3476. FA - Items ending Wed afternoon.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-26 23:56:24 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1122422184.322510.298070@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14349
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZkk4tlQ5fisQ5fme

3477. How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 00:00:23 UTC
From: solidgoldZZZ@optonline.net
Message-ID: <42e6cd55.778517@news.optonline.net>
Source record: 14350

Hi again all,

It looks like I'm going to get a Butternut HF9VX vertical to replace my 25 year old Hustler 5BTV. I looked at Gap verticals, but in all the pictures I've seen, they seem to have some kind of horizontal array at the bottom. I plan on ground mounting this thing, and I'm afraid someone will trip on the array and destroy it. My old Hustler had no horizontal elements at ground level, and in all the pics I've seen of the Butternut verticals, it looks like there is nothing sticking out at the bottom either. Is there anything at the bottom of the Butternuts, and what's your experience with them ???

RON KA2IIA
==========
Remove the ZZZ from my E-mail address to send me E-mail.

3478. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 01:38:05 UTC
From: spamtank <spamtank@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <Lcidnaq-J8HyeHvfRVn-qw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14351

Ron,

I have had Butternuts for almost 20 years. My first HF6v cost me about $150. But times have changed. I really swear by my HF9V. I've earned both DXCC and WAS on a hundred watts.

You will need to bury some ground radials to get the most out of it. I have used it with only a pair of 6' ground rods driven into the ground. But this is certainly a compromise. My current setup has about 8 ground radials of various lengths from about 15 feet to 60 feet, depending on the rocks in the yard.

The attached link shows the VSWR plot of the antenna across the HF Spectrum: http://home.comcast.net/~k1rdm/projects.htm . I would recommend using an antenna analyzer like the MFJ 259 to help tune it.

Good luck, I'm sure you will be happy with it.

73
Rick
K1RDM

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3479. Re: Motorola Info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 01:49:55 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d50881a1924e7ce989789@localhost>
Source record: 14352

In article <_DgFe.30902$B52.24069@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>,
bush_whack@hotmail.com says...

> Does anyone know of a Motorola reflector where I can get part number
> decoding and MOD information?

Not sure what you mean by a "reflector" or "MOD," but
http://batboard.batlabs.com is often very helpful with many types of
Motorola gear.

To access at least part of the information you describe (part
number lookup) requires an account with Motorola Online. You need to
apply directly to Motorola to get this. 1-800-422-4210.

If it's just a couple of numbers, E-mail me at the human-readable
address shown below, and I'll see what I can do (I have a reseller
account).

Keep the peace(es).

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

3480. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 03:04:19 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BQCFe.649$6%2.414@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14353

Hi, as Rick said, the 9 is a GREAT antenna. Also, NO traps to mess with.
Traps can be problems!! Just tune it right and borrow an MFJ antenna
analyzer.
It makes the job so much easier.
Good luck and 73....

Ron in NY wrote:

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3481. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 03:32:57 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11ee04668qkuse0@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14354

I agree with spamtank about adding ground radials. My 5BTV has 72 ground
radials and it really does perform well. Pics of the installation here.

1. http://www.ad5th.com/5-BTV.html

Ground return currents are the "other half" of any vertical antenna. Grab
an extra 20db by adding lots of them. Mine total around 1300 ft or wire.

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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

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3482. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 12:06:13 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050727080613.925$6D@newsreader.com>
Source record: 14355
Body handling: HTML body converted to readable text

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Jack O'Neill wrote:
> This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
> --------------010908040802050606020907
> Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>
>> --------------010908040802050606020907
> Content-Type: text/html; charset=us-ascii
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
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Hi again all,

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> --------------010908040802050606020907--
>
What a mess.

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http://NewsReader.Com/
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3483. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 12:13:59 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dc7tq6kns1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14356

I wonder where that figure of "20db" comes from? Did you just pull it out of
the aether?

"Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message
news:11ee04668qkuse0@news.supernews.com...
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3484. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 12:20:57 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <J_KFe.1$3m6.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 14357

Ron,

My HF6V is nearly 25 years old and still working. It's
really showing its age, and I'm planning to replace it
with an HF9V later this year. They're not cheap, and
they're not easy to tune, but once you have them tuned
properly, they're the best performing verticals on the
market.

Butternut antennas do not have any horizontal components
like many of their competitors' antennas have. You will
need a good array of radials, however. Look up their web
site and read some of the technical explanations on how
and why vertical antennas do and don't work. It will be
an eye-opening experience.

No matter whose antenna you end up buying, I suggest that
you install stainless steel hardware right from the start,
rather than using the zinc-plated hardware that comes
with the antenna. It won't cost much, and it will save
you the trouble later.

73,
Dean K5DH

In article <42e6cd55.778517@news.optonline.net>, solidgoldZZZ@optonline.net
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3485. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 14:21:20 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11ef63vn05lt3ed@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14358

"John N9JG" <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote in message
news:dc7tq6kns1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu...
>I wonder where that figure of "20db" comes from? Did you just pull it out
>of the aether?

Wonder no more. It comes from an article on vertical antenna ground
enhancement off the DX Engineering website. Here is the link oh ye of little
faith...

1.
http://www.dxengineering.com/techarticles.asp?ID={A46FA56A-2E82-4AF9-9427-6592FC5CFCB7}

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3486. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 15:35:13 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11efaeg9hkn5950@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14359

Evidently that direct link won't work...Let's try this one

1. http://www.dxengineering.com/TechInfo.asp

This is the DX Engineering Tech Info page. N ear the bottom of the list is
the article titled "20db for $48.60"

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>
> Wonder no more. It comes from an article on vertical antenna ground
> enhancement off the DX Engineering website. Here is the link oh ye of
> little faith...
>
> 1.
> http://www.dxengineering.com/techarticles.asp?ID={A46FA56A-2E82-4AF9-9427-6592FC5CFCB7}
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> --
>
> Charlie
> Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
> www.deepsouthnet.net
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>>
>> "Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message
>> news:11ee04668qkuse0@news.supernews.com...
>>>I agree with spamtank about adding ground radials. My 5BTV has 72 ground
>>>radials and it really does perform well. Pics of the installation here.
>>>
>>> 1. http://www.ad5th.com/5-BTV.html
>>>

>>> Ground return currents are the "other half" of any vertical antenna.
>>> Grab an extra 20db by adding lots of them. Mine total around 1300 ft or
>>> wire.
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3487. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 15:38:28 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dc89pj$qj5$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14360

Your link does point to a page that contains an entry with the more
reasonable value of 3-6 db. Isaiah 36:12, in the KJV, also seems to agree
with the smaller value.

"Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message
news:11ef63vn05lt3ed@news.supernews.com...
>
> Wonder no more. It comes from an article on vertical antenna ground
> enhancement off the DX Engineering website. Here is the link oh ye of
> little faith...
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3488. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 16:41:05 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11efea89rla9n73@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14361

Huh? Proselytize yourself..you need it pal....
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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

"John N9JG" <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote in message
news:dc89pj$qj5$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu...
> Your link does point to a page that contains an entry with the more
> reasonable value of 3-6 db. Isaiah 36:12, in the KJV, also seems to agree
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3489. Question on the Kenwood SW-200 SWR/Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 17:22:50 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E7C2EA.425FCE69@erols.com>
Source record: 14362

The Kenwood SW-200 takes three (3) couplers. (1) that covers 1.8-150
Mhz at various power levels. (2) Covers 140-150 Mhz. What frequencies
does coupler SWC-3 cover? Thanks.
73 Murray, K3BEQ

3490. Re: Question on the Kenwood SW-200 SWR/Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 20:18:28 UTC
From: "Alan P. Biddle" <APBIDDLE@ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <9pqfe11rnj7op8gkns7j4j28p2t3p8a52b@4ax.com>
Source record: 14363

Murray,

SWC-3 covers 1.8 to 54 MHz. The big difference is that in the 1.8-30 MHz it will handle 1000W AM/FM vice 200W for the SWC-1.

Alan
WA4SCA

3491. Re: Question on the Kenwood SW-200 SWR/Power Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 22:02:38 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42E8047E.99930796@erols.com>
Source record: 14364

Thanks Alan. From what I have then, none of the couplers will handle
1KW SSB/CW for the HF bands 1.8-30.
73 Murray, K3BEQ
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"Alan P. Biddle" wrote:
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> Murray,
>
> SWC-3 covers 1.8 to 54 MHz. The big difference is that in the 1.8-30
> MHz it will handle 1000W AM/FM vice 200W for the SWC-1.
>
> Alan
> WA4SCA

3492. FS:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-27 23:16:24 UTC
From: Fritz <bush_whack@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <cBUFe.34660$yC5.29821@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14365

I have been asked by the wife of a club member to clear out the basement.
The HAM was a Motorola enthusiast. Is this the best group for selling the
stuff?

Well here is the first item. I have a remote control console manual for p/n
T1391AM - T1398AM series.

Does this have any value or should I chuck it in the waste management bin?

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73 & Good DX
Fritz WD8E

3493. FA: Bencher YA-1 Low Pass Filter 1.5 kw - Like New NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 01:26:38 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <20dge1ld8d8qc7rle5gjvqffs5r0s9l6ke@4ax.com>
Source record: 14366

I have this Bencher filter up on ebay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792879976&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks

Dave

3494. FA: ElectroVoice Mod. 719 Ceramic Microphone - Very Clean

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 01:35:28 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <1hdge1pteu93bnmohlo9p2m0han061l0hs@4ax.com>
Source record: 14367

I have an ElectroVoice Mod. 719 Ceramic Microphone for auction on ebay
if you are interested.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792578724&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks

Dave

3495. FA: Leader LSG-16 Wide Band Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 01:47:40 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <s7ege1995e2ip4gk3juko30k0kiaaambrh@4ax.com>
Source record: 14368

I have this for sale on ebay if you are interested:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5793062987&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks

Dave

3496. Re: FS:

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 02:00:57 UTC
From: Hamdude_Nevada <radioactiveham@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <t%WFe.7584$_%4.6652@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14369

Motorola T1391AM - T1398AM Series DC Remote Control Console

Well here is the first item. I have a remote control console manual for p/n
T1391AM - T1398AM series.

Does this have any value or should I chuck it in the waste management bin?

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73 & Good DX
Fritz WD8E

3497. FA: 20 Amp Heavy Duty Automotive Power Line Noise Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 02:09:04 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <5gfge1da46dv4gmaur7imi7jrvd4kfiqm5@4ax.com>
Source record: 14370

I have this for sale on ebay

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792617023&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Good if you have electrical noise in your vehicle.

Thanks,

Dave

3498. Drake SW-8 FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 05:35:28 UTC
From: safetypro <bfdp1@msn.com>
Message-ID: <1122528928.627026.229110@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14371

Somewhat rare high serial number 8E (1998) AM/SSB Sync, Longwave, Whip antenna pre-amp, Carrying handle, OEM manual, wall transformer. Works perfect, A great DX HF receiver.

E-mail home or work: M-F 7-4 mountain time or call work @ 208-287-7107
rmmilljr@adaweb.net

USPO money order or Bank check.

$475 includes FedEx ground shipping and insurance.

73

Jm
Boise, Idaho

3499. LDG interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 08:03:48 UTC
From: geggi1 <geirknu@start.no>
Message-ID: <uaOdnZ2af4jFDHXfRVnzvA@telenor.com>
Source record: 14372

Hi!
I been googling for schematic to a Z100 interface to be used with a Yaesu ft-100d. The interface is suppose to be called Y-ACC I think.
Has anybody a link?

3500. F.S. Kenwood TS-940sat station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 14:34:32 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <Y16Ge.501861$cg1.456509@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14373
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale a Kenwood ts-940sat xcvr, has yk88a am filter, yg-455c cw filter,
mc-60 microphone, sp-940 speaker.
equipment in nice shape, have manuals and boxes for ts-940 and sp-940.
asking $800 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3501. F.S. Ameritron AL-1200 2kw Linear Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 14:34:33 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <Z16Ge.501862$cg1.366681@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14374
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale original black face Ameritron AL-1200 (pre mfj). this amp uses
3cx-1200a7 tube and easily does legal limit.
has peter dahl transformer, dayton blower, eimac tube, socket and
chimney.very nice with manual.
asking $1200 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3502. F.S. AEA PK232MBX interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 14:34:34 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <_16Ge.501863$cg1.350376@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14375
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
software. unit not working and I don't have time
to mess with it. asking $40 here in Phila., Pa. will ship if you pay
shipping. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3503. Questions on Kenwood TS-7850 - PL module.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 15:47:58 UTC
From: "J. Teske" <jdteske@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <c5nhe19gk991hieh03qdbokucd4844euoh@4ax.com>
Source record: 14376

I have an old Kenwood TS-7850 2 meter base/mobile...vintage mid 80's.
It does not have PL tone module installed and the manual says that
there are terminals inside and a front panel switch so that a third
party PL module can be installed (only three solder joints). Kenwood
says that they do not make one (at least not at the time).

Does anyone know what might be a suitable 3rd party PL module for this
older rig and where it might be obtained. I have heard of a ComSpec
SS-32, but a net search hasn't found how they are obtainable.

For retaining memory, this unit uses 4 AA nicads. They will hold
memory for about 3-4 day according to the manual. If you keep the
power supply on (not desireable) the batteries will remain charged,
but Kenwood also had the provision for a "wall wart" trickle charger
to keep the batteries charged with out using the main 12v power
source. Kenwood made a module called a BC-1 for this function.
I am also trying to source this item.

Jon W3JT

3504. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 16:10:04 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <42e90360$0$10860@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 14377

One word of caution. After using it for months my child bride found the impedence of her Butternut had changed after a hard rain and readjusted her tuner to compensate. A tad later she found a weak station she wanted to contact and turned on her amplifier. A few moments into the QSO the SWR went nuts and she fried a final. Dropping power she found that the tuner settings were again back to normal. We continued to use the 'nut for several weeks then sold it without the problem reoccuring.

I can only guess that the capacitors on the 'nut had filled with rain, changing the antenna impedence, then dried out when a KW was applied. YMMV

3505. Re: Questions on Kenwood TS-7850 - PL module.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 16:32:03 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <7M7Ge.316$Rc6.170@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 14378

The Com-Spec TE-32 works GREAT. They're at:
http://www.com-spec.com/index1.htm

"J. Teske" <jdteske@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:c5nhe19gk991hieh03qdbokucd4844euoh@4ax.com...
>I have an old Kenwood TS-7850 2 meter base/mobile...vintage mid 80's.
> It does not have PL tone module installed and the manual says that
> there are terminals inside and a front panel switch so that a third
> party PL module can be installed (only three solder joints). Kenwood
> says that they do not make one (at least not at the time).
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> older rig and where it might be obtained. I have heard of a ComSpec
> SS-32, but a net search hasn't found how they are obtainable.
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> memory for about 3-4 day according to the manual. If you keep the
> power supply on (not desireable) the batteries will remain charged,
> but Kenwood also had the provision for a "wall wart" trickle charger
> to keep the batteries charged with out using the main 12v power
> source. Kenwood made a module called a BC-1 for this function.
> I am also trying to source this item.
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> Jon W3JT

3506. Re: F.S. Ameritron AL-1200 2kw Linear Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 17:52:51 UTC
From: Bill Turner <noway@nohow.com>
Message-ID: <xn0e5a5cp2q66t000@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 14379
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

John Haberkern wrote:

> this amp uses
> 3cx-1200a7 tube and easily does legal limit.

Legal limit on CW and SSB, but not RTTY. Trust me on this one. I
learned the hard way.

Bill, W6WRT

3507. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 18:36:59 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dcb8k9bnh1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14380

What part was destroyed in the final? Did the tank coil melt?

"Vito" <vito@crosslink.net> wrote in message
news:42e90360$0$10860@dingus.crosslink.net...
> One word of caution. After using it for months my child bride found the
> impedence of her Butternut had changed after a hard rain and readjusted
> her
> tuner to compensate. A tad later she found a weak station she wanted to
> contact and turned on her amplifier. A few moments into the QSO the SWR
> went
> nuts and she fried a final. Dropping power she found that the tuner
> settings
> were again back to normal. We continued to use the 'nut for several weeks
> then sold it without the problem reoccuring.
>
> I can only guess that the capacitors on the 'nut had filled with rain,
> changing the antenna impedence, then dried out when a KW was applied.
> YMMV
>
>

3508. Re: How does your Butternut Vertical work ???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 18:56:05 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <42e92a4a$0$10860@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 14381

No, just the tube. Neat little hole in the glass. Sorry for the
misunderstanding - to us old vacuum-state dudes the tube is the "final".

"John N9JG" <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote in message
news:dcb8k9bnh1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu...
> What part was destroyed in the final? Did the tank coil melt?
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> news:42e90360$0$10860@dingus.crosslink.net...
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> > tuner to compensate. A tad later she found a weak station she wanted to
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weeks
> > then sold it without the problem reoccuring.
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> > I can only guess that the capacitors on the 'nut had filled with rain,
> > changing the antenna impedence, then dried out when a KW was applied.
> > YMMV
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3509. FS: VHF - Air Band Transceiver Base Station: AIRPORT USE 760CH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 20:03:57 UTC
From: EOC <eastern.ontario.consignment@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <JSaGe.5419$d02.715104@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14382

I have nice solid state 760ch VHF 118-137mhz AM, 10w base station transceiver with operator's manual. Model is PAE 5610 with clear crisp audio, red frequency digital display and ext-speaker jack. Has built in speaker. New factory mic. Power supply is a RPS1012MB with DC/VOLTS-AMPS readout and variable voltage and dual output. Reads 9 w output.

Fully tested and tuned... in mint condition in and out. Pictures available

User manual included.
Paid $3000.00, will sell at best offer. PayPal accepted.

Proper FCC/DOC licensing is required before using the transmitter.

Please e-mail: eastern.ontario.consignment@gmail.com

3510. Power supply problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 22:30:33 UTC
From: gramalkyn <fasoncat@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1122589833.638941.284790@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14383

I have a Kenwood PS-30. All transistors are OK.

The voltage at the base of the two pass xistors is 20.5 volts.

Is it not supposed to be about 13 volts?

Please reply to my email: fasoncat@yahoo.com

Tnx & 73,s

K4jt

3511. Re: LDG interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-28 23:45:40 UTC
From: vk3vfl <vk3vfl@optusnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <42e96ea1$0$3505$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 14384

Hi try LDZ the company that makes the z100

Geoff
Vk3vfl
"geggi1" <geirknu@start.no> wrote in message
news:uaOdnZ2af4jFDHXfRVnzvA@telenor.com...
> Hi!
> I been googling for schematic to a Z100 interface to be used with a Yaesu
> ft-100d. The interface is suppose to be called Y-ACC I think.
> Has anybody a link?
>
>

3512. Re: F.S. Ameritron AL-1200 2kw Linear Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 00:23:25 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <1GeGe.504383$cg1.489665@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

agreed, but the manufacturers also state duty cycle along with the specs.
the less time it is on the more power it can put out safely. but I bet with
a big enough blower, the right high voltage and operating current it could
almost do anything. but I was originally stating the ssb and cw modes which
is the norm, you can tell by tuning the bands and hear how many stations are
running rtty when there is no 'rtty contest'. John

"Bill Turner" <noway@nohow.com> wrote in message
news:xn0e5a5cp2q66t000@cnews.newsguy.com...
> John Haberkern wrote:
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> > this amp uses
> > 3cx-1200a7 tube and easily does legal limit.
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> Legal limit on CW and SSB, but not RTTY. Trust me on this one. I
> learned the hard way.
>
> Bill, W6WRT

3513. FT2400 backup battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 00:28:38 UTC
From: Pascal Montaigne <pascal@f5poe.net>
Message-ID: <dcbt7m$1h1e$1@biggoron.nerim.net>
Source record: 14386

My ft2400 loose it's config during power failure. I am planning to replace it's battery but I can't find it.

Can someone help me?

73, Pascal, f5poe

3514. Re: FT2400 backup battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 01:10:20 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <42E981FC.6090208@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 14387

That transceiver has a CR2016 3V lithium cell on the main board, it
needs to be replaced.
Go to: "http://www.rigpix.com/yaesu/ft2400.htm" , and download the
schematic, it's right below the reset jumper.

Bob N9LVU

Pascal Montaigne wrote:
> My ft2400 loose it's config during power failure. I am planning to
> replace it's battery but I can't find it.
>
> Can someone help me?
>
> 73, Pascal, f5poe

3515. Re: FT2400 backup battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 09:02:12 UTC
From: Pascal Montaigne <pascal@f5poe.net>
Message-ID: <dccrak$1r7c$1@biggoron.nerim.net>
Source record: 14388

Thanks for your help Bob, a CR2016 should be visible on the back of the control unit. But it is just not there. I guess the previous owner took it away. And now I am not sure where and how (there is no battery holder) to put it back.
I will have to use another TX for my echolink station as I don't want it to restart on a wrong frequency in case of power failure.

Thanks again,
73, Pascal f5poe.

Robert Kubichek wrote:
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> needs to be replaced.
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>> replace it's battery but I can't find it.
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>> Can someone help me?
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>> 73, Pascal, f5poe

3516. Yaesu FT-73R Instruction manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 10:17:26 UTC
From: mmf <mmffmm@tiscali.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1122632246.845183.179130@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14389

Could someone please let me have a copy of the instructions for
operating this handheld?
Many thanks
mmf

3517. FA:NOS 572B x2 <$11!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 13:12:48 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <kXpGe.507734$cg1.360904@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14390
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Accidentally put the wrong starting price on these tubes and they are going for less than $11 at this point: See at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

73 Tnx heytubeguy

3518. For Sale: Kenwood TS-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 16:33:24 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42EA5A54.104BC02E@erols.com>
Source record: 14391

FS: Kenwood TS-200 SWR/Power Meter. No couplers. A "10" cosmetically.
Name your price plus shipping from Maryland near WashDC. Thanks.
Murray, K3BEQ

3519. FT-757GXII Mode Circuit Board

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 16:48:39 UTC
From: John <jkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <B5tGe.6075$d02.851948@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14392

Hello:
Anyone who might have an inoperable xcvr unit...
I am looking for the Mode Circuit Board for a FT-757GXII (1" x 1/2")
6 LEDS (5 Green 1 Amber) intact on the board with 7 colour coded wires
and the end connectors would be great...
Thank you,
John VE3FDK@rac.ca
Hamilton, Ontario Canada

3520. Icom UT-16 Speech Synthesizer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 16:49:14 UTC
From: John <jkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <86tGe.6076$d02.851914@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14393

Hello All:
I have an Icom UT-16 Speech Synthesizer for an Icom IC-27A
If you are interested
Please send me an e-mail at VE3FDK@rac.ca
John VE3FDK
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3521. Re: Yaesu FT-73R Instruction manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 17:11:20 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <YqtGe.6850$6f.598@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14394

Have you checked here:

http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html

"mmf" <mmffmm@tiscali.co.uk> wrote in message
news:1122632246.845183.179130@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Could someone please let me have a copy of the instructions for
> operating this handheld?
> Many thanks
> mmf
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3522. WTD: Ribbon Cable for Micor Compa-Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 17:23:01 UTC
From: "Bill S." <nospam@onme.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d542fedd29ed7d2989681@news-server.woh.rr.com>
Source record: 14395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for ribbon cable for non-unified chassis
Micor base or repeater stations.

Relevant part numbers:
30C84263D01 Cable Only
1C84592D02 Cable Assembly
TKN6561A Interconnect Kit

rick@radiohospital.com

3523. Re: F.S. Ameritron AL-1200 2kw Linear Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 18:57:05 UTC
From: Bill Turner <noway@nohow.com>
Message-ID: <xn0e5bllu7uco3003@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 14396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

John Haberkern wrote:

> but I was originally stating the ssb and cw modes which
> is the norm,

You DID NOT state CW and SSB and that's why I replied. If you had, I wouldn't have bothered.

Bill, W6WRT

3524. Re: Ten-Tec Pegasus info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 19:39:54 UTC
From: INFO NEEDED <radioactiveham@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <eCvGe.8181$_%4.6336@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14397

Great info. Thanks

Its not likely i can try one for 4-6 weeks and decide then. hi hi.

Its part of a trade deal.

As far as the BC overload problem you mentioned, i'm even closer to BC transmitters and TV and FM Broadcast transmitters. Less than 2,500 ft.

And the comment about having the antenna 20-50 feet away from the radio.

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The CRT monitors are terrible for sheilding. I don't even use a CRT for anything anymore. Well, maybe a TV. hi hi. And that will be replaced with a LCD very soon.

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Unless i find out it works better than my main rig. FT-902DM hi hi

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(4) SSB always gets great reports. But few people know CW has a perfect tone and the AM sounds damn good. Ten Tec makes good sounding equipment.

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free for the next 20 or 30 years.

Like I said - I like mine but it takes some getting used to....

Biz WDØHCO

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> bob
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>> "Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message
>> news:qan5e19prbvt8of73rvbidcplgm7ihp30a@4ax.com...
>> On Sat, 23 Jul 2005 22:25:37 GMT, "Info Needed" <ki0pa@sbcglobal.net>
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>> QST did a review, which would be available at the ARRL web site,
>> product reviews...
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>> bob
>> k5qwg
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3525. Re: WTD: Collins parts sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-29 22:38:01 UTC
From: Larry <wa9vrh@mtco.com>
Message-ID: <42EAAFC9.1090905@mtco.com>
Source record: 14298

Hi Ed,

Yes an actual cabinet for a 51S-1 is hard and expensive to find.
However a KWM-2 case can be modified buy opening up part of the back.
You can also find a rack mount that would also work. The other choice
is to make a rack mount by cutting out the proper size hole for the trim
ring. I bet it won't receive any better in any of the mountings.
73 Larry WA9VRH

Ed wrote:

>>You might give the Collins Collectors Association reflector a try.
>>Go to www.collinsradio.org where you can sign up for the reflector
>>and then post a message with a want list.
>>
>>73 Larry WA9VRH
>>Collins Collectrors Association Archive Manager
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>
> Thanks Larry. I will do just that. It looks like I've taken on a rather
>expensive proposition in the refurbishment of this old Rx given me. I hope
>it is worth it!
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>
> Ed K7AAT
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>

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http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+ Newsgroups
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3526. Re: WTD: Collins parts sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 00:06:41 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96A2AE26628C4spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14299

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> trim ring. I bet it won't receive any better in any of the mountings.
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Thanks Larry. Went on EBay, found a KWM-2 cabinet for sale, bid, and won it. Should be arriving next week. Apparently I was quite fortunate to find that listing. There don't seem to be many offered, lately.

Ed K7AAT

3527. FA: 1-Day-Left: 19 Issues - IEEE Transactions on MICROWAVE THEORY and TECHNIQUES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 11:40:27 UTC
From: Andy <andy@aksjoifska.com>
Message-ID: <300720050740273054%andy@aksjoifska.com>
Source record: 14300
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4564539117

3528. FA: 1-Day-Left: DSP Book - LEAST SQUARE ESTIMATION with APPLICATIONS to DIGITAL SIGNAL PROCESSING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 11:42:25 UTC
From: Andy <andy@aksjoifska.com>
Message-ID: <3007200507422501111%andy@aksjoifska.com>
Source record: 14301
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4564542028

3529. FA: STARTEK,1.5 GHz, FREQUENCY COUNTER, ENDS TODAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 13:06:07 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XWKGe.2774$7Q1.1151@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14302

Hi all, posting this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792152550
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792152550&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

3530. Re: Ten-Tec Pegasus info wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 13:51:09 UTC
From: John Ferrell <johnferrell@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <quvme1h0dr6vfdb1r6s82frv31f5pjvkfr@4ax.com>
Source record: 14303

I am a very casual user. I spend a great deal of time at the computer
and the Pegasus is easy to keep out of the way, it sets on a high
shelf above the computer, no desk space required. I am powering it
with the 45 Amp MFJ supply. I also have the optional automatic tuner.
The antenna is a Cushcraft A3S beam on a crank up tower. It usually is
left at about 25 feet to minimizes the threat of foul weather. With
this setup I can move into ham mode from computer mode in as long as
it takes to plug in the beam & rotor. I never had it this easy before.
Besides that, it has more features than I can imagine using. I suppose
most of the modern gear has the multiple filters and band scan
displays and such. I suppose they also let you set the band limits
according to your liscense class and provide a visual scan of whatever
band segment you choose.
I usually use the control software that N4PY sold up to the point
where he started copy protection. I change computers pretty often and
the copy protection is just one problem too many for me!

I have been watching for another one on hoping for a bargain to
install in the Winnibago as a mobile rig, but so far they seem to be
retty scarce. The current owners must like the rig as much as me.
Since I already have a laptop mounted for GPS navigation, it would not
take any panel space.

And there is the condition that if you think you have a problem,
TenTec has been really good about answering my dumb questions!

I do have the remote knob accessory, but I have not found it useful.
My hands know the keyboard better.

As one fellow pointed out to me after I admitted that my last new rig
was a Yaesu FT-301 I would be thrilled with any modern rig!

Any one interested in a couple of old FT301's? I don't think I can go
back!
de W8CCW

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<radioactiveham@yahoo.com> wrote:

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3531. FA: Over 20 Neat items, CB's, Trimm Phones, Tubes, Video Stuff, you name it:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 14:07:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <QQLGe.2293$_R1.1952@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14304
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All Right here, Cameras, Projector Lamps, Vintage Trimm Headphones, Sony Pro-Vide items, 6L6's, Custom Heathkit Clock, Halli S-40 Parts, Check it all, you never know>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3532. FA: UNIDEN PC244 SSB/AM Mobile radio & NOS GE 6L6's>Cheep>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 14:11:29 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mULGe.2295$_R1.117@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14305
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

ts here with other stuff you might need, no junk either>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3533. FA: Last of the ZENITH R7000-2 with Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 16:33:09 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1122741189.879714.267450@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14306

Ends tomorrow nite.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&category=15051&item=5791540425

All other stuff here, some nice too>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3534. WTB: Motorola Syntor X cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-30 19:13:44 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <aakne192dg324qut0p4993oaf1dio6po5e@4ax.com>
Source record: 14307

Hi
I need a Motorola Syntor X Cable
Also a plus if you can put tags on wires for PTT/TX audio out/All
Positives and grounds also tagged. Will not be used for receive
audio.
Going to use the cable on a VHF Syntor X for PTT and audio out only
for
a repeater.
Please leave price and phone number.
Thanks,Rich

ritchi50@optonline.net

3535. F.S. Kenwood TL-922a Linear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 04:19:59 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <PjYGe.50841$5N3.17601@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14308
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have forsale a real nice tl-922a with low hours since new. this is a 1 owner amp and non-smoker. purchased new march 1985. 2 matched 3-500z's with eimac date code 8452. amp looks like new. does legal limit except for rtty and digital modes (bill) if you want a nice tl-922a for a collection or personal use this is the one to have. have original shipping carton and manual. asking $1000 picked up in Phila.

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3536. F.S. AEA pk-232mbx interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 04:21:51 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <zlYGe.50845$5N3.49645@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14309
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
software. unit not working and I don't have time
to mess with it. asking $50 here in Phila., Pa. will ship if you pay 1/2
shipping. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3537. A new site for projects.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 09:19:18 UTC
From: PINGUINO <dontlikesp@mmm.it>
Message-ID: <42ecf711$0$8489$5fc30a8@news.tiscali.it>
Source record: 14314

http://web.tiscali.it/am2zy/index.html

3538. Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 10:17:31 UTC
From: jm <jm@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42eca536$0$21789$626a14ce@news.free.fr>
Source record: 14310

Hi,

I need informations on old radio system based on galena stone.
Is there anyone on this newsgroup that is specialist in this or is there anyone that can route me on another newsgroup more appropriate or any community ?

Thanks for answers

3539. FA: ICOM IC-03AT, 220MHz HANDI-TALKIE, MINT!!! LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 12:23:21 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <No3He.18669$Kx6.14367@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14311

Hi all, posting this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792416354
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5792416354&ssPageName=ADME:B:LC:US:1

Thanks

3540. Re: LDG interface

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 13:13:14 UTC
From: geggi1 <geirknu@start.no>
Message-ID: <ramdnfB-beT1U3HfRVnzvA@telenor.com>
Source record: 14312

I'm looking for the schematics so that I can build an interface, not buy
one.
"vk3vfl" <vk3vfl@optusnet.com.au> wrote in message
news:42e96ea1$0$3505$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au...
> Hi try LDZ the company that makes the z100
>
> Geoff
> Vk3vfl
> "geggi1" <geirknu@start.no> wrote in message
> news:uaOdnZ2af4jFDHXfRVnzvA@telenor.com...
>> Hi!
>> I been googling for schematic to a Z100 interface to be used with a Yaesu
>> ft-100d. The interface is suppose to be called Y-ACC I think.
>> Has anybody a link?
>>
>>
>
>

3541. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 14:36:58 UTC
From: "Edward A. Feustel" <efeustel@direcway.com>
Message-ID: <84ednSQQvt0vk3DfRVn-tA@giganews.com>
Source record: 14315

"jm" <jm@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:42eca536$0$21789$626a14ce@news.free.fr...
> Hi,
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> I need informations on old radio system based on galena stone.
> Is there anyone on this newsgroup that is specialist in this or is there
> anyone that can route me on another newsgroup more appropriate or any
> community ?
>
> Thanks for answers

I think you are speaking of galena crystals that were used in crystal radio
receivers.
The junction with the galena crystal rectified rf signals that were
amplitude modulated, producing
an audio output directly to headphones or an amplifier.
Ed

3542. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 14:50:16 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <My5He.28583$mC.5369@okepread07>
Source record: 14313

"jm" <jm@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:42eca536$0$21789$626a14ce@news.free.fr...
> Hi,
>
> I need informations on old radio system based on galena stone.
> Is there anyone on this newsgroup that is specialist in this or is there anyone that can route me
> on another newsgroup more appropriate or any community ?

Don't know if a newsgroup specifically dedicated to galena crystal/cat's whisker, but these links
should be useful:

http://www.vintageradio.me.uk/crystal/catswhisker.htm
http://www.acmi.net.au/AIC/CRYSTAL_SET_3.html
http://earlywireless.com/gecophone_no1_picinfo.htm
http://home.earthlink.net/~wb5rex/xtalman/detectors.html
http://crystalradio.net/contest/paul2.html
http://dspace.dial.pipex.com/town/pipexdsl/r/arar93/mds975/Content/crystalsets1.html
http://www.bizarrelabs.com/crystal.htm
http://www.biology.utah.edu/goldenberg/fun.html

Glenn AA5PK

3543. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 19:03:27 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <3g9He.23082$HV1.5346@fed1read07>
Source record: 14316

Crystal Radio and galena detectors at URL:
http://www.midnightscience.com/

Another site at URL:
http://www.crystalradio.net/index.shtml

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Edward A. Feustel" <efeustel@direcway.com> wrote in message
news:84ednSQQvt0vk3DfRVn-tA@giganews.com...
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> "jm" <jm@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:42eca536$0$21789$626a14ce@news.free.fr...
>> Hi,
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>> I need informations on old radio system based on galena stone.
>> Is there anyone on this newsgroup that is specialist in this or is there
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>> Thanks for answers
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> radio
> receivers.
> The junction with the galena crystal rectified rf signals that were
> amplitude modulated, producing
> an audio output directly to headphones or an amplifier.
> Ed
>

3544. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 19:24:06 UTC
From: jm <jm@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42ed254e$0$8457$626a14ce@news.free.fr>
Source record: 14317

Edward A. Feustel wrote:
> "jm" <jm@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:42eca536$0$21789$626a14ce@news.free.fr...
>
>>Hi,
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>>I need informations on old radio system based on galena stone.
>>Is there anyone on this newsgroup that is specialist in this or is there
>>anyone that can route me on another newsgroup more appropriate or any
>>community ?
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>>Thanks for answers
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> I think you are speaking of galena crystals that were used in crystal radio
> receivers.
> The junction with the galena crystal rectified rf signals that were
> amplitude modulated, producing
> an audio output directly to headphones or an amplifier.
> Ed
>
>
Yes exactly, In fact I'm French and I didn't know before your response
the exact term. Thanks for that.
Somebody told me that the wire directly in contact with the galena
cristal must be in bronze. I would like to know if someone could confirm
this and if it's correct I should be very interested to know where I
can find some.

3545. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 21:40:18 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0507311135460.11183@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14318

Yeah galena xtals used to sell in wolworth dime stores for about a dime way back when I was a kid. Doubt if you could find one anywhere in the world at this late date. My first hombrew receiver consisted of a large coil wound on a round oatmeal box, a galena crystal as detector, an old pair of WW1 headsets that weighed about 10 lbs, and a homebrew slider on the coil so could peak the am broadcast signals. First you had to use a needle point on the galena crystal to find a hot spot where the signals produced the max signal, and then you were all set to lay back and enjoy your local Radio stations.
Kokomo Joe

3546. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-07-31 22:42:47 UTC
From: jm <jm@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42ed53db$0$8684$626a14ce@news.free.fr>
Source record: 14319

Joseph Fenn wrote:
> Yeah galena xtals used to sell in wolworth dime stores for about a
> dime way back when I was a kid. Doubt if you could find one
> anywhere in the world at this late date. My first hombrew receiver
> consisted of a large coil wound on a round oatmeal box, a galena
> crystal as detector, an old pair of WW1 headsets that weighed about
> 10 lbs, and a homebrew slider on the coil so could peak the am
> broadcast signals. First you had to use a needle point on the
> galena crystal to find a hot spot where the signals produced the
> max signal, and then you were all set to lay back and enjoy your
> local Radio stations.
> Kokomo Joe
>
>
Thanks for your precisions. I have exactly all parts you have explained.
It's was made and used by my grandfather in 1920 and my father give it
to me recently.

I remember when I was ten years old, one day I discover this receiver
and we (with my father) deployed wire for antenna in the garden and used
it. It was for me fantastic to hear radio without energies from
batteries or anything else.
Now I have for children and I would like to use it again, perhaps the
older one will be as interested as I was.

I know we have lost the needle (to use your terms) and I used in the
past a copper wire to replace this part.
I think it's not the better choice and expect somebody to recommend me
what kind of metal I must use.

As I'm French I don't really know the exact technical English terms of
the different parts used in this receiver.
If necessary I can take some pictures to precise the model I have.

Once more, thanks for all responses.

Kris

3547. FS: Paddles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 01:23:41 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <xQeHe.27052$Eo.1394@fed1read04>
Source record: 14320

For sale: MFJ-564 chrome paddles with red finger pieces.

Includes box, packaging & adjustment wrench. 3 months
old. Nothing wrong with them - It's just that I just won a
1954 E.F. Johnson bug on eBay.

New price for the MFJ-564 is $59.95.

Asking $34.95 plus $6.50 for shipping. Payment via US
postal money order to my QRZ.com address. OBO!

I'm looking for a MFJ 2 position coax switch. Send me that
and a twenty dollar bill and I'll ship you the paddles for free.

Ken
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Just my 2... 73 es gd dx de Ken KG WX
Grid EM17ip, Flying Pigs #-1055
Proud builder & owner of Elecraft K2 #4913

3548. FS: Yaesu VX-7R

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 01:40:17 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <68mdnZx2hZQY43DfRVn-rA@comcast.com>
Source record: 14321

Very nice condition Yaesu VX-7R HT 2 meters, 440 ,6 meters and 220 low
power
Comes with extra battery, Ear mic. Have original box and manual.
Does not have original antenna.

Price is $270 Plus shipping

Steve

3549. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 02:40:05 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <aYfHe.23263$HV1.1599@fed1read07>
Source record: 14322

You can buy Galena crystals raw or mounted -- see URL:
http://www.midnightscience.com/catalog5.html

All the rest of the parts for a crystal set are there also

For the catwhisker (needle) they sell a Phospor Bronze Catswhisker

Main site is
http://www.midnightscience.com/

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Joseph Fenn" <jfenn@lava.net> wrote in message
news:Pine.BSI.4.61.0507311135460.11183@malasada.lava.net...
> Yeah galena xtals used to sell in wolworth dime stores for about a
> dime way back when I was a kid. Doubt if you could find one
> anywhere in the world at this late date. My first hombrew receiver
> consisted of a large coil wound on a round oatmeal box, a galena
> crystal as detector, an old pair of WW1 headsets that weighed about
> 10 lbs, and a homebrew slider on the coil so could peak the am
> broadcast signals. First you had to use a needle point on the
> galena crystal to find a hot spot where the signals produced the
> max signal, and then you were all set to lay back and enjoy your
> local Radio stations.
> Kokomo Joe
>
>

3550. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 05:24:06 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0507311921110.18188@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14323

snip

Just cut the point off a safety pin maybe aboue half inch long and
somehow braze or solder a wire to the pin. In fact though
it has to to gently press into the galena so a slight springiness
is required.
Joe

3551. Re: Galene

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 07:31:20 UTC
From: jm <jm@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <42edcfbf$0$7314$636a15ce@news.free.fr>
Source record: 14324

Caveat Lector wrote:
> You can buy Galena crystals raw or mounted -- see URL:
> http://www.midnightscience.com/catalog5.html
>
> All the rest of the parts for a crystal set are there also
>
> For the catwhisker (needle) they sell a Phospor Bronze Catswhisker
>
> Main site is
> http://www.midnightscience.com/
>
>
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>
Thanks for all of your responses.
I get know enough information to read and to on.

Kris

3552. WTB:222 TRANSVERTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 12:24:13 UTC
From: KC0EH <cvest@cox.net>
Message-ID: <yuoHe.8501$Zt.3347@okepread05>
Source record: 14325
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I am looking for a 222 MHz. transverter. Working or not homebrew or commercial. Hamtronics/Microwave Modules/DEM etc. Please state price and condition. I F frequency not important. Price IS a consideration. Can't build a kit due to physical problems , but would like to try 222 SSB.

Thanks,
73,
...Charlie...KC0EH...

3553. Wanted: Eimac 3-500Z

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 15:22:06 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <ogfse1h1d048rkci3u5sn418l640jk9pam@4ax.com>
Source record: 14326

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Wanted: Eimac 3-500Z
Must be full output..
Leave price and phone number to call.
Rich
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3554. FS Bird Slugs/Not Working

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 19:33:26 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <1OuHe.859$_t.298@okepread01>
Source record: 14327

I have 4 Bird Slugs for sale that are not working. They are:
2-100C's/ 100 Watts for 100-250 MHz
2-100H's/ 100 Watts for 2-30 MHz
They look good, except one of the 100H's has been disasseembled.
They don't show any reading on my Bird 43 Wattmeter.
I know that these can be repaired, but I am not up to it.
I am asking $45 for for the lot, shipped in the lower 48.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

3555. Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 23:17:56 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <rcbte1p8n8vlrqcsvpks662a1hg0n35jv6@4ax.com>
Source record: 14328

Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz. I bought a
Syntor X9000 Model/T99KX-037W, ID/T73KXJ7J04BK
and its on 150-170MHz Will it go on 144-148MHz easy??
Rich

3556. FS: Motorola HT1000 VHF HT 136-172 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-01 23:41:32 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <0pcte1tufb2k911igcb48stg0omh0d7ja9@4ax.com>
Source record: 14329

Motorola HT1000 VHF HT 136-172 MHz

8 Channels

Comes with two batteries//Antenna

Works and looks great. Batteries seem to hold charge and last fine.

No charger. Price: 145.00

ritchi50@optonline.net

3557. Re: Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 01:05:51 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <42EEC6EF.4040207@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 14330

Try this site, he has them modded already, with custom add-ons.

http://www.piexx.com/index.php?main_page=index&cPath=5

Bob N9LVU

ritchi50@optonline.net wrote:
> Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz. I bought a
> Syntor X9000 Model/T99KX-037W, ID/T73KXJ7J04BK
> and its on 150-170MHz Will it go on 144-148MHz easy??
> Rich

3558. Re: Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 01:21:13 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96A5BACAFF599spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14331

> Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz. I bought a
> Syntor X9000 Model/T99KX-037W, ID/T73KXJ7J04BK
> and its on 150-170MHz Will it go on 144-148MHz easy??
> Rich

If memory still serves me, I'm pretty sure that it will.... although it may take a special "ham" version of the Motorola software, along with the X9000 interface cable and a RIB. There are second party vendors with programming software/hardware too.

Don't forget to check out info on this subject at
http://www.batlabs.com

Ed K7AAT

3559. FA: 40' ASSORTMENT of TINNED COPPER BRAID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 03:26:28 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1122953188.803373.114700@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14332

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5793765019&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3560. Kenwood TM-V7A display?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 10:11:13 UTC
From: ftoddiv@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1122977473.544889.182660@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14333

Could anyone tell me if they experience these issues with their TM-V7A dualbander? First, when in memory mode, unusual characters appear out of no where. Second, the S-Meter is always full scale regardless if the signal being received is portable, mobile or a distant signal.

73, Frank K3EKO

3561. FA: NO BIDS>HALLICRAFTERS S-40 RECEIVER FRONT PANEL>Nice Indeed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 13:15:37 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_IKHe.20676$Kx6.4521@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14334
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6549770203&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3562. FA: $13> VINTAGE & CLEAN TRIMM "DEPENDABLE" HEADPHONES 2.2K OHM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 13:16:19 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <EmKHe.20677$Kx6.8250@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14335
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5793764905&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3563. FA: $12>TWO(2) NOS GE 6L6GC AUDIO AMP RADIO VACUUM TUBES>Neat-o

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 13:21:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <NrKHe.20683$Kx6.708@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14336
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5793764927&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3564. FA: No Bids:-(US ARMY SIGNAL CORPS LS-454/U BLAST-PROOF LOUDSPEAKER:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 13:23:26 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <jtKHe.20684$Kx6.17083@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14337
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,us.military.army

Will cancel soon if no one bids, sorry but its mint.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5793764914&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3565. FA: Everyone Needs TINNED COPPER BRAID>ASSORTMENT $10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 13:24:38 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ruKHe.20685$Kx6.11288@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14338
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

40 feet ASSORTMENT of TINNED COPPER TUBULAR/FLAT BRAID
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5793765019&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3566. Re: Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-02 14:02:21 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d591cc5aee2143598978c@localhost>
Source record: 14339

In article <rcbte1p8n8vlrqcsvpks662a1hg0n35jv6@4ax.com>, ritchi50
@optonline.net says...

> Info needed: Syntor X9000 150-170 Need 144-148 MHz. I bought a
> Syntor X9000 Model/T99KX-037W, ID/T73KXJ7J04BK
> and its on 150-170MHz Will it go on 144-148MHz easy??

FWIW: The 'T99X...' string of characters is not the radio's model number. The field under 'ID' is. What happened is that Motorola got a bunch of bum labels at one time. Rather than replace them, which would have been costly, they simply ran with it, figuring that field techs would be smart enough to know the difference.

Now, with that said: In order to even test that radio, you will need an appropriate Syntor X9000 control head, mic, speaker, AND control cable. NEVER connect an X9000 series radio to a standard Syntor control head group! Magic smoke will be released.

As to the question of ham bands: The answer is 'maybe.' What is required is that the receiver's RF deck be sweep-tuned, using a spectrum analyzer/tracking generator combo OR an RF network analyzer, to accommodate the 2m band. This is a tricky process that takes about an hour to do properly (I know... I've done several).

Following the retuning, you will need to program the radio using the appropriate software (no longer available from Motorola, as a special 'ham' version was required to do ham frequencies), a RIB (Radio Interface Box, about $100 or so if you buy one used), and the appropriate programming cable (about another $50).

You will also, to use the software, require an old computer, no faster than a 486/33, running TRUE MS-DOS. You cannot use a "DOS Window" on a Windows system. It Just Won't Work. The preferred platform is a 386/16 or /33. You can often find such older systems at used-computer places for cheap.

Intimidated yet? ;-) If all the above sounds like too much and too expensive, I would be happy to do the conversion for you. It'd probably run about $50-$60 in labor, assuming there's nothing else wrong with the radio, and assuming you have all the accessories (the control head and radio make up a matched pair).

Details are available at http://www.bluefeathertech.com/rf.html

Happy hunting.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

3567. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 01:46:01 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42F021D9.8C68734E@erols.com>
Source record: 14340

test

3568. Henry SS1200HF Solid State 1200 watt amplifier for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 02:51:36 UTC
From: Colin Gunn <cgunn@telus.net>
Message-ID: <YiWHe.205848$on1.190283@clgrps13>
Source record: 14341
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

For Sale

One Henry SS1200HF solid state amplifier for sale. Very heavy duty construction. Requires 28V power supply. Was working when recently removed from large pleasure boat. Good Condition overall. Email me if you would like more info / pics. cngunn@telus.net.

Asking $975.00. Weighs 35 lbs. Located in Victoria, B.C. Canada.

Colin, VE7TNT

3569. F5VKM - New Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 11:10:05 UTC
From: thehustler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <thehustler-0308051210500001@10.0.1.1>
Source record: 14342

All,

I've been listening to this guy on 80/40m with his 60m high antenna, he's a huge signal with me and indeed crashed over the top of the pileups for the PY's on 40m the other evening, now I see he is selling them.

Might be worth a look if you have a small garden as it would appear it works fine from this type of QTH.

www.f5vkm.com

hustler ...

3570. F5VKM - New Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 11:13:10 UTC
From: thehustler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <thehustler-0308051213550001@10.0.1.1>
Source record: 14343

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3571. Re: F5VKM - New Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 14:43:51 UTC
From: RickN7HJ@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1123080231.730208.98830@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14344

What a lame attempt to advertise YOUR antennas
>X-Trace: 1123063312 news.wanadoo.fr 1227 193.250.31.195:49379

3572. Re: F5VKM - New Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 16:23:08 UTC
From: RickN7HJ@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1123086188.757634.123690@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14346

As do you, With a very Anon name, a name in American that means Con Artist or a Bad Magazine.
Hustler
b : to sell something to or obtain something from by energetic and especially underhanded activity <hustling the suckers> c : to sell or promote energetically and aggressively <hustling a new product> d : to lure less skillful players into competing against oneself at (a gambling game) <hustle pool>

3573. Re: F5VKM - New Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 16:32:51 UTC
From: thehustler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <thehustler-0308051733360001@10.0.1.1>
Source record: 14345

You're wrong in here too ... boy you do get around !

The Hustler
Grenoble

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RickN7HJ@gmail.com wrote:

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3574. Re: WTD: Collins parts sources

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 17:43:57 UTC
From: SHb <sherb@iNO_SPAMntergate.com>
Message-ID: <11f20j5ett8558a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14347

FYI

Collins ~S Line~ and more haam fs at
http://electronicparts.homestead.com/

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns96A2AE26628C4spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175...
>
>> Hi Ed,
>>
>> Yes an actual cabinet for a 51S-1 is hard and expensive to find.
>> However a KWM-2 case can be modified buy opening up part of the back.
>> You can also find a rack mount that would also work. The other choice
>> is to make a rack mount by cutting out the proper size hole for the
>> trim ring. I bet it won't receive any better in any of the mountings.
>> 73 Larry WA9VRH
>
>
> Thanks Larry. Went on EBay, found a KWM-2 cabinet for sale, bid, and
> won it. Should be arriving next week. Apparently I was quite fortunate
> to
> find that listing. There don't seem to be many offered, lately.
>
>
> Ed K7AAT

3575. Collins Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 17:51:41 UTC
From: SHb <sherb@iNO_SPAMntergate.com>
Message-ID: <11f211jnqceguac@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14248

FYI

Collins ~S Line~
and more ham gear at:

http://electronicparts.homestead.com/

http://www.electronicparts.homestead.com/HamRadio.html

All Equipment Has Been Stored over Ten Years.

3576. Re: F5VKM - New Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 19:58:12 UTC
From: thehustler@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <thehustler-0308052058570001@10.0.1.1>
Source record: 14249

American ???

No no no dear chap, don't you mean English ?
After all Native Americans didn't speak English !

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> lure less skillful players into competing against oneself at (a
> gambling game) <hustle pool>

3577. RE- F5VKM - New Antennas (0/1)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 20:38:36 UTC
From: N8WWM Doug Adair <N8WWM@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <bna2f11prj9499ovj7fm3v8k15o9fdclld@4ax.com>
Source record: 14250

I tilted my antenna so now it's a skip shooting
canon!

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Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
More than 120,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

3578. Help: Need SyntorX9000 Programed and tuned

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 21:29:27 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <hpd2f1lupto46tvn36aifrmh4m31le11n9@4ax.com>
Source record: 14251

Help: Need SyntorX9000 Programed and tuned
I have a Syntor X9000 VHF 150-170 Mhz coming in
and I need it programed to ham band and front end tuned also vco
ajusted to the ham band.
Anyone in NJ that can do this? I will pay to have it done.
I'm in Essex County New Jersey and can bring it to you.
Thanks...Rich
ritchi50@optonline.net

3579. Schematic needed for TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 22:22:51 UTC
From: Stuart <n5lbz@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <11f2gu0jl1hg43d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14252

Anyone out there that has a service manual for the TS-430 I would appreciate
it if you could
scan the schematic of the Final Unit [the one with the voltages in red] and
email it to me at
n5lbz@arrl.net Thanks

Stuart

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Checked by McAFEE on-Line subscription
Anti-Virus.

3580. FA - Very Nice FRG-8800 - Ends Wed nite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-03 22:30:04 UTC
From: Matt <matthamp990@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1123108204.864572.73490@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14253
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5793437839&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMEBI%3AIT&rd=1

3581. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A display?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 04:41:44 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <42F19D77.7000705@nettally.com>
Source record: 14254

If the TM-V7A has an LCD display, there could be contamination on the rubberized conductors which mate the LCD to the PC board. The cure is to carefully remove and clean the conductor and PC board with alcohol.

ftoddiv@gmail.com wrote:

>Could anyone tell me if they experience these issues with their TM-V7A
>dualbander? First, when in memory mode, unusual characters appear out
>of no where. Second, the S-Meter is always full scale regardless if
>the signal being received is portable, mobile or a distant signal.
>
>73, Frank K3EKO
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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's going to throw his best parties.

3582. FA: Motorola Portable-Very Small-UHF CP200-4-watt-Excellent Shape

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 14:00:27 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <odple.28129$HV1.5861@fed1read07>
Source record: 14255
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7534111969&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3583. Re: FA - Very Nice FRG-8800 - Ends Wed nite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 15:05:48 UTC
From: MnMikew <mnmiikkew@aol.com>
Message-ID: <3lep6dF12gtavU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14256
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Matt" <matthamp990@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1123108204.864572.73490@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5793437839&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMEBI%3AIT&rd=1
>
Radiomart got this one. Look for it to be back on ebay soon in MINT
condition.

"It is in very good condition with only minor scratches on the case, lets
say 8+ out of a 10"

3584. Re: FA - Very Nice FRG-8800 - Ends Wed nite

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 17:48:42 UTC
From: "Mark S. Holden" <mark@bmas.org>
Message-ID: <0ysIe.2$uo2.0@fe06.lga>
Source record: 14257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

MnMikew wrote:
> "Matt" <matthamp990@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> news:1123108204.864572.73490@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> condition.
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> say 8+ out of a 10"
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It looks like it did go cheap.

Do you think he'll replace the missing hole plug on the top left side,
take out the other 3, or leave it as is and claim it's had the desirable
ventilation mod?

3585. A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 17:56:26 UTC
From: charlesW <the.tesseract@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123178186.682476.142080@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14258
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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3586. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 18:05:17 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <qul4f19act4s72gv487ejcnkvbdm8r6kko@4ax.com>
Source record: 14259

You are really over-thinking this. Just pick a club and go. They will be very glad to have you show up, and won't expect you to know anything about anything. It's not like a school classroom. Just a bunch of people getting together with a common interest. Usually there will be some kind of program for the meeting that will be of interest to you and anyone else in attendance. My wife goes to our radio meetings, and trust me, she doesn't know the first thing about ham radio. I take that back. She does know my call letters. :-)

Dick

On 4 Aug 2005 10:56:26 -0700, "charlesW" <the.tesseract@gmail.com> wrote:

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3587. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 18:09:35 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42F259DF.DC1E3FCD@erols.com>
Source record: 14260
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charles,
Attend a meeting, introduce yourself and tell them your interests.
Get a feel for the members and what they are doing. Typically, there
are hams who are involved in various aspects of the hobby. You may be
presently surprised. Start at the top with the Club's President or if
he/she turns out to be non responsive find someone who is.

Just my opinion for a "first step". Of course read up as much as you
can. The jargon, by the way, will come as you get more involved.
Good luck.
73 Murray, K3BEQ

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3588. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 19:00:54 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dctol5$f8u$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14261
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A bit expensive unless you buy a used one, but you might purchase the ARRL Handbook, which contains hundreds of pages of useful information about most aspects of ham radio. Both new and old copies of this book can be purchased through Amazon.com.

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3589. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 19:53:58 UTC
From: charlesW <the.tesseract@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123185238.890005.256760@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14262
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for the advice, I will attend a meeting. After further
searching the ARRL website, I found that my school is actually
conducting a test on Sept. 24th to get a technician's license! I will
have time to attend one or two meetings before then and I also found
the ARRL book Now You're Talking and the hadnbook at my schools
library. Hopefully this should prepare me enough for the test.

On another note, I am working part-time while at college so money is a
little tight. So I can get an idea of what I need to save, how much
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 20:49:32 UTC
From: "Carl R. Stevenson" <wk3cqth@wk3c.com>
Message-ID: <N7qcnT0d9N_C4m_fUSdV9g@ptd.net>
Source record: 14263
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charles,

Clubs vary - from my experience, the majority are very open, friendly, and helpful to newcomers and would-be hams.
Unfortunately, to be totally honest, some are cliquish and not like the majority.

I would suggest you vist all three and see which one "feels best" in terms of openness, interests of the membership, etc. and decide from there.

Ham radio is supposed to be about "Elmering" (experienced hams welcoming and helping newcomers), so don't feel like you need to go it on your own until you've "earned your stripes" ... if you visit a club and don't get an appropriately warm welcome, move on and try another one.

73 and good luck,
Carl - wk3c

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3591. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 20:53:51 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <AfvIe.293$iM2.26732@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14264
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"charlesW" <the.tesseract@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1123185238.890005.256760@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> Thanks again for the advice,
> Charles
>
Glad you found the book - read it and you should be able to make inroads into a licence. I'll say, just to reinforce it - go to the club! There's bound to be one or more who'll point you in the right direction when you need some help.

Take a look at Ebay for prices of rigs - search on 'amateur radio' (duh! wasn't my first pick but it's pretty durn obvious :-) or the makes, like Yaesu, Icom, etc. Take you pick, depending on band(s) you want to work. Or just drool for a while before you splurge - if you wait a while you'll find you'll have a better idea of what you want to do. You guys are spoilt for choice in North America. :-)

For satellite, and I'm talking from a position of not having done it for a few years (I have to do it at work so I tend not to at home now) so someone correct me if I'm wrong; look at a 70cm and a 2m rig or a 70cm/2m dual-bander. But if the cost is beyond you at the moment, get one rig and play with it and figure out procedures, antennas and the like. Plenty to play at before moving on!

Have fun!

Cheers.

Ken

3592. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 21:06:46 UTC
From: WhosIt <WhosIt@DoesntExist.com>
Message-ID: <3lfeb6F127qfkU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14265
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> searching the ARRL website, I found that my school is actually
> conducting a test on Sept. 24th to get a technician's license! I will
> have time to attend one or two meetings before then and I also found
> the ARRL book Now You're Talking and the hadnbook at my schools
> library. Hopefully this should prepare me enough for the test.

Make sure that the Now You're Talking book is the latest issue so that
you're studying the right stuff. Although I'm not sure how much it's
changed. An older issue may be close enough. Anyone know?

3593. FS ICOM IC-706 MK2G With remote mounting bracket and cable.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-04 23:24:13 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <js85f150e8rs48djjmbisthcsa3bcv0t86@4ax.com>
Source record: 14266

ICOM IC-706 MK2G With remote mounting bracket and cable.
All in GREAT condition!!! Non Smoker. All in original boxes.
1 year old. 685.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3594. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 00:41:32 UTC
From: Dave Bushong <113o8f4cfzhzm9l@jetable.com>
Message-ID: <_8idnTUpGfghKG_fRVn-pA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 14267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Charles,

OMG, please don't count on any of these groups if you want to get an idea of what amateur radio is like. Go to the club like these guys suggested. Do some research online (arrl.org, etc.) and go to the library if you can, and go to HRO on a Saturday morning if it is close by. Hams are, by nature, good people, and they will be glad to help you!

But r.r.a.m and other such groups are not good indicators of what ham radio is like. These newsgroups are the "short bus" full of ham radio wannabees. There are many, many good resources here as well, but the dozens of idiots screaming from the short bus drown out the few intelligent ones.

You will get insulted here (as will my posting... watch). That is not what ham radio is about. Don't let it bother you (and in fact, don't even read the rest of the sentence when they spray paint you with their grafitti.)

Just go ahead and get on the air and you will have more fun than you can imagine. Trust me - I have been on the air since 8th grade. I turned 50 years old in Feb 2005.

And go ahead and post here, but remember that amidst the 90% jerk factor here, you may find people who actually are licensed, and among them, you may find some who get on the air sometimes, and among them, you might find someone who can do you good.

All the best, and 73,
Dave
KZ1O

Carl R. Stevenson wrote:
> Charles,
>
> Clubs vary - from my experience, the majority are very open, friendly,
> and helpful to newcomers and would-be hams.
> Unfortunately, to be totally honest, some are cliquish and not like the
> majority.
>
> I would suggest you vist all three and see which one "feels best" in
> terms of openness, interests of the membership, etc. and decide from there.
>
> Ham radio is supposed to be about "Elmering" (experienced hams welcoming
> and helping newcomers), so don't feel like you need to go it on your own

> until you've "earned your stripes" ... if you visit a club and don't get
> an appropriately warm welcome, move on and try another one.
>
> 73 and good luck,
> Carl - wk3c
>
> "charlesW" <the.tesseract@gmail.com> wrote in message
> news:1123178186.682476.142080@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>
>> Hello, I am currently a comp sci student who has become interested in
>> ham radio, mainly from taking physics classes and learning about
>> electromagentic theory. I find the subject fascinating and would like
>> to learn more theory and hands on applications. Currently my schedule
>> doesn't let me take any of the classes which sound interseting like EM
>> wave theory and antenna theory. I go to a small school and there isn't
>> a ham radio club here.
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>>> From my initial research into ham radio, the subjects which I have the
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>> most interest is mainly satellite communications, but I am also
>> interested in DX communications, antenna theory and packet radio.
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>> I have found three clubs on the ARRL website within 30 miles of me.
>> Only one of those lists DX communication and none of them list
>> satellite or packet radio as one of the groups interests. I feel a
>> little uneasy simply showing up to one of the meetings with my limited
>> (read non-existant) knowledge of the subject. I know enough about the
>> physics and theory behind everything, but pratically 0 about the actual
>> application. I envision going to one of these meetings (the one
>> closest to me is held at a diner) and sitting around a table with a
>> bunch of guys who are talking ham radio jargon and not being able to
>> follow anything being said. I realize they are probably helpful to
>> newcomers, but I think they would expect a newcomer to be able to hold
>> their own, which at the moment I would be unable to do
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>> Is there any (cheap) equipiment or kits that I might be able to find on
>> ebay or some retail outlet that you could recommend to a beginner which
>> I could play around with to help me get started before being licensed?
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>> Any books or websites geared towards beginners (possibly with my
>> interests in mind) that I might find useful? I've found a bunch, but it
>> would be better if I could get some recommendations from experienced
>> operators.
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3595. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 00:47:42 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <OGyIe.845$Je.375@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14268
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"charlesW" <the.tesseract@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1123178186.682476.142080@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> ham radio, mainly from taking physics classes and learning about
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> to learn more theory and hands on applications. Currently my schedule
> doesn't let me take any of the classes which sound interseting like EM
> wave theory and antenna theory. I go to a small school and there isn't
> a ham radio club here.
>
Did anyone mention the www.arrl.org page and AMSAT for the sats ?

Look around and see if there is a hamfest near you. That is a flea market
for ham gear. You may find a used rig there. As always you may find a few
that will sell a rig that is not working like it should and so on.

While studying for the license test don't try to learn anything from the
qustion and answers, Just study the correct answers. Get a ARRL Handbook ,
even a used one a few years old will go a long way in getting you started on
teh correct path. Packet is just about dead except maybe a few that are
looking at the DX clusters.

3596. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 01:20:50 UTC
From: charlesW <the.tesseract@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123204850.686812.100390@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14269
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thank you all for the advice. It has been very helpful and given me quite a few pointers. The book that I have is the 5th edition and I believe it is the latest. Thanks for the warning about the newsgroup. I noticed some flames and other pointless rants, it's good to know that there are people intelligent enough out there to see what it is and simply ignore it.

I'll check out ebay and keep an eye out for the brands you named. I'm not sure if there are any hamfests around here, but there is a huge flea market every Saturday, so I might stop by there and see if I can get any information there.

I'm also glad to hear what everyone had to say about the clubs. I will still check them out, but it's good to have the info you provided. I had a few experiences with some computer user groups that claim to be open and welcome to new users but can be almost snobbish to a beginner.

This seems like a great way to get my hands on some fun gear to play around with and meet some interesting people. I'm excited to try it out! Thanks again for all the advice and anything else you might think of is greatly appreciated.

Charles

3597. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 02:16:49 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <2ug5f1pp4h1hi0qeralraavg65p6cl5bkv@4ax.com>
Source record: 14270
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 4 Aug 2005 10:56:26 -0700, "charlesW" <the.tesseract@gmail.com>
wrote:

Charles,

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>ham radio, mainly from taking physics classes and learning about
>electromagentic theory. I find the subject fascinating and would like
>to learn more theory and hands on applications. Currently my schedule
>doesn't let me take any of the classes which sound interseting like EM
>wave theory and antenna theory. I go to a small school and there isn't
>a ham radio club here.

You don't EM or antenna theory classes to join this hobby. They may
certainly enhance your fun later, but I've taught classes at the local
community college and graduated (licensed) dozens of folks that didn't
have any electronics education.

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>>From my initial research into ham radio, the subjects which I have the
>most interest is mainly satellite communications, but I am also
>interested in DX communications, antenna theory and packet radio.

My satellite experiences ended with Oscar 6, a long time ago, so I
can't comment on the current bird activity and/or operating modes.
AMSAT is the organization that you need to look to for this stuff.

Casual, as opposed to rabid DXing is an interest of mine, but frankly
with the current state of the sunspot cycle this isn't as much fun as
it will be in a few years. You're a young guy so you will have
several cycles to look forward to.

I've never had an interest in digital modes, but I think packet is
pretty much over with. The new modes are PSK-31, etc. Some vhfer's
are using digital modes for meteor scatter and moonbounce. See:
http://pulsar.princeton.edu/~joe/K1JT/index.htm for a start.

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>little uneasy simply showing up to one of the meetings with my limited
>(read non-existant) knowledge of the subject. I know enough about the
>physics and theory behind everything, but pratically 0 about the actual
>application. I envision going to one of these meetings (the one
>closest to me is held at a diner) and sitting around a table with a

>bunch of guys who are talking ham radio jargon and not being able to
>follow anything being said. I realize they are probably helpful to
>newcomers, but I think they would expect a newcomer to be able to hold
>their own, which at the moment I would be unable to do

To be honest, at least in my area, clubs are populated by a bunch of old geezers like me who are more interested in socializing than programs. That said, by all means visit them and make your interests known. These guys won't bite (many of them don't have their teeth anymore) and they put their pants on the same way as you do, one leg at a time.

In all likelyhood, if they have any sense, they will welcome you with open arms; young people interested in ham radio being a rarity these days.

>
>Is there any (cheap) equipiment or kits that I might be able to find on
>ebay or some retail outlet that you could recommend to a beginner which
>I could play around with to help me get started before being licensed?

Check out the clubs first. You might find someone willing to loan, or give you an older rig, just because you're interested and he has one he doesn't know what to do with anyway. I have done this.

Besides, being cheap and a scrounger is a ham tradition; you might as well master this aspect at an early age. Begging is perfectly acceptable.

>
>
>Any books or websites geared towards beginners (possibly with my
>interests in mind) that I might find useful? I've found a bunch, but it
>would be better if I could get some recommendations from experienced
>operators.

Of course the ARRL site www.arr.org is a place to start. The aforementioned www.amsat.org has a "New to satellites" area.

Welcome to the fold,

Wes N7WS

3598. Trying to identify a GE Ericsson M-RK radio....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 05:02:44 UTC
From: kcunzuf@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1123218164.607178.325630@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14271

I am trying to identify a GE Ericsson M-RK radio....I can not find it
or any specs online.

The model in question is PK6GGC

Thanks for any help...

Dan
kcunzuf@(nospam)hotmail.com

please remove (nospam) to reply

3599. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 11:29:38 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <C4IIe.846197$pI6.31868@fe06.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

charlesW wrote:
> Is there any (cheap) equipiment or kits that I might be able to find
> on ebay or some retail outlet that you could recommend to a beginner
> which I could play around with to help me get started before being
> licensed?

Consider buying a low cost used scanning receiver that will let you listen in on the segments of the VHF and UHF amateur bands where you'll find most of the FM repeater traffic (roughly 145 - 148 and 440 - 450 Mhz). Personally I'm a fan of Uniden's BC895XLT or the newer BC898T. These $200 receivers (new, $125 used) make great general coverage receivers for the VHF and above ham bands. Google on the model numbers.

Also consider a used dual band 2 meter / UHF trasceiver for about the same price.

If you live anywhere near a city with a good sized ham population you should hear daily traffic on the repeater systems. For information on specific Philadelphia and Pennsylvania area repeaters see this link:

http://www.artscipub.com/repeaters/states/Pennsylvania.asp

Good luck and welcome to the world of amateur radio.

3600. Re: Trying to identify a GE Ericsson M-RK radio....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 12:37:32 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d5cfd6bf0ee4bf6989790@localhost>
Source record: 14273

In article <1123218164.607178.325630@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
kcunzuf@hotmail.com says...

> I am trying to identify a GE Ericsson M-RK radio....I can not find it
> or any specs online.
>
> The model in question is PK6GGC

<snip>

This would be a good question for the gang at:

http://radio.the161.net

They have a forum specifically for GE/Ericsson/M-A/com radios.

I do know that the MR-K's came in all standard land/mobile bands
(VHF-HI, UHF, 800, 900), that they could handle EDACS trunking, and that
the VHF and UHF models, at least, are convertible for amateur use.

Happy hunting.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

3601. FA: Original Manuals:TWE 500+1000, HRO-50-1, 1 day

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 14:14:47 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <rvkIe.550618$cg1.310293@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14274
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

See these original manuals at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking heytubeguy

3602. FS: Oscilloscopes/Test equip.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 16:26:53 UTC
From: HomebruElectronics@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1123259213.833988.195590@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14275

I have the following list of test equipment FS. All the equipment is tried & true in super good cond. inside and out w/ shipping included in the price (to the U.S lower 48). Please email any questions or requests for info to: Homebrueletronics@yahoo.com

1) Fluke 97 2-channel 50MHz Scopemeter $305 shipped

2) HEWLETT PACKARD 8640B - $315 shipped

3) Tektronix 465- 100 MHz, 2-channel $255 shipped

4) Agilent 54622A 2-channel 100 MHz Oscilloscope - $465 shipped

Thanks for looking!

3603. Kenwood TU-6

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 19:22:26 UTC
From: "Paul R. Stoetzer" <stoetze4@msu.edu>
Message-ID: <dd0e7p$ch4$1@news.msu.edu>
Source record: 14276

I need the instruction sheet for the Kenwood TU-6 tone board that was used in the Kenwood TH-21, TH-31, and TH-41.

Thanks,
Paul, N8HM

3604. FA: CDE HAM III/CD-44 ANTENNA ROTOR CONTROLLER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 20:58:40 UTC
From: Mark Petereit <Mark@You-and-Improved.com>
Message-ID: <1123275520.876240.278800@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14277
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Silent Key Auction for Herb Petereit, W0AFY. If you knew Herb, you knew that he was one of the "old timers". One of his first jobs after moving to Omaha, Nebraska, in the 60's was building Galaxy V's at World Radio. He knew his gear inside and out, knew how everything worked, and took a lot of pride in keeping everything running in top shape. For many HAMS in the Omaha area in the 70's and 80's, Herb was the guy to go to when you needed help.

Herb passed away on Veteran's Day, November 11th, 2003, after a severe bout of pneumonia. He was 71 years old.

This auction is for a very nice Cornell Dubilier Ham III/CD-44 eight-wire antenna rotor controller. My dad used this to control the Tail Twister rotor under his 10-element tribander. Some fellow hams in the area purchased the tower with rotor and antennae, but for whatever reason did not take the controller. It's a very clean unit and as far as I know, in perfect working condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5796213575

Please be sure to check out the auction listings for other items from my dad's shack. Thanks!

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZpetereitQQhtZ-1

3605. FS: Ameritron ALS-500M Mobile Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 21:45:07 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <ren7f11i0bm039i26gqos0epqfoln0conl@4ax.com>
Source record: 14278

FS: Ameritron ALS-500M Mobile Amp
1 Year old and hardly used.
Comes with the original box.
Works and looks great.
Only used a hand full of times.
Non smoker
Price: 575.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3606. FS Motorola GR1225 VHF Repeater 45 Watts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 21:54:14 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <00o7f1hbk45vd4r37rvq23qevmf0mlrlhm@4ax.com>
Source record: 14279

FS Motorola GR1225 VHF Repeater 45 Watts
On ham band now. It works great and looks great.
I have the GR1225 Cabinet with the 16 Channel front panel.
And the R1225 Repeater. So you need to add power supply and
duplexer.
All in nice shape.
Price: 475.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3607. Re: Ameritron ALS-500M Mobile Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-05 23:11:08 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11f7sgsoal2gid0@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 14280

Got one right here (ALS-500M) for $50 less $$$

1. http://deepsouthnet.net/swapmeet.html

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Charlie
Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net
www.deepsouthnet.net

<ritchi50@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:ren7f11i0bm039i26gqos0epqfoln0conl@4ax.com...
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> Price: 575.00
> ritchi50@optonline.net

3608. FA - FRG-100B and SP-600-JX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 04:42:59 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1123303379.581479.279190@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14281
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Yaesu FRG-100B with AC power supply, DC power cord and original
manual.
(Ebay Item no 5796298339)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5796298339

Hammarlund SP-600-JX-6 with many docs.
(Ebay Item no 5796308795)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5796308795

Supersize the pictures for a closer look.

3609. FS Icom IC-706 Mk II 160-2 meter all-mode mobile, plus accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 14:08:49 UTC
From: pwang01@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1123337329.583974.111020@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14282

Please see my eBay auction at
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5796381681

73,
Pete

3610. FA: "STUFF" you don't want to miss out on>CHEEP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 14:47:54 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <v44Je.6414$9v3.5494@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14283
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All Right here, most end tomorrow, Collins R-390A Parts to, something for
all>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3611. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 14:54:17 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3lk18oF12v6rsU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14284
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB $ 65
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

Standard C468A LNIB $ 90

Standard C568A TRI Bander 144/440/1200,
95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip. $175

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables $ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsi cd changer that uses Pioneer
audio cd carts.

I have Scsi drives/controllers + cables (internal/external)
Scsi I/II let me know what you are looking for.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

3612. FS: Yaesu FT-8900R quad-band mobile radio. 10m/6m/2m/70c

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 17:43:55 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <lmt9f1ts30rjb91v4c4f1fdqrn12np0cto@4ax.com>
Source record: 14285

FS: Yaesu FT-8900R quad-band mobile radio. 10m/6m/2m/70c
Box/manual Looks and works like new. Built in Quadplexer.
The knob on the left side broke off. The inner knob still raises
the squelch and volume,So I never replaced it. I still have the
knob to go with it. Everything still works fine and it certainly is
not beat up.
Looks NEW! I'm a non smoker. Comes with the original box and the
Touch-Tone Microphone, Model MH-48
Price: 295.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3613. GREAT SWAP BOARDS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 17:55:18 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <5Q6Je.14645$_R1.10139@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14286

http://www.hamswap.com/

3614. FS: CW Fox-Tango Crystal Filter for Yeasu FT-757GX / FT-767GX, 250 Hz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 19:15:24 UTC
From: Mike Nowlen <mnowlen@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <nv2af1dg464skjihm96je38jcbs8p3i0ls@4ax.com>
Source record: 14287
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

For Sale: Fox-Tango Model S102-025 250 Hz CW Crystal Filter for Yeasu
models FT-757GX / FT-767GX. With original box.

$60 includes shipping in US.

Specifications:
1. Ultimate rejection: > 80 dB
2. Ripple: < 2 dB
3. Typical insertion loss: 250 Hz: < 9 dB dB
4. Zin/Zout: 2000 ohms
Physical: 36 x 22 x 20 mm
Reference 1201.1
Filter Fits By: Drop In
Bandwidth at 6dB 250
Mode CW 1 IF
Center Freq. KHz 8215.9

Please email any replies.
Thanks for reading.

Mike Nowlen
WB4UKB
mnowlen@comcast.net

3615. Re: 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-06 23:06:16 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0508061305310.13063@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 14288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Did you use to be in Honolulu with an ARMY mars PBBS???
Joe

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
* Hi State ARMY MARS COORDINATOR *
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3616. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-07 01:57:18 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <aaqaf15vasg4m7f5sn65gaf78f207gvaln@4ax.com>
Source record: 14289
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 4 Aug 2005 10:56:26 -0700, "charlesW" <the.tesseract@gmail.com>
wrote:

>Hello, I am currently a comp sci student who has become interested in
>ham radio, mainly from taking physics classes and learning about
>electromagentic theory. I find the subject fascinating and would like
>to learn more theory and hands on applications. Currently my schedule
>doesn't let me take any of the classes which sound interseting like EM
>wave theory and antenna theory.

Try the newsgroup, rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Several crusty elec. engineers, book authors and other knowledgeable
types discuss all manner of wave theory and antenna theory there. It's
free, and you can learn a lot, whether you simply observe or get
involved. They can also point you toward many of the classic books
from long ago on antenna theory.

bob
k5qwg

> I go to a small school and there isn't
>a ham radio club here.
>
>>From my initial research into ham radio, the subjects which I have the
>most interest is mainly satellite communications, but I am also
>interested in DX communications, antenna theory and packet radio.
>
>I have found three clubs on the ARRL website within 30 miles of me.
>Only one of those lists DX communication and none of them list
>satellite or packet radio as one of the groups interests. I feel a
>little uneasy simply showing up to one of the meetings with my limited
>(read non-existant) knowledge of the subject. I know enough about the
>physics and theory behind everything, but pratically 0 about the actual
>application. I envision going to one of these meetings (the one
>closest to me is held at a diner) and sitting around a table with a
>bunch of guys who are talking ham radio jargon and not being able to
>follow anything being said. I realize they are probably helpful to
>newcomers, but I think they would expect a newcomer to be able to hold
>their own, which at the moment I would be unable to do
>
>Is there any (cheap) equipiment or kits that I might be able to find on
>ebay or some retail outlet that you could recommend to a beginner which
>I could play around with to help me get started before being licensed?
>

>
>Any books or websites geared towards beginners (possibly with my
>interests in mind) that I might find useful? I've found a bunch, but it
>would be better if I could get some recommendations from experienced
>operators.

3617. Re: Schematic needed for TS-430S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-07 05:26:28 UTC
From: Radio Active <me@munged.poo>
Message-ID: <17shxrb9qd88b$.h2yqf1ampd4e$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 14290

On Wed, 3 Aug 2005 17:22:51 -0500, Stuart wrote:

> Anyone out there that has a service manual for the TS-430 I would appreciate
> it if you could
> scan the schematic of the Final Unit [the one with the voltages in red] and
> email it to me at
> n5lbz@arrl.net Thanks
>
> Stuart

Try here... http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=kenwood

You will need to scroll a ways down the list.

One note though... They restrict your downloads to 2 per day because of
bandwidth. I have found several manuals fro rigs I have and had from
that site.

Ed

3618. Need Info: cos/decoder on Kenwood 241A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-07 16:46:44 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <dnecf1ddp4gt05ajv338qfc7s5m145g42j@4ax.com>
Source record: 14291

Need Info: cos/decoder on Kenwood 241A
I want to use a Kenwood tm 241 or if you know of
an easier radio to find the cos and decoder.
That would be a great help.
I haven't bought a Kenwood yet, So recommendations
for a radio thats easy to find cos and decorder on a
kenwood or Icom and yaesu,etc would help a great deal.
Thanks,Rich
ritchi50@optonline.net

3619. FA Nice older and new ham gear ending soon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-07 18:09:45 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <C7sJe.3617$_t.1407@okepread01>
Source record: 14292

Please see my auctions ending soon for some nice ham gear including,
Heath, Hammarlund, Hallicrafters and some newer gear also. See at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug

3620. FA: UNIDEN BCT2 BEAR TRACKER BEARCAT POLICE SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-07 21:53:24 UTC
From: Mark Petereit <Mark@You-and-Improved.com>
Message-ID: <1123451604.883198.181140@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14293
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Silent Key Auction for Herb Petereit, W0AFY. If you knew Herb, you knew that he was one of the "old timers". One of his first jobs after moving to Omaha, Nebraska, in the 60's was building Galaxy V's at World Radio. He knew his gear inside and out, knew how everything worked, and took a lot of pride in keeping everything running in top shape. For many HAMS in the Omaha area in the 70's and 80's, Herb was the guy to go to when you needed help.

Herb passed away on Veteran's Day, November 11th, 2003, after a severe bout of pneumonia. He was 71 years old.

This auction is for a Uniden BCT2 Bear Tracker Bearcat Police Scanner. As far as I know it is in good working condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5796213575

Please be sure to check out the auction listings for other items from my dad's shack. Thanks!

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZpetereitQQhtZ-1

3621. FS Lots of Old Callbooks

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-07 22:16:20 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <MKvJe.3630$_t.972@okepread01>
Source record: 14294

FOR SALE: RADIO AMATEUR CALLBOOK MAGAZINES

These callbooks are in good to very good condition for their age; the covers are somewhat worn and there is some yellowing of pages, and a musty ordor. There are no torn or missing pages unless noted below. The 1947 through 1959 callbooks contain foreign Amateur Radio Callsigns, and US. The 1961 through 1968 callbooks contain US and US possessions Amateur Radio Callsigns. Prices include mailing "media mail" to US addresses. Please ask for shipping cost if mailed outside of US. Prices are: 1940's - $35.00 each; 1950's - $30.00 each; and 1960's - $25.00 each. I accept payment via PayPal or Money order.

Summer 1947

Winter 1948-49

Fall 1949

Summer 1950

Spring 1952

Fall 1955

Summer 1959

Fall 1959 - front cover is coming loose but can be reinforced with clear tape.

Fall 1961

Spring 1962

Winter 1963-64 - front and back covers have some tears

Spring 1966

Winter 1966-67

Winter 1967-68 - very slight water damage to front cover and first few pages
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake Photo
Galleries and my Hallicrafters Virtual Museum
at http://hug-a-bug.com/

3622. Strange object : what is it???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 15:46:07 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3lpd23F13lnoaU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14295

Hello, i have a strange surplus (???) object to understand...

It is a metallic container, sealed, with a "BNC" female on the left and a
"N" female on the right.

Size is 11,5 x 5 x 7,5 centimeters.

On the top i can read this :

FCC-550-230-75-NB1
FSCM: 53779
DATE CODE: 8912
S/N 337

A photo here :

http://www.arifidenza.it/Public/data/ik5wqo/200587224338_piccola.jpg

It should be a sourge arrestor, but i need the exact specifications.
Can this be useful for an amateur radio station or it is completely useless?

Thank you,,
73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

3623. FS: Shack full O' stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 16:58:16 UTC
From: AmFmSSBCw@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1123520296.620209.151780@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14296

Have the following FS. All the equipment is fully operational w/
paperwork unless specified, shipping is included in the prices:

Rigs:
- Yaesu FT-890AT..... Works great, looks fine. $475
- Kenwood TS-50..... Never mobile, w/ box and all accesories $450
- Icom 706MKIIG..... Also never mobile, w/ all from factory $600
- Icom IC-2800... 2m/440 like new, a scrath or two on heatsink $375
- Yaesu VX-6R.... tri-band HT, 2 months old $195
Meters:
-Bird 43 - Very clean w/ box papers etc. $175
-MFJ 934 300W TUNER - $225
-MFJ 962d 1500W TUNER - $145
Amps:
-Dentron MLA 2500 amplifier - some wear-n-tear, new tubes $350
-Heathkit SB-220 2kW AMP $440
Mics (will wire to your preference @ no charge):
-Astatic 10 DA - NIB - $115
-Astatic D104 - lightly used, looks new $80
-Heil HM-10 - Used once, Wired for Icom $85
Keys:
-MFJ 464 Memory Keyer - like new $150

3624. Re: Strange object : what is it???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 17:20:59 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96AC696C122E7spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 14297

> Hello, i have a strange surplus (???) object to understand...
>
> It is a metallic container, sealed, with a "BNC" female on the left
> and a "N" female on the right.
>
> Size is 11,5 x 5 x 7,5 centimeters.
>
> On the top i can read this :
>
> FCC-550-230-75-NB1
> FSCM: 53779
> DATE CODE: 8912
> S/N 337
>
> A photo here :
>
> http://www.arifidenza.it/Public/data/ik5wqo/200587224338_piccola.jpg
>
> It should be a sourge arrestor, but i need the exact specifications.
> Can this be useful for an amateur radio station or it is completely
> useless?

I suspect you are correct in that it is an old transient supression device. I don't know what you would use it for in amateur radio, but you might try to contact Fisher Custom communications. They are in Torrance, California, USA.

Contact Info on the site at: http://www.fischercc.com/transframe.html

Ed K7AAT

3625. Re: Strange object : what is it???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 17:40:24 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3lpjo8F13f6bfU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14198

It also might be a pass filter, seeing that it has no grounding point.

Bob N9LVU

Rightrik wrote:
> Hello, i have a strange surplus (???) object to understand...
>
> It is a metallic container, sealed, with a "BNC" female on the left and a
> "N" female on the right.
>
> Size is 11,5 x 5 x 7,5 centimeters.
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> http://www.arifidenza.it/Public/data/ik5wqo/200587224338_piccola.jpg
>
> It should be a sourge arrestor, but i need the exact specifications.
> Can this be useful for an amateur radio station or it is completely useless?
>
> Thank you,,
> 73 de Riccardo IK5WQO
>

3626. Re: Strange object : what is it???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 17:58:05 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3lpkpeF13oeivU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14199

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> ha scritto nel messaggio
news:3lpjo8F13f6bfU1@individual.net...
> It also might be a pass filter, seeing that it has no grounding point.
>
> Bob N9LVU

Hello Bob,
well there is a "maybe" grounding point on the BNC connector side .
There is a big screw on the connector himself with a big washer, is suppose
it's the grounding point.

73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

3627. Re: Strange object : what is it???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 17:58:49 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3lpkqqF12js7kU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14200

> I suspect you are correct in that it is an old transient supression
> device. I don't know what you would use it for in amateur radio, but you
> might try to contact Fisher Custom communications. They are in Torrance,
> California, USA.
>
> Contact Info on the site at: http://www.fischercc.com/transframe.html
>
> Ed K7AAT

Thank you Ed, i'll try to contact them !

Ciao,
73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

3628. Re: Strange object : what is it???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 18:14:32 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3lplo8F13qo1cU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14201

Ok, BUT, to be a good suppressor, the grounding point would NOT be close
to the signal in/out.

Bob N9LVU

Rightrik wrote:
> "Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> ha scritto nel messaggio
> news:3lpjo8F13f6bfU1@individual.net...
>
>>It also might be a pass filter, seeing that it has no grounding point.
>>
>>Bob N9LVU
>
>
> Hello Bob,
> well there is a "maybe" grounding point on the BNC connector side .
> There is a big screw on the connector himself with a big washer, is suppose
> it's the grounding point.
>
> 73 de Riccardo IK5WQO
>

3629. Re: Strange object : what is it???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 18:31:08 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3lpmndF13m0glU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14202

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> ha scritto nel messaggio
news:3lplo8F13qo1cU1@individual.net...
> Ok, BUT, to be a good suppressor, the grounding point would NOT be close
> to the signal in/out.
>
>
> Bob N9LVU

I agree !!!

Riccardo IK5WQO

3630. FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-08 23:54:48 UTC
From: Mark Petereit <Mark@You-and-Improved.com>
Message-ID: <1123545288.936304.209150@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14203
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

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Herb passed away on Veteran's Day, November 11th, 2003, after a severe bout of pneumonia. He was 71 years old.

This auction is for a very nice Icom IC-211 VHF transceiver. This rig covers 144.00 thru 148.000mhz. It has the built in A/C power supply but can also work off DC. Power out is: SSB, 10 watts, CW, 10 watts, FM 1 to 10 watts. Controls include: mic. Gain, RF power, power SW., squelch, AF gain, mode SW., RF gain, VFO, RIT, NB, AGC, rec/transmit, vox, dim switch, tuning, tuning speed button, dial lock, freq. display, rec. indicator, dial lock indicator, trans. ind, discriminator meter, multi-func. meter. The back has jacks for a scope, ext. spkr., dc input, memory sw., acc. jack, key jack.
I plugged in an A/C cord and it powers up with the meters and LED's illuminated. Being that it was my dad's, it's a pretty good bet that it's in good working condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5797089435

Please be sure to check out the auction listings for other items from my dad's shack. Thanks!

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZpetereitQQhtZ-1

3631. FA: ICOM IC-2100H VHF 50W - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 01:01:25 UTC
From: Mark Petereit <Mark@You-and-Improved.com>
Message-ID: <1123543498.761114.251230@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14204
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

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Herb passed away on Veteran's Day, November 11th, 2003, after a severe bout of pneumonia. He was 71 years old.

This auction is for a very nice Icom IC-2100H VHF Transceiver. This was my dad's main mobile unit that he used when he was storm spotting. There are minor scratches that are to be expected with a mobile unit, but none on the controls or the screen (the microphone actually looks like it's never been used). It's a very clean unit and as far as I know, in perfect working condition. Power and antenna leads are included.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5797081779

Please be sure to check out the auction listings for other items from my dad's shack. Thanks!

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZpetereitQQhtZ-1

3632. Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 01:52:58 UTC
From: laborkei <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <x_TJe.1297$Aq.917@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14205
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Please visit this Link...
This is the future of our hobby...

http://www.msu.edu/~volzmich/commenthelp.htm

Step by Step instructions on how to leave comments with the FCC.

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3633. WTB or FS for parts Kenwood TM-701a vhf/uhf tranceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 03:39:36 UTC
From: Ron <ron@nowisconsin.com>
Message-ID: <kq8gf1dejsfn083o7k8e93psik9os5ma4q@4ax.com>
Source record: 14206
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a Kenwood TM 701 that has good rf decks, audio etc. The
previous owner botched the button cell battery replacement job.
Radio does not program properly. Can only change freqs with the mic
up/down buttons.

I would like to find one that has toasted rf decks (most of them) but
has good logic Or just the front encoder board.
Willing to sell for parts as a last result if I get no answers for
k-ball unit.
Please e-mail to ron@onwisconsin.com

Thank you.

3634. FA: COLLINS R-390A TUBE Set, S-METER & Crystal Oscillator modules

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 14:04:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <aK2Ke.27347$Kx6.5636@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14207
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

@$52>ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A RF S METER-M102+cover/screws:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982566&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$22>ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR UNIT-NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982578&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$20>24 COLLINS R-390A RADIO TUBES>AMPERITE BALLAST+ JAN NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982639&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3635. FA: DRAKE AC-4 Supply, AirFORCE 400 METERED LOAD, Henry Radio Mobile HV Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 14:08:14 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kN2Ke.27348$Kx6.25817@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14208
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

@$36>R.L. DRAKE AC-4 POWER SUPPLY for T-4XC & OTHERS>NR-NEAT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982553&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$11>US AIR FORCE(?) DA-72/U 400 WATT METERED DUMMY LOAD>NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982524&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

No Bids @$9.99>HENRY RADIO TP-400 DC-DC CONVERTER>HV MOBILE SUPPLY-NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982596&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3636. FA: 5 VINTAGE AIR CAPACITORS, 10 NOS CERAMIC SWITCHES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 14:11:07 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <1Q2Ke.27349$Kx6.10102@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14209
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

@$10>FIVE(5) VARIOUS VINTAGE AIR VARIABLE CAPACITORS>2-NEW:)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982610&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

No Bids @$10>10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES>USA:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7536434977&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3637. FA: 20 MOTOROLA MJ15022 250 watt AUDIO OUTPUT xsistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 14:13:11 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ZR2Ke.27350$Kx6.4409@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14210
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.video.marketplace

@$10>20 NOS MOTOROLA MJ15022 AUDIO OUTPUT TRANSISTORS>TO-3
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982672&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3638. FA: THREE(3) VINTAGE SLIDE RULES w/BOOK by PICKETT>Aluminum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 14:20:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <SY2Ke.27351$Kx6.10845@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14211
Cross-posted to: alt.comp.programming.calculators.assembly,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6198944728&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3639. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 14:49:27 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <Xn3Ke.29497$HV1.21153@fed1read07>
Source record: 14212
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

The future of Amateur Radio depends on us, the old timers, to attract, elmer, encourage, and train new folks in the amazing privileges we have. CW testing has nothing to do with that.

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"laborkei" <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:x_TJe.1297$Aq.917@bignews1.bellsouth.net...
> Please visit this Link...
> This is the future of our hobby...
>
> http://www.msu.edu/~volzmich/commenthelp.htm
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> Step by Step instructions on how to leave comments with the FCC.
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3640. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 15:29:37 UTC
From: Dave <dave@telnet.com>
Message-ID: <BZ3Ke.236057$_o.220929@attbi_s71>
Source record: 14213
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I think if one knows he code is a true amateur radio operator. One never knows when the code will come in handy. Although, I must admit I am very lax on using it. I haven't used it for years, but I am trying to brush to on it. I find it fascinating.

"Caveat Lector" <UALLBeware@9984reader.com> wrote in message news:Xn3Ke.29497$HV1.21153@fed1read07...
> The future of Amateur Radio depends on us, the old timers, to attract,
> elmer, encourage, and train new folks in the amazing privileges we have.
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> testing has nothing to do with that.
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> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
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> "laborkei" <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:x_TJe.1297$Aq.917@bignews1.bellsouth.net...
> > Please visit this Link...
> > This is the future of our hobby...
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> > Step by Step instructions on how to leave comments with the FCC.
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3641. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 16:33:33 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <xV4Ke.65188$_I2.50854@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14214
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Dave wrote:
> I think if one knows he code is a true amateur radio operator.

I'll add to that.

True amateur radio operators can build spark gap receivers and
transmitters from scratch using materials they have in their junk boxes.

3642. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 17:17:09 UTC
From: Cheesehead <dplotusnotes@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1123607829.060880.159430@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14215

No matter what any of us think in a "purist" sense, even with code, amateur radio has certainly changed over the decades. I'm a purist in other areas. Like reading books instead of computer screens. And using film along with digital imaging. And I can still do my math in hex. Never practiced it in octal or split octal.

There was a time when a ham almost was certainly so knowledgable about electronics as to be at the EE level of learning. And a *lot* of discrtionary income. Today any bright person can learn the antenna theory and go purchase a set with relative pocket change.

We may have to rethink what's at the basis of Amateur Radio. Is it the fraternity?
Is it the public service? Is it the skill set? Or is it just the frequencies? And how can be best support the art & craft we know, maintain it, and continue as a unique and special medium of communication.

Yes, I'm only a Tech. But observing changing times and making the best and providing direction are important considerations. That makes it more important than ever to let your voice be known to the FCC on these matters. It's just like voting. Be heard and you will be influential.

My personal suggestion:
a) keep code, but 5wpm @ General & 20wpm @ Extra
b) Reallocate 220, 440, & 144 (maybe keep 144)
c) give Tech 6M, and leave the rest the same.

This would provide a lot of practical versatility and keep the CBers out.

Just my 2c,

Collin
KC8TKA

3643. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 19:40:17 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ddb0po$6g1$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 14216

"Cheesehead" <dplotusnotes@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1123607829.060880.159430@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> No matter what any of us think in a "purist" sense, even with code,
> amateur radio has certainly changed over the decades. I'm a purist in
> other areas. Like reading books instead of computer screens. And
> using film along with digital imaging. And I can still do my math in
> hex. Never practiced it in octal or split octal.
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> electronics as to be at the EE level of learning. And a *lot* of
> discrtionary income. Today any bright person can learn the antenna
> theory and go purchase a set with relative pocket change.
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> Is it the public service? Is it the skill set? Or is it just the
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>
> This would provide a lot of practical versatility and keep the CBers
> out.
>
> Just my 2c,
>
> Collin
> KC8TKA
>

The South African situation is:
Morse Code at 5wpm is one of the ways to get an unrestricted licence. Other
ways are logging 100 unique callsigns, building a working transmitter,
logging 50 hours of community service... there's one more that I can't think
of right now.

We have only 3 classes of licence.
The lower one's allows access to 6m and up as well as limited HF. This is where you are If you've not completed one of the abovementined tests.
There are 2 written exams - the more technical one allows higher power.

73
Roger ZR3RC

3644. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 20:01:11 UTC
From: Helmut Wabnig <EmailAddress>
Message-ID: <pr2if19q5jejfnndjdri3flrfl4k3pjaci@4ax.com>
Source record: 14217
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 8 Aug 2005 21:52:58 -0400, "laborkei"
<laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Please visit this Link...
>This is the future of our hobby...
>
>http://www.msu.edu/~volzmich/commenthelp.htm
>
>Step by Step instructions on how to leave comments with the FCC.

Can you do it for me and tell them,
it is high time to abandon Morse code, for amateur license tests.

If you apply as a singer in an opera,
would you like it when they test your ability to stutter?

w.
OE8UWW

3645. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 20:10:57 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <8ac11$42f90e0c$438df2d2$795@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 14219
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hey! Dosn't your constitution require you to be a neutral?

What are you doing taking sides?

"Helmut Wabnig" <EmailAddress> wrote in message
news:pr2if19q5jejfnndjdri3flrfl4k3pjaci@4ax.com...
> On Mon, 8 Aug 2005 21:52:58 -0400, "laborkei"
> <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote:
>
> Can you do it for me and tell them,
> it is high time to abandon Morse code, for amateur license tests.
>
> If you apply as a singer in an opera,
> would you like it when they test your ability to stutter?
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> w.
> OE8UWW
>

3646. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-09 20:12:59 UTC
From: "J. Mc Laughlin" <jcm@power-net.net>
Message-ID: <11fi3glbv7el734@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14218
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

To the many without call signs:
Please remove antenna group from your activities.
Mac N8TT

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J. Mc Laughlin; Michigan U.S.A.
Home: JCM@Power-Net.Net
"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:xV4Ke.65188$_I2.50854@fe03.news.easynews.com...
> Dave wrote:
> > I think if one knows he code is a true amateur radio operator.
>
> I'll add to that.
>
> True amateur radio operators can build spark gap receivers and
> transmitters from scratch using materials they have in their junk boxes.
>
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3647. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 01:41:08 UTC
From: pltrgyst <pltrgyst@spamlessxhost.org>
Message-ID: <3omif1hk7ac3f2ktl4hmd2df14iaam7h87@4ax.com>
Source record: 14220
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

On Tue, 9 Aug 2005 16:12:59 -0400, "J. Mc Laughlin" <jcm@power-net.net> wrote:

>To the many without call signs:
> Please remove antenna group from your activities.
> Mac N8TT

Do you mean rec.radio.amateur.antenna?

If so, why do you make this request?

-- Larry

3648. FA:VIDEO SWITCHER,IG-42+ TUBES...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 01:53:17 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <h6dKe.82936$5N3.65250@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14221
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

See these and a few other items at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Check back often, heytubeguy

3649. 950sdx adjust menu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 02:16:30 UTC
From: k8vf <ae8844@wayne.edu>
Message-ID: <1123640190.758358.235290@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14222

Is anyone familiar with the adjust mode in the service manual for the
950sdx?

My I.F. VBT is way off. I got to the adjust mode, menu 6 as it
indicates,
get a reading of 90 or so at center-but must go fully clockwise in
order to
pass the cw signal. (230 or so) I cant understand what they mean in
the
manual about "how" to adjust the setting and save it.

It seems gibberish to me.

I cant hear any cw signals through my 500 Hz 8.83 filter unless I move
the
I.F. VBT fully clockwise.

Any help would be appreciated, Please note new email address
k8vf_mark@centurytel.net

Mark
K8VF
k8vf_mark@centurytel.net

3650. 950sdx adjust menu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 03:02:46 UTC
From: k8vf <ae8844@wayne.edu>
Message-ID: <1123639423.520827.315480@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14223

Please note my new email address. k8vf_mark@centurytel.net

Is anyone familiar with the adjust mode in the service manual for the
950sdx?

My I.F. VBT is way off. I got to the adjust mode, menu 6 as it
indicates,
get a reading of 90 or so at center-but must go fully clockwise in
order to
pass the cw signal. (230 or so) I cant understand what they mean in
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manual about "how" to adjust the setting and save it.

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the
I.F. VBT fully clockwise.

Any help would be appreciated,

Mark
K8VF
k8vf_mark@centurytel.net

3651. 950sdx adjust menu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 03:02:53 UTC
From: k8vf <ae8844@wayne.edu>
Message-ID: <1123639691.603687.279810@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14224

Is anyone familiar with the adjust mode in the service manual for the
950sdx?

My I.F. VBT is way off. I got to the adjust mode, menu 6 as it
indicates,
get a reading of 90 or so at center-but must go fully clockwise in
order to
pass the cw signal. (230 or so) I cant understand what they mean in
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the
I.F. VBT fully clockwise.

Any help would be appreciated, Please note new email address
k8vf_mark@centurytel.net

Mark
K8VF
k8vf_mark@centurytel.net

3652. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 03:22:55 UTC
From: "J. Mc Laughlin" <jcm@power-net.net>
Message-ID: <11fismp8gtevd96@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14225
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Dear "Larry" (no call sign):
The topic of the cross posted messages has nothing to do with antennas.
...but you knew that already.
Mac N8TT

--
J. Mc Laughlin; Michigan U.S.A.
Home: JCM@Power-Net.Net
"pltrgyst" <pltrgyst@spamlessxhost.org> wrote in message
news:3omif1hk7ac3f2ktl4hmd2df14iaam7h87@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 9 Aug 2005 16:12:59 -0400, "J. Mc Laughlin" <jcm@power-net.net>
wrote:
>
> >To the many without call signs:
> > Please remove antenna group from your activities.
> > Mac N8TT
>
> Do you mean rec.radio.amateur.antenna?
>
> If so, why do you make this request?
>
> -- Larry
>

3653. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 04:25:09 UTC
From: pltrgyst <pltrgyst@spamlessxhost.org>
Message-ID: <a70jf1t04csuudahld5s8ttcfomvjfds1a@4ax.com>
Source record: 14226

On Tue, 9 Aug 2005 23:22:55 -0400, "J. Mc Laughlin" <jcm@power-net.net> wrote:

>Dear "Larry" (no call sign):
> The topic of the cross posted messages has nothing to do with antennas.
>...but you knew that already.
>Mac N8TT

Actually, I didn't, and the intent of your post was not at all clear to me,
since you specifically addressed it "To the many without call signs," rather
than to cross-posters or posters originating in other groups.

-- Larry (who has probably been licensed longer than you have.)

3654. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 04:38:29 UTC
From: an old friend <kb9rqz@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1123648709.955939.74060@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14227
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

J. Mc Laughlin wrote:
> Dear "Larry" (no call sign):
> The topic of the cross posted messages has nothing to do with antennas.
> ...but you knew that already.
> Mac N8TT

But it certainly does
>

3655. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 05:45:55 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <0vgKe.4339$Kp.1997@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14228
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Well crap if that is all it's good for then lets abandon all the high tech' poo and
go back to the old Semaphore Flag Signaling System. No electrons needed.
LOL or perhaps smoke signals from here to yon.

Welcome to the 21st century.

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:xV4Ke.65188$_I2.50854@fe03.news.easynews.com...
> Dave wrote:
>> I think if one knows he code is a true amateur radio operator.
>
> I'll add to that.
>
> True amateur radio operators can build spark gap receivers and
> transmitters from scratch using materials they have in their junk boxes.
>
>

3656. Re: 950sdx adjust menu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 09:43:54 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <u%jKe.50616$B52.35331@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14229

Hi, all concerned:

Could this be a "-1"-filter-suffix vs " "-filter-suffix problem, ie, differing center frequencies? Eg, the '440 had a YK88CN and the '850 had a YK88CN-1, differing by a half-KHz or so in c-f and having the same b-w.

73, Dave, N3HE

"k8vf" <ae8844@wayne.edu> wrote in message
news:1123640190.758358.235290@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Is anyone familiar with the adjust mode in the service manual for the
> 950sdx?
>
> My I.F. VBT is way off. I got to the adjust mode, menu 6 as it
> indicates,
SNIP

3657. Re: 950sdx adjust menu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 13:06:45 UTC
From: k8vf <ae8844@wayne.edu>
Message-ID: <1123679205.513125.247930@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14230

Not this time.

Thanks for the interest.

Mark

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> differing center frequencies? Eg, the '440 had a YK88CN and the '850 had a
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> news:1123640190.758358.235290@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> > 950sdx?
> >
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> > indicates,
> SNIP

3658. Re: 950sdx adjust menu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 13:39:35 UTC
From: k8vf <ae8844@wayne.edu>
Message-ID: <1123681175.069838.248740@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14231

I got the adjust info from a good hearted Ham......no change.

Does anyone know which V.R. to adjust to center the VBT pot?

I am looking for it in the service manual, but not having much success.

3659. FA:Tubes:6JB6,6V6Y,6V6GT,Catalogs+....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 15:49:13 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <ZlpKe.581452$cg1.119094@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14232
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

See these at address below. More parts also coming as well:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, check often, heytubeguy

3660. Re: 950sdx adjust menu

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 16:08:19 UTC
From: k8vf <ae8844@wayne.edu>
Message-ID: <1123690099.958278.11500@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14233

I got a better copy of the schematic. It appears all is digital in the adjustment of this control.

Perhaps I am missing something.

When using 2.7 or 1.8 kHz filters in CW mode, I still have to turn I.F.VBT way to the right to get full strength cw signals.

When I add 500Hz filter, it MUST be within one or two clicks to hear anything...just what I would expect.

Anyone have any ideas or insight as to what my brain is not comprehending here?

All is appreciated.

Mark

3661. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 17:21:21 UTC
From: "Dr.Ace - WH2T" <Ace@WH2T.com>
Message-ID: <5b75a$42fa3781$4e0b1da$15788@DIALUPUSA.NET>
Source record: 14234
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

"J. Mc Laughlin" <jcm@power-net.net> wrote in message
news:11fi3glbv7el734@corp.supernews.com...
> To the many without call signs:
> Please remove antenna group from your activities.
> Mac N8TT
>
> --
> J. Mc Laughlin; Michigan U.S.A.

Good luck with that happening.
Ace - WH2T

3662. Icom IC-901 parts wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 19:13:55 UTC
From: Vomax <vomax@libero.it>
Message-ID: <TlsKe.13015$HM1.345082@twister1.libero.it>
Source record: 14235

I have a ICOM IC-901E mobile transceiver with problem on remote control module.
I found it and need to replace a microcontroller ﷺPD75116GF-554-38E.
You can help to find this component or, in alternative, the entire control module of the IC901?

Thanks de IK0ZTB, Massimo.

3663. WTB: ART-13 accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 20:19:57 UTC
From: BillMe <billme@handy.net>
Message-ID: <1123705207.ec6f5b8ef515e42ec5bf6929a1399d19@teranews>
Source record: 14236

I am looking for some accessories for the ART-13 I recently bought.
I'm interesrted in the control unit, C-87/ART-13; Antenna loading unit
CU-32/ART-13; CDA-T crystal conttrol unit; O-16 LF oscillator;
MT-283/ART-13 Mounting plate and the U-7/U power connector.

I know Fair Radio has some of this stuff but I wanted to check junk
boxes out there first.

Thanks,

Bill, K3PGB

wabate AT dandy DOT net

3664. FA: El-Key Paddle - Very Rare Morse Code Key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 20:51:31 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <k5qkf1t79gcqp7efr12887d2peopu98pcc@4ax.com>
Source record: 14237

I have this for auction on eBay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5796993832&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for looking

3665. FA: Heathkit Station Monitor SB-614 Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 21:03:05 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <7rqkf113a11ugop26ui8tgn55v9v4rofr1@4ax.com>
Source record: 14238

I have this for sale on eBay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5797026388&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for Looking

3666. FA: Yaesu Landliner SP101PB Speaker Phone Patch for FT-101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 21:19:36 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <1nrkf1dem93tvqeaiavv2evmobrvpb6cfb@4ax.com>
Source record: 14239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have this for sale on eBay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5797070032&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for looking.

3667. FA: Yaesu YH-55 Headphones - As New in Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 21:23:05 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <80skf1lkutq3jrc4lhogth32a13d4fptg7@4ax.com>
Source record: 14240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have this for sale on eBay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5796984738&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for looking.

3668. Re: FA: Yaesu YH-55 Headphones - As New in Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 23:24:21 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <SMidnQlwxa07EWffRVn-1A@adelphia.com>
Source record: 14241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Dave wrote:
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>
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>
> Thanks for looking.

Dave, you are spamming several newsgroups with this stuff.
FA: posts have no place in rec.radio.amateur antenna, boatanchors, misc,
or equipment. It belongs in swap only.

Thanks.

- Mike KB3EIA -

3669. FA: Motorola Police Speaker Microphone - Very Nice

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-10 23:32:59 UTC
From: Dave <dave@somehere.net>
Message-ID: <rh3lf1h4tgac08g2k1ubpgrm36loej77oo@4ax.com>
Source record: 14242
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have this for sale on eBay:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5797305343&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Thanks for looking.

3670. FS: Yaesu rapid charger & Soft case

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-11 13:50:28 UTC
From: Ken Bessler <kg0wx@NOSPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <EIIKe.200$ct5.25@fed1read04>
Source record: 14243

I have a mint condition Yaesu NC-50 Dual slot rapid charger
plus two CA-10 Charging inserts. As is, it will rapid charge
the following battery types:

FNB-31 4.8v 600 mah
FNB-33 4.8v 1200 mah
FNB-35 7.2v 900 mah
FNB-38 9.6v 600 mah

FNB-10/12/14/17/40/41/42 batteries are also supported with
the CA-7, 14 or 15 sleeve which is available at HRO (Cheap)

It will also charge Batteries America and W&W NiCd packs. It's
a nice charger! I just don't need it. I also have a Yaesu CSC-66
soft case for the FT-51R in perfect condition.

HRO still carries this charger, probably because it's so versatile.
New price at HRO is $65.00. Asking $27 plus $5 for shipping.

Make me an offer on the soft case.

First come first serve! As with many of my deals, if I get multiple
responses, I'll check the headers to see who was first.

kg0wx@yahoo.com

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73 de Ken KGWX - Flying Pigs #-1055
Elecraft K2 #4913

3671. FS: Winged Emblem Collins 51s-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-11 22:31:21 UTC
From: Jason <jasongogel@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1123799481.402678.160570@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14244

I have a good working Collins 51s-1 reciever. $850 for for the
reciever, $100 for the original manual and $100 for shipping.
Email or Call if interested.

Jasongogel@yahoo.com
516-795-1223

Regards,
Jason

3672. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 01:55:50 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42FC018E.E4C00667@earthlink.net>
Source record: 14245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Travis Jordan wrote:
>
> Dave wrote:
> > I think if one knows he code is a true amateur radio operator.
>
> I'll add to that.
>
> True amateur radio operators can build spark gap receivers and
> transmitters from scratch using materials they have in their junk boxes.

So what? It hasn't been legal to operate a spark transmitter for a
couple generations. You don't even have to be a ham to build, just pick
up some of the early books and follow the instructions. The receivers
of that era would be useless in today's congested RF spectrum, as well.

On the other hand if you can design and build a state of the art
communications system without outside help, that is something to brag
about.

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Link to my "Computers for disabled Veterans" project website deleted
after threats were telephoned to my church.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

3673. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 03:34:09 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123817805_9029@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14246
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Michael A. Terrell wrote:
> On the other hand if you can design and build a state of the art
> communications system without outside help, that is something to brag
> about.

Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3674. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 05:02:00 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <ddhag7kdf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 14247
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I do wish people would not refer to me as a 'ham'.

Amongst the very few things I am proud of is that I am a true Class-A Radio Amateur.

Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free. When requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not sober.

Arn't you American Amateurs envious?

Reg, G4FGQ.

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"Cecil Moore" wrote -
>
> Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.

3675. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 05:39:01 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <VBWKe.189$k92.154@newssvr19.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14148
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Reg Edwards wrote:
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> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
> sober.
>
> Arn't you American Amateurs envious?
> ----
> Reg, G4FGQ.
>
> ==========
>
> "Cecil Moore" wrote -
>
>>Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.
>
>
>

What's a bus? Is it anything akin to a Hummer?
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

3676. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 05:48:00 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
Message-ID: <11foe0h1es58c61@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14149
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Reg Edwards wrote:
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>
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>
> Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free. When
> requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same
> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
> sober.
>
> Arn't you American Amateurs envious?

I can't imagine why we should be. I've been a ham for nearly 50 years (Extra class for more than 40) and have never paid a cent for my license (or my commercial FCC licenses, for that matter). Can't recall the last time I rode on a bus. But the 17.5% tax I'll pay on everything I buy in your fine country during an upcoming trip will be my small contribution to your continued enjoyment of your lifestyle. Then I'll return to Oregon, where we have no sales tax and I can ride on the light rail for a couple of hours for a bit under a pound. Even for those of us who aren't pensioners.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL
Ham.

3677. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 06:36:37 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <42FC435A.D64CC0F3@earthlink.net>
Source record: 14150
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Cecil Moore wrote:
>
> Michael A. Terrell wrote:
> > On the other hand if you can design and build a state of the art
> > communications system without outside help, that is something to brag
> > about.
>
> Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.

What frequency? The last system I worked on was a 70 MHz IF with a
90 MHz upper limit for a dual channel telemetry receiver with a
diversity combiner all done in the digital domain.. It was the
L3-Com/Microdyne RCB-2000. It also had a 70 MHz IF output that was
regenerated after the FIR filters to feed wideband logging recorders for
later analysis. Multiple IF bandwidths and Video bandwidths. It was
controlled by a custom GUI under embedded NT, and had IEEE-488, RS-232
and Ethernet ports for remote programming and control. All for just
$80,000 per radio.

The DR-2000 was the same basic radio chassis, but it was just single
channel receiver.

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after threats were telephoned to my church.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

3678. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 07:58:48 UTC
From: Big Al <nospamsal1@qwest.net>
Message-ID: <3FYKe.1399$q_3.17541@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 14151

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:xV4Ke.65188$_I2.50854@fe03.news.easynews.com...
>
> I'll add to that.
>
> True amateur radio operators can build spark gap receivers and
> transmitters from scratch using materials they have in their junk boxes.
>

I'm old but I don't remember spark gap receivers:)

The problem with amateur radio is we are not generating much interest in the younger set. Go to a HAM swap meet and all you see is us old farts and our grandchildren. Even us HAMS are using the internet to communicate now. We should take this to 40 meters:)

Could this be a problem with technical subjects in general? When we were kids we were interested in photography, radio, model airplanes, cars and so on. Don't see many kids doing that stuff now. Remember the excitement of your first radio contact? I got so excited I couldn't copy the code at all. How about the first contact in Australia or Japan? If you try to tell a youngster about it now, they'll look at you like you're on something. Having an autopatch is not exciting when everyone has a cell phone. Remember calling someone in a distant city and having them patch you through to a relative or friend? Now with three cents a minute long distance and so on it's a different world.

73, Al

3679. Desperately Seeking ...user\service manual for Farnell LS-30

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 13:03:06 UTC
From: Zen Navigator <dahall.aefb0@orange.net>
Message-ID: <1123851786.790096.277260@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14152

Hi,

My first post, and I'm already make demands ;)

Have got my a Farnell LS-30 which is variable psu 0 - 30v. It is in a state of despair, and I would like to get it up and working.

Anybody got a user or service manual for this or know of a website where you can download it...preferably for free :)

Dave

3680. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 13:26:52 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123853371_10977@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14153
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Reg Edwards wrote:
> Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free. When
> requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same
> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
> sober.

Reg, the bomber terrorist sitting next to you on that bus
seems to have received as many benefits from the British
government as you do.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3681. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 13:35:21 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123853877_10985@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14154
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Michael A. Terrell wrote:

> Cecil Moore wrote:
>>Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.
>
> What frequency?

BTW, that was a joke. Being retired, I don't know what the upper
frequency limit is for DSP sampling nowadays. I was using one
million samples per second systems at Intel ten years ago.
They worked well at 455 kHz not only for filtering but for
decoding/detection.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3682. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 14:49:05 UTC
From: Cheesehead <dplotusnotes@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1123858144.982946.195910@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14155

It's not free. Someone paid the tax-collecting bureaucrats.
Probably yourself 10 years ago, with more and for a longer time.

No jealousy here.

Collin
KC8TKA

3683. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 15:32:39 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <76ednTNt7O45XGHfRVn-2Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 14156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Cecil Moore wrote:
> Michael A. Terrell wrote:
>
>> On the other hand if you can design and build a state of the art
>> communications system without outside help, that is something to brag
>> about.
>
>
> Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.

Cecil, I thought you and I did our 'DSP Filtering' by adjusting the
regeneration control or the whisker.

What's an IF ?? IF! If What??

3684. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 16:58:20 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123866104_11205@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14157
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Ham op wrote:
> Cecil Moore wrote:
>> Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.
>
> Cecil, I thought you and I did our 'DSP Filtering' by adjusting the
> regeneration control or the whisker.

Strangely enough, I never used anything except a superhet.

> What's an IF ??

455 Khz on everything I used back then. With no RF amp,
my S38 would receive the same signal on two different
frequencies on 15m, sometimes eliminating an interferring
signal in the process.
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73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3685. Re: FA: Yaesu YH-55 Headphones - As New in Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 19:33:48 UTC
From: JOE <JOE@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123875230.3223785fea96174b8d975eecd4caebb4@meganetnews2>
Source record: 14158
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

"Mike Coslo" <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote in message
news:SMidnQlwxa07EWffRVn-1A@adelphia.com...
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>>
>> Thanks for looking.
>
>
> Dave, you are spamming several newsgroups with this stuff.
> FA: posts have no place in rec.radio.amateur antenna, boatanchors, misc,
> or equipment. It belongs in swap only.
>
> Thanks.
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

Mike - did you just wake up from a 9 year coma or something??

YOU are spamming your hatred of Ebay just as much as he's spamming
his ad! If you're so offended, learn to use kill files and you'll never
even
see the evil awful horrid Ebay ads. Add my name to and you'll never hear
from me again either

JOE

3686. Re: FA: Yaesu YH-55 Headphones - As New in Box

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-12 20:52:10 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123880086_11361@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

JOE wrote:
> YOU are spamming your hatred of Ebay just as much as he's spamming
> his ad!

But hatred of Ebay is not against the usenet posting rules. :-)
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3687. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 00:57:32 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <iN2dnaHNlbId2GDfRVn-vw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14160
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

"Reg Edwards" <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote in message
news:ddhag7kdf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com...
>
> I do wish people would not refer to me as a 'ham'.
>
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> requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same
> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
> sober.
>
> Arn't you American Amateurs envious?
> ----
> Reg, G4FGQ.

Not the least little bit. All our renewals are free regardless of age or work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of their own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

3688. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 02:27:42 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <7cmqf1tcnasebvh1ba6v89kvgob8g4s7qo@4ax.com>
Source record: 14161

On Fri, 12 Aug 2005 20:57:32 -0400, "Dee Flint"
<deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote:

>Not the least little bit. All our renewals are free regardless of age or
>work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of their
>own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.
>
>Dee D. Flint, N8UZE
>

Then of course there are those of us who had to pay ransom for our
original, assigned call letters because the FCC made us give them up
when moving to another call district, then, when the rules changed,
wouldn't let us have them back without paying for them. Vanity had
nothing whatever to do with it. Still angry over that.

Dick - W6CCD

3689. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 03:11:32 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123902848_191@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14163
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Dee Flint wrote:
> Not the least little bit. All our renewals are free regardless of age or
> work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of their
> own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.

I would have loved to stick with my assigned call when I moved
from TX to CA in 1971 but the FCC forced me to give it up. Now
they have charged me the social security money they gave me to
get it back.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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3690. FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 03:12:26 UTC
From: MICHAEL LINGER <oldrover@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <uydLe.1070$H_4.643@trnddc07>
Source record: 14164

FS: Solid state Skywalker 500 linear amp with 200amp metered power supply. Puts out over 700 watts on 75M. Amp it 9+ in appearance and 100% in operational quality. Substantially less than 80 watts drives it full power. Also has bandpass filters for all HF bands. It's very quiet and very efficient. $850.

3691. Motorola Micor base station power supply schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 03:49:35 UTC
From: DaveM <masondg4499@comcast99.net>
Message-ID: <htmdnTnGyoFS8GDfRVn-2g@comcast.com>
Source record: 14165

I used to work in a Motorola 2-way shop back in the mid 70s. I remember that the early Micor base station power supply was regulated by a SCR phase control regulator. I want to build a power supply modeled around that Micor power supply. . I have most, if not all, of the components to duplicate it, but I have lost the schematic for it.
Does anyone have a copy of the schematic for that vintage Micor base station power supply? I don't need the complete manual, just the PS schematic.
A scan would be great if possible.

73,
--
de Dave M
MasonDG44 at comcast dot net (Just subsitute the appropriate characters in the address)

Never take a laxative and a sleeping pill at the same time!!

3692. 4 sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 04:05:38 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3m59shF15ndiiU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14166
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB $ 65
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

VX5R YEASU BLACK 5W 6/2/4.5W440HT $225
FNB58LI 1200MAH LI-POLYMER
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CD15A YEASU CGR STAND
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Both battery packs accept a full charge.
The antenna is also complete with end-cap
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I have Scsi drives/controllers + cables let me know
what you are looking for.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
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3693. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...Vanity call wheeee

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 06:41:00 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <wAgLe.12998$rp.9951@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14167
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Well for myself I wouldn't have picked the spaghetti soup group of letters I had to
start with. But after retiring I thought I might as well get a little vain... That's all
that left after a while. he he.... So for a whopping $20 I got a vanity call after
moving to a new call area. I thought in my second life after heart surgery, back surgery,.ect. I might as well have a little fun. After all isn't that what a
hobby is for? I'll get 10 years out of my new call but I can't get that far on $20 worth of gas these days. eh. Now all I need is about $20K for that new $13,000 ham radio and a tower and antenna ha ha.

What ever is fun is ok. Even if it means dumping a 25 year old call sign.
Let me see Ham radio so varied what next.
Been there done that.... DXCC... RTTY... OSCAR.,.. PACKET...
oh and of coarse RAG CHEW codey slow no problem getting in the time for that award. Contest... Special events... Homebrew...
and a cold brew...

Oh BTW it isn't the one with the most toys... It's the one who gets to play the most with their toys. Have fun everyone and don't take it too seriously or you get an ulcer and high blood pressure.

Cheers 73 ol' WB9SMX new K4TWO when the papers arrive. ;-)

"Dee Flint" <deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote in message news:iN2dnaHNlbId2GDfRVn-vw@comcast.com...
>
> "Reg Edwards" <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote in message
> news:ddhag7kdf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com...
>>
>> I do wish people would not refer to me as a 'ham'.
>>
>> Amongst the very few things I am proud of is that I am a true Class-A
>> Radio Amateur.
>>
>> Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free. When
>> requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same
>> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
>> sober.
>>

>> Arn't you American Amateurs envious?
>> ----
>> Reg, G4FGQ.
>
> Not the least little bit. All our renewals are free regardless of age or
> work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of
> their own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.
>
> Dee D. Flint, N8UZE
>

3694. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 10:47:29 UTC
From: clfe <postmaster@clfurent.com>
Message-ID: <ladLe.29345$Tf5.1430@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 14162

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:7cmqf1tcnasebvh1ba6v89kvgob8g4s7qo@4ax.com...
> On Fri, 12 Aug 2005 20:57:32 -0400, "Dee Flint"
> <deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote:
>
>>Not the least little bit. All our renewals are free regardless of age or
>>work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of
>>their
>>own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.
>>
>>Dee D. Flint, N8UZE
>>
>
> Then of course there are those of us who had to pay ransom for our
> original, assigned call letters because the FCC made us give them up
> when moving to another call district, then, when the rules changed,
> wouldn't let us have them back without paying for them. Vanity had
> nothing whatever to do with it. Still angry over that.
>
> Dick - W6CCD

That did kinda suck..... What I liked, was when it used to be a 6 was in 6 land and you knew where they were - within reason. Now, a 6 can be any where and you have no clue until they tell you. Kinda makes it a tad more difficult to do collecting of call areas. You hear that elusive call for a certain state and you jump on it only to find they're in your back yard so to speak. And I have known guys who had calls they favored only to have to lose them by moving as was pointed out by Dick - W6CCD.

clf

3695. FA: One-Day-Left: QST - Vintage Ham Radio Magazine - QST - February 1971

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 11:25:08 UTC
From: Rose <rose@afjoiwmcwi.com>
Message-ID: <130820050725089496%rose@afjoiwmcwi.com>
Source record: 14168
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6971913198

3696. FA: Collins R-390A Parts, Drake AC-4, Amazing Selection>ALL CHEEP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 14:04:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <76nLe.8782$9v3.3166@fe09.lga>
Source record: 14169
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

Most end Sunday nite, Nice Variety, No Junk, Really!
Please check them all here>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

All others individually>>
@$10>20 NOS MOTOROLA MJ15022 AUDIO OUTPUT TRANSISTORS>TO-3
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982672&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$10>FIVE(5) VARIOUS VINTAGE AIR VARIABLE CAPACITORS>2-NEW:)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982610&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

No Bids @$10>10 NOS OAK TECHNOLOGIES ROTARY CERAMIC SWITCHES>USA:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7536434977&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$36>R.L. DRAKE AC-4 POWER SUPPLY for T-4XC & OTHERS>NR-NEAT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982553&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$11>US AIR FORCE(?) DA-72/U 400 WATT METERED DUMMY LOAD>NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982524&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

No Bids @$9.99>HENRY RADIO TP-400 DC-DC CONVERTER>HV MOBILE SUPPLY-NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982596&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$52>ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A RF S METER-M102+cover/screws:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982566&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$22>ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A CRYSTAL OSCILLATOR UNIT-NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982578&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

@$20>24 COLLINS R-390A RADIO TUBES>AMPERITE BALLAST+ JAN NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5795982639&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3697. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 15:02:01 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3m6gb8F144ioqU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14171
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB $ 65
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater $ 50
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3698. FS: Ameritron ALS-500M Mobile Amp.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 15:02:47 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <es2sf1pl8eppfl028k8c9gbu9s3tfifto3@4ax.com>
Source record: 14170

FS: Ameritron ALS-500M Mobile Amp
1 Year old and hardly used.
Comes with the original box.
Works and looks great.
Only used a hand full of times.
Non smoker
Price: 525.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3699. FS Motorola GR1225 VHF Repeater 45 Watts 16 Channels

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 15:11:51 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <fd3sf11qbv47fhkjshgkki0ufsgt7k12f9@4ax.com>
Source record: 14172

FS Motorola GR1225 VHF Repeater 45 Watts 16 Channels
On ham band now. It works great and looks great.
I have the GR1225 Cabinet with the 16 Channel front panel.
And the R1225 Repeater. So you need to add power supply and
duplexer.
All in nice shape.
Price: 450.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3700. FS: Yaesu FT-8900R quad-band mobile radio. 10m/6m/2m/70c..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 15:20:35 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <pt3sf1tts30r2v7pqj1kilnqjsn9nmu2nn@4ax.com>
Source record: 14173

FS: Yaesu FT-8900R quad-band mobile radio. 10m/6m/2m/70c
Box/manual Looks and works like new. Built in Quadplexer.
The knob on the left side broke off. The inner knob still raises
the squelch and volume,So I never replaced it. I still have the
knob to go with it. Everything still works fine and it certainly is
not beat up.
Looks NEW! I'm a non smoker. Comes with the original box and the
Touch-Tone Microphone, Model MH-48
Price: 295.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

3701. FS: Motorola HT1000 VHF HT 136-172 MHz ..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 15:27:23 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <aa4sf1hukt9mh34gm29bnfvrmhckqto0hl@4ax.com>
Source record: 14174

FS: Motorola HT1000 VHF HT 136-172 MHz

8 Channels

Comes with two batteries//Antenna

Works and looks great. Batteries seem to hold charge and last fine.

No charger. Price: 145.00 SHIPPED!!!

ritchi50@optonline.net

3702. ADI AR-147 PROBLEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 16:39:22 UTC
From: Scott <shale132@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <d98sf1d1djo8dbu6tb08r853v68rfnbaft@4ax.com>
Source record: 14175

I have an ADI AR-147 rig that seems to have a heat related problem.
When I transmit on medium or high power for a few minutes the case
gets very warm and my display acts up. It will show just about
everything ...all gibberish. Sometimes a tap on top of the rig will
get it working and letting the case cool will always get it back.
Might open it up and re-solder or clean the display contacts. Anyone
else have this problem? Thanks ... Scott VE1AFN.>

3703. WTD: manual for a Canadian Marconi model CSR-2 communications receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 16:44:29 UTC
From: taxidriver <taxidriver@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <NrpLe.3720$2C5.3444@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14176

manual for a Canadian Marconi model CSR-2 communications receiver even a photocopy will do

Taxidriver

3704. Need Some Help/Guidance On Kenwood TS-830S Problem Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 19:25:42 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <42FE4936.8BA0FD5B@erols.com>
Source record: 14177

Ham friend of mine has a Kenwood TS-830S. Works fine on all bands
except the readout/receiver/transmitter intermittently goes out on the
10 Mhz and 21 Mhz bands. More off than on. He has the maintenance
manual but nothing in there about it.

Any guidance/help on what or where to begin looking at would be
appreciated. He is an excellent technician but this one has him
stumped. Thanks.
73 Murray, K3BEQ

3705. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 21:26:04 UTC
From: Big Endian <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <nospam-827928.16260513082005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14178
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

In article <1123817805_9029@spool6-east.superfeed.net>,
Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com> wrote:

>
> Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.

I thought you were an antenna guy.

3706. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 21:39:26 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1123969322_1319@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 14179
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Big Endian wrote:

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>
> I thought you were an antenna guy.

Believe it or not, I have at least two areas
of interest. :-)
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+ Newsgroups
----= East and West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =----

3707. WTB: Hallicrafters SX-88

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 22:18:45 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <vdssf1l0fkp8l7c99ts4aut0mmvq1q4hn1@4ax.com>
Source record: 14180

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WTB: Hallicrafters SX-88
Please state condition and price.
ritchi50@optonline.net
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3708. Buy and Sell your Tube Gear!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 23:34:12 UTC
From: Jeff James <cbstv@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <VrvLe.3887$Gx1.1883@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14181

You never know what you'll find..
http://www.dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi
FREE ads Dedicated to Vintage Amateur Radio...

3709. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-13 23:44:34 UTC
From: Big Endian <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <nospam-E6A651.18443613082005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 14182
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

In article <1123969322_1319@spool6-east.superfeed.net>,
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> > Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com> wrote:
> >>Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.
> >
> > I thought you were an antenna guy.
>
> Believe it or not, I have at least two areas
> of interest. :-)

I have more than one also, LOL.

I like your posts on antenna NG. Hang in there.

3710. FS: VX-7R Black

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 00:39:12 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dKedna-nD-spD2PfRVn-jg@comcast.com>
Source record: 14183

For Sale Yaesu VX-7R Black. 2 -- 440 -- 6 -- 220
HT is in new condition comes with extra battery and Ear mic.
Original Box and manual.

No original Antenna or Belt clip. Has a store bought antenna and no Belt clip.
Radio works and looks fine.

$225 plus shipping

Steve

3711. FS: Motorola MODAX 100 Radio Paging Terminal

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 01:52:01 UTC
From: EOC <eastern.ontario.consignment@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <ysxLe.17269$yH2.925933@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14184

Brand new with manual. Best offer.

sk8hard@gmail.com

3712. Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 02:42:52 UTC
From: Newbie Ham <none@INOSPAM.com>
Message-ID: <mcyLe.23170$6d4.1600151@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14186
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Everybody

I hope this isn't the wrong place to ask. if it is, please let me know where I should post.

I have a Kenwood TS50 installed on a boat with a SGC autotuner. The tuner is grounded to a dynaplate.

I also have a 2000watt inverter/charger built into the boat for ac power creation from 12v batteries.

Something strange is going on and I jusr don't know where to start trouble shooting.

When I transmit on frequencies like 14300MHZ usb, no problem.

If I transmit on 7628 LSB 100watts the FET's in my inverter blow up! As soon as I key the mike I hear a loud pop and there goes another fet.

I've changed them twice now and since the inverter is bolted into an awkward spot and weighs 70 pounds (it's all transformer), removing the inverter and changing them ain't fun.

Tonight I went so far as to disconnect (as in unplug) the AC supply to the inverter and switch it completely off. As in no LEDS lit, everything off.

Yet as soon as I keyed the mic, POOF. The fets just blew apart.

Any thoughts as to what might be happening?

FWIW, the coax from radio to tuner runs within about 2 feet of the inverter, the radio and tuner are powered from the batteries which power the inverter. So the inverter and radio share Pos. and Neg.

I can only think of a few ways this might be happening:

1) Radiated signal from the coax leaking into the inverter.
2) Radiated signal passing into the inverter via the shared positive or negative feeds.
3) Some weird ground loop issue.

I have no ideas as to how to diagnose this and trouble shoot it without having to replace fets everytime. And that's a big job.

Any thoughts would be greatly appreciated.

3713. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...Vanity call wheeee

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 02:50:57 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <42FEB19E.7AAABA57@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 14185
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Though this appeared in the Rec.radio.equipment newsgroup and is being broadcast to several others that may or may not really be appropriate for this diversion from the original subject, I can't help but responding....

When it comes to a vanity call, the relative pittance we are charged for a call that makes sense to us (whether because of an old call in another location, or because it's easier to transmit in morse, or even fits some other plan we may have) is worth the money in my opinion, and I imagine to anyone else that took a vanity call.

For myself, I chose my current call because the people at FCC didn't give me a call in my area on an upgrade from Tech to Extra, despite an address update way prior to the examinations. Somehow, they managed to show correct postal box address and city, but my state as California (where I used to live), yet the zip code was correct, so our "wonderful" postal service forwarded the license upgrade to my PObox, yet they gave me a California call....
Moving to a vanity call that indicated Hawaii was a no-brainer for me, and I'd be willing to pay 20 bucks a year to keep it, so the increase in costs still make sense to me.... I know I may get a lot of flak from some people because of this, but it's all what it's worth in my mind.... It is a hobby, and thing that are outside "standard assignment" can be expected to cost a bit more. In my mind, it would certainly be worth less than 2 bucks a month to have a call that makes sense to me in place of one that is from an area where I no longer live.

Thanks
--Rick AH7H

Mr Fed UP wrote:

> Well for myself I wouldn't have picked the spaghetti soup group of letters I
> had to
> start with. But after retiring I thought I might as well get a little
> vain... That's all
> that left after a while. he he.... So for a whopping $20 I got a vanity call
> after
> moving to a new call area. I thought in my second life after heart surgery,
> back surgery,.ect. I might as well have a little fun. After all isn't that
> what a
> hobby is for? I'll get 10 years out of my new call but I can't get that
> far on $20 worth of gas these days. eh. Now all I need is about $20K
> for that new $13,000 ham radio and a tower and antenna ha ha.
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> What ever is fun is ok. Even if it means dumping a 25 year old call sign.

> Let me see Ham radio so varied what next.
> Been there done that.... DXCC... RTTY... OSCAR.,.. PACKET...
> oh and of coarse RAG CHEW codey slow no problem getting in the
> time for that award. Contest... Special events... Homebrew...
> and a cold brew...
>
> Oh BTW it isn't the one with the most toys... It's the one who gets to
> play the most with their toys. Have fun everyone and don't take
> it too seriously or you get an ulcer and high blood pressure.
>
> Cheers 73 ol' WB9SMX new K4TWO when the papers arrive. ;-)
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> "Dee Flint" <deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote in message
> news:iN2dnaHNlbId2GDfRVn-vw@comcast.com...
> >
> > "Reg Edwards" <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote in message
> > news:ddhag7kdf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com...
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> >> I do wish people would not refer to me as a 'ham'.
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> >> Amongst the very few things I am proud of is that I am a true Class-A
> >> Radio Amateur.
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> >> Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free. When
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> >> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
> >> sober.
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> > work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of
> > their own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.
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> > Dee D. Flint, N8UZE
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3714. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 03:01:07 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <42FEB400.CFDD157@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 14187

Odd... For some reason, this amplifier is available in kit form only, and only to Hams outside of the US of A..... They are located in Surfside Beach, South Carolina... Perhaps the Amplifier Kit does not meet FCC regulations (works for 11/10 Meters without Ham License verification)

I don't have personally verified information on this amplifer, and was interested in it before I found it couldn't be purchased from the manufacturer of the kit in the US..

If anyone else has better information on this amp, I would be interested, as I could use a low priced solid state amp if it doesn't pollute the bands I work. (primarily 80, 40 and 20 meters)

Thanks
--Rick AH7H

MICHAEL LINGER wrote:

> FS: Solid state Skywalker 500 linear amp with 200amp metered power supply.
> Puts out over 700 watts on 75M. Amp it 9+ in appearance and 100% in
> operational quality. Substantially less than 80 watts drives it full power.
> Also has bandpass filters for all HF bands. It's very quiet and very
> efficient. $850.

3715. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 03:12:17 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B1CDB968A05spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 14188
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I can't offer much help, but I would think that you ought to try this with a dummy load instead of the antenna; Dummy load hooked directly to the radio.

If nothing else, it would tell you whether you have a DC voltage/grounding problem, or an RF problem.

Ed K7AAT

3716. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 03:26:14 UTC
From: Roy Lewallen <w7el@eznec.com>
Message-ID: <11fteeo89s870de@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14189
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Here's what I think is happening.

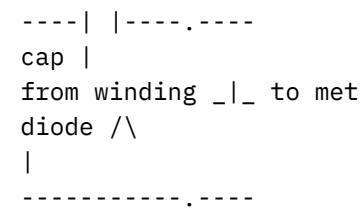
On 40 meters, the path from the tuner back along the outside of the coax to the rig is about as attractive to RF as the dynaplate, so a good fraction of the RF current being fed to the antenna goes that way. On 20 meters, the dynaplate is relatively more attractive due to a combination of the dynaplate impedance, antenna input impedance, and coax length, so more goes to the dynaplate and less along the coax.

The RF current goes along the outside of the feedline to the rig, over the outside of the rig, and into your inverter via the power leads. There are a couple of ways you can reduce the problem:

1. Put one or more good current baluns (common mode chokes) in the coax feedline. If you just put one in, I'd put it at the rig, to force the current there to be minimal.
2. Put a common mode choke in the power cable to the rig. Because the wires are pretty large, it's probably not practical to wrap multiple turns around a single ferrite core. So get some large clamp-on cores you can clamp over both conductors at the same time. It's likely to take a dozen or so, or more depending on the type of ferrite. I recommend type 43, or 70-series if you can find it in clamp-on cores.
3. Apply the same kind of choke to the inverter power leads from the battery.

What you're doing here is to create a high impedance to common mode current along the path from the tuner to the inverter.

If you'd like a quantitative measure of how bad a problem you've got and how effective any solution is (or if this is really the problem), get a clamp-on ferrite core you can clamp over the coax line or the power leads to the rig. Wind about 10 turns to make a transformer secondary winding -- the primary will be the wire passing through the clamped core. Connect the winding through a series capacitor of around 0.001 to 0.01 uF to a shunt diode (any small signal type will do), and then to a voltmeter:



Sorry, I'm not very good with ASCII art. . .

Clamp this onto the coax or over both power leads. The meter reading
will be approximately proportional to the amount of RF current. The
object is to minimize it.

Roy Lewallen, W7EL

Newbie Ham wrote:
> Hi Everybody
>
> I hope this isn't the wrong place to ask. if it is, please let me know
> where I should post.
>
> I have a Kenwood TS50 installed on a boat with a SGC autotuner. The
> tuner is grounded to a dynaplate.
>
> I also have a 2000watt inverter/charger built into the boat for ac power
> creation from 12v batteries.
>
> Something strange is going on and I jusr don't know where to start
> trouble shooting.
>
> When I transmit on frequencies like 14300MHZ usb, no problem.
>
> If I transmit on 7628 LSB 100watts the FET's in my inverter blow up! As
> soon as I key the mike I hear a loud pop and there goes another fet.
>
> I've changed them twice now and since the inverter is bolted into an
> awkward spot and weighs 70 pounds (it's all transformer), removing the
> inverter and changing them ain't fun.
>
> Tonight I went so far as to disconnect (as in unplug) the AC supply to
> the inverter and switch it completely off. As in no LEDS lit, everything
> off.
>
> Yet as soon as I keyed the mic, POOF. The fets just blew apart.
>
> Any thoughts as to what might be happening?
>
> FWIW, the coax from radio to tuner runs within about 2 feet of the
> inverter, the radio and tuner are powered from the batteries which power
> the inverter. So the inverter and radio share Pos. and Neg.
>
> I can only think of a few ways this might be happening:
>
> 1) Radiated signal from the coax leaking into the inverter.
> 2) Radiated signal passing into the inverter via the shared positive or
> negative feeds.
> 3) Some weird ground loop issue.
>
> I have no ideas as to how to diagnose this and trouble shoot it without
> having to replace fets everytime. And that's a big job.
>

> Any thoughts would be greatly appreciated.

3717. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 03:57:54 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11ftga2330im66c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14190
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <mcyLe.23170$6d4.1600151@news20.bellglobal.com>,
Newbie Ham <none@lNOSPAM.com> wrote:

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>negative feeds.
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>
>I have no ideas as to how to diagnose this and trouble shoot it without
>having to replace fets everytime. And that's a big job.
>
>Any thoughts would be greatly appreciated.

Could be any of the three paths, or more than one at once... conducted
vs. radiated is an interesting question, but perhaps a bit academic.
All of your equipment is going to be in the near field of the
antenna/ground system, I think, and so you're going to be ending up
with RF pretty much everywhere.

If I had to guess, I'd guess that your inverter may have some sort of
half-bridge / push-pull switching circuitry. The RF getting into the
system is switching both sides of the push-pull drive into conduction
at the same time (a few volts of RF on the gates of the FETs could do
it) and shorting the supply through the FETs.

The fact that the RF was able to blow the FETs with the inverter
switched off suggests to me that it may be a fairly direct, local
pickup of RF onto the gates which did the damage. With the inverter
switched off, its controller wouldn't have been driving the FET(s) at
all.

As to how to prevent it from happening again... my guess is that your
best bet is going to be to add heavy-duty RF filtering to both the DC
inputs, and the AC load, and make the invert case as RF-tight as
possible.

I'm not sure whether it'd be possible to add snubbers, ferrites, etc.
on the FET gate leads themselves to keep the RF from triggering
them... the inverter design may require driving the FETs quite fast to
achieve proper control of the voltage. Figuring this out would
require a schematic and some study of the design.

It might be worth sniffing around inside the inverter with a grid dip
meter, with the power completely disconnected and everything
unplugged. You might get lucky and find a portion of the circuitry

that's actually resonant at around the frequency at which you're
having trouble. If so, spoiling the Q of this resonance might reduce
or eliminate the problem.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

3718. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 04:36:04 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11ftihk65qnspbc@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14191

In article <42FEB400.CFDD157@rickfrazier.com>,
Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com> wrote:

>Odd... For some reason, this amplifier is available in kit form only, and only
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>Carolina... Perhaps the Amplifier Kit does not meet FCC regulations (works for
>11/10 Meters without Ham License verification)

That does seem to be the case. As I understand it, it is not
currently legal to manufacture or sell an external power amplifier (or
sell one as a kit) which can operate between 24 and 35 MHz. Such amps
cannot be certificated, under current FCC rules, and external power
amps are the only sort of amateur-radio gear which does require
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3719. New Program. L-match Networks.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 09:10:26 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <ddn1q1lcv1@nwrdmz02.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 14192

Occasionally it may be useful to deduce the value of the terminating impedance of an L-match network when only the values of the coil (uH) and capacitor (pF) and the frequency are known.

Program L_NETWK does exactly that.

The terminating impedance is often the input impedance of the transmission line leading to an antenna when an impedance measuring device is not available. Whereas it is possible to estimate the values of the coil and capacitor settings from a visual examination. The L and C components having been set by using the SWR meter or TLI.

The program also assists with assessing the range of terminating impedances which can be accomodated by a given L-tuner. Without such assistance a considerable strain is placed on an ordinary person's imagination.

Download in a few seconds program L_NETWK from the website below and run immediately. No unzipping inconvenience.

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Regards from Reg, G4FGQ
For Free Radio Design Software go to
http://www.btinternet.com/~g4fgq.regp
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3720. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 10:18:51 UTC
From: Highland Ham <abcgm0csz.kn6whxyz@dsl.pipex.com>
Message-ID: <PsydnRZNk8oUh2LfRVnyhQ@pipex.net>
Source record: 14193
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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>> soon as I key the mike I hear a loud pop and there goes another fet.
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Firstly , Thank you Roy for your expert advice ; I have stored your message
for future reference.

Secondly , (Silly me) What is a 'Dynaplate' ? I am not a
boating type of person.

Frank GM&#65533;CSZ / KN6WH

3721. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 11:25:56 UTC
From: Newbie Ham <none@INOSPAM.com>
Message-ID: <42FF2A44.7010907@INOSPAM.com>
Source record: 14194
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Since my boat, like many is made of fiberglass, obtaining a
ground/counterpoise is a tad tricky. Steel boats don't have a problem
but glass boats do.

So what is commonly done is a dynaplate is added to the boat. It's
basically a highly conductive copper plate that is through bolted to the
hull and is in contact with the sea water under the boat. There's a stud
on the dynaplate to which you attach a copper foil coming from the tuner
ground stud.

Highland Ham wrote:
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3722. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 12:12:50 UTC
From: Murray <me@erewhon.net>
Message-ID: <42ff3531$0$4569$5a62ac22@per-qv1-newsreader-01.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 14195
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Roy Lewallen wrote:
SNIP>>
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practical to wrap multiple turns around a single ferrite

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I recommend type 43, or 70-series if you can find it in clamp-on cores.

3. Apply the same kind of choke to the inverter power leads from the
battery.

A source of supply of 'big'! toroids for this kind of
suppression is the deflection coil toroid from old
TV sets. Some of them are enormous! And cheap. (read - free)

I use them round the shack liberally. There is enough
ferrite in there to equal 10 small toroids. (by weight)

Cheers.
Murray vk4aok

3723. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 14:05:00 UTC
From: John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <42FF4F87.3050603@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14196

Dave Platt wrote:
> In article <42FEB400.CFDD157@rickfrazier.com>,
> Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com> wrote:
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> original goal of the rule.
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License verification is not part of the FCC rules. However most
manufacturers of amps will supply instructions on how to modify them for
12/10 meter operation upon proof of license.
John

3724. K9YA Telegraph - September 2005 Issue (FREE)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 14:52:58 UTC
From: K9YA Telegraph <no_spam@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <eVILe.81$Z%6.20@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14197

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Mr. Murphy's Days of Glory By Rod Newkirk, VA3ZBB/W9BRD

How Many Differences Can You Find? By Dick Sylvan, W9CBT

3725. WTB: Tower DFW area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 15:04:50 UTC
From: W5GT <test@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <i4JLe.4129$rc6.4019@fe03.lga>
Source record: 14098

Looking for a tower in the Dallas Ft Worth area. About 40' free standing is all I need. Will negotiate for included rotor if available.

Dave - W5GT
North Richland Hills, Texas

3726. F.S. Kenwood TS-940SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 16:04:47 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <zYJLe.98137$5N3.24938@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14100
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale a Kenwood ts-940sat xcvr, has yk88a am filter, yg-455c cw filter,
mc-60 microphone, sp-940 speaker.
equipment in nice shape, have manuals and boxes for ts-940 and sp-940.
asking $800 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3727. F.S. Kenwood TL-922A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 16:04:48 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <AYJLe.98138$5N3.45909@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14099
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Kenwood TL-922a linear amp uses 2x 3-500z tubes.have original
shipping carton.
have not tested yet but will put on the air this weekend. if all goes well
will be asking $1000 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3728. F.S. AEA PK-232mbx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 16:04:49 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <BYJLe.98140$5N3.53794@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14101
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
software. unit not working and I don't have time
to mess with it. asking $50 here in Phila., Pa. will ship if you pay
shipping. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3729. F.S. Ameritron AL-1200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 16:04:49 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <BYJLe.98139$5N3.44025@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14102
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale original black face Ameritron AL-1200 (pre mfj). this amp uses
3cx-1200a7 tube and easily does legal limit.
has peter dahl transformer, dayton blower, eimac tube, socket and
chimney.very nice with manual.
asking $1200 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3730. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 16:23:23 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11furvrq3udj6ba@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14103

In article <42FF4F87.3050603@worldnet.att.net>,
John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote:

>License verification is not part of the FCC rules. However most
>manufacturers of amps will supply instructions on how to modify them for
>12/10 meter operation upon proof of license.

Yup. It's legal for a licensed amateur to perform such a modification
(no more than one amp per year or one per model per year, I can't
remember which), and it's also legal for an amateur to sell an amp
once modified to another amateur for amateur use.

License verification isn't required by the FCC, but I imagine it's a
good way for a manufacturer to show a good-faith defense against
charges that they're selling amps intended to be modified for CB use,
and for amateurs to make sure that they're selling used amps in a
legal way.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
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3731. Re: Tower DFW area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 17:04:28 UTC
From: W5GT <w5gt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <zQKLe.58666$Tt6.20587@fe04.lga>
Source record: 14104

My email address is actually w5gt@arrl.net

Dave - W5GT
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 17:53:12 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <e11vf1p6end0o43vf226bhfppgdq1gevvs@4ax.com>
Source record: 14105

On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 16:23:23 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
wrote:

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but you cannot build one from a kit capable of operation below 144

3733. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 20:09:33 UTC
From: John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <42FFA4FD.6080508@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14106

Dick wrote:
> On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 16:23:23 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
> wrote:
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> you can build one from scratch, or modify a commercially built amp,
> but you cannot build one from a kit capable of operation below 144
But you can build a kit and modify that. I used to use a Heath SB1000
amp. I enabled 10m from the start - just did not install the wire that
prevented it from working. That's about as simple as a mod can get and
still not cause a problem with the FCC about not readily modifiable to
operate on 27MHz.
John

3734. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 20:21:47 UTC
From: Highland Ham <abcgm0csz.kn6whxyz@dsl.pipex.com>
Message-ID: <jO-dnd5-5K9IOmLfRVnyrA@pipex.net>
Source record: 14107
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> So what is commonly done is a dynaplate is added to the boat. It's
> basically a highly conductive copper plate that is through bolted to the
> hull and is in contact with the sea water under the boat. There's a stud
> on the dynaplate to which you attach a copper foil coming from the tuner
> ground stud.
==========
Thank you for the above info. Now understanding the situation better , it would perhaps be beneficial to have a 'tunable counterpoise' between the transceiver ground connection and the dynaplate.
It is in fact an adjustable series tuned circuit comprising a air-spaced capacitor and a roller coaster or switch-tapped type of variable inductor which is tuned for minimum impedance with the aid of an integral RF current meter (as described by Roy ,W7EL) Tuning is done for each band by maximising the current in the counterpoise at low power.
For the latter it is best to use a sensitive microamp meter ,its sensitivity adjustable with a potmeter
Such a tunable counterpoise can also be used very well in a high rise apartment where there is no good RF earth .
The end of the counterpoise is then not connected ,but since the RF voltage can be considerable ,the free end should be well insulated.
Such a device can be home brewed ,but a version with a switch allowing for several inductor taps is (or at least was) available from MFJ it's their model MFJ-931 ; Artificial RF Ground.
It was (in the early 1990s ?) described in QST , by Doug DeMaw , W1FB (sadly now SK)

I have home brewed the above type of artificial ground made with a roller coaster inductor.
For the HF bands the inductor is to be adjustable between approx 0.9 to 43 microHenry ,with the variable capacitor being 200 -250 pF max.

Frank GM0CSZ / KN6WH

3735. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 21:44:12 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <MWOLe.60057$B52.56864@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14108
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I think they should drop morse as a requirement and add flag signalling instead. You never know when we will have a mass power failure and gasoline shortage at the same exact time!

Wayne (KC8UIO)

"laborkei" <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:x_TJe.1297$Aq.917@bignews1.bellsouth.net...
> Please visit this Link...
> This is the future of our hobby...
>
> http://www.msu.edu/~volzmich/commenthelp.htm
>
> Step by Step instructions on how to leave comments with the FCC.
>
> --
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>

3736. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 22:11:14 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <a276f$42ffc1ba$97d55c26$23528@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 14109
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Sending morse code with a signal light is faster than signal flags,
especially at night.

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3737. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 22:28:53 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <cfednYBIU5VpWGLfRVn-vw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14110
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Cecil Moore wrote:

SNIPPED
>
> 455 Khz on everything I used back then. With no RF amp,
> my S38 would receive the same signal on two different
> frequencies on 15m, sometimes eliminating an interferring
> signal in the process.

My National NC-54, i think, had the same design feature! :-)

Sensitivity on 10 meters was, well different. I could hear W1VUO and W1GID with excellent Q5 copy. I could never hear who they were working!

I figured out that it must be my receiver. After all, W1GID lived 200 yards North and W1VOU lived 1/2 mile west. Never heard anything else on 10 meters until I bought a REAL radio, HQ-140X.

BTW, in Boy Scouts I did build a Regenerative for 6 meters. It earned a Worked All TV sets award :-) Channel 2 is/was a major supplier in the Boston TV market.

3738. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 22:30:26 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <cfednYNIU5XMW2LfRVn-vw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14111
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Cecil Moore wrote:

> Big Endian wrote:
>
>> Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com> wrote:
>>
>>> Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.
>>
>>
>> I thought you were an antenna guy.
>
>
> Believe it or not, I have at least two areas
> of interest. :-)

#1 ... women !!!!
#2 ... more women ?????

3739. WTB: Hallicrafters SX-88..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 23:13:42 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <q0kvf1tv076rf3anbklhprj5vndnth6khe@4ax.com>
Source record: 14112

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WTB: Hallicrafters SX-88
Please state condition and price.
ritchi50@optonline.net
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3740. Re: F.S. AEA PK-232mbx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-14 23:33:51 UTC
From: Bill Janssen <billj9@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <zxQLe.4153$cg.829@news02.roc.ny>
Source record: 14113
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

John Haberkern wrote:

>forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
>software. unit not working and I don't have time
>to mess with it. asking $50 here in Phila., Pa. will ship if you pay
>shipping. John
>
>
>--
>John Haberkern
>w3ayt@arrl.net
>
And if you want to repair it check the Crystal oscillator(s) first.
Maybe just a change
of capacitor values will be all it takes That was the case for mine.

Bill K7NOM

3741. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 00:44:26 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <LzRLe.2946$iM2.262153@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14114
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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Ken

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3742. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 00:54:44 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <v5ovf1t3fll6blv4cues29t43c9aoq1v63@4ax.com>
Source record: 14115

On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 20:09:33 GMT, John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
wrote:

>
>
>Dick wrote:
>> On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 16:23:23 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
>> wrote:
>>
>>
>>>In article <42FF4F87.3050603@worldnet.att.net>,
>>>John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net> wrote:
>>>
>>>
>>>>License verification is not part of the FCC rules. However most
>>>>manufacturers of amps will supply instructions on how to modify them for
>>>>12/10 meter operation upon proof of license.
>>>
>>>Yup. It's legal for a licensed amateur to perform such a modification
>>>(no more than one amp per year or one per model per year, I can't
>>>remember which), and it's also legal for an amateur to sell an amp
>>>once modified to another amateur for amateur use.
>>
>>
>> The wording is no more than one unit of one model. Interesting that
>> you can build one from scratch, or modify a commercially built amp,
>> but you cannot build one from a kit capable of operation below 144
>But you can build a kit and modify that. I used to use a Heath SB1000
>amp. I enabled 10m from the start - just did not install the wire that
>prevented it from working. That's about as simple as a mod can get and
>still not cause a problem with the FCC about not readily modifiable to
>operate on 27MHz.
>John

I'm not sure about that John. 97.315 is pretty specific about kits.
97.315 (b) says that any amplifier kit has to be Certified by the FCC.
I would think the chances of getting the FCC to certify a kit of parts
capable of building a 10-meter amplifier would be slim to less than
zero.

Heath doesn't make kits anymore, and these rules were written after
Heath went out of the ham radio business. What you stated was true
many years ago. The only way to satisfy the requirements now is to
modify a factory built, certified amplifier, or build one on your own
from scratch without using a kit (unless of course you can find a

certified kit. Good luck on that.)

Dick

3743. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 00:58:10 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3ma7l3F14uas9U1@individual.net>
Source record: 14116
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB----------$ 50
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

2 Kenwood TR-7950----------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com

VX5R YEASU BLACK 5W 6/2/4.5W440HT----------$200
FNB58LI 1200MAH LI-POLYMER
FBA23 YEASU 2 AA CELL BATTERY CASE
CD15A YEASU CHGR STAND
VX5R is like new as are all the accessories.
Both battery packs accept a full charge.
The antenna is also complete with end-cap
and 6M add-on.
Comes complete plus box and manual.

Standard C468A LNIB----------$ 75

Standard C568A TRI Bander 144/440/1200----------$150
95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip.

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
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Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

3744. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 01:46:29 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3maaflF1660d1U1@individual.net>
Source record: 14117
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB----------$ 50
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

2 Kenwood TR-7950----------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

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3745. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 04:13:56 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <oc50g1lqok06smt01jq9p9asp4cda2htg2@4ax.com>
Source record: 14118

On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 17:54:44 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

>The only way to satisfy the requirements now is to
>modify a factory built, certified amplifier, or build one on your own
>from scratch without using a kit (unless of course you can find a
>certified kit. Good luck on that.)
>
>Dick

And of course you can always buy one from another amateur that is already modified or buy one purchased new prior to April 28, 1978. My comments above were related to buying something new.

Dick

3746. Re: Need Some Help/Guidance On Kenwood TS-830S Problem Please

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 11:08:07 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <rl_Le.610726$cg1.496904@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14119

I would check a couple of things. First of all, I would check the LO injection to the display unit.......next, I would check for a bad ground connection, corrosion, etc. This could cause this type of problem.
Hey, thanks for the TR-751.......it is a nice unit.

Pete

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message news:42FE4936.8BA0FD5B@erols.com...
>
> Ham friend of mine has a Kenwood TS-830S. Works fine on all bands
> except the readout/receiver/transmitter intermittently goes out on the
> 10 Mhz and 21 Mhz bands. More off than on. He has the maintenance
> manual but nothing in there about it.
>
> Any guidance/help on what or where to begin looking at would be
> appreciated. He is an excellent technician but this one has him
> stumped. Thanks.
> 73 Murray, K3BEQ

3747. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 13:07:38 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <us0Me.184985$%M5.150803@fe04.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14120
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Ken Taylor wrote:
> Sending may be faster with the flags, but receiving is a bit of a
> pain......

Smoke signals, anyone?

3748. FS: Selling the shack

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 13:36:15 UTC
From: AmFmSSBCw@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1124112975.123400.85030@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14121

Have the following FS. All the equipment is fully operational w/
paperwork unless specified, shipping is included in the prices:

Rigs:
- Yaesu FT-890AT..... Works great, looks fine. $475
- Kenwood TS-50..... Never mobile, w/ box and all accesories $450
- Icom 706MKIIG..... Also never mobile, w/ all from factory $600
Possibly Sold
- Icom IC-2800... 2m/440 like new, a scrath or two on heatsink $375
- Yaesu VX-6R.... tri-band HT, 2 months old $195
Meters:
-Bird 43 - Very clean w/ box papers etc. $175
-MFJ 934 300W TUNER - $225
-MFJ 962d 1500W TUNER - $145
Amps:
-Dentron MLA 2500 amplifier - some wear-n-tear, new tubes $350
-Heathkit SB-220 2kW AMP $440
Mics (will wire to your preference @ no charge):
-Astatic 10 DA - NIB - $115
-Astatic D104 - lightly used, looks new $80
-Heil HM-10 - Used once, Wired for Icom $85
Keys:
-MFJ 464 Memory Keyer - like new $150

3749. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 14:19:05 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <tv1Me.73176$yC5.36038@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14122
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

LOL!

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:us0Me.184985$%M5.150803@fe04.news.easynews.com...
> Ken Taylor wrote:
>> Sending may be faster with the flags, but receiving is a bit of a
>> pain......
>
> Smoke signals, anyone?
>
>

3750. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 14:32:04 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <EH1Me.73177$yC5.29516@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 14123
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Let's face it, Morse had an important need at one time in the history of radio. As a result, many amateur spent countless hours perfecting this craft. I'm glad they did.

However, technology has advanced (thank God) to a point where Morse is all but obsolete. My hope is that when the FCC removes the Morse requirement, more amateurs will spend that time improving their technical abilities.

The nice thing about amateur radio is that it flexible and offers many (very necessary) opportunities to its ranks.
I believe the Morse requirement just distracts people from other more exciting (and more necessary) aspect of the hobby.

Wayne P. Muckleroy
(KC8UIO)

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3751. BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 20:34:16 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <c%6Me.10375$1F5.3437@newsfe4-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14124
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Waters And Stanton

I purchased a scanner radio from this company and have had nothing but
trouble with them since.
I first ordered a Icom R5 for £89.00p (used) I paid for this using my
wife's debit card, it arrived on 3/8/05. I sent it back to them on the
4/8/05, they recieved it on the 5/8/05.
I requested the debit card be refunded with the £89.00p. I was assured
via email from a "Nigel McAlpine" that, and I quote .....
----- Original Message -----
From: "Nigel McAlpine" <mcalpinen@wsplc.com>
To: "**********"
Sent: Saturday, August 06, 2005 2:47 PM
Subject: RE: My order

> Thank you for your e-mail.
>
> We can confirm that your order has been cancelled and a refund
> of £89.00 will be refunded to your card account as requested.
>
> Kind regards.
>
> Nigel McAlpine
>
> Waters & Stanton PLC
> Tel: 01702206835 Fax:01702205843
> Web: www.wsplc.com
> E-mail: nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com <mailto:nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com>

I telephoned them on the Monday only to be told that the money was
debited to my wifes card on the 3/8/05 ??????
I don't know how they managed this as I did not send the radio back
untill the 4/8/05.
I was also charged for "next day delivery" it did not arrive, I phoned
them and it had not even left the store, (another rip off) and lies.
Now it is the 16/8/05 and still the £89.00p has NOT been debited to my
wife's debit card.
I emailed them today, but they do not have the decency to reply.
I shall give it till Wednesday and if I do not hear from them or have
not received the £89.00p I shall pass the matter over to the Trading
Standards Department.

I shall keep you posted about this rip-off company.

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"Are you still wasting your time with spam?...
There is a solution!"

Protected by GIANT Company's Spam Inspector
The most powerful anti-spam software available.
http://www.giantcompany.com

3752. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 20:50:21 UTC
From: Ade <afuller@fcd.co.uk>
Message-ID: <he7Me.10484$wh6.4771@newsfe2-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14125
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

"G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote in message
news:c%6Me.10375$1F5.3437@newsfe4-win.ntli.net...
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> 4/8/05, they recieved it on the 5/8/05.
> I requested the debit card be refunded with the £89.00p. I was
> assured via email from a "Nigel McAlpine" that, and I quote .....
>
RUBBISH DELETED
>
>
Never read so much rubbish. I have done business with Waters & Stanton numerous times with no trouble, and so have thousands of others. If *YOU* bought something and changed your mind then that's your problem. They don't offer a try before you buy service like catalogue shops.
Please don't keep us posted, no one is interested. If you had a case you wouldn't be shouting about it here. I think you have probably been told exactly what the returns policy is and have been unable to bully them into doing things *your* way. I hope they sue you.
Waters & Stanton is a perfectly reputable company, which is why they are well known. Moaning old people tend to be forgotten about, so give it a rest.
Please also check your newsreader settings as you have posted to a lot of groups, so I have replied to the ones you used. You will now be placed in the killfile where you belong.

3753. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 20:52:15 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050815165215.085$NZ@newsreader.com>
Source record: 14126
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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3754. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 20:54:24 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <5i7Me.3125$iM2.282887@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14127
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "Nigel McAlpine" <mcalpinen@wsplc.com>
> To: "**********"
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> > Thank you for your e-mail.
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Good luck.

Ken

3755. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 20:58:02 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <ul7Me.4660$2C5.3035@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14128
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Suit yourself pal, just telling people that they are in no hurry to refund
your money, by the way, the returns policy is 7 days no quibble, although I
expect you know about that if you have been dealing with them for years, eh

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3756. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 21:00:01 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <ln7Me.4665$2C5.985@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14129
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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3757. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 21:07:32 UTC
From: hgr <hgr@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <ou7Me.4682$2C5.3424@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14130
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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I wonder if this guy "ade" works for W/S :-))
I tried them once, they were not much help.
If they owe you money, give the trading standards a call
ghr

3758. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 21:29:29 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <ZO7Me.10428$1F5.8444@newsfe4-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14131
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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I see you deleted the most important part, that is, the confirmation email from them stating that the money WAS being refunded.
I am not bullying them at all, I returned the scanner under the 7 day returns policy because it was "deaf" end of story. I now await my very long overdue refund, what's your problem.
G-Text

3759. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 21:33:13 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <uS7Me.3135$iM2.283934@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14132
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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3760. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 21:34:49 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <ZT7Me.7377$QU4.3610@newsfe5-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14134
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Hi Ken, yes, done that. they state that no transaction for a refund has been
recieved by the bank.
Ah well, we shall give it a few more days.
It's ridiculous though as it takes them all this time, and yet about 3
months ago I had cause to return a faulty item to Maplins, they had no more
in stock, offered me a refund and it was back in my bank in under 48 hours,
so far it has taken W/S 13 days, and still nothing :-((
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3761. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

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Date: 2005-08-15 21:35:11 UTC
From: Frank Turner-Smith G3VKI <g3vki@turner-smith.co.uk>
Message-ID: <jU7Me.6943$9b6.6569@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 14133
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The problem could be with the card company, have you contacted them?
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;-)
73 de Frank Turner-Smith G3VKI - mine's a pint.
http://turner-smith.co.uk

3762. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 22:05:29 UTC
From: Dan Conti <dconti@nj.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Jk8Me.2144$ZG2.914877@twister.nyc.rr.com>
Source record: 14135
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Lesson learned here....

ALWAYS use a regular CREDIT CARD for these transactions. Period.

Had you done that, either the refund process would have been easier, or, you could have directed your spam to the credit card company in the form of a dispute, instead of whining about it here.

Using copies of your e-mails from W & S, you would have had a SOLID credit dispute and the CC company would have to credit the amount and investigate the matter thoroughly on your behalf.

I assume the Fair Credit laws are similar in the UK to what we have here in the US.

Dan

3763. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 22:23:51 UTC
From: wb5cys <wb5cys@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <XB8Me.2845$Hn3.1439@newssvr23.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 14136
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

"Reg Edwards" <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote in message
news:ddhag7kdf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com...
>
> I do wish people would not refer to me as a 'ham'.
>
> Amongst the very few things I am proud of is that I am a true Class-A
> Radio Amateur.
>
> Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free. When
> requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same
> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
> sober.
>
> Arn't you American Amateurs envious?
> ----
> Reg, G4FGQ.
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> ==========
>
> "Cecil Moore" wrote -
>>
>> Real hams do DSP filtering at IF.
>

Most things in a socialist country are "free" - except for the people -
excuse me - subjects.

Cal, WB5CYS

3764. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 22:31:38 UTC
From: JC <johncalias-newsgroupsATyahooD0TcoD0Tuk>
Message-ID: <mf52g1pig1ffn03amdkkt3bdhrf2t64dik@4ax.com>
Source record: 14137
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

On Mon, 15 Aug 2005 20:34:16 GMT, "G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
wrote:

> Waters And Stanton
>
> I purchased a scanner radio from this company and have had nothing but
>trouble with them since.
[Snipped complaint and personal email]

Well, I have to speak as I find ..and in my recent dealings with W&S, they
have been excellent.

I purchased a used Yaesu VR500 from them after spending about 90 minutes
trying various other scanners, together with a micro mag mount and a gainer
rubber duck.

After a couple of days at home, it became apparent that I required some
additional functionality that was offered by one of the other models I
tried, together with another antenna, larger than the micro mag mount.

I returned the scanner, micro mag mount and gainer rubber duck and
exchanged the lot for a new Uniden Bearcat UBC3300XLT, together with desk
top dipole.

I got a full refund on everything I bought, without quibble against the
subsequent purchases.

The staff were helpful and courteous at all times...and I left the store
thinking "That's what I call service"!!

I would definitely recommend them to anyone and would not hesitate to use
them again!!
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Regards

John [Essex, UK]
Remove the obvious spamtrap to reply

3765. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-15 23:52:08 UTC
From: Wankel Rotary <no@no.yes.no.yes.no.org>
Message-ID: <IU9Me.10557$1F5.4364@newsfe4-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14138
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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and problems are often better dealt with by actually SPEAKING with someone.

WR.

3766. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 00:07:58 UTC
From: chaz <chaznsc@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <y7aMe.6045$RZ2.2067@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14139
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

"G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote in message
news:ul7Me.4660$2C5.3035@newsfe1-win.ntli.net...
> Suit yourself pal, just telling people that they are in no hurry to refund
> your money, by the way, the returns policy is 7 days no quibble, although
> I expect you know about that if you have been dealing with them for years,
> eh

Debit/Credit refunds dont just happen. You need to exercise some level of
patience. To date, you havent. I understand your frustration, but you arent
correct here.

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>> *RUBBISH DELETED*
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>> Never read so much rubbish. I have done business with Waters & Stanton
>> numerous times with no trouble, and so have thousands of others. If
>> *YOU* bought something and changed your mind then that's your problem.
>> They don't offer a try before you buy service like catalogue shops.
>> Please don't keep us posted, no one is interested. If you had a case you
>> wouldn't be shouting about it here. I think you have probably been told
>> exactly what the returns policy is and have been unable to bully them
>> into doing things *your* way. I hope they sue you.
>> Waters & Stanton is a perfectly reputable company, which is why they are
>> well known. Moaning old people tend to be forgotten about, so give it a
>> rest.
>> Please also check your newsreader settings as you have posted to a lot of
>> groups, so I have replied to the ones you used. You will now be placed
>> in the killfile where you belong.
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3767. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 00:50:06 UTC
From: Paul R <yaesuradio@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <2LaMe.6984$9b6.2076@newsfe3-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 14140
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

<<<SNIP>>>

I have bought a few items from them over the years, and cannot remember a problem, apart from the one at "Lowes" Matlock... where they cant be bothered !

Problem is, only the irate customer will moan on the newsgoups.... there must be hundreds of happy ones ? Shame the moaners are the ones who get remembered...

3768. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 01:27:26 UTC
From: Chaney <chaney@i12.com>
Message-ID: <2ibMe.5894$0u2.953@fe2.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 14141
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

I've read with interest...not just your original post...but...all the replies so far...and as you have cross posted this to mainly scanner groups I can only assume that you are not a licensed amateur...I wonder on what you have based your comparison???...I mean to say...when you say deaf you have compared it to another receiver!!!...I wonder what receiver you have bought instead!!!...

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Chaney

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"G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote in message
news:c%6Me.10375$1F5.3437@newsfe4-win.ntli.net...
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> I requested the debit card be refunded with the £89.00p. I was
> assured via email from a "Nigel McAlpine" that, and I quote .....
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "Nigel McAlpine" <mcalpinen@wsplc.com>
> To: "**********"
> Sent: Saturday, August 06, 2005 2:47 PM
> Subject: RE: My order
>
>
> > Thank you for your e-mail.
> >
> > We can confirm that your order has been cancelled and a refund
> > of £89.00 will be refunded to your card account as requested.
> >
> > Kind regards.
> >
> > Nigel McAlpine
> >
> > Waters & Stanton PLC
> > Tel: 01702206835 Fax:01702205843

> > Web: www.wsplc.com
> > E-mail: nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com <mailto:nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com>
>
> I telephoned them on the Monday only to be told that the money was
> debited to my wifes card on the 3/8/05 ??????
> I don't know how they managed this as I did not send the radio back
> untill the 4/8/05.
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> lies.
> Now it is the 16/8/05 and still the ?89.00p has NOT been debited to
> my wife's debit card.
> I emailed them today, but they do not have the decency to reply.
> I shall give it till Wednesday and if I do not hear from them or have
> not received the ?89.00p I shall pass the matter over to the Trading
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>
> I shall keep you posted about this rip-off company.
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3769. FA - Small Transformer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 04:43:04 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1124167383.977487.7190@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14142
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799404482&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3770. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 06:56:42 UTC
From: Llareggub <llareggub@hotmail.co.uk>
Message-ID: <p7gMe.7260$CF.49700@news-1.opaltelecom.net>
Source record: 14143
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

"Ade" <afuller@fcd.co.uk> wrote in message
news:he7Me.10484$wh6.4771@newsfe2-win.ntli.net...
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> "G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote in message
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> Never read so much rubbish. I have done business with Waters & Stanton
> numerous times with no trouble, and so have thousands of others. If *YOU*
> bought something and changed your mind then that's >your problem.

Read the Distance Selling Regulations which cover transactions of this type.
They offer protection for purchasers including the facility to return goods
after they have been received.

3771. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 07:04:34 UTC
From: Conrad Poos <poos@hamsexual.com>
Message-ID: <6egMe.6740$0u2.3878@fe2.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 14144
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

G-Text wrote:

>
> I shall keep you posted about this rip-off company.

After 'experiences' with the competition, I have always used Waters and Stanton and have spent a lot of money with them over the years without a single problem. I have always found them to be polite, friendly and helpful.

Considering the high number of transactions that your bank, credit card company and W&S make each week, its inevitable that one or two of those transactions are going to go wrong now and again...its just one of those things.

However, your attitude is going to make a big difference in resolving the situation. Having a x-posting temper tantrum on usenet isn't the best way to deal with the situation and it isn't going to stop me buying stuff from W&S.

Have a little patience, discuss the problem with your bank and W&S in a polite and non-accusing manner, and I'm sure that before long you'll be happy to demonstrate your personal integrity by x-posting once again to tell us that W&S wasn't to blame after all.

Poos

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vy 73 de Conrad Poos

"Ich bin ein radio amateur"

3772. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 07:42:52 UTC
From: EL84 <el84@nospam.aol.com>
Message-ID: <3mdjo3F16h51nU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14145
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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news:he7Me.10484$wh6.4771@newsfe2-win.ntli.net...
> Never read so much rubbish. I have done business with Waters & Stanton
> numerous times with no trouble,

I think you must be a company stooge, or arse licker, I have dealt with the company three times, once they got my order correct, the other two times were a disaster, a 33% success rate and you call that good ! wrong items arrived LATE, and refunds took an age to return to my account. I buy direct from the states now, far cheaper even with postage, and plenty of change over compared to the rip off Britain emporiums.

3773. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 08:18:30 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <qjhMe.10547$JB4.3652@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14146
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

Use the telephone!!!!
I have phoned them EVERY DAY, sometimes twice a day, since they received
the radio back, and still I am getting no-where.
G-Text

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> WR.

3774. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 08:24:50 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <mphMe.10549$JB4.7606@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14147
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

I have had numerous radios, scanners over the years and normally test them
on the Bristol Airport ATIS, all my previous scanners etc could receive this
on the supplied stock antenna, then on the base antenna, all the scanners
would obviously show a greater signal reading. This R5 could not pick it up
at all. and only just about pick it up on the base antenna (no, the att was
not on) I compared it straight away with my VR-500 on the same antenna, and
the vr500 showed full signal.
cheers

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> you have compared it to another receiver!!!...I wonder what receiver you
> have bought instead!!!...
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>> To: "**********"
>> Sent: Saturday, August 06, 2005 2:47 PM
>> Subject: RE: My order
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>> > Thank you for your e-mail.
>> >
>> > We can confirm that your order has been cancelled and a refund
>> > of £89.00 will be refunded to your card account as requested.
>> >
>> > Kind regards.
>> >
>> > Nigel McAlpine
>> >
>> > Waters & Stanton PLC
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3775. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 08:45:25 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <FIhMe.10553$JB4.5736@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14048
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

I can understand all the people who have had good dealings with W/S who have posted in in their defence, but if you had spent the past ten days being told one thing, and then another, promised this and promised that, spent ages on the phone day after day and still not getting anywhere, maybe you would think differently. I have dealt wth other companies obviously, (some good, some not so good) but have never had reason to actually post on the groups about it, the matter was always satisfactorily solved with a day or so. But these are beyond a joke, it is like banging your head against a brick wall.
It is a pity I live over 130 miles from the store, otherwise I would of been in and got it sorted by now.
I tell you though. I definately WOULD NOT recommend this company to anyone.
You are entitled to your opinions, then please allow me to be entitled to mine. If by my posting I have caused just one single customer to go elsewhere, and not have to go through what I have, then my posting has been worth it
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> Hi Ken
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> wierd
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> "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz> wrote in message
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>>> > Tel: 01702206835 Fax:01702205843
>>> > Web: www.wsplc.com
>>> > E-mail: nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com
>>> <mailto:nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com>
>>>
>>> I telephoned them on the Monday only to be told that the money was
>>> debited to my wifes card on the 3/8/05 ??????
>>> I don't know how they managed this as I did not send the radio back
>>> untill the 4/8/05.
>>> I was also charged for "next day delivery" it did not arrive, I
>>> phoned them and it had not even left the store, (another rip off) and
>>> lies.
>>> Now it is the 16/8/05 and still the 89.00p has NOT been debited to

>>> my wife's debit card.
>>> I emailed them today, but they do not have the decency to reply.
>>> I shall give it till Wednesday and if I do not hear from them or
>>> have not received the £89.00p I shall pass the matter over to the
>>> Trading Standards Department.
>>>
>>> I shall keep you posted about this rip-off company.
>>>
>>>
>> Was the claim that it was "debited on 3/8/05" a misunderstanding - that
>> would appear to be the day they would have debited your card for the
>> sale, not credit for the refund. There may just be a misunderstanding so
>> maybe check again that the boss knows there should be a *refund*, rather
>> than just the original debit.
>>
>> Good luck.
>>
>> Ken
>>
>>
>
>

3776. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 08:53:12 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <YPhMe.10554$JB4.4670@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14049
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

This is for "ade" who states I am not entitled to any refund.....
Here is a copy from their website regarding the distance selling returns
policy.
quote.....
OTHER RETURNS - NO QUIBBLE & NO FUSS RETURNS POLICY

If you purchase products by mail order, you have the right to cancel the transaction for any reason and return the products within 7 days after delivery for a full refund (but not the original carriage charge). Products must be returned in as new condition together with all accessories, instructions and original manufacturers packaging. Failure to do so may incur a charge for replacing the missing or damaged items. In order to avoid administration delays, we urge you to first telephone us for a Returns Note number which should be clearly written on the outside of the parcel. We can arrange collection if required, but you will be charged for the carriage costs incurred by us.

end quote.....

The radio was returned by post in less than 2 hours of my receiving it.
G-Text

3777. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 08:54:32 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <cRhMe.10555$JB4.8677@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14050
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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"Walt Davidson" <g3nyy@despammed.com> wrote in message
news:4aa3g19dpqce29dodthsarsthtcphvlipa@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 16 Aug 2005 08:18:30 GMT, "G-Text"
> <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote:
>
>>Use the telephone!!!!
>>I have phoned them EVERY DAY, sometimes twice a day, since they received
>>the radio back, and still I am getting no-where.
>
> Perhaps they are delaying the refund deliberately, just to wind you
> up.
>
> I know I would, in the circumstances!
>
> :-)))
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: g3nyy @despammed.com

Well, we shall see how they "wind up" the Trading Standards Department.

3778. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 10:18:28 UTC
From: alpha one <aperson@NOSPAMPLEASE.com>
Message-ID: <ddsehj$q35$1@nwrdmz02.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 14051
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

>
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>
>

No way is W+S a rip-off company. I have used them many times, ordering stuff over the Internet, and they are always very reliable and very efficient.

I'd use them again and again.

Simes

3779. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 10:21:46 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <_6jMe.10634$wh6.9301@newsfe2-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14052
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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> Simes

Good for you!

G-Text

3780. Re: D.I.Y. Pirate Radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 12:09:59 UTC
From: Steve Silverwood <kb6ojs@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d667b8f8429fd1c9896b1@news-server.socal.rr.com>
Source record: 14053

[This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.equipment and a copy was
sent to the cited author.]

In article <1121948478.564191.202500@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
drmongo@gmail.com says...
> I remember when I was a youth there used to be loads of FM pirate radio
> stations round our way (Sheffield, UK). All the latest underground
> tunes were played - no commercial sh*t.
>
> Nowadays there seems to be hardly any. What's the deal with that?
>
> Me and my mates have been considering setting up our own FM station and
> we've come across this site:
>
> http://www.broadcastrepublic.co.uk
>
> They look like professionals to us and their prices seem pretty good -
> Transmitters from ï¿½280 and Complete Broadcast Packages from ï¿½600.
>
> Anyone else used them?
>
> Cheers,
> k2

You may want to check the alt.radio.pirate and alt.pirate.radio
newsgroups for information from like-minded individuals. FYI.

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-- //Steve//

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3781. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 12:09:59 UTC
From: Steve Silverwood <kb6ojs@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d667cc65c6be1f59896b2@news-server.socal.rr.com>
Source record: 14055
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <dctol5$f8u$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>,
john@gotwals.xremovey.com says...
> A bit expensive unless you buy a used one, but you might purchase the ARRL
> Handbook, which contains hundreds of pages of useful information about most
> aspects of ham radio. Both new and old copies of this book can be purchased
> through Amazon.com.

Most libraries carry at least one copy of the ARRL Handbook, or at least
that's been my experience. It may not be the most current, but it's
within the past few years. In Orange County, Calif. they usually buy
one per year per branch, with the most current one in the reference
section and the older ones available for check-out.

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-- //Steve//

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3782. Re: A few questions from a non-licensed beginnner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 12:10:00 UTC
From: Steve Silverwood <kb6ojs@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d667fa02e67440e9896b3@news-server.socal.rr.com>
Source record: 14054
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

[This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.equipment and a copy was sent to the cited author.]

Sounds like you've already picked up some good advice. If you want some good software to go with the Now You're Talking book, you might visit the W5YI website at http://www.w5yi.org/catalog.php?sort=18 and check out the packages they have. They're basic programs that drill you on the questions that will be on the test, so you can get yourself proficient before going in for the exam. I used their older DOS-based stuff for my tests some time back, worked very well.

I believe it also includes Morse training and practice software, which will be helpful if you want to go for your HF privileges (at present, the FCC still requires a demonstration of Morse proficiency before you can gain access to the HF bands). In training for my Morse exam I found that the tapes are only good up to a point, after which I found myself memorizing the tapes, so they weren't much good after that. Computer-generated Morse practice can keep the material fresh so you're never copying the same stuff over and over again, as you would with tapes.

On the matter of clubs, I've had mixed experience with various clubs when I was first getting started. One that I visited was pretty clique-ish, so much so that the only person that took any time to chat with me was the guest speaker! I've been good friends with the guest speaker ever since, but I've never darkened the door of that club since. I found that this was the exception rather than the rule -- nearly all the other clubs I've visited since then have been more than welcoming to all new visitors, so if you don't find a good club the first time out, shop around. The ARRL web site at www.arrl.org lists many different ARRL-affiliated clubs, so you should be able to find a lot of potential groups in your area.

You'll also find that your computer skills will dovetail nicely with the newer modes that are available for your use on the ham bands. Packet (especially APRS these days) and PSK31 are good examples. There are also video modes -- slow-scan TV (SSTV) and amateur television (ATV) -- that you could experiment with if you're interested.

Welcome aboard!

In article <1123178186.682476.142080@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>, the.tesseract@gmail.com says...
> Hello, I am currently a comp sci student who has become interested in
> ham radio, mainly from taking physics classes and learning about
> electromagentic theory. I find the subject fascinating and would like

> to learn more theory and hands on applications. Currently my schedule
> doesn't let me take any of the classes which sound interseting like EM
> wave theory and antenna theory. I go to a small school and there isn't
> a ham radio club here.
>
> >From my initial research into ham radio, the subjects which I have the
> most interest is mainly satellite communications, but I am also
> interested in DX communications, antenna theory and packet radio.
>
> I have found three clubs on the ARRL website within 30 miles of me.
> Only one of those lists DX communication and none of them list
> satellite or packet radio as one of the groups interests. I feel a
> little uneasy simply showing up to one of the meetings with my limited
> (read non-existant) knowledge of the subject. I know enough about the
> physics and theory behind everything, but pratically 0 about the actual
> application. I envision going to one of these meetings (the one
> closest to me is held at a diner) and sitting around a table with a
> bunch of guys who are talking ham radio jargon and not being able to
> follow anything being said. I realize they are probably helpful to
> newcomers, but I think they would expect a newcomer to be able to hold
> their own, which at the moment I would be unable to do
>
> Is there any (cheap) equipiment or kits that I might be able to find on
> ebay or some retail outlet that you could recommend to a beginner which
> I could play around with to help me get started before being licensed?
>
>
> Any books or websites geared towards beginners (possibly with my
> interests in mind) that I might find useful? I've found a bunch, but it
> would be better if I could get some recommendations from experienced
> operators.
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-- //Steve//

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3783. FA: RCA 810, 2-RCA 6146W, 2-RAYTHEON RK-20, WE "TUNGAR"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 13:21:49 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <PLIMe.30885$Kx6.10466@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14056
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Hardly any bids, cheep>

WESTERN ELECTRIC 289A "TUNGAR" type RECTIFIER TUBE>OLD!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309143&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

TWO(2) RAYTHEON RK-20 RK-20A PENTODE TRANSMITTING TUBES
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309173&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ONE RCA JAN 810 RF POWER TRIODE TRANSMITTING/AUDIO TUBE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309252&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

TWO(2) RCA JAN 6146W RF OUTPUT TUBES>Tested-Handy
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309158&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3784. FA: $10> 2-MALLORY 12 volt Vibrators for cb & Auto radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 13:23:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ENIMe.30886$Kx6.22225@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14057
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Removed from CB's but never used in operation.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309188&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3785. FA: Excellent RCA WV-97A Senior Voltohmyst VTVM, no bids @$10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 13:25:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kPIMe.30887$Kx6.17183@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14058
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309215&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3786. FA: 2-JUMBO JOHNSON TWIST LOCK TUBE SOCKET for 872A-810, etc!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 13:27:38 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <gRlMe.30888$Kx6.1603@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14059
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

TWO JOHNSON 123-211-100 SK211 CERAMIC SOCKETS>872A-810
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309204&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3787. FA: Every one needs NOS parts, "TONs", over 5+ lbs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 13:29:13 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <LSIMe.30889$Kx6.28157@fe12.lga>
Source record: 14060
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

"TONS" 5+lbs of NOS RESISTORS-CAPS-PARTS>4-Builders>NR!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7538081344&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3788. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 13:32:54 UTC
From: chaz <chaznsc@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <11g3qo7h0pstf73@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14061
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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2 hours? Good grief man, you need to get some patience pills! I dont
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refunds arent automatic. I also feel you posting across usenet was totally
inappropriate.

chaz

3789. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 14:20:29 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <NCmMe.10870$wh6.9977@newsfe2-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14062
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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> totally inappropriate.
>
> chaz

I was merely pointing out that I discovered the radio was faulty immediately upon receipt, I sent it back straight away by next day before noon delivery. My point is that they are adamant that they paid a refund back to my debit card on the 3/8/05. this is very strange as I did not receive the radio until the 4/8/05. and to this day, 17-August-2005, no refund as yet.
G-Text

3790. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 15:20:54 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <8unMe.20767$rp.4378@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14063

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:oc50g1lqok06smt01jq9p9asp4cda2htg2@4ax.com...
> On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 17:54:44 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
>
>>The only way to satisfy the requirements now is to
>>modify a factory built, certified amplifier, or build one on your own
>>from scratch without using a kit (unless of course you can find a
>>certified kit. Good luck on that.)
>>
>>Dick
>
> And of course you can always buy one from another amateur that is
> already modified or buy one purchased new prior to April 28, 1978. My
> comments above were related to buying something new.
>
> Dick

Didn't the builder of these kits get cited by FCC a couple of years ago for
selling them?

Jerry

3791. Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 15:24:26 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <JynMe.59509$Tt6.22218@fe04.lga>
Source record: 14064
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a 115AH deep-cycle battery that I bought as a stand-by battery for my amateur radio station. It has been in a "battery box" on trickle-charge (using a charger with a "deep-cycle" setting) for most of the time since I bought it over a year ago, and it has been called on to supply power only a few times.

Recently I noticed that the "fully charged" LED on the charger was not on and started investigating further.

Having not encountered any batteries in the last few decades that have not been sealed and "maintenance free," I was surprised to find tiny print about checking the electrolyte level every 30 days -- but even then it took me a few minutes to figure out how to get access to the cells to check this.

Anyway, when I removed the cunningly disguised covers, I found that the cells looked totally dry, and each took close to a pint of distilled water to bring the electrolyte level above the plates.

The battery has now been on charge for about 20 hours at the charger's 12A setting, but most of the time the ammeter on the charger has shown only about 5A. The cells are all still gassing.

Is this battery likely to come back to life again, or is it toast? Any remedial actions to take?

Perce
(This is my usenet alias. I *am* an FCC-licensed "ham," but my real name and callsign have no relevance to this question.)

3792. Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 15:39:37 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <ddt1bp$nm4$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14065

I have brought my L-4B linear out of storage, but I have lost the two prong male VOX plug. Does anyone know where one might be located and what type plug it is? I had assumed it was a 2-prong Jones plug with flat blades, but the holes look circular in nature. Could someone give me some guidance on the name and type of plug and where one might be purchased?

3793. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:03:18 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <a7oMe.30968$7S7.10906@fe10.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14066

John N9JG wrote:
> I have brought my L-4B linear out of storage, but I have lost the two
> prong male VOX plug. Does anyone know where one might be located and

I think that connector is going to be hard to find.

Since all you really need is a single conductor jack (one side of the
VOX jack is grounded) why not just change the connector out for a phone
jack or something more common?

3794. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:06:10 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <S9oMe.30737$Vk3.28798@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14067

Travis Jordan wrote:
> John N9JG wrote:
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> > two prong male VOX plug. Does anyone know where one might be
> > located and
>
> I think that connector is going to be hard to find.
>
> Since all you really need is a single conductor jack (one side of the
> VOX jack is grounded) why not just change the connector out for a
> phone jack or something more common?

Found this while Googling....it may help you make a decision about what to do.

http://www.mail-archive.com/drakelist@www.zerobeat.net/msg02064.html

Those two pin connectors are one of the most "unobtainium" items in the 4 Line. Even Drake gave up on them, and offered a small metal plate with an RCA phono jack on it and two holes that matched the mounting screws for the two pin connector. The pins are spaced 0.350" c-c.

If I didn't have one, I'd seriously consider doing the modification with an RCA Phono jack like Drake did. And I'm one of the worst when it comes to preaching the "keep it original" mantra...

Once in a great while one of the two pin connectors will show up on E* for an exorbitant price. The last one I saw a few years ago went for over $20...

The pins are 0.093" in diameter. Some have made a connector from #11 solid copper wire. Various schemes have been tried with plastic and/or epoxy to build up a connector body around the two pieces of wire. #11 wire is 0.0907", and tinning it with solder should make it just about right. I would tin it to ward off corrosion. Unfortunately, #11 is NOT a common size (to say the least!). #10 is 0.1019", which is a little large, and is probably what the "plug builders" used. I don't know if that is large enough to damage the female connector or not. The pins are spaced 0.350" c-c. A better choice might be some 3/32" dia (0.0937) brass tubing from the hobby shop. It would give a more reliable electrical connection to the wire. Think that's what I'd do.

73, Garey - K4OAH

3795. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:08:07 UTC
From: Conrad Poos <poos@hamsexual.com>
Message-ID: <HboMe.5458$Wq4.661@fe1.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 14068
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Walt Davidson wrote:

>>"Ich bin ein radio amateur"

> Ich bin kein Frankfurter!

welche wurst sie dann sind?

Poos

--
vy 73 de Conrad Poos

"Ich bin ein radio amateur"

3796. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:09:29 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <ZcoMe.31033$7S7.21578@fe10.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14069

Travis Jordan wrote:
> Found this while Googling....it may help you make a decision about
> what to do.
>
> http://www.mail-archive.com/drakelist@www.zerobeat.net/msg02064.html

More from the thread:

What I did....Break out 4 pins from an old octal (8 pin) tube
base...Easy with a pair of pliers...Solder them on to a piece of lamp
cord...Most newer lamp cord is polarized if you look closely, this is
handy 'cause you'll need to respect gnd....The pins fit perfectly and
"snug" in the connector holes...Push it in right up to the
insulation...I've been using this set-up for years
Rick K9RSW

3797. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:09:41 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <ddt344oqp1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14070

I appreciate your comment and advice. My L-4B is in near mint condition, and I am leery about making mods to the amplifier, although I have updated the series HV electrolytics and diodes in the power supply. My current thinking is to jury-rig a connector by using tinned #10 copper wire!

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message news:a7oMe.30968$7S7.10906@fe10.news.easynews.com...
> John N9JG wrote:
>> I have brought my L-4B linear out of storage, but I have lost the two
>> prong male VOX plug. Does anyone know where one might be located and
>
> I think that connector is going to be hard to find.
>
> Since all you really need is a single conductor jack (one side of the
> VOX jack is grounded) why not just change the connector out for a phone
> jack or something more common?
>
>

3798. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:16:42 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <JjoMe.246760$GX1.166164@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14071

John N9JG wrote:
> I appreciate your comment and advice. My L-4B is in near mint
> condition, and I am leery about making mods to the amplifier,
> although I have updated the series HV electrolytics and diodes in the
> power supply. My current thinking is to jury-rig a connector by using
> tinned #10 copper wire!

You might be in luck - looks like this eBay seller may still have one of
the factory conversion kits available. Try contacting him.

http://cgi.ebay.com/Drake-VOX-connector-assembly-kit_W0QQitemZ5795604564QQcategoryZ4671QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

3799. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:28:33 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <ddt47gpfo1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14072

Well the bid was over on 10-Aug, but I did send a note to the seller and
asked him to forward it to the purchaser. Three items had been sold, and I
am hoping the purchaser might want to sell me one of the kits.

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:JjoMe.246760$GX1.166164@fe01.news.easynews.com...
> John N9JG wrote:
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>> condition, and I am leery about making mods to the amplifier,
>> although I have updated the series HV electrolytics and diodes in the
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> You might be in luck - looks like this eBay seller may still have one of
> the factory conversion kits available. Try contacting him.
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> http://cgi.ebay.com/Drake-VOX-connector-assembly-kit_W0QQitemZ5795604564QQcategoryZ4671Q
QssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem
>
>
>

3800. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:33:27 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <ddt4gn$po6$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14073

I followed your link and it was suggested that 3/32 brass tubing might be
the correct size.

Thanks for your pointers,
John, N9JG

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:S9oMe.30737$Vk3.28798@fe08.news.easynews.com...
> Travis Jordan wrote:
>> John N9JG wrote:
>> > I have brought my L-4B linear out of storage, but I have lost the
>> > two prong male VOX plug. Does anyone know where one might be
>> > located and
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>> I think that connector is going to be hard to find.
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3801. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 16:37:16 UTC
From: Fred Leif <fsleif@starband.net>
Message-ID: <6ae24$4301f3f9$94403028$2045@STARBAND.NET>
Source record: 14074
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

My sense is that the battery's capacity will be severely impaired. You may have the voltage, but the ampere hours won't be the same. A pint per cell ... the poor thing was dry!

Trickle Chargers do just that ... constant low rate. But doing that to a fully charged battery warms the cells and evaporates electrolyte. Monthly service is probably about right.

A better solution is a battery 'tender' or 'maintainer' that totally cuts off the charge current based on battery voltage. Kits for these are advertised in QST.

"Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote in message news:JynMe.59509$Tt6.22218@fe04.lga...
>I have a 115AH deep-cycle battery that I bought as a stand-by battery for
>my amateur radio station. It has been in a "battery box" on trickle-charge
>(using a charger with a "deep-cycle" setting) for most of the time since I
>bought it over a year ago, and it has been called on to supply power only a
>few times.
>
> Recently I noticed that the "fully charged" LED on the charger was not on
> and started investigating further.
>
> Having not encountered any batteries in the last few decades that have not
> been sealed and "maintenance free," I was surprised to find tiny print
> about checking the electrolyte level every 30 days -- but even then it
> took me a few minutes to figure out how to get access to the cells to
> check this.
>
> Anyway, when I removed the cunningly disguised covers, I found that the
> cells looked totally dry, and each took close to a pint of distilled water
> to bring the electrolyte level above the plates.
>
> The battery has now been on charge for about 20 hours at the charger's 12A
> setting, but most of the time the ammeter on the charger has shown only
> about 5A. The cells are all still gassing.
>
> Is this battery likely to come back to life again, or is it toast? Any
> remedial actions to take?
>
> Perce
> (This is my usenet alias. I *am* an FCC-licensed "ham," but my real name
> and callsign have no relevance to this question.)

3802. Radio Shack 10 Meter rigs, HTX-10 vs. HTX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 17:00:30 UTC
From: WØCBF <w0cbf@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1124211630.517632.128730@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14075

I have been thinking of installing a 10 meter rig in the truck. I had, several years ago, an HTX-10 and it worked fine when the band was open.

My question would be if I want to operate 10 meter SSB (only) and not FM is the HTX-10 superior to the older HTX-100???

The prices on eBay are reasonable for both units but the HTX-100 is cheaper.

Thanks for your help
73's
Chuck
WØCBF

3803. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 17:04:47 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <O0pMe.217247$Di2.125912@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14076

John N9JG wrote:
> Well the bid was over on 10-Aug, but I did send a note to the seller
> and asked him to forward it to the purchaser. Three items had been
> sold, and I am hoping the purchaser might want to sell me one of the
> kits.

Well, either you or I are misreading the auction status. I think there
were 3 items available and only two buyers.

http://offer.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewBids&item=5795604564

3804. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 17:14:22 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B4685E55BBCspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 14077
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> The battery has now been on charge for about 20 hours at the charger's
> 12A setting, but most of the time the ammeter on the charger has shown
> only about 5A. The cells are all still gassing.
>
> Is this battery likely to come back to life again, or is it toast? Any
> remedial actions to take?

It sounds to me that it is likely to survive, but I hope you
are not over charging?! I assume you are also monitoring the voltage? To
be sure how it turns out, you really ought to get a guage to measure the
specific gravity of the electrolyte in each cell and check. Should be
available cheap at auto supply stores.

Ed K7AAT

3805. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 17:18:27 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <ddt752$r9v$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14078

Yes, you are correct! I did read it incorrectly, two purchasers each wanted 1 item, and so I am hoping my e-mail to the seller will get results. In the meantime I have tried a piece of 3/32" brass rod and it fits perfectly. What I should do is buy some epoxy and improvise a plug body, but the temptation is to just solder a piece of shielded cable to two short pieces of rod and plug them in. No harm is done if they are plugged in incorrectly, the amplifier will just run all the time, and I think that would be noticed immediately.

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:O0pMe.217247$Di2.125912@fe02.news.easynews.com...
> John N9JG wrote:
>> Well the bid was over on 10-Aug, but I did send a note to the seller
>> and asked him to forward it to the purchaser. Three items had been
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> were 3 items available and only two buyers.
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>
>

3806. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 17:32:51 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <7rpMe.33380$PI2.14154@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 14079

John N9JG wrote:
> Yes, you are correct! I did read it incorrectly, two purchasers each

Sounds like you've got it under control, John.

Good luck - just out of curiousity and completeness, please post back and let us know whether the eBay'er is able to provide you with the conversion kit. In the meantime your homebrew plug should work just fine.

73's
Travis

3807. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 18:01:14 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11g4afagvc70h1d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14080

In article <8unMe.20767$rp.4378@bignews1.bellsouth.net>,
Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>> And of course you can always buy one from another amateur that is
>> already modified or buy one purchased new prior to April 28, 1978. My
>> comments above were related to buying something new.

>Didn't the builder of these kits get cited by FCC a couple of years ago for
>selling them?

I don't know the details, but that certainly seems to be implied by
what he writes on his website when he explains why his products are
only available for sale to non-US amateurs.

He complains that only one company (Communications Concepts) can get
authorization from the FCC to sell certificated amplifier kits. In
looking through the Communications Concepts web site, though, I don't
see any _complete_ amplifier kits at all, nor do I see any discussion
of certification status.

C.C. sells PC boards, and selected sets of components which can be
used to construct some of the Motorola reference-design amplifiers,
but they state quite clearly that they do not provide manuals,
heatsinks, chassis, connectors, etc. needed to complete the amplifier.

Since you cannot construct a working amplifier solely from what
Communications Concepts is willing to sell you, the result isn't
something which would require certification. An amateur could
construct one amp per year using their components (plus others that
s/he acquires elsewhere) without having to have the resulting
amplifier certificated.

I suspect that this is the difference. Communications Concepts is a
component supplier (and components by themselves do not require
certification), while the kit builder in question is providing
completely kitted amplifiers (which do require certification). That's
probably enough to make the difference between all-is-OK, and an
enforcement action.

The kits *could* have been designed in a way which would allow them to
be certificated - they'd just have to have a difficult-to-defeat
rolloff of the upper HF frequencies - but the designer didn't do this,
and for this reason they don't meet the current rules for certification.

This issue seems likely to become moot within a few months, as the FCC
is proposing to drop the restriction on construction and sale of amps
capable of operating in the upper HF band.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

3808. I found this quite interesting

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 18:04:21 UTC
From: excap <excap@frontiernet.net>
Message-ID: <FUpMe.4315$cg.2946@news02.roc.ny>
Source record: 14081

http://www.outpimp.com/?x=481565207

3809. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 18:11:54 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11g4b3a787eh660@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14082
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> I have a 115AH deep-cycle battery that I bought as a stand-by battery for
> my amateur radio station. It has been in a "battery box" on trickle-charge
> (using a charger with a "deep-cycle" setting) for most of the time since I
> bought it over a year ago, and it has been called on to supply power only a
> few times.
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> Recently I noticed that the "fully charged" LED on the charger was not on
> and started investigating further.
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> been sealed and "maintenance free," I was surprised to find tiny print
> about checking the electrolyte level every 30 days -- but even then it
> took me a few minutes to figure out how to get access to the cells to
> check this.
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> Anyway, when I removed the cunningly disguised covers, I found that the
> cells looked totally dry, and each took close to a pint of distilled water
> to bring the electrolyte level above the plates.
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> The battery has now been on charge for about 20 hours at the charger's 12A
> setting, but most of the time the ammeter on the charger has shown only
> about 5A. The cells are all still gassing.
>
> Is this battery likely to come back to life again, or is it toast? Any
> remedial actions to take?

The battery may be recoverable, but I suspect it's going to take some
effort, and it may well have passed the point of no return.

The fact that the cells are drawing low current, but are
electrolyzing, suggests to me that you've got a combination of a high
charge voltage (above 14.4) and some pretty badly sulphated plates.
The bottom parts of the plates (where there was still some
electrolyte) may be OK, while the upper portions may be sulphated
and/or the separators may be clogged with solids.

First thing I'd do, is just give it some time on the current setting,
checking the electrolyte level periodically and refilling as
necessary. Given some time, the relatively high voltage may clear out
some of the sulphation and residue.

If not, then it might be worth trying to recondition the battery.
There are electrical desulphators available, which hit the battery
with a high-voltage high-frequency pulse in order to break up and

redissolve the sulphate crystals - some people say these work very
well, others are less impressed. I've also seen chemical desulphation
suggested, via the addition of some sort of chelation chemical (I
think EDTA is used but don't trust that possibility without
confirming it!).

If some of the plate material has disintegrated and fallen to the
bottom of the cell, then the battery is probably a goner. The residue
can end up shorting the cell.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
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3810. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 18:13:01 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <N0qMe.9915$0E5.1089@fe05.lga>
Source record: 14083
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 08/16/05 01:14 pm Ed tossed the following ingredients into the
ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

>>The battery has now been on charge for about 20 hours at the charger's
>>12A setting, but most of the time the ammeter on the charger has shown
>>only about 5A. The cells are all still gassing.
>>
>>Is this battery likely to come back to life again, or is it toast? Any
>>remedial actions to take?

> It sounds to me that it is likely to survive, but I hope you
> are not over charging?! I assume you are also monitoring the voltage? To
> be sure how it turns out, you really ought to get a guage to measure the
> specific gravity of the electrolyte in each cell and check. Should be
> available cheap at auto supply stores.

You are probably correct in suggesting a hydrometer. But I should have
mentioned that the "fully charged" LED has not yet illuminated again;
I'm assuming that that is supposed to indicate that the appropriate
voltage has been reached. With the charger disconnected, I read 13.4V --
still a little low, I think.

Also, although I mentioned that the battery had been on "trickle charge"
for all that time, I was in fact using the specific "Automatic -- Deep
Cycle" setting of the charger, which I "assumed" (there's that word
again) was "supposed to" (and that phrase again) prevent overcharging.

Perce

3811. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 19:41:59 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <ckrMe.3349$iM2.311466@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 14084
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

"Walt Davidson" <g3nyy@despammed.com> wrote in message
news:ega3g1pvo5995bq1ekhvmbok3laldv4qcm@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 16 Aug 2005 07:04:34 GMT, Conrad Poos <poos@hamsexual.com>
> wrote:
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>>"Ich bin ein radio amateur"
>
> Ich bin kein Frankfurter!
>
> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: g3nyy @despammed.com

Hey, last night I ate a frankfurter!

Ken

3812. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 19:46:16 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <9hg4g1dsuc74ri4pmjq6r5a2p8s5men7du@4ax.com>
Source record: 14085

On Tue, 16 Aug 2005 09:37:16 -0700, "Fred Leif" <fsleif@starband.net>
wrote:

>My sense is that the battery's capacity will be severely impaired. You may
>have the voltage, but the ampere hours won't be the same. A pint per cell
>... the poor thing was dry!
>
>Trickle Chargers do just that ... constant low rate. But doing that to a
>fully charged battery warms the cells and evaporates electrolyte. Monthly
>service is probably about right.
>
>A better solution is a battery 'tender' or 'maintainer' that totally cuts
>off the charge current based on battery voltage. Kits for these are
>advertised in QST.

A good place to buy a Battery Tender Plus is here
http://www.motorcyclebatteriesusa.com/

Dick

3813. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 19:49:31 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <eog4g15c6u52oibp0qsnccids69475pflp@4ax.com>
Source record: 14086

On Tue, 16 Aug 2005 18:01:14 -0000, dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt)
wrote:

>snip

>This issue seems likely to become moot within a few months, as the FCC
>is proposing to drop the restriction on construction and sale of amps
>capable of operating in the upper HF band.

Good analysis Dave.

Dick

3814. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 20:34:51 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <43024DEA.AAFAA6D5@earthlink.net>
Source record: 14087

Travis Jordan wrote:
>
> The pins are 0.093" in diameter. Some have made a connector from #11
> solid copper wire. Various schemes have been tried with plastic and/or
> epoxy to build up a connector body around the two pieces of wire. #11
> wire is 0.0907", and tinning it with solder should make it just about
> right. I would tin it to ward off corrosion. Unfortunately, #11 is NOT a
> common size (to say the least!). #10 is 0.1019", which is a little
> large, and is probably what the "plug builders" used. I don't know if
> that is large enough to damage the female connector or not. The pins are
> spaced 0.350" c-c. A better choice might be some 3/32" dia (0.0937)
> brass tubing from the hobby shop. It would give a more reliable
> electrical connection to the wire. Think that's what I'd do.
>
> 73, Garey - K4OAH

The "Standard" Molex pins are .093". They are used in the four pin
"Y" cables for adding drives to a computer, and a number of distributors
carry the pins by themselves. Digikey is one source.

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Link to my "Computers for disabled Veterans" project website deleted
after threats were telephoned to my church.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

3815. Re: Drake L-4B male VOX plug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 21:06:36 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <ddtkgs$3bm$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14088

Thanks for the info. As of right now, I will either use 3/32" brass rod or the Molex pins. In either case I should rig up a scheme for securing the two pins.

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message news:43024DEA.AAFAA6D5@earthlink.net...
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> The "Standard" Molex pins are .093". They are used in the four pin
> "Y" cables for adding drives to a computer, and a number of distributors
> carry the pins by themselves. Digikey is one source.
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3816. FS: 500 watt Linear HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 21:48:59 UTC
From: Mike <mlinger@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <ddtn0c$q68$1@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 14089

FS: 500 Watt HF solid state linear amplfier, fully metered and made by Skywalker. This amp is very efficient, commercial built and normally sold only for export. Includes optional HF filtering and a 200 amp 12VDC (actually 13.8VDC) AC supply. With power supply, $800. Will consider selling without DC supply. If interested, email me or call Mike at (979) 696-4400 eves and wknds.

3817. HELP ON IC-3010 REPEATER NEEDED!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 23:42:35 UTC
From: Stuart <n5lbz@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <11g4ukdavib6a8c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14091

Anyone know how to change the callsign on this repeater? I have emailed
Icom but no response.

Stuart

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Outgoing mail is certified Virus Free
Checked by McAFEE on-Line subscription
Anti-Virus.

3818. IC RP3010 Help needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-16 23:45:28 UTC
From: Stuart <n5lbz@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <11g4ukdogir6i8d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14090

Anyone know how to change the callsign on this repeater? Please email the details
to n5lbz@arrl.net

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Outgoing mail is certified Virus Free
Checked by McAFEE on-Line subscription
Anti-Virus.

3819. SWR meter problems - the reading depends on TX-poser

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 00:12:39 UTC
From: Brian Vind <"Search for OZ1BV on www.qrz.com">
Message-ID: <430280f7$0$165$edfadb0f@dtext01.news.tele.dk>
Source record: 14092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,se.hobby.amatorradio

Hi!

Just got an Yaesu FL-7000, and found out that the SWR meter is behaving in a strange way. The antenna tuner also seems to have some troubles to tune to an optimum SWR, espcially below 20 metres.

I did like shown in the manual page 13 (added 3 * 50 Ohms dommyload in parallel and TX freq = 14 MHz), and found out that the SWR meter is only showing around 1:3 when the TX power is about 100W. Increasing the power to 200W makes the SWR meter go to max, and decreasing to 50W it shows about half of what it did at 100W.

I have an external SWR meter attached, and it says 1:3 all the time :-)

I also discovered that the SWR indication is frequency depended. On 80 metres it's impossible to make it show more than about 1:1,5 with 200W TX power.

I did some measurements on the FWD and REF points, and the difference between them seems to be okay, and my conslusion is that the SWR bridge is okay. Just to make sure i measures the diodes, and they seems to be intact.

Studying the schematic tells me that the transistor Q05, and the op-amp Q01 is involved in calculating the SWR, but I have no service manual to tell me about values that can be measures, and used to identify the problem.

Anybody with similar expirence, or just good advices?

Best 73 de OZ1BV, Brian

3820. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 01:49:19 UTC
From: None <none@NOSPAM.com>
Message-ID: <4302979F.205@NOSPAM.com>
Source record: 14093
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Perce

Living on a boat, I deal with deep cycle batteries continually.

EVERYTHING ABOARD runs off of my batteries and I take good care of them since I hate cold beer. (yes 12vdc refrigeration)

The uncovered plates will have begun to oxidize as soon as exposed to air. The liklihood of being able to recover from that depends on how long they were uncovered. By the way, a "fully charged" 12vdc battery, when not connected to any load at all, and not charging, will read 12.6 volts. So reading higher as you stated is a positive indicator.

When batteries are charged they are (or should be) put through three stages of charge:

Bulk charge - where the battery accepts about 80~90% of it's capacity to charge. A lot of current can be put into the batteries through this charge. When bulk charging I see 50 amps or more.

Absorbtion charge - topping up the battery until the voltage reaches around 14.1 volts. The amount of current put into the batteries tapers off during this charge as the voltage increases.

Float charge - once FULL absorbtion voltage (14.1) is reached, the charger should drop the voltage back to around 13.25 or there abouts, and current is minimal (a couple of amps tops). That's the charge the keeps the battery topped up.

The LED on the charger may be nothing more than a volt meter reading. There is no way to know what your charger is doing without the specs. Most lower cost chargers don't really do much but shut off at a pre-set voltage. Perhaps the LED indicates that the charger is off, and you can measure with a volt meter to see what point the charger shuts off and deteremine how it handles charging. Refer to the voltages above to see when it shuts off and that will give you a rough idea of what the charger does.

As for your battery and it's possible damage:

There are a few things that you can do. First, as already suggested, top up all cells and watch them as you charge the battery. If one cell tends to loose electrolyte much more quickly than the others, the cell is bad and the battery is toast. In simple terms (it's a bit more complicated than this) a cell that is bad will be shorted, and the short causes it to get hot, and that boils off the electrolyte. Similary, if one cell

seems quite hot compared to others, the battery is toast.

Pick up a hydrometer and check all cells with it after charging and letting it rest with no load for 15 minutes. Any LARGE differences after charging indicate that the battery is toast. If a cell reads partially charged and all others read charged, the cell is in trouble.

If charging for a period of time (overnight) doesn't bring the battery up to an even charge on all cells (as measured with the hydrometer) after 15 minutes no charge, no load, then there is one last ditch effort you can take.

You can equalize the battery. Basically the battery is significantly overcharged in an effort to redistribute the electrolyte and force the sulphur on the plates (called sulfation) back into the electrolyte.

Typically, the voltage applied is about 16vdc, and the equalize is done over about 8 hours. The battery will bubble like mad so remove the caps to allow it to vent. It will give off explosive hydrogen gas, so no open flames...take all precautions to prevent explosion. And it will loose electrolyte so you'll need to top it up during the process. Since it is a high voltage charge, turn off or disconnect all loads. In my case I turn off all breakers, fridge, stereo, instruments, Han radio, everything that is powered is disconnected to prevent damage.

If after a full equalize the battery cells differ substantially when measured with a hydrometer, the battery is history.

I hope this helps.

Bill

Percival P. Cassidy wrote:
> I have a 115AH deep-cycle battery that I bought as a stand-by battery
> for my amateur radio station. It has been in a "battery box" on
> trickle-charge (using a charger with a "deep-cycle" setting) for most of
> the time since I bought it over a year ago, and it has been called on to
> supply power only a few times.
>
> Recently I noticed that the "fully charged" LED on the charger was not
> on and started investigating further.
>
> Having not encountered any batteries in the last few decades that have
> not been sealed and "maintenance free," I was surprised to find tiny
> print about checking the electrolyte level every 30 days -- but even
> then it took me a few minutes to figure out how to get access to the
> cells to check this.
>
> Anyway, when I removed the cunningly disguised covers, I found that the
> cells looked totally dry, and each took close to a pint of distilled
> water to bring the electrolyte level above the plates.
>
> The battery has now been on charge for about 20 hours at the charger's

> 12A setting, but most of the time the ammeter on the charger has shown
> only about 5A. The cells are all still gassing.
>
> Is this battery likely to come back to life again, or is it toast? Any
> remedial actions to take?
>
> Perce
> (This is my usenet alias. I *am* an FCC-licensed "ham," but my real name
> and callsign have no relevance to this question.)

3821. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 03:52:55 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B4D4A255899spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 14094
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> Living on a boat, I deal with deep cycle batteries continually.
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> EVERYTHING ABOARD runs off of my batteries and I take good care of
> them since I hate cold beer. (yes 12vdc refrigeration)

Huh?! THat must be a typo, right? You really hate warm beer....

Ed K7AAT :^)

3822. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 04:17:34 UTC
From: "Mr. Man with the Master Plan" <fist@your.face.net>
Message-ID: <YTyMe.11$oK.7@fe10.lga>
Source record: 14095
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

and posting this helps you resolve your issue how?

"G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote in message
news:c%6Me.10375$1F5.3437@newsfe4-win.ntli.net...
> Waters And Stanton
>
> I purchased a scanner radio from this company and have had nothing
> but trouble with them since.
> I first ordered a Icom R5 for £89.00p (used) I paid for this using my
> wife's debit card, it arrived on 3/8/05. I sent it back to them on the
> 4/8/05, they recieved it on the 5/8/05.
> I requested the debit card be refunded with the £89.00p. I was
> assured via email from a "Nigel McAlpine" that, and I quote .....
> ----- Original Message -----
> From: "Nigel McAlpine" <mcalpinen@wsplc.com>
> To: "**********"
> Sent: Saturday, August 06, 2005 2:47 PM
> Subject: RE: My order
>
>
> > Thank you for your e-mail.
> >
> > We can confirm that your order has been cancelled and a refund
> > of £89.00 will be refunded to your card account as requested.
> >
> > Kind regards.
> >
> > Nigel McAlpine
> >
> > Waters & Stanton PLC
> > Tel: 01702206835 Fax:01702205843
> > Web: www.wsplc.com
> > E-mail: nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com <mailto:nigel.mcalpine@wsplc.com>
>
> I telephoned them on the Monday only to be told that the money was
> debited to my wifes card on the 3/8/05 ??????
> I don't know how they managed this as I did not send the radio back
> untill the 4/8/05.
> I was also charged for "next day delivery" it did not arrive, I
> phoned them and it had not even left the store, (another rip off) and
> lies.
> Now it is the 16/8/05 and still the £89.00p has NOT been debited to

> my wife's debit card.
> I emailed them today, but they do not have the decency to reply.
> I shall give it till Wednesday and if I do not hear from them or have
> not received the £89.00p I shall pass the matter over to the Trading
> Standards Department.
>
> I shall keep you posted about this rip-off company.
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> ---
> "Are you still wasting your time with spam?...
> There is a solution!"
>
> Protected by GIANT Company's Spam Inspector
> The most powerful anti-spam software available.
> http://www.giantcompany.com
>
>
>

3823. Re: 500 watt Linear HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 04:30:58 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <64zMe.7992$RS.2729@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14096

http://users.aol.com/rfelectron/500w.htm

Obviously a high quality Ham Radio amplifier!

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... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli
"Mike" <mlinger@tamu.edu> wrote in message
news:ddtn0c$q68$1@news.tamu.edu...
> FS: 500 Watt HF solid state linear amplfier, fully metered and made by
> Skywalker. This amp is very efficient, commercial built and normally sold
> only for export. Includes optional HF filtering and a 200 amp 12VDC
> (actually 13.8VDC) AC supply. With power supply, $800. Will consider
> selling without DC supply. If interested, email me or call Mike at (979)
> 696-4400 eves and wknds.
>

3824. FA - Grundig YB-400 - More

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 04:47:28 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1124254048.837583.298920@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 14097
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Grundig Yacht Boy 400 - Original box - Very Nice
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799394471&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Patrolman SW-60
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799390736&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Sony Walkman CD Player Outfit
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799384149&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Lafayette 4 amp power supply
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799386750&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Apple Microphone
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5231141860&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3825. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 08:43:30 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <SMCMe.9850$6i5.4969@newsfe4-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 13998
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

"Mr. Man with the Master Plan" <fist@your.face.net> wrote in message
news:YTyMe.11$oK.7@fe10.lga...
> and posting this helps you resolve your issue how?
Well, since the posting I have received confirmation by email, including
reference number and authorisation code to state that the refund is now
actually in the process of going through.

G-Text

3826. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 08:53:47 UTC
From: "news.vif.com" <root@NoReply-AntiSpam.com>
Message-ID: <1124268830.24536@www.vif.com>
Source record: 13999
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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>
> G-Text
>
>
CRy! Cry! CRy! happy now you got your refund
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3827. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 10:47:24 UTC
From: None <none@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <PAEMe.7737$7R.547545@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14000
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ed wrote:
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>>them since I hate cold beer. (yes 12vdc refrigeration)
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>
> Huh?! THat must be a typo, right? You really hate warm beer....
>
>
> Ed K7AAT :^)

Yup...a typo.

Apparently the very THOUGHT of WARM beer sends my brain into fits....

Bill

3828. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 11:43:20 UTC
From: G-Text <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <spFMe.2757$914.729@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 14001
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

"news.vif.com" <root@NoReply-AntiSpam.com> wrote in message
news:1124268830.24536@www.vif.com...
>
>
> G-Text wrote:
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>> news:YTyMe.11$oK.7@fe10.lga...
>>
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>>
>> Well, since the posting I have received confirmation by email, including
>> reference number and authorisation code to state that the refund is now
>> actually in the process of going through.
>>
>> G-Text
>>
>>
> CRy! Cry! CRy! happy now you got your refund
> --

Haven't actually got it yet, when I see it in the bank account I shall be
happy then AND NOT BEFORE.
If you are prepared to let these companies walk all over you, that's fine,
I, on the other hand will not.
The likes of Maplins and Argos can manage to get money back into your
account in less than 48 hours (not 21 days) if they can do it, so can this
outfit.

G-Text

3829. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 11:56:12 UTC
From: Mike GW8IJT <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <3mgmurF16m9ocU1@individual.net>
Source record: 14002
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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Well I once bought an amateaur band 2 metre/70 cms handheld transceiver
from them and I had a spot of bother with it and I received superb
service from them, I was well satisfied.
I think they are a good firm.
Regards Mike.

3830. FS: Motorola Modax 100 paging terminal- NEW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 13:40:32 UTC
From: EOC <eastern.ontario.consignment@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <I6HMe.12449$kz6.752950@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 14003

MOTOROLA MODAX 100
New in box with warranty papers and manuals. NOS. Retails $4900.00

Best offer. Must go.

sk8hard@gmail.com

3831. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 15:14:55 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <ddvk9h$lb0$1@news6.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 14004
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"Mike GW8IJT" <me@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:3mgmurF16m9ocU1@individual.net
> "G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote in message
> news:c%6Me.10375$1F5.3437@newsfe4-win.ntli.net...
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> with it and I received superb service from them, I was
> well satisfied.
> I think they are a good firm.
> Regards Mike.

I've dealt with them a few times over the years, bought my Icom 2725
dualband mobile from them, no problems at all. I'd happily recommend them.

Ivor G6URP

3832. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 17:07:30 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <uRQMe.13167$xW.380@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14011

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
news:11g4afagvc70h1d@corp.supernews.com...
> In article <8unMe.20767$rp.4378@bignews1.bellsouth.net>,
> Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>>> And of course you can always buy one from another amateur that is
>>> already modified or buy one purchased new prior to April 28, 1978. My
>>> comments above were related to buying something new.
>
>>Didn't the builder of these kits get cited by FCC a couple of years ago
>>for
>>selling them?
>
> I don't know the details, but that certainly seems to be implied by
> what he writes on his website when he explains why his products are
> only available for sale to non-US amateurs.
>
> He complains that only one company (Communications Concepts) can get
> authorization from the FCC to sell certificated amplifier kits. In
> looking through the Communications Concepts web site, though, I don't
> see any _complete_ amplifier kits at all, nor do I see any discussion
> of certification status.
>
> C.C. sells PC boards, and selected sets of components which can be
> used to construct some of the Motorola reference-design amplifiers,
> but they state quite clearly that they do not provide manuals,
> heatsinks, chassis, connectors, etc. needed to complete the amplifier.
>
> Since you cannot construct a working amplifier solely from what
> Communications Concepts is willing to sell you, the result isn't
> something which would require certification. An amateur could
> construct one amp per year using their components (plus others that
> s/he acquires elsewhere) without having to have the resulting
> amplifier certificated.
>
> I suspect that this is the difference. Communications Concepts is a
> component supplier (and components by themselves do not require
> certification), while the kit builder in question is providing
> completely kitted amplifiers (which do require certification). That's
> probably enough to make the difference between all-is-OK, and an
> enforcement action.
>
> The kits *could* have been designed in a way which would allow them to
> be certificated - they'd just have to have a difficult-to-defeat

> rolloff of the upper HF frequencies - but the designer didn't do this,
> and for this reason they don't meet the current rules for certification.
>
> This issue seems likely to become moot within a few months, as the FCC
> is proposing to drop the restriction on construction and sale of amps
> capable of operating in the upper HF band.
>
> --
> Dave Platt

Is there an announced date when this restriction is to be lifted, or is it still just a proposal?

Jerry

3833. resonance: power supply vs. frying pan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 17:57:06 UTC
From: Dan Jacobson <jidanni@jidanni.org>
Message-ID: <87vf24wiod.fsf@jidanni.org>
Source record: 14005
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.basics

My ham radio 110->13.8 V power supply interacts with my electric frying pan. No matter how far away in the house I plug them in, there is a harmonic that causes the power supply to make a loud hum.

I must choose between rag chewing and food chewing. Help. What gizmo can I purchase to filter out the resonance between them? Actually, it only happens when the pan is switched to "low", not on "high".

3834. Re: resonance: power supply vs. frying pan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 19:05:18 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11g72jenvcdol20@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14006
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.basics

>My ham radio 110->13.8 V power supply interacts with my electric
>frying pan. No matter how far away in the house I plug them in, there
>is a harmonic that causes the power supply to make a loud hum.
>
>I must choose between rag chewing and food chewing. Help. What gizmo
>can I purchase to filter out the resonance between them? Actually, it
>only happens when the pan is switched to "low", not on "high".

What these symptoms suggest to me is that the "low" setting of the pan is probably switching in either a half-wave rectifier diode, or some sort of triac-based switcher... the former seems more likely. This would cause the pan's load on the powerline mains to be very asymmetrical... it'd draw full current during one phase of the cycle and none during the opposite phase. This will have the effect of causing the mains voltage at all of the other outlets on the circuit to have a significant DC offset voltage. This will induce a current into the primary winding of other transformers, possibly saturating the core (a bigger problem with toroid transformers than with EI-core, I believe). The symptoms are usually buzzing and humming, and sometimes excessive heating in the windings and cores of affected transformers.

Triac-based switchers, such as are found in many cheap light dimmers, tend to cause a slightly different set of problems. They don't generate a DC offset, but they do generate a lot of odd-order harmonics. They can cause transformer buzzing and the "singing" of light bulb filaments.

There are a number of possible solutions, none of which are terribly wonderful:

- Replace the electric fry-pan with a different model that doesn't cause the problem. For example, a model which has multiple heating elements, and switches them into different combinations of series and parallel and disconnected states, can provide multiple power levels without having to use a rectifier or triac - it'll always present a well-behaved resistive load to the mains and won't cause the problem.

- Put a high-amperage isolation transformer between the frypan and the mains. This will prevent the DC offset from travelling back onto the mains. The isolation transformer may hum or buzz when the pan is on its low-power setting, but the problem at your power supply should be greatly reduced or eliminated.

- Put the isolation transformer between your ham supply and the mains. The isolation transformer may be less prone to hum or buzz than the power supply's transformer.

- Try a ferroresonant constant-output-voltage transformer (Sola makes these). This will ensure that your power supply receives a fairly consistent AC waveform. [Unfortunately, these ferroresonant transformers are themselves somewhat problematic... they run hot, hum, and their output isn't a terribly good sinusoid even in the best of times.]

- Change to a different type of power supply. A ham-rated switching-type supply might be much less affected by this problem.

- Unplug your ham supply from the mains when the fry-pan is in use, and operate your station from a large battery during those times. Recharge the battery from the supply when the fry-pan is not in use.

- To mis-quote the old saying, "Be cooking with gas!"

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

3835. Re: Radio Shack 10 Meter rigs, HTX-10 vs. HTX-100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 19:14:44 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-1708051514440001@ac8e83f0.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14007

In article <1124211630.517632.128730@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>,
"=?iso-8859-1?B?V9hDQkY=?=" <w0cbf@yahoo.com> wrote:

> My question would be if I want to operate 10 meter SSB (only) and not
> FM is the HTX-10 superior to the older HTX-100???

Chuck-

I have both. The HTX-10 is newer. As I recall, the HTX-100 doesn't have
any memories, if you happen to have some pet frequencies.

One fault with the HTX-10, is that it doesn't retain its memories when
disconnected from power for very long. I modified mine to add a Lithium
battery plus isolation diode, so the memories don't evaporate.

The HTX-100 is a variation of the Uniden HR-series Ten Meter radios.

The HTX-10 is a variation of the Albrecht AE-485S. I found some
information at
http://www.albrecht-electronic.de/service/Amateurfunk/AE485S/.

I don't think anyone would be able to tell the difference between the two
radios on the air, other than the HTX-100 being calibrated off-frequency
by 100 Hz!

73, Fred, K4DII

3836. Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 20:39:12 UTC
From: JET <"lifehelth at comcast dot net">
Message-ID: <F-ednZGMhYLpPZ7eRVn-1A@comcast.com>
Source record: 14008

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So I am open to listen.
TIA
73's
N5XIE

3837. Neutec or Roadmaster 1645

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 21:16:27 UTC
From: The Archer's <toxic4@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DiOMe.4264$Us5.4110@fed1read02>
Source record: 14009

Looking for a source for this brand/model of radio. 50W, 16 channel programmable. Operates in the 150-159 mHz range. Any help is appreciated.

--
Geoff Archer
Las Vegas, NV
toxic4@cox.net

3838. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-17 22:05:05 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <p6Kdnb4jt9cBKZ7eRVn-hQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 14010

"JET" <lifehelth at comcast dot net> wrote in message
news:F-ednZGMhYLpPZ7eRVn-1A@comcast.com...
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There are now some absolutely wonderful mobile rigs for around and under
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857D and the Kenwood TS-480.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

3839. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 00:46:20 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-1708052046200001@ac8a5798.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 14012

In article <F-ednZGMhYLpPZ7eRVn-1A@comcast.com>, "JET" <lifehelth at comcast dot net> wrote:

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> seen Kenwood 930/40 on ebay but seem to remember problems with those units..

Jet-

I have an old Kenwood TS-690SAT which is the same as the TS-450SAT except it has Six Meters. One of either in good condition would make a nice rig. The only thing I don't like is that on FM, the optional tone encoder uses dip-switches to set frequency. Optional filters should still be available for narrow sideband and CW.

A slightly newer rig that I haven't used, is the TS-570. It is available in two versions, one with Six Meters. I think the TS-570S is the one with Six, but I'm not sure. I think it uses the same filters as the TS-450.

I now use the TS-480 mobile with the built-in antenna tuner. It is also available with twice the power but no tuner. Mine works OK, but it is a bit big for a mobile rig, and you have to purchase the "mobile shelf" separately if you don't want to remotely mount it. It might be a good rig for you if you can find one in your price range. It is one of the newer models and uses digital signal processing (DSP).

Personally, I'd look for a bargain on a new-old-stock TS-570 if I needed an inexpensive rig.

73, Fred, K4DII

3840. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 01:13:42 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4303E0C6.2000506@optonline.net>
Source record: 14013

JET wrote:

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>
Hi, Welcome back!!
you can pick up and Icom IC-706. There are different versions of this
rig, the newer ones
do 2 meters and 440. It's a small radio but it is menu driven. This can
drive you nuts until your
use to it. Also, check out a Yaesu FT-847. This radio gives you the
most bang for your buck!
This is a HF, 6 meters, 2 meters and 440 radio. This is more of a
conventional radio.
I have seen these as little a $700 through $1100 dollars. Also, the 847
is a satellite radio, really hot receiver
on 2 and 440!.
Check out these links if you like..

http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/135?ehamsid=0962d3280dd3d714da29698be2c2d81d

http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/135?ehamsid=b20f0ea1a9533a557e11c544695380bd

http://www.uksmg.org/ft847.htm

Good luck, 73

3841. Re: FS: 500W solid state HF amp.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 01:15:34 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11g7o9m8l0enj94@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14014

In article <uRQMe.13167$xW.380@bignews6.bellsouth.net>,
Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net> wrote:

>Is there an announced date when this restriction is to be lifted, or is it
>still just a proposal?

To the best of my knowledge it's still just a proposal.

This proposal was part of the FCC's "Notice of Proposed Rulemaking"
released on 15 April 2004. This was the same NPRM in which the FCC
proposed accepting the ARRL's request to "re-farm" the Novice/Tech Plus
CW sub-bands, reallocated these for phone operation, and proposed
accepting Kenwood's petition to allow auxiliary-station operation in
the 2-meter band (thus legalizing Sky Command).

The comment and reply-comment end dates were back in June of 2004.

I haven't heard anything recent about action on this. It would not
surprise me greatly if the FCC chose to do a single revision of the
rules, which would incorporate the changes in this NPRM and also
formalize the removal of the 5 WPM Morse Code requirement.

If that's how they decide to do it, then "sometime later this year" is
the best guess I can offer.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

3842. FA: LAFAYETTE COMSTAT 25A, NEAR MINT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 02:03:23 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <M%RMe.6074$Gx1.1351@fe11.lga>
Source record: 14015

HI, I'm posting this for a friend.

For you hams that might have started out with one of these
way back then.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5798979767
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5798979767&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

73

3843. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 02:50:53 UTC
From: ehsjr <ehsjr@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <hISMe.1539$zb.914@trndny04>
Source record: 14016
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dave Platt wrote:

<snip>

>
> If not, then it might be worth trying to recondition the battery.
> There are electrical desulphators available, which hit the battery
> with a high-voltage high-frequency pulse in order to break up and
> redissolve the sulphate crystals - some people say these work very
> well, others are less impressed.

http://www.homepower.com/files/desulfator.pdf

It works, but much depends on the condition of the battery.
According to the author, it eliminates the need for periodic
equalization, too. But it won't rescue batteries with
warped plates or shorted cells or those with too much of
the plate material gone, or polluted electrolyte.

Aside from attempting to rescue his battery, the OP has got
to fix or replace that charger, and adopt a maintenance
schedule that includes electrolyte level monitoring.

Ed

3844. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 03:20:48 UTC
From: Gary Schafer <gaschafer@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3kv7g15l5d8sbgfqaoqu1ehdj6j4g6rhqd@4ax.com>
Source record: 14017
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You didn't say how far away from the dynaplate the tuner was? I would
bet that you have a fairly long run with your ground lead to it as
seen in most boats where the antenna system has problems.
You need to have a very short distance between the tuner and the
ground plate, not more than a few feet. Lots of people install the
tuner close to the antenna and run a long ground lead. That is the
wrong way to go as it then allows the coax and power leads that go to
the tuner to become part of the antenna system as well as the radio
itself and its power leads, which you don't want.

Also if you operate in fresh water rather than salt water you may need
more surface area for a ground.

Sail boat or power boat?

73
Gary K4FMX

On Sat, 13 Aug 2005 22:42:52 -0400, Newbie Ham <none@lNOSPAM.com>
wrote:

>Hi Everybody
>
>I hope this isn't the wrong place to ask. if it is, please let me know
>where I should post.
>
>I have a Kenwood TS50 installed on a boat with a SGC autotuner. The
>tuner is grounded to a dynaplate.
>
>I also have a 2000watt inverter/charger built into the boat for ac power
>creation from 12v batteries.
>
>Something strange is going on and I jusr don't know where to start
>trouble shooting.
>
>When I transmit on frequencies like 14300MHZ usb, no problem.
>
>If I transmit on 7628 LSB 100watts the FET's in my inverter blow up! As
>soon as I key the mike I hear a loud pop and there goes another fet.
>
>I've changed them twice now and since the inverter is bolted into an
>awkward spot and weighs 70 pounds (it's all transformer), removing the
>inverter and changing them ain't fun.
>
>Tonight I went so far as to disconnect (as in unplug) the AC supply to

>the inverter and switch it completely off. As in no LEDS lit, everything
>off.
>
>Yet as soon as I keyed the mic, POOF. The fets just blew apart.
>
>Any thoughts as to what might be happening?
>
>FWIW, the coax from radio to tuner runs within about 2 feet of the
>inverter, the radio and tuner are powered from the batteries which power
>the inverter. So the inverter and radio share Pos. and Neg.
>
>I can only think of a few ways this might be happening:
>
>1) Radiated signal from the coax leaking into the inverter.
>2) Radiated signal passing into the inverter via the shared positive or
>negative feeds.
>3) Some weird ground loop issue.
>
>I have no ideas as to how to diagnose this and trouble shoot it without
>having to replace fets everytime. And that's a big job.
>
>Any thoughts would be greatly appreciated.

3845. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 03:55:16 UTC
From: JET <"lifehelth at comcast dot net">
Message-ID: <mdednQB4JLk0m5neRVn-iw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14018

Thanks All!

I am off shopping and reading!

"JET" <lifehelth at comcast dot net> wrote in message
news:F-ednZGMhYLpPZ7eRVn-1A@comcast.com...
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3846. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 11:09:04 UTC
From: JC <johncalias-newsgroupsATyahooD0TcoD0Tuk>
Message-ID: <c1r8g11edkjsr0fbck383k1h7eojd4prfa@4ax.com>
Source record: 14019
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

On Tue, 16 Aug 2005 08:53:12 GMT, "G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
wrote:

> In order to avoid
>administration delays, we urge you to first telephone us for a Returns Note
>number which should be clearly written on the outside of the parcel

Just out of interest..did you do this???

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Regards

John [Essex, UK]
Remove the obvious spamtrap to reply

3847. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 13:24:30 UTC
From: John Ferrell <johnferrell@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <6d19g1hj30uv4gqjelrejgploe5timc4od@4ax.com>
Source record: 14020

Before you commit to that budget level be sure to look at some of the high end choices. I bought a Yaesu FT301D in 1978 and felt it was unbeatable for my purposes for over 20 years. I had some problem that I was looking for help with on the Internet and someone told me I owed it to myself to look at a modern rig. After I did my homework I settled on a TenTec Pegasus (no longer available). It was ideal for me. It takes up zero desk space because it uses a PC for all input/output. With the optional built in tuner and a multitude of filters, I find the operation everything I could wish for. The newer Tentecs seem to have the same features but also a front panel control. Early on I needed to call them (Tentec) and found them very accessible.

Considering that I paid about $800 for the Yaesu in 1978 (a new Ford Mustang was $4500 that year) I figure the $1200 or so that I put into this rig to be a great deal.

The other vendors have some really neat stuff as well. If I were still spending a lot of time on the road, I would want the Yaesu FT-857D mobile. 160 - 70cm in such a tiny package is mind boggling to me. You can buy it from http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/hamhf/1857.html for $699 at this time.

Your satisfaction with any rig will be greatly influenced by the antenna you use. Back in the 70's Cushcraft had a reputation for being "cheap". I liked their products then and I like them now. I have an A3S beam with the 40m add on and seldom bother to extend the crank up (electric winch) above the 25 foot level. Being that low does have an adverse effect on the SWR but the automatic tuner does a good job of hiding that from me.

Things have never been better in the world of Amateur Radio!

On Wed, 17 Aug 2005 18:05:05 -0400, "Dee Flint"
<deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote:

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>"JET" <lifehelth at comcast dot net> wrote in message
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3848. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 13:50:31 UTC
From: JET <"lifehelth at comcast dot net">
Message-ID: <6sOdneLdHqSxD5neRVn-gw@comcast.com>
Source record: 14021

Thanks for the great advice OM, but since I am now in my late 50's.. small does not seem to be that much of an option, the pc interface sounds interesting tho..
And yes a great sky hook can overcome some limits on the radio end, but with all the QRM I read about, it sounds like I will be looking for one with great filters and DSP capability,

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3849. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 14:17:59 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <de25an$ds2$1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 14022

Make sure you check out the Ten-Tec Orion. Perhaps a bit complex, but I was out of ham radio for 15 years and just got going again about one month ago. I took delivery of my Orion on last Friday, and so far it's working fine. I have it connected to a ground mounted Butternut HF6V.

John, N9JG

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3850. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 14:28:09 UTC
From: Albert Bockelman <abockelm@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <mh69g1llu877fif1vc4cmegcj7npjuki54@4ax.com>
Source record: 14023

On Wed, 17 Aug 2005 15:39:12 -0500, "JET" <lifehelth at comcast dot
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I've had a 940SAT for 18 years - bought second hand from another ham -
and it hasn't given me any trouble ever! It has perhaps the best
receiver for it's time, and maybe still outdoes the new ones except it
doesn't have DSP. I love it. Go for it. Get one with the cw
filter(s). I have two inside and it's really narrow, if you want it to
be. Good luck.
73 de K2ES

3851. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 17:33:15 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <uD3Ne.12474$0E5.5395@fe05.lga>
Source record: 14024
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 08/17/05 10:50 pm ehsjr tossed the following ingredients into the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

> Aside from attempting to rescue his battery, the OP has got
> to fix or replace that charger, and adopt a maintenance
> schedule that includes electrolyte level monitoring.

Now that I know that this is not a "maintenance-free" battery, I'll get into the habit of checking the electrolyte level.

But are you saying that the "Automatic - Deep Cycle" setting on an "ordinary" battery charger (it's one I bought originally for the car batteries, but the "Deep Cycle" setting seemed like a bonus) is not a reliable way of keeping the batery in good shape?

Perce

3852. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 17:51:51 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <h7i9g1pvpsuq9e2q1t78hsr430ugtfvsc5@4ax.com>
Source record: 14025
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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>reliable way of keeping the batery in good shape?

I don't know what he's saying, but I'll say No, it isn't if it's a
run-of-the-mill cheapie.

Suggest you look at:

www.amplepower.com

and check out their primer. Some of this is self-serving but on
balance is good stuff.

3853. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 18:37:03 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11g9lafobneg5d3@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 14026
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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>batteries, but the "Deep Cycle" setting seemed like a bonus) is not a
>reliable way of keeping the batery in good shape?

It's quite possible that this charger is not well suited for long-term
float charging of a battery, "automatic" or not.

Many standard chargers are designed mostly for "refueling" a depleted
battery. They often use a two-step charging algorithm, to perform the
"bulk" charge (high initial current level which brings the battery up
to about 80% of full capacity), and then a "topping" charge (lower
terminal voltage, resulting in a lower current) to bring them the rest
of the way up to full capacity. The switchover between bulk and
topping charge happens automatically based on the battery's terminal
voltage and/or the current level... it's done at a point which trades
off the speed of recharge, and the possible loss of electrolyte.

The terminal voltage during bulk and topping charge can often exceed
14.5 volts, and might be over 15 volts depending on the charger design,
battery type, and temperature. It's high enough to result in some
loss of electrolyte, if the battery gasses rapidly enough that its
recombination catalyst can't turn the gasses back into water.

Many of these chargers do *not* incorporate circuitry which will
detect the "full charge" state, and switch over to a proper
float-charging regime. Proper floating voltage is a good deal lower
than recharging voltage, and depends on the temperature... I've seen
figures ranging from 14.1 volts (freezing) down to as low as 13.4
volts (40 degrees C). It also depends to some extent on the specific
battery type and chemistry.

A two-phase bulk/topping charger is likely to keep the voltage on the
battery rather too high for proper floating. Gassing and loss of
electrolyte can occur as a result.

For best charging performance, you really want to have a sophisticated
three-phase charger, with temperature compensation for all phases of
the charging cycle.

As an alternative (possibly cheaper), use your car-battery charger to
recharge the battery after use, and buy/build a well-regulated
low-current voltage supply to use as a float charger. If your battery

will be stored in a location which has a relatively constant
near-room temperature, you could build a simple LM317-based voltage
regulator, trim its output for 13.6 volts, and be pretty confident
that you could float your battery on this without risking excessive
outgassing.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

3854. Re: Getting back in to the hobby

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 18:59:10 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <LS4Ne.30082$rp.11272@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 14027

Yeah! Me too.
A copy of an email to ARRL below: I hope it gets some consideration.
I been around long time but restarting myself I find it a pain to compare apples oranges and lemons.
This is going to be worse than buying a car with all the "options" and or built in functions.
Getting started must be a real intimidator for someone new to all of ham radio.
When I started years back I had no good input from anyone and was Pixed off for 2 years
because I found no DX,... No one bothered to let me know novice bands were deserts lol
New hams always ask what radio to buy because the mfgrs and adverts make it hard to see
what is needed and what comes with a radio. Wooo a new person probably doesn't know a
lot of DX folks use split freq's to work the "pile ups". I lucked out with my GTX 757 II and
got a nice rig I could drop in the car or work in the shack. I once worked Mongolia from the
shack in Indiana and Saudi Arabia from the Indiana parking lot at work in my car 10m,. I never
thought those few watts could compete with the KW's ... just a matter of timing and luck mostly.
73 Good luck K4TWO
I'll be following the suggestions toooo
Thanks ev1
>
>
>
I don't know where this "complaint, advice, recommendation" should be squirted at, but this seemed to be a starting place.
ALL the files and adverts I see in QST or on the web can drowned and overwhelm a new ham.
What is ALWAYS missing is "what this radio needs to work is.... AC line... DC power supply... Antenna match... Types of Antennas a user might connect.
Sheeez get some of the basics out to the "New Hams" they want to sell these things too.
Let them know about how much MORE it is going to cost than the listed price of the current unit under test.
How about a Key or Speaker or Mic, need a rotor?.... Come on lets get the newbies a chance to spend his few dollars with out getting
a box and then wish for Christmas to come so he/she can connect it up and really get on the air.

Go look at the advert's and "reviews" as though you were NEW to the hobby
and about to invest some hard earned money.
While most of the tech info can be impressive, it is fluff to a newbie.
Just tell me how it worked and what needed to make it usable.
How much were all those "options they said were available?" Money for what
filter? What warrantee??? It is the price of a car is it 5 years too?
Thanks.... Hope this message gets to where it will do some good.
Might even put some "shop and compare tables" out for them.
I been around a long time and was getting ready to upgrade from my GTX757II
to a "last good radio" for my retired years and wading through
all the poo has just about put me off buying another radio. I did apply
for a new 4 land call for retired call... I hope Vanity call. Can get a
little vain when that's all that is left. hihi
I just spent 2 days rebuilding the optical dial that froze up in my 757 so I
better move on before it gets arthritis again.

"JET" <lifehelth at comcast dot net> wrote in message
news:F-ednZGMhYLpPZ7eRVn-1A@comcast.com...
> After helping sell the mobile units for a friend of mine that is a SK, I
> am thinking of getting back into the hobby again.
> What are some suggestions for a base rig, used under $800.. I have had
> Kenwood and Yaesu in the past, but have not kept up with everything. I
> have seen Kenwood 930/40 on ebay but seem to remember problems with those
> units.. So I am open to listen.
> TIA
> 73's
> N5XIE
>

3855. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 19:06:42 UTC
From: G-Text <gtext@grumbletext.com>
Message-ID: <6%4Ne.11715$wh6.5949@newsfe2-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 14028
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

"JC" <johncalias-newsgroupsATyahooD0TcoD0Tuk> wrote in message
news:c1r8g11edkjsr0fbck383k1h7eojd4prfa@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 16 Aug 2005 08:53:12 GMT, "G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com>
> wrote:
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>> In order to avoid
>>administration delays, we urge you to first telephone us for a Returns
>>Note
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> Just out of interest..did you do this???
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> Regards
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> John [Essex, UK]
> Remove the obvious spamtrap to reply

Hi John
Yes, I followed the instructions exactly, Anyway, pleased to say the refund has finally reached the bank account, although it took 15 days, it amazes me how these companies can take money from your account within seconds, yet take over a fortnight to return it. As I said before, Argos and Maplins can do a refund in under 48 hours. It's not just the refund that pi**ed me off, I was charged for "next day delivery" I work nights (7pm to 7am) and had to wait up for the postman, then when it never arrived and after a few more phone calls I discovered it hadn't even left the store. this meant I had to wait up again the next day.
I wouldn't deal with them again.
regards

G-Text

No virus attached, guaranteed!!!!!
Email Virus Scanner by Thunderbolt-Excalibur Gold

3856. Re: Radio problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 19:09:48 UTC
From: Bruce in Alaska <bruceg@btpost.net>
Message-ID: <bruceg-431B51.11110418082005@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14029
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <3kv7g15l5d8sbgfqaoqu1ehdj6j4g6rhqd@4ax.com>,
Gary Schafer <gaschafer@comcast.net> wrote:

> You didn't say how far away from the dynaplate the tuner was? I would
> bet that you have a fairly long run with your ground lead to it as
> seen in most boats where the antenna system has problems.
> You need to have a very short distance between the tuner and the
> ground plate, not more than a few feet. Lots of people install the
> tuner close to the antenna and run a long ground lead. That is the
> wrong way to go as it then allows the coax and power leads that go to
> the tuner to become part of the antenna system as well as the radio
> itself and its power leads, which you don't want.
>
> Also if you operate in fresh water rather than salt water you may need
> more surface area for a ground.
>
> Sail boat or power boat?
>
> 73
> Gary K4FMX
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> On Sat, 13 Aug 2005 22:42:52 -0400, Newbie Ham <none@lNOSPAM.com>
> wrote:
>
> >Hi Everybody
> >
> >I hope this isn't the wrong place to ask. if it is, please let me know
> >where I should post.
> >
> >I have a Kenwood TS50 installed on a boat with a SGC autotuner. The
> >tuner is grounded to a dynaplate.
> >
> >I also have a 2000watt inverter/charger built into the boat for ac power
> >creation from 12v batteries.
> >
> >Something strange is going on and I jusr don't know where to start
> >trouble shooting.
> >
> >When I transmit on frequencies like 14300MHZ usb, no problem.
> >
> >If I transmit on 7628 LSB 100watts the FET's in my inverter blow up! As
> >soon as I key the mike I hear a loud pop and there goes another fet.
> >

> >I've changed them twice now and since the inverter is bolted into an
> >awkward spot and weighs 70 pounds (it's all transformer), removing the
> >inverter and changing them ain't fun.
> >
> >Tonight I went so far as to disconnect (as in unplug) the AC supply to
> >the inverter and switch it completely off. As in no LEDS lit, everything
> >off.
> >
> >Yet as soon as I keyed the mic, POOF. The fets just blew apart.
> >
> >Any thoughts as to what might be happening?
> >
> >FWIW, the coax from radio to tuner runs within about 2 feet of the
> >inverter, the radio and tuner are powered from the batteries which power
> >the inverter. So the inverter and radio share Pos. and Neg.
> >
> >I can only think of a few ways this might be happening:
> >
> >1) Radiated signal from the coax leaking into the inverter.
> >2) Radiated signal passing into the inverter via the shared positive or
> >negative feeds.
> >3) Some weird ground loop issue.
> >
> >I have no ideas as to how to diagnose this and trouble shoot it without
> >having to replace fets everytime. And that's a big job.
> >
> >Any thoughts would be greatly appreciated.
>

Sounds like you got this problem nailed Gary.... I would suspect that
the RF Ground between the tuner and the radio is somewhere close to 1/4
Wave and is the Power wires to the inverter are also near 1/4 Wave for
the 40 Meter band, or maybe 1/8 Wave. A couple of good RF Type .1 uf
Caps across Inverter Power Leads, at both ends, should tame the problem,
after the RF Ground is shortened up to make it a good Low Impedance,
Wideband RF Ground.

Bruce in alaska
the Inverter
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add a <2> before @

3857. wtb dak 9 for parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 19:33:06 UTC
From: psx1966@mcihispeed.net
Message-ID: <4b22c5cb89e1f0a4ba459036438fb4e1$1@groups.expo.st>
Source record: 14030

i am looking for dak 9 for parts

i hope someone can help

thank you

larry

www.cbsareus.com

*** Sent From/Enviado desde: http://groups.expo.st ***

3858. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 20:47:58 UTC
From: ehsjr <ehsjr@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <2u6Ne.3011$zb.2781@trndny04>
Source record: 14031
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Percival P. Cassidy wrote:
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> But are you saying that the "Automatic - Deep Cycle" setting on an
> "ordinary" battery charger (it's one I bought originally for the car
> batteries, but the "Deep Cycle" setting seemed like a bonus) is not a
> reliable way of keeping the batery in good shape?
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> Perce

> Aside from attempting to rescue his battery, the OP has got
> to fix or replace that charger
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We already have strong evidence that the charger you used
cooked the electrolyte. I made no reference to the "universe"
of ordinary chargers - I was thinking specifically of yours.
But you raise a good point, expanding the question - and others
have answered.

Whatever charger you use, you need to verify that it is
doing the job properly. Consider building an add-on
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some level. I built a comparator into an ordinary
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A 339 works fine - 4 comparators in one chip, so you
can have a voltage too low output turn the thing on,
and a voltage too high turn it off. Still have two
comparators left over to use as you like. Add a couple
more 339 chips and you could add a 10 step led
voltage monitor, for example.

Ed

3859. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-18 22:21:24 UTC
From: JC <johncalias-newsgroupsATyahooD0TcoD0Tuk>
Message-ID: <j72ag1h9pof179qslnq73dserh6far5vg3@4ax.com>
Source record: 14032
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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>phone calls I discovered it hadn't even left the store. this meant I had to
>wait up again the next day.
>I wouldn't deal with them again.
>regards
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>G-Text

Did you get a full refund...including any postage charges??

If you did..you've had a result as the passage you quoted states

"If you purchase products by mail order, you have the right to cancel the transaction for any reason and return the products within 7 days after delivery for a full refund (but not the original carriage charge). "

I suppose it all depends on whether you returned it as faulty or under the no quibble guarantee

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Regards

John [Essex, UK]
Remove the obvious spamtrap to reply

3860. Re: resonance: power supply vs. frying pan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 02:24:54 UTC
From: ehsjr <ehsjr@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <WpbNe.4394$_D4.2409@trndny05>
Source record: 14033
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.basics

Dan Jacobson wrote:
> My ham radio 110->13.8 V power supply interacts with my electric
> frying pan. No matter how far away in the house I plug them in, there
> is a harmonic that causes the power supply to make a loud hum.
>
> I must choose between rag chewing and food chewing. Help. What gizmo
> can I purchase to filter out the resonance between them? Actually, it
> only happens when the pan is switched to "low", not on "high".

As Dave said, a battery. It will give you emergency power
for the rig during field day or an outage, too. You can
keep it charged by running it in parallel with the supply
when the rig is on and the frying pan isn't.

Ed

3861. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 02:54:54 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <2SbNe.266$WO2.73@fe06.lga>
Source record: 14034
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 08/18/05 04:47 pm ehsjr tossed the following ingredients into the
ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

>> But are you saying that the "Automatic - Deep Cycle" setting on an
>> "ordinary" battery charger (it's one I bought originally for the car
>> batteries, but the "Deep Cycle" setting seemed like a bonus) is not a
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> cooked the electrolyte. I made no reference to the "universe"
> of ordinary chargers - I was thinking specifically of yours.
> But you raise a good point, expanding the question - and others
> have answered.

Well, we don't know how much the charger contributed to the problem,
because the electrolyte level wasn't checked for more than a year
because I hadn't realized that it's not a "maintenance-free" battery.

> Whatever charger you use, you need to verify that it is
> doing the job properly. Consider building an add-on
> monitoring/control circuit. Perhaps a comparator with
> a sonalert to notify you that something is wrong with
> automatic charger shut-off when the voltage exceeds
> some level. I built a comparator into an ordinary
> 10 amp charger to turn it on and off automatically.
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> can have a voltage too low output turn the thing on,
> and a voltage too high turn it off. Still have two
> comparators left over to use as you like. Add a couple
> more 339 chips and you could add a 10 step led
> voltage monitor, for example.

While looking for a hydrometer today, I noticed "Vector" brand "smart"
chargers (10/6/2A and 6/4/2A) that claimed to have 3-stage charging
circuitry and to be suitable for car batteries, deep-cycle batteries,
and gel-cell batteries. Are these likely to be any good?

The battery was still warm, and each cell was still bubbling slightly
after the thing had been disconnected from the charger for about 3
hours. The SG of each cell was pretty much the same at approx. 1.1175,

and the voltage across the whole battery was 12.4. When I put it back on charge, the voltage rose to 13.3.

What do you think?

Perce

3862. Can you program my HT 1000 (Los Angeles area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 04:19:37 UTC
From: Vince <duster@duster.com>
Message-ID: <t5dNe.91$Ux3.64@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 14036

anyone out there who can do a quick program ?

Thanks in advance. .

3863. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 04:19:47 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B6D9351D529spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 14035
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> after the thing had been disconnected from the charger for about 3
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> and the voltage across the whole battery was 12.4. When I put it back on
> charge, the voltage rose to 13.3.
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> What do you think?
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I think the battery is bad. I may be remembering wrong, but I seem to
recall that SG should be around 1.230 for lead acid cells, I think. Also,
nominal open circuit voltage on a freshly charged battery ought to be at
LEAST 12.8 volts.

Ed K7AAT

3864. Re: Can you program my HT 1000 (Los Angeles area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 12:23:44 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d6f6f2d865fa04a9897a3@localhost>
Source record: 14037

In article <t5dNe.91$Ux3.64@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>,
duster@duster.com says...

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I'm not in the L.A. area, but I can certainly program your radio
if you don't mind mailing it to the vicinity of Seattle.

Assuming there's nothing wrong with the radio, and that you're
doing a full 16 channels, I can do the programming and a bench test,
including any necessary alignment, for $30 plus shipping.

Please note that I would need your ham callsign (if doing amateur
frequencies) and/or your commercial callsign (if doing commercial
frequencies).

This link contains details:

http://www.bluefeathertech.com/rf.html

You need only drop me an E-mail if you want to set this up.

Thanks much.

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Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

3865. Re: Can you program my HT 1000 (Los Angeles area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 13:39:02 UTC
From: W2AGN <w2agn@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <oZ6dneEleLlofZjeRVn-sg@comcast.com>
Source record: 14038

Dr. Anton T. Squeegee wrote:
> In article <t5dNe.91$Ux3.64@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>,
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> Thanks much.
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>
It does make one wonder, if indeed individual IS an amateur, how he
could pass the exam, and not be able to program his radio?
Perhaps in the future the only way to keep out the riff-raff will be to
make the radios require at least a three digit IQ to work?
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/ \ / \ / \ / \ / \ John L. Sielke
(W) (2) (A) (G) (N) http://w2agn.net
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3866. Re: Can you program my HT 1000 (Los Angeles area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 14:11:01 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <VLINe.6650$RZ2.1994@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 14039

"W2AGN" <w2agn@pobox.com> wrote in message
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> / \ / \ / \ / \ / \ John L. Sielke
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>

I see you are in the two digit catagory. The HT 1000 takes a special plug and computer software to program it. To buy this could cost more than most ham HTs. Not something most hams have in their shacks.

3867. Re: Can you program my HT 1000 (Los Angeles area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 17:53:16 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndgc74c.9bu.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 14040

On Fri, 19 Aug 2005 09:39:02 -0400, W2AGN wrote:
> Dr. Anton T. Squeegee wrote:
>> In article <t5dNe.91$Ux3.64@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>,
>> duster@duster.com says...
>>
>>>anyone out there who can do a quick program ?
>>>Thanks in advance. .
>>
>> I'm not in the L.A. area, but I can certainly program your radio
>> if you don't mind mailing it to the vicinity of Seattle.
>>
> It does make one wonder, if indeed individual IS an amateur, how he
> could pass the exam, and not be able to program his radio?

I wonder how a blind ham could program today's rigs....

> Perhaps in the future the only way to keep out the riff-raff will
> be to make the radios require at least a three digit IQ to work?

ecce signum!

Jonesy W3DHJ

3868. WTB: Reference manual for HTX-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-19 20:01:19 UTC
From: Ken C <cprstn54@att.net>
Message-ID: <sgecg151r25j8320otnrgr1s2apht2o3bf@4ax.com>
Source record: 14041

Not the user manual, but the bigger one that tells you how to trim,
etc. -- including the circuit diagrams and board layouts.

Ken KC2JDY

3869. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 00:39:33 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <6LOdnZ2dnZ0s4MrOnZ2dnVbmm96dnZ2dRVn-zp2dnZ0@comcast.com>
Source record: 14042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Cecil Moore wrote:

> Believe it or not, I have at least two areas
> of interest. :-)

That's what she said.

3870. FA:WESTON & SIMPSO METERS+

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 01:14:03 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <vtvNe.115586$5N3.16889@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14043
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Several Simpson meter of the same type and a Weston meter + other items too;
see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, heytubeguy

3871. FA: GLASS FIXED VACUUM CAPS +

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 01:16:44 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <0wvNe.637674$cg1.6991@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 14044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jennings and D&W glass fixed vacuum capacitors + meters and other things,
see at;

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

tnx for looking, heytubeguy

3872. Re: ADI AR-147 PROBLEM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 04:15:52 UTC
From: "M.S." <notvalid@email.add>
Message-ID: <_7yNe.59$h4.24133@sooner.brightok.net>
Source record: 14045

Bought a 147 with a similar problem. No mention was made by the seller that it was heat-related, just that it would blank out, and sometimes a tap (or a sharp rap) would fix it. Opened it up and re-seated all the boards and ribbon cables (as I recall, the display connects to the main board with a ribbon cable). It's been running 24/7 as my APRS rig for better than six months, and the display is still working fine.

"Scott" <shale132@hotmail.com> wrote in message news:d98sf1d1djo8dbu6tb08r853v68rfnbaft@4ax.com...
>I have an ADI AR-147 rig that seems to have a heat related problem.
> When I transmit on medium or high power for a few minutes the case
> gets very warm and my display acts up. It will show just about
> everything ...all gibberish. Sometimes a tap on top of the rig will
> get it working and letting the case cool will always get it back.
> Might open it up and re-solder or clean the display contacts. Anyone
> else have this problem? Thanks ... Scott VE1AFN.>

3873. Re: Can you program my HT 1000 (Los Angeles area)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 04:53:28 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d70571f1aff03be98968d@192.168.42.131>
Source record: 14046

In article <oZ6dneEleLlofZjeRVn-sg@comcast.com>, w2agn@pobox.com says...

<snippety>

> It does make one wonder, if indeed individual IS an amateur, how he
> could pass the exam, and not be able to program his radio?
> Perhaps in the future the only way to keep out the riff-raff will be to
> make the radios require at least a three digit IQ to work?

You misunderstand. The radio the original poster is referring to
is a Motorola HT1000, a discontinued commercial portable that is not
front-panel programmable in the least.

Programming the HT1K's requires a special cable, one that is
proprietary to Motorola, a Radio Interface Box or RIB, which shifts
levels between RS232 and TTL, and programming software (also proprietary
to Motorola).

Just getting the software is a challenge. It runs over $250, can
only program two families of Motorola portable (the HT1000 and Visar
series), and purchasing it requires the execution of a six-page written
licensing agreement that is downright Draconian in its terms.

The programming cables, assuming one buys both the HT1000 and
Visar cables (they're different) represent another $300 or so between
them.

Finally, once the radio is programmed, it needs to be bench-
checked against a service monitor (aka, an RF communications analyzer)
for on-frequency operation, modulation, spectral cleanliness of the
transmitter's output, TX power level, and receiver sensitivity. A good
service monitor can run (used) anywhere from $1,000 to $8,000+ (mine was
$2250, and I had to invest another $1600 into it for repair and
calibration).

These are serious $$. Investing in all that is impractical for
just a single radio owned by a single individual. It was, however,
eminently practical for me because a big part of my side business is the
conversion of commercial gear to amateur service. The right equipment
easily pays for itself over time.

73 de KC7GR

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com

"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped with surreal ports?"

3874. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 05:37:02 UTC
From: ehsjr <ehsjr@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <2kzNe.92$rA2.26@trndny02>
Source record: 14047
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Percival P. Cassidy wrote:
> On 08/18/05 04:47 pm ehsjr tossed the following ingredients into the
> ever-growing pot of cybersoup:
>
>>> But are you saying that the "Automatic - Deep Cycle" setting on an
>>> "ordinary" battery charger (it's one I bought originally for the car
>>> batteries, but the "Deep Cycle" setting seemed like a bonus) is not a
>>> reliable way of keeping the batery in good shape?
>
>
>>> Aside from attempting to rescue his battery, the OP has got
>>> to fix or replace that charger
>>
>>
>> ^^^^
>>
>> We already have strong evidence that the charger you used
>> cooked the electrolyte. I made no reference to the "universe"
>> of ordinary chargers - I was thinking specifically of yours.
>> But you raise a good point, expanding the question - and others
>> have answered.
>
>
> Well, we don't know how much the charger contributed to the problem,
> because the electrolyte level wasn't checked for more than a year
> because I hadn't realized that it's not a "maintenance-free" battery.
>
>> Whatever charger you use, you need to verify that it is
>> doing the job properly. Consider building an add-on
>> monitoring/control circuit. Perhaps a comparator with
>> a sonalert to notify you that something is wrong with
>> automatic charger shut-off when the voltage exceeds
>> some level. I built a comparator into an ordinary
>> 10 amp charger to turn it on and off automatically.
>> A 339 works fine - 4 comparators in one chip, so you
>> can have a voltage too low output turn the thing on,
>> and a voltage too high turn it off. Still have two
>> comparators left over to use as you like. Add a couple
>> more 339 chips and you could add a 10 step led
>> voltage monitor, for example.
>
>
> While looking for a hydrometer today, I noticed "Vector" brand "smart"

> chargers (10/6/2A and 6/4/2A) that claimed to have 3-stage charging
> circuitry and to be suitable for car batteries, deep-cycle batteries,
> and gel-cell batteries. Are these likely to be any good?
>
> The battery was still warm, and each cell was still bubbling slightly
> after the thing had been disconnected from the charger for about 3
> hours. The SG of each cell was pretty much the same at approx. 1.1175,
> and the voltage across the whole battery was 12.4. When I put it back on
> charge, the voltage rose to 13.3.
>
> What do you think?
>
> Perce

I can't comment on the chargers you mentioned - I don't know
anything about them. But I wouldn't trust any charger until
I have verified that it 1) does charge the battery, and
2) does not overcharge the battery. And even that has the
possibility of error. A charger that works fine at 50 F ambient
may not work right at 80 F. So my testing, at 50 F, may
not reveal a flaw that occurs at 80 F. (Or vice versa.) The
terminal voltage - the voltage across the battery at which the
charge should terminate - varies with temperature.

Concerning your battery's SG: either your SG tester or the battery
is bad. The SG reading is too low. To verify, check the specs
on your battery with the manufacturer to see what they say the
SG should be. I believe the battery is bad, as there is
corroborating evidence from other facts besides the SG reading

Regarding my comment that there is strong evidence that your
charger is bad: the electrolyte level didn't go down due to
leakage. The alternative is that it went down due to evaporation,
which is a result of heat, which in turn can be caused by
overcharging. As you point out, we don't know how much of the
electrolyte loss was caused by the charger - but the only
possibility that can be linked to what you have posted thus far
is overcharging. Perhaps there are other factors you haven't
mentioned?

Ed

3875. Re: FS TS-450SAT Cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 06:16:46 UTC
From: HECFOP <HECFOP.1u22p1@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <HECFOP.1u22p1@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 13898

Hello Charlie, I'm Writing To You About An Old Ad That You Posted . I Did A Search Looking To Purchase The Jst 245 And Your Old Listing Came Up.i Would Like To Know If You Have Or Know Someone Selling A Jst 245 In Great Condition? Any Input That You May Share With Me Is Really Appreciated. Thanks For Your Time Hector - N2gz - Nyc , God Bless...

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HECFOP

3876. FA: "TONS" 5+lbs of NOS RESISTORS-CAPS-PARTS>4-Builders>NR!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 14:06:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JNGNe.169$KX7.97@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13899
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

"TONS" 5+lbs of NOS RESISTORS-CAPS-PARTS>4-Builders>NR!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7538081344&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3877. FA: @$10TWO JOHNSON JUMBO TWIST-LOCK CERAMIC SOCKETS>872A-810

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 14:07:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <DOGNe.170$KX7.1@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13900
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

TWO JOHNSON 123-211-100 SK211 CERAMIC SOCKETS>872A-810
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309204&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3878. FA: No Bids, one day left RCA WV-97A VTVM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 14:08:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <OPGNe.171$KX7.97@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13901
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309215&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3879. FA: @$10> 2 like-new 12 volt MALLORY vibrators

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 14:10:01 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <_QGNe.172$KX7.103@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13902
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Removed from CB's but never used in operation.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309188&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3880. FA: You won't beat these prices on these>810, JAN 6146, WE TUNGAR, RK-20

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 14:18:18 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <LYGNe.173$KX7.100@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13903
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Hardly any bids, cheep>

WESTERN ELECTRIC 289A "TUNGAR" type RECTIFIER TUBE>OLD!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309143&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

TWO(2) RAYTHEON RK-20 RK-20A PENTODE TRANSMITTING TUBES
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309173&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ONE RCA JAN 810 RF POWER TRIODE TRANSMITTING/AUDIO TUBE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309252&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

TWO(2) RCA JAN 6146W RF OUTPUT TUBES>Tested-Handy
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5798309158&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3881. FA: MUCH Stuff you hardly see + Vintage GERMAN Camera items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 14:21:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <O%GNe.174$KX7.0@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13904
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Here is the whole list, am sure you find something interesting, no junk either:-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3882. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 16:27:31 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <SRINe.4873$cO6.3322@fe04.lga>
Source record: 13905
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 08/20/05 01:37 am ehsjr tossed the following ingredients into the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

> Regarding my comment that there is strong evidence that your
> charger is bad: the electrolyte level didn't go down due to
> leakage. The alternative is that it went down due to evaporation,
> which is a result of heat, which in turn can be caused by
> overcharging. As you point out, we don't know how much of the
> electrolyte loss was caused by the charger - but the only
> possibility that can be linked to what you have posted thus far
> is overcharging. Perhaps there are other factors you haven't
> mentioned?

But won't an unsealed (i.e., NOT "maintenance-free") battery lose water by evaporation even if it's not overcharged? Otherwise why the need to check the electrolyte level regularly?

Perce

3883. FA: LAFAYETTE COMSTAT 25A, NEAR MINT, LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 17:10:57 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <suJNe.14033$U63.6@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13906

HI, I'm posting this for a friend.

For you hams that might have started out with one of these
way back when. And you can convert it to 10 meters

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:31&item=5798979767

3884. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 17:34:35 UTC
From: daestrom <daestrom@NO_SPAM_HEREtwcny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <LQJNe.22530$Hx4.13893@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13907
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote in message
news:2SbNe.266$WO2.73@fe06.lga...
<snip>
>
> While looking for a hydrometer today, I noticed "Vector" brand "smart"
> chargers (10/6/2A and 6/4/2A) that claimed to have 3-stage charging
> circuitry and to be suitable for car batteries, deep-cycle batteries, and
> gel-cell batteries. Are these likely to be any good?
>
> The battery was still warm, and each cell was still bubbling slightly
> after the thing had been disconnected from the charger for about 3 hours.
> The SG of each cell was pretty much the same at approx. 1.1175, and the
> voltage across the whole battery was 12.4. When I put it back on charge,
> the voltage rose to 13.3.
>
> What do you think?
>

If the charger was disconnected and the battery open-circuited for 3 hours, there shouldn't be any *active* bubbling going on. There may be some bubbles still 'stuck' to the plates, but no new bubbles should be forming. If there is after 3 hours of open circuit, that would be a sign of internal current flow (an internal short). And that would be bad.

SG on lead acid batteries have a couple of different ranges depending on the exact battery details. I've seen 1.250, 1.265 and 1.280 for fully charged. 1.117 seems very low.

The fact that all cells read the same is a good sign. Usually, one cell will fail before the others and so it's SG will be decidedly lower.

Such a low SG makes me wonder if maybe the electrolyte was lost from spillage or something and *not* just discharge and electrolysis. Evaporation and electrolysis just leaves a stronger acid solution chemicals behind and adding distilled water dilutes it back to the proper concentration. Actual spilling of acid from a cell needs to be replaced with new acid of the proper concentration though.

daestrom

3885. FA: Hat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 17:52:05 UTC
From: Fritz <wd8e@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <95KNe.7968$gB.5237@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13908

From my collection.

http://cm.ebay.com/cm/ck/1065-29296-2357-0?uid=85320806&site=0&ver=LCA080805&item=8213395894&lk=URL

73 & good DX
Fritz

3886. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...Vanity call wheeee

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 19:02:19 UTC
From: billg10@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <mrueg15er88odnqi9t0je5ubdp0shb4fg3@4ax.com>
Source record: 13909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

When I first got my technician ticket, my assigned call sign was KI4FAT. After about 6 months, I retired from the Army and applied for and received a vanity call sign of WO2RET. I'm proud of my status both as a military retiree and an amatuer radio operator. When someone asks me what the call sign stands for, I just tell them it means exactly what it says. I also have an amatuer radio operator vanity plate on my car.

As for G4FGQ, the highest compliment I ever had paid to me was after I had been DXing on the 2meter band using a home made Jbeam, I heard an old timer telling the indivual I had been talking to that he didn't catch the call sign but 'that ham with the home made antenna had really done his homework and put it together right because the signal was outstanding.' To have an old-timer call a relative newcomer a "HAM" is probably one of the greatest compliments a person can receive.

Just my 2 cents worth.

Bill, WO2RET

On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 02:50:57 GMT, Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com> wrote:

>Though this appeared in the Rec.radio.equipment newsgroup and is being broadcast
>to several others that may or may not really be appropriate for this diversion
>from the original subject, I can't help but responding....
>
>When it comes to a vanity call, the relative pittance we are charged for a call
>that makes sense to us (whether because of an old call in another location, or
>because it's easier to transmit in morse, or even fits some other plan we may
>have) is worth the money in my opinion, and I imagine to anyone else that took a
>vanity call.
>
>For myself, I chose my current call because the people at FCC didn't give me a
>call in my area on an upgrade from Tech to Extra, despite an address update way
>prior to the examinations. Somehow, they managed to show correct postal box
>address and city, but my state as California (where I used to live), yet the zip
>code was correct, so our "wonderful" postal service forwarded the license
>upgrade to my PObox, yet they gave me a California call....
>Moving to a vanity call that indicated Hawaii was a no-brainer for me, and I'd
>be willing to pay 20 bucks a year to keep it, so the increase in costs still
>make sense to me.... I know I may get a lot of flak from some people because of

>this, but it's all what it's worth in my mind.... It is a hobby, and thing that
>are outside "standard assignment" can be expected to cost a bit more. In my
>mind, it would certainly be worth less than 2 bucks a month to have a call that
>makes sense to me in place of one that is from an area where I no longer live.
>
>Thanks
>--Rick AH7H
>
>Mr Fed UP wrote:
>
>> Well for myself I wouldn't have picked the spaghetti soup group of letters I
>> had to
>> start with. But after retiring I thought I might as well get a little
>> vain... That's all
>> that left after a while. he he.... So for a whopping $20 I got a vanity call
>> after
>> moving to a new call area. I thought in my second life after heart surgery,
>> back surgery,.ect. I might as well have a little fun. After all isn't that
>> what a
>> hobby is for? I'll get 10 years out of my new call but I can't get that
>> far on $20 worth of gas these days. eh. Now all I need is about $20K
>> for that new $13,000 ham radio and a tower and antenna ha ha.
>>
>> What ever is fun is ok. Even if it means dumping a 25 year old call sign.
>> Let me see Ham radio so varied what next.
>> Been there done that.... DXCC... RTTY... OSCAR.,.. PACKET...
>> oh and of coarse RAG CHEW codey slow no problem getting in the
>> time for that award. Contest... Special events... Homebrew...
>> and a cold brew...
>>
>> Oh BTW it isn't the one with the most toys... It's the one who gets to
>> play the most with their toys. Have fun everyone and don't take
>> it too seriously or you get an ulcer and high blood pressure.
>>
>> Cheers 73 ol' WB9SMX new K4TWO when the papers arrive. ;-)
>>
>> "Dee Flint" <deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote in message
>> news:iN2dnaHNlbId2GDfRVn-vw@comcast.com...
>> >
>> > "Reg Edwards" <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote in message
>> > news:ddhag7kdf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com...
>> >>
>> >> I do wish people would not refer to me as a 'ham'.
>> >>
>> >> Amongst the very few things I am proud of is that I am a true Class-A
>> >> Radio Amateur.
>> >>
>> >> Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free. When
>> >> requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same
>> >> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not

>> >> sober.
>> >>
>> >> Arn't you American Amateurs envious?
>> >> ----
>> >> Reg, G4FGQ.
>> >
>> > Not the least little bit. All our renewals are free regardless of age or
>> > work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of
>> > their own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.
>> >
>> > Dee D. Flint, N8UZE
>> >

3887. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 21:06:12 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B88FB761697spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 13910
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Ed K7AAT

3888. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 21:41:20 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <3sNNe.2519$1g2.184@fe05.lga>
Source record: 13911
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 08/20/05 05:06 pm Ed tossed the following ingredients into the
ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

>>But won't an unsealed (i.e., NOT "maintenance-free") battery lose water
>>by evaporation even if it's not overcharged? Otherwise why the need to
>>check the electrolyte level regularly?

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> paper cover on automotive maintenance free batteries, remove the exposed
> cell caps, and add water, especially after a year or two operating in a hot
> climate. I don't believe marine type batteries would be any different in
> this regard.

Just to complicate matters, I eventually found the Web site for these
batteries (the only marking on it is "Stowaway Tournament"; I had bought
it at Sam's and assumed it was a "store brand," but it's made by -- and
acknowledged by -- Exide). Somewhere in the FAQ they say that they are
"maintenance free" but also "maintenance accessible." How's that for
confusion?

Perce

3889. DYMEK DA9

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 22:08:10 UTC
From: Dxer 1600 <rjr@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <q4ONe.2972$_7.361@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hi
I just picked up a (stoner) Dymek DA9 active antenna. The tuning cap has somehow been bypassed and it does nothing to affect the station. I was told that this was bypassed intentionally so as to be a broadband antenna. I'd like to resore ti to original and use the tuning cap as a preselector.

Does anyone have a print / schematic on this unit ?

Thanks!

3890. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 22:24:41 UTC
From: ehsjr <ehsjr@bellatlantic.net>
Message-ID: <J4ONe.658$IG2.287@trndny01>
Source record: 13913
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Percival P. Cassidy wrote:
> On 08/20/05 01:37 am ehsjr tossed the following ingredients into the
> ever-growing pot of cybersoup:
>
>> Regarding my comment that there is strong evidence that your
>> charger is bad: the electrolyte level didn't go down due to
>> leakage. The alternative is that it went down due to evaporation,
>> which is a result of heat, which in turn can be caused by
>> overcharging. As you point out, we don't know how much of the
>> electrolyte loss was caused by the charger - but the only
>> possibility that can be linked to what you have posted thus far
>> is overcharging. Perhaps there are other factors you haven't
>> mentioned?
>
>
> But won't an unsealed (i.e., NOT "maintenance-free") battery lose water
> by evaporation even if it's not overcharged? Otherwise why the need to
> check the electrolyte level regularly?

Because the battery may get overcharged in service. But
I've had a number of cars over the years that had "regular"
batteries (non maintenance free). The batteries rarely
needed water - maybe once or twice a year - and were
never even close to a pint down. I have 2 non-maintenance
free batteries that were picked up at the side of the road.
I've had them for almost a year, and the electrolyte
level has not dropped. These batteries are not on a charger,
they just sit there. I have another that is on a float
charger for 100% of the time, and has been for almost
2 years. The electrolyte level has not dropped.

Ed

>
> Perce

3891. Re: Removal of Morse Code from Amateur License Requirements...Vanity call wheeee

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-20 22:27:31 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <n7ONe.9176$ns.8417@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Bill,

Thank you for your service. With your attitude you will go far in Amateur Radio.

Dan/W4NTI

<billg10@bellsouth.net> wrote in message news:mrueg15er88odnqi9t0je5ubdp0shb4fg3@4ax.com...
> When I first got my technician ticket, my assigned call sign was
> KI4FAT. After about 6 months, I retired from the Army and applied for
> and received a vanity call sign of WO2RET. I'm proud of my status
> both as a military retiree and an amatuer radio operator. When
> someone asks me what the call sign stands for, I just tell them it
> means exactly what it says. I also have an amatuer radio operator
> vanity plate on my car.
>
> As for G4FGQ, the highest compliment I ever had paid to me was after I
> had been DXing on the 2meter band using a home made Jbeam, I heard an
> old timer telling the indivual I had been talking to that he didn't
> catch the call sign but 'that ham with the home made antenna had
> really done his homework and put it together right because the signal
> was outstanding.' To have an old-timer call a relative newcomer a
> "HAM" is probably one of the greatest compliments a person can
> receive.
>
> Just my 2 cents worth.
>
> Bill, WO2RET
>
> On Sun, 14 Aug 2005 02:50:57 GMT, Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
> wrote:
>
>>Though this appeared in the Rec.radio.equipment newsgroup and is being
>>broadcast
>>to several others that may or may not really be appropriate for this
>>diversion
>>from the original subject, I can't help but responding....
>>
>>When it comes to a vanity call, the relative pittance we are charged for a
>>call
>>that makes sense to us (whether because of an old call in another

>>location, or
>>because it's easier to transmit in morse, or even fits some other plan we
>>may
>>have) is worth the money in my opinion, and I imagine to anyone else that
>>took a
>>vanity call.
>>
>>For myself, I chose my current call because the people at FCC didn't give
>>me a
>>call in my area on an upgrade from Tech to Extra, despite an address
>>update way
>>prior to the examinations. Somehow, they managed to show correct postal
>>box
>>address and city, but my state as California (where I used to live), yet
>>the zip
>>code was correct, so our "wonderful" postal service forwarded the license
>>upgrade to my PObox, yet they gave me a California call....
>>Moving to a vanity call that indicated Hawaii was a no-brainer for me, and
>>I'd
>>be willing to pay 20 bucks a year to keep it, so the increase in costs
>>still
>>make sense to me.... I know I may get a lot of flak from some people
>>because of
>>this, but it's all what it's worth in my mind.... It is a hobby, and
>>thing that
>>are outside "standard assignment" can be expected to cost a bit more.
>>In my
>>mind, it would certainly be worth less than 2 bucks a month to have a
>>call that
>>makes sense to me in place of one that is from an area where I no longer
>>live.
>>
>>Thanks
>>--Rick AH7H
>>
>>Mr Fed UP wrote:
>>
>>> Well for myself I wouldn't have picked the spaghetti soup group of
>>> letters I
>>> had to
>>> start with. But after retiring I thought I might as well get a little
>>> vain... That's all
>>> that left after a while. he he.... So for a whopping $20 I got a vanity
>>> call
>>> after
>>> moving to a new call area. I thought in my second life after heart
>>> surgery,
>>> back surgery,.ect. I might as well have a little fun. After all isn't
>>> that
>>> what a

>>> hobby is for? I'll get 10 years out of my new call but I can't get that
>>> far on $20 worth of gas these days. eh. Now all I need is about $20K
>>> for that new $13,000 ham radio and a tower and antenna ha ha.
>>>
>>> What ever is fun is ok. Even if it means dumping a 25 year old call
>>> sign.
>>> Let me see Ham radio so varied what next.
>>> Been there done that.... DXCC... RTTY... OSCAR.,.. PACKET...
>>> oh and of coarse RAG CHEW codey slow no problem getting in the
>>> time for that award. Contest... Special events... Homebrew...
>>> and a cold brew...
>>>
>>> Oh BTW it isn't the one with the most toys... It's the one who gets to
>>> play the most with their toys. Have fun everyone and don't take
>>> it too seriously or you get an ulcer and high blood pressure.
>>>
>>> Cheers 73 ol' WB9SMX new K4TWO when the papers arrive. ;-)
>>>
>>> "Dee Flint" <deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote in message
>>> news:iN2dnaHNlbId2GDfRVn-vw@comcast.com...
>>> >
>>> > "Reg Edwards" <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote in message
>>> > news:ddhag7kdf1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com...
>>> >>
>>> >> I do wish people would not refer to me as a 'ham'.
>>> >>
>>> >> Amongst the very few things I am proud of is that I am a true Class-A
>>> >> Radio Amateur.
>>> >>
>>> >> Incidentally, as a British pensioner, my annual licence is free.
>>> >> When
>>> >> requested I just have to confirm I am still in circulation. Same
>>> >> applies to riding on buses when mobile or not mobile, sober or not
>>> >> sober.
>>> >>
>>> >> Arn't you American Amateurs envious?
>>> >> ----
>>> >> Reg, G4FGQ.
>>> >
>>> > Not the least little bit. All our renewals are free regardless of age
>>> > or
>>> > work status except for those who elected to get a vanity call sign of
>>> > their own choosing instead of sticking with an assigned call.
>>> >
>>> > Dee D. Flint, N8UZE
>>> >
>

3892. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 03:10:17 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.iljpt56.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 13915
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sat, 20 Aug 2005 21:06:12 GMT, Ed wrote:

> Not meaning to get this tread off on a tangent, but the above comment
>prompts me to point out that even "maintenance free" batteries AREN'T,
>necessarily.

Some of us refer to such batteries as "maintenance resistant".

With regard to three-stage charging:

I use at Size 31 - 100 AH - gel-cell battery as the main power source for my radio equipment. Gel-cells are REALLY sealed and can be operated in any position. They do not have vent caps, hidden or exposed, and as the name implies, has a gelled electrolyte rather than a liquid electrolyte. Truly maintenance-free discounting the need to check the connections for tightness and corrosian from outside sources.

I recently put a new charger designed for gel-cell charging into service. This is a professional type charger, not an automotive charger (with price to match), and it has a specific setting (dip-switch on control board) for gel-cells. It was recommended as the proper companion to the battery by the local industrial battery supplier.

In addition, if the current drawn by the load while the battery is being charged is greater than 2A (which it is here) a jumper has to be added on the control board to change it to a two-stage charger or else the control circuitry will see the load current as charging current and adjust the voltage upwards to compensate.

I have also found that when in "charge" mode, the DC output has a 60 Hz component which needs to be filtered between the battery-charger junction and the load. One more thing that "they" don't tell you in books or teach in courses.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane
(Regsitered Professional
Electrical Engineer)

3893. Re: FA: MUCH Stuff you hardly see + Vintage GERMAN Camera items

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 05:02:16 UTC
From: Bret Ludwig <bretldwig@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1124600536.514097.45470@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13916
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

cooltube wrote:
> Here is the whole list, am sure you find something interesting, no junk
> either:-)
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

Before I forget, please Don't Forget to "Click" on "View sellers other
Auctions", just below where my EBAY screen name is, I have many more
Neat items!
Please DO NOT BID UNLESS YOU ARE PREPARED TO FOLLOW THRU WITH THE
TRANSACTION OR NEGATIVE FEEDBACK WILL BE GIVEN!!
PLEASE TAKE THE TIME TO SEE ALL PICTURES
This is one item i've never seen before!
It is Marked SAMPSON VM-12-120 POWER MODULATOR.
I suspect that its a form of tube type speech audio
compressor/amplifier?
I tried a search on the WWW but only found the values of the two
missing required tubes, one each 12AU6 & 12AQ5.
If I find a couple of these in my "stash". i'll supply them but I just
found out the values(numbers).
It is sold untested as nothing else is known.
Luckily I found the AC power cable assembly, so that will be supplied.
I guess these were popular with the Early CB crowd, probably still a
great way to add "AUDIO PUNCH" to your audio be it Ham or CB.
It looks like so few were actually manufactured that SAMPSON,
vibro-tooled the S/N & info on the back!
This one Might even be a prototype, dunno?
Shipping/handeling is $9.00 for Priority

Given its 11 pin connector it is probably a way to add AM to the KWM-2
or 32S-1 Collins or similar CW/SSB rigs. Hams work very little AM, most
probably it was for "Chicken Bandits" who misemploy S-Line Collins as
CB basestations. Because there's no way to unhook the BFO from a KWM-2
the rx audio would have probably been pretty raunchy.

3894. FA: Dayton Hamvention hat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 13:09:34 UTC
From: Fritz <wd8e@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <i2%Ne.6911$ja7.1465@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13917

This is from my own collection.

http://cm.ebay.com/cm/ck/1065-29296-2357-0?uid=85320806&site=0&ver=LCA080805&item=8213395649&lk=URL

73 & Good DX
Fritz

3895. FS: ICOM HF PACKAGE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 16:57:15 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <Ln2Oe.8132$cO6.2507@fe04.lga>
Source record: 13918

ICOM HF PACKAGE DEAL
ICOM IC 746 - IC SP20 SPKR - IC PS 125 PWR SUPPLY.
ALL IN EXCELLANT CONDITION AND ORIGINAL BOXES, MANUAL, HAND MIC ETC.
$1100.00 SHIPPED & INSURED. PACKAGE DEAL. WON'T BREAK UP THE GROUP.
NON SMOKING HOUSE AND ALL IS IN EXCELLANT COND. RADIO HAS NEVER BEEN MOBILE
AND THE POWER SUPPLY HAS NEVER BEEN USED!
608-231-9195 W9CAR@CHARTER.NET

3896. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 18:36:42 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B9766039730spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 13919
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I concur with Phil. Gelcells are the true maintenance free battery of choice for a ham shack. I have run my ham shack off 12V gelcell battery banks for at least 25 years. I have always simply floated the battery with a regulated 13.6V 4A power supply. It charges the battery as needed and floats it at 13.6V when the battery becomes charged; no danger of overcharging. If the power goes out, there is no need for switch over . . . shack is still running off the battery. About every 6 or 7 years I replace the battery(s).

More recently I have pulled the AC power supply off in favor of 55watt solar panel with home brew regulator ..... set for 13.6V max. Still works like a dream.

Ed K7AAT

3897. MFJ 1270b packet firmware question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 18:40:14 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B976FA48141spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 13920

I have a couple MFJ 1270b & 1270c TNCs. They were previously used as a TCP/IP switching node and each contains TheNet firmware. I would like to put one of them back to normal ham ax.25 packet firmware that came with the original unit.

Can anyone advise me where I can find an EEPROM with the original firmware?

Ed K7AAT

3898. Re: MFJ 1270b packet firmware question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 18:49:53 UTC
From: Wolfgang Welter <ham@quantentunnel.de>
Message-ID: <deaibismr02$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 13921

"Ed" asked:
>Can anyone advise me where I can find an EEPROM
> with the original firmware?

Hello Ed,
did you ask the manufacturer?
http://www.mfjenterprises.com/contact.php
The TNC is dicontinued, but maybe they can help you.
73 de Wolfgang DL2KBJ

3899. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 19:02:05 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3ms1dcF182fedU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB----------$ 50
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

2 Kenwood TR-7950----------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

VX5R YEASU BLACK 5W 6/2/4.5W440HT----------$200
FNB58LI 1200MAH LI-POLYMER
FBA23 YEASU 2 AA CELL BATTERY CASE
CD15A YEASU CHGR STAND
VX5R is like new as are all the accessories.
Both battery packs accept a full charge.
The antenna is also complete with end-cap
and 6M add-on.
Comes complete plus box and manual.

Standard C468A LNIB----------$ 75

Standard C568A TRI Bander 144/440/1200----------$150
95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip.

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706

bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

3900. Re: MFJ 1270b packet firmware question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-21 19:39:24 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96B9810273456spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 13923

"Wolfgang Welter" <ham@quantentunnel.de> wrote in news:deaibismr02$1
@news.t-online.com:

> "Ed" asked:
>>Can anyone advise me where I can find an EEPROM
>> with the original firmware?
>
> Hello Ed,
> did you ask the manufacturer?
> http://www.mfjenterprises.com/contact.php
> The TNC is dicontinued, but maybe they can help you.
> 73 de Wolfgang DL2KBJ
>
>
>

I guess I will. I assumed that since the units are no longer in
production, they wouldn't have the firmware IC anymore. I will ask.
Thanks.

Ed K7AAT

3901. Yahoo Icom 781 support group is up again

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 12:20:56 UTC
From: HK <kennjd@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <q9idnamSHtQ9XpTeRVn-vA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13924

The Yahoo Icom 781 support group is up again.....

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/IcomIC781/

Please join if you are interested in this radio.

3902. NEW Yaesu FT-2000 ....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 12:30:28 UTC
From: HK <kennjd@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <zfOdnZ2dnZ1MZMKLnZ2dnUZYIN6dnZ2dRVn-0p2dnZ0@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13925

PROTOTYPE released at Japan Ham fair 2005. Not on the market yet.
Differant than the FT9000 series.

http://www.onjapan.net/2005/hamfair/img_0030.jpg

Rumored to come out in both 100 and 200 W
version, and is essentially a less expensive spinoff of the FT9000. Price
is expected in the
$3 to $3.5K range and is hope to be available prior to Dayton. The FT2000
is the replacement of the 1000MP series it appears.

3903. FS Ameritron AL-80B 1 KW Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 17:23:01 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <gf2kg1tijjjqqvg00774v8nvio3mer5is8@4ax.com>
Source record: 13926

FS Ameritron AL-80B 1 KW Amp
Looks and works great.
Price: 700.00 FIRM!
ritchi50@optonline.net

3904. FS or FT: 440 Motorola Base Station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 18:28:21 UTC
From: Gene Rodgers <oldcodger@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <9PoOe.4174$Hi.2836@trnddc04>
Source record: 13927

I have a Transmitter which is rack mounted in a cabinet and capable of over 150 watts but will dead key transmit at 120 watts (continuous). The transmit is variable from 5 watts to 120 watts. I also have a dual Receiver rack mounted in a cabinet. Both have power supplies and are very heavy duty pieces of equipment. Wouldn't take much to convert to a 440 repeater or use as is for volunteer fire department or small city.
Units must be picked up in Dallas.Comes complete with manuals for both.
Will sell (make offer) or trade for good Ham HF rig, or ????.

Pictures of manual & rig:
http://www.grodgers.com/dfwforsale/transmitter440.jpg
http://www.grodgers.com/dfwforsale/receiver440.jpg

Units are skid mounted and virtually unused. Appereantly this was a backup unit.

Contact me at ke5bfa@comcast.net or reply to this email.

Gene

3905. FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 21:29:36 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <RsrOe.1718$r97.11@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13928

Hi, posting this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799447050&ssPageName=ADME:L:DS:US:8

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799447050

3906. Re: FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 22:35:55 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0508221232460.25932@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 13929

On Mon, 22 Aug 2005, Jack O'Neill wrote:

> Hi, posting this for a friend.
>
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799447050&ssPageName=ADME:L:DS:US:8
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799447050

You might be referring to the azden PCS-3000 not 300. Dont think where
was a PCS-300 unless its an HT! Also you might have asked him
what he wants for it and included it in your msg for your friend as
most of us are not going to chase down URL's takes too much time.
Kokomo Joe

3907. Re: FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 22:51:09 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <xFsOe.56569$az4.35253@fe11.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13930

Joseph Fenn wrote:
> Also you might have asked him
> what he wants for it and included it in your msg for your friend as
> most of us are not going to chase down URL's takes too much time.

Spoken by someone who hasn't heard of eBay.....I didn't know there were
any of these folks left.

3908. Power wire thru firewall

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-22 23:31:50 UTC
From: John <jkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <nftOe.35$Rc.14512@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 13955

Hello
Has anyone information on feeding a power wire thru a Chev 2002 Malibu ??
How and where on wall ??

Any information would be appreciated

Tnx John

3909. FA: 6 Rare items w/links>Leitz, Rollei, Ludwig-Dresden, Olympus PEN>CHEEP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:39:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <LGFOe.4303$_7.1629@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13931
Cross-posted to: rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

OLYMPUS PEN EE HALF-FRAME 35mm RANGEFINDER CAMERA>NEAT!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7539768621&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

VINTAGE ERNST LEITZ WETZLAR LENS COVER/FILTER? GERMANY
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7539768586&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

LUDWIG-DRESDEN PILOTAR 1:4.5/7.5cm LENS ASSEMBLY>OLD:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7539768636&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

FOUR(4) ERNST LEITZ BRASS FILCA Z 35mm FILM CASSETTES:)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7539768681&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ROLLEI FRANKE & HEIDECKE YELLOW BAY 28.5 FILTER W/CASE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7539768594&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

RARE TRUSITE MINICAM 127 CAMERA>ALUMINUM, 1947 w/BOX+++
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7539768606&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3910. FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:41:01 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <QHFOe.4305$_7.2012@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13932
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490421&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3911. FA: @$10>VINTAGE TRIMM "FEATHERWEIGHT" HEADPHONES 3.5K OHMS>NICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:41:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xIFOe.4306$_7.4178@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13933
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490296&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3912. FA: $10>YAESU PA-6 DC ADAPTER/CHARGER for FT-23/FT-470>HANDY:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:42:22 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <5JFOe.4307$_7.3757@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13934
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490270&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3913. FA: YAESU DYNAMIC HAND MICROPHONE for FT-101, etc!>NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:42:56 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <DJFOe.4308$_7.868@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13935
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490288&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3914. FA: Big$10>KENWOOD TH-21AT MINI 2-MTR FM HANDY-TALKIE>W/EXTRAS NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:43:39 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <iKFOe.4309$_7.2311@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13936
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490366&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3915. FA: 40 feet NEW ASSORTMENT of TINNED COPPER TUBULAR/FLAT BRAID

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:44:51 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qLFOe.4310$_7.68@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13937
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids, a Steal at $10>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490405&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3916. FA: $10>FOUR(4) VARIOUS VINTAGE AIR VARIABLE CAPACITORS>Handy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:45:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2MFOe.4311$_7.1359@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13938
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490380&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3917. FA: A steal>12 NOS RAF HI-QUALITY USA ELECTRONIC RACK PANEL HANDLES

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:46:11 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <FMFOe.4312$_7.4040@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13939
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7539768721&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3918. FA: $10>DRAKE 1525 EM TOUCH-TONE DYNAMIC HAND MICROPHONE>NEAT-O

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 13:46:58 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pNFOe.4313$_7.257@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13940
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490400&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

3919. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 19:43:56 UTC
From: Scott in Baltimore <sDcOoNtTtS_PuAnMiMtE_69@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <4-adnbCHh-7v4ZbeRVn-gQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13941
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Thanks for your daily fucking spam.

3920. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 19:54:39 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050823155439.332$9u@newsreader.com>
Source record: 13942
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Scott in Baltimore <sDcOoNtTtS_PuAnMiMtE_69@yahoo.com> wrote:
> Thanks for your daily fucking spam.
>
When spam fucks it produces a cooltube?

--
http://NewsReader.Com/

3921. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 19:59:37 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <JeLOe.106148$a81.19079@fe03.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13943
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Scott in Baltimore wrote:
> Thanks for your daily fucking spam.

Please don't respond to the spammer. I have him in my ignore list and
if it wasn't for you, I wouldn't see his posts.

Besides, the numb nut treats Usenet as a 'write only' medium. You don't
think he reads these posts, do you?

Finally, I'm disappointed that eBay won't take action against him. They
say that since his email address isn't the address they have on file for
his account they can't do anything about the postings, even though they
are against eBay's AUP. How stupid is that?

3922. Re: FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 21:06:22 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <%cMOe.16422$U63.10642@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13944

Joseph Fenn wrote:

>
> On Mon, 22 Aug 2005, Jack O'Neill wrote:
>
>> Hi, posting this for a friend.
>>
>>
>> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799447050&ssPageName=ADME:L:DS:US:8
>>
>>
>> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5799447050
>
>
> You might be referring to the azden PCS-3000 not 300. Dont think where
> was a PCS-300 unless its an HT! Also you might have asked him
> what he wants for it and included it in your msg for your friend as
> most of us are not going to chase down URL's takes too much time.
> Kokomo Joe
>
HI, it is a PCS-300 and it is a hand held. Also, all that is needed is to
click on the link and wala, you would be there.

73

3923. Re: FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 21:23:10 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0508231121400.8981@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 13945

On Mon, 22 Aug 2005, Travis Jordan wrote:

> Joseph Fenn wrote:
>> Also you might have asked him
>> what he wants for it and included it in your msg for your friend as
>> most of us are not going to chase down URL's takes too much time.
>
> Spoken by someone who hasn't heard of eBay.....I didn't know there were
> any of these folks left.

I would'nt fool around with EBAY or PAYPAL or any of those guys
that continually SPAM my email box!!!! They can rest in hell!!!!
Joe

3924. Re: FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-23 21:47:03 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <rPMOe.103545$576.60154@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13946

Joseph Fenn wrote:
> I would'nt fool around with EBAY or PAYPAL or any of those guys
> that continually SPAM my email box!!!! They can rest in hell!!!!

It's not eBay or Paypal that are spamming you, it is 'phisher' spammers looking for information on eBay or Paypal accounts.

You really do live under a rock, don't you?

3925. Re: FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 00:48:36 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0508231447570.13174@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 13947

Up yours Travis!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!11
Joe

3926. Re: FA: AZDEN PCS-300, 2 meter HT's, 4 of them... LAST DAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 01:58:29 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <SuQOe.7746$KX7.3113@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13948

Joseph Fenn wrote:

> Up yours Travis!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!11
> Joe
>
>
Jezzzzzzzzz

3927. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 03:29:44 UTC
From: Landshark <s3buell@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <IQROe.619$dw4.512@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13949
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:JeLOe.106148$a81.19079@fe03.news.easynews.com...

>
> Finally, I'm disappointed that eBay won't take action against him. They
> say that since his email address isn't the address they have on file for
> his account they can't do anything about the postings, even though they
> are against eBay's AUP. How stupid is that?

Pretty much. But if enough people keep complaining,
even EBay will yank him.

Landshark

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That's funny. You managed to actually make the thug alter his outside
real world actions because of his incompetence in this ng. The internet
magnifies peoples' idiocy, as he shows.

3928. Material for Flexible Whip antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 03:45:54 UTC
From: David <david@orbitcoms.com>
Message-ID: <S3SOe.8590$FA3.4667@news-server.bigpond.net.au>
Source record: 13950
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,aus.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I am looking for the Black (Nylon,Polythene ???) tubing around 6mm OD
and wall thickness of 1mm for construction of 900 MHz whip antenna.
It needs to be fairly rigid as it is glued to an SMA plug.

If anyone can advise what material is typically used and where I could
purchase
a reel of it (maybe it is even pressure tubing for pnuematics ?), it would
be much
appreciated. Australian source would be preferrable.

Thank in advance

Regards

David

3929. Re: Material for Flexible Whip antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 05:22:50 UTC
From: Mal <spam@bigpond.net.au>
Message-ID: <KuTOe.8690$FA3.7066@news-server.bigpond.net.au>
Source record: 13951
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,aus.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://www.mobileone.com.au/antenna/default.htm
"David" <david@orbitcoms.com> wrote in message
news:S3SOe.8590$FA3.4667@news-server.bigpond.net.au...
>I am looking for the Black (Nylon,Polythene ???) tubing around 6mm OD
> and wall thickness of 1mm for construction of 900 MHz whip antenna.
> It needs to be fairly rigid as it is glued to an SMA plug.
>
> If anyone can advise what material is typically used and where I could
> purchase
> a reel of it (maybe it is even pressure tubing for pnuematics ?), it would
> be much
> appreciated. Australian source would be preferrable.
>
> Thank in advance
>
> Regards
>
> David
>

3930. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 08:59:10 UTC
From: Scott in Baltimore <sDcOoNtTtS_PuAnMiMtE_69@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <puGdnaFuWIxOq5HeRVn-1g@comcast.com>
Source record: 13952
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Travis Jordan wrote:
> Scott in Baltimore wrote:
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>>Thanks for your daily fucking spam.
>
>
> Please don't respond to the spammer. I have him in my ignore list and
> if it wasn't for you, I wouldn't see his posts.

I didn't quote his post so you didn't have to read it!

3931. Re: Material for Flexible Whip antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 10:42:51 UTC
From: David <david@orbitcoms.com>
Message-ID: <LaYOe.8939$FA3.3480@news-server.bigpond.net.au>
Source record: 13953
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,aus.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Mal,

I cannot see on the web page where they mention the material used for the
Whip Radome ?
They also don't seem to sell any tubing.

Can you advise me which page they advertise the tubing ?

Thanks

"Mal" <spam@bigpond.net.au> wrote in message
news:KuTOe.8690$FA3.7066@news-server.bigpond.net.au...
> http://www.mobileone.com.au/antenna/default.htm
> "David" <david@orbitcoms.com> wrote in message
> news:S3SOe.8590$FA3.4667@news-server.bigpond.net.au...
>>I am looking for the Black (Nylon,Polythene ???) tubing around 6mm OD
>> and wall thickness of 1mm for construction of 900 MHz whip antenna.
>> It needs to be fairly rigid as it is glued to an SMA plug.
>>
>> If anyone can advise what material is typically used and where I could
>> purchase
>> a reel of it (maybe it is even pressure tubing for pnuematics ?), it
>> would be much
>> appreciated. Australian source would be preferrable.
>>
>> Thank in advance
>>
>> Regards
>>
>> David
>>
>
>

3932. Re: Material for Flexible Whip antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 12:17:14 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <deiemklmc1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 13956
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,aus.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"David" <david@orbitcoms.com> wrote in message
news:S3SOe.8590$FA3.4667@news-server.bigpond.net.au...
>I am looking for the Black (Nylon,Polythene ???) tubing around 6mm OD
> and wall thickness of 1mm for construction of 900 MHz whip antenna.
> It needs to be fairly rigid as it is glued to an SMA plug.
>
> If anyone can advise what material is typically used and where I could
> purchase
> a reel of it (maybe it is even pressure tubing for pnuematics ?), it would
> be much
> appreciated. Australian source would be preferrable.
>
> Thank in advance
>
> Regards
>
> David

Try a gardening shop. Drip/micro spray irrigation uses pvc tubing that might
fit your requirement.
Don't forget to do a microwave oven test on the material because some black
plastics are carbon filled.

73
Roger ZR3RC

3933. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 13:43:25 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <1Q_Oe.83513$iZ4.4594@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13954
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Scott in Baltimore wrote:
> Travis Jordan wrote:
> > Scott in Baltimore wrote:
> >
> > > Thanks for your daily fucking spam.
> >
> >
> > Please don't respond to the spammer. I have him in my ignore list
> > and if it wasn't for you, I wouldn't see his posts.
>
> I didn't quote his post so you didn't have to read it!

Small consolation <grin> -- the subject line was bad enough.

3934. Ten-Tec SP 325 ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 19:25:17 UTC
From: Henry Kolesnik <kolesnik@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <xQ3Pe.1385$u_6.919@newssvr17.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I just got one without a manual and need some help. I've figured out how to store and recall, and kind of scan but don't know how the other functions work. The 2.8 filter doesn't work, but red the LED when 2.8 KHz is selected. Other than locking up once in a while, and that might be me, the radio seems to work. Anyone got a manual/copy they want to sell? How about the page on working the keypad functions?
tnx

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73
Hank WD5JFR

3935. Re: FA: @$10>VINTAGE TRIMM "FEATHERWEIGHT" HEADPHONES 3.5K OHMS>NICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 19:41:15 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@this.ten>
Message-ID: <gqudnXt9MtYGI5HeRVn-qA@gbronline.com>
Source record: 13957
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490296&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>
>

Is all you have to do in life is spam the group with you ebay junk auctions?

3936. Help: Collins 51S-1 No rx on 1 band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 20:57:11 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <0pnpg1leb92v2dieue9f7ddbpmego2i86v@4ax.com>
Source record: 13959

Help: Collins 51S-1 No rx on 1 band
Hi
I just received a MINT Collins 51S-1
and I tried all bands on receive and all work great
except the AM broadcast band 77 ABC etc.
All other bands are fine?
Can someone tell me where to look for the problem?
I haven't taken it out of the case yet.
Thanks very much......Rich
ritchi50@optonline.net

3937. Re: Power wire thru firewall

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 21:17:35 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ilqo5b3.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 13963

On Mon, 22 Aug 2005 19:31:50 -0400, John wrote:

> Has anyone information on feeding a power wire thru a Chev 2002
> Malibu ?? How and where on wall ??

> Any information would be appreciated

We have a '96 Chevy Cavalier. When it was time to install the mobile I couldn't find a convenient feedthrough. I'm both mobility- and eyesight-limited and can no longer do all the complicated automotive wiring that I used to do to earn ham radio spending money in my younger days.

I took it to the best 2-Way Radio installaton place in Portland and paid them a bunch of bucks to do that part of the install. I've never regretted it. They hooked up the under-hood stuff per my directions and I did the in-car radio and antenna hook-up myself.

--
73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

3938. Sony ICF2010 radio: 21st Anniversary - Archive CD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 21:19:16 UTC
From: stevexxwhitt@uk2.net
Message-ID: <1124918356.562193.130530@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13960

This year is the 21st Anniversary of Sony creating the amazing
ICF2010/2001D radio which I suspect is owned and used by many members
of this group.

I have been a keen user of this radio and some years back I published
two booklets "Get the Best from your Sony ICF2010/2001D" and "Get Even
more from..."

Over the 21 years that the 2001D/2010 has been around, a huge amount of

information has appeared in print & on the web.

When I wrote "Get the Best from your Sony ICF2010/2001D" I collected
lots of stuff. And over the years I've accumulated more material.

Recently I archived my own files onto CD as a personal archive and I
realised that I had material that was no longer available in print and
which had vanished off the Internet!

Over the years people have asked me if my two booklets were available
electronically, but the answer at the time was always "no". Now however

I included them on this archive CD.

It then dawned on me that maybe other people would be interested in
such a CD. I'm happy to reproduce it for anyone who wants it for their
personal use and enjoyment - this is not a commercial enterprise.

SONY ICF2010/2001D CD ARCHIVE
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The CD contains the following
1) Get The Best from Your Sony ICF2010/2001D
2) Get Even more from Your Sony ICF2010/2001D
3) Adverts (a selection promoting the 2010)
4) HotRodding (various items on how to modify/improve)
5) Miscellaneous
6) Photo Gallery;
including photos of different versions from different areas of
the
world
7) Repair
Repair tips
Parts; sources and spec sheets
Repairers
8) Reviews
Solo;
Comparative;

International (non-English)
9) Service Manuals
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3939. FA: Hat from Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 21:31:21 UTC
From: Fritz <wd8e@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <JG5Pe.47022$gB.28374@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13961

This is from my own collection

http://cm.ebay.com/cm/ck/1065-29296-2357-0?uid=85320806&site=0&ver=LCA080805&item=8213395494&lk=URL

Fritz

3940. Re: FA: @$10>VINTAGE TRIMM "FEATHERWEIGHT" HEADPHONES 3.5K OHMS>NICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 21:55:54 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <h6rpg19t0qlo6bn49p1b0hibe2oork1l5p@4ax.com>
Source record: 13962
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 23 Aug 2005 09:41:46 -0400, "cooltube"
<cooltube@optonline.net> wrote:

>
>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5800490296&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:I
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>
My earlobes hurt just thinking about those POS headphones.

3941. Re: Hat from Dayton Hamvention

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 22:46:01 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <JM6Pe.131628$Fd1.1391@fe07.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13964

Fritz wrote:
> This is from my own collection

Looks like you'll get to keep this as part of your valuable collection.
Try to sell it again in 40 years or so.

3942. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 22:55:45 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0508241254430.6663@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 13965
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

For you guys info I have absolutely no connection with Ebay nor
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Kokomo Joe

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On Wed, 24 Aug 2005, Landshark wrote:

>
> "Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
> news:JeLOe.106148$a81.19079@fe03.news.easynews.com...
>
>>
>> Finally, I'm disappointed that eBay won't take action against him. They
>> say that since his email address isn't the address they have on file for
>> his account they can't do anything about the postings, even though they
>> are against eBay's AUP. How stupid is that?
>
>
> Pretty much. But if enough people keep complaining,
> even EBay will yank him.
>
> Landshark
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> --
> That's funny. You managed to actually make the thug alter his outside
> real world actions because of his incompetence in this ng. The internet
> magnifies peoples' idiocy, as he shows.
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>

3943. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-24 23:00:16 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <4_6Pe.132505$576.64401@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13966
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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> Paypal.
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Please learn proper Use'netequitte. That means DON'T TOP POST.

3944. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 03:25:06 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <mSaPe.11697$ih4.1343@fe02.lga>
Source record: 13967
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 08/19/05 12:19 am Ed tossed the following ingredients into the
ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

>>The battery was still warm, and each cell was still bubbling slightly
>>after the thing had been disconnected from the charger for about 3
>>hours. The SG of each cell was pretty much the same at approx. 1.1175,
>>and the voltage across the whole battery was 12.4. When I put it back on
>>charge, the voltage rose to 13.3.
>>
>>What do you think?

> I think the battery is bad. I may be remembering wrong, but I seem to
> recall that SG should be around 1.230 for lead acid cells, I think. Also,
> nominal open circuit voltage on a freshly charged battery ought to be at
> LEAST 12.8 volts.

Oops! I got an extra "1" in there for the SG. It should have been 1.175.

Anyway, I did a random series of charging -- sometimes on the 12A
setting (although the ammeter never read that high), sometimes on the 2A
setting -- and resting cycles, adding water as needed. The SG came up to
1.265 (the bottom of the green on my hydrometer), but the "fully
charged" indicator on the charger did not come on.

I then bought a "Vector" 2/6/10A microprocesor-controlled "smart"
3-stage charger (on clearance for a good price) and hooked that up.
After a few hours, it showed "FUL"[ly charged], then switched to
"FLO"[at]; in the latter mode, it is supposed to monitor the battery
voltage (currently 13.8) and "top it up" as needed.

So perhaps this ill-treated battery is not a goner after all.

Thanks for your help.

"Perce"
(aka Alan NV8A)

3945. Re: Collins 51S-1 No rx on 1 band

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 06:19:57 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <hqdPe.132562$5N3.116387@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13968

This is a 2 to 30MHz receiver. Sensitivity is poor below 2MHz. I can't remember if there was a way to bypass the preselector on this unit. It has been a long time since I have had one.
Basically, there are 1MHz ranges in the preselector assembly with additional tracking provided by the tuning system. The thing you need to be careful about when buying one of these receivers is the preselector assembly wearing out.
At Rockwell-Collins they used to use a 51J receiver in their service center as one of the pieces of test equipment; it held up better than the 51S.
Stil, if your receiver wasn't abused, it will last a long time.

Pete

<ritchi50@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:0pnpg1leb92v2dieue9f7ddbpmego2i86v@4ax.com...
> Help: Collins 51S-1 No rx on 1 band
> Hi
> I just received a MINT Collins 51S-1
> and I tried all bands on receive and all work great
> except the AM broadcast band 77 ABC etc.
> All other bands are fine?
> Can someone tell me where to look for the problem?
> I haven't taken it out of the case yet.
> Thanks very much......Rich
> ritchi50@optonline.net

3946. FS: Planet 1 SatPhone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 11:47:50 UTC
From: Cheesehead <dplotusnotes@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1124970470.796752.261440@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13969

Pics here:
http://members.safe-t.net/dpconsult/403034A_1.jpg
http://members.safe-t.net/dpconsult/403034A_2.jpg
http://members.safe-t.net/dpconsult/403034A_3.jpg

Includes the smart card.

Operating condition unknown.

$500. US shipping only. PayPal.

Collin
KC8TKA

3947. FS: ICOM STATION

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 12:39:33 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <5_iPe.6457$WO2.2362@fe06.lga>
Source record: 13970

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PACKAGE COMPLETE FOR $1095.00 SHIPPED & INSURED!!!!
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3948. Re: Power wire thru firewall

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 12:46:27 UTC
From: DaveM <masondg4499@comcast99.net>
Message-ID: <162dnZ2dnZ21lLXKnZ2dnT4gkN6dnZ2dRVn-yJ2dnZ0@comcast.com>
Source record: 13971

"John" <jkassay@sympatico.ca> wrote in message
news:nftOe.35$Rc.14512@news20.bellglobal.com...
Hello
Has anyone information on feeding a power wire thru a Chev 2002 Malibu ??
How and where on wall ??

Any information would be appreciated

Tnx John

The way we did it when I worked at a Motorola 2-way shop (70's) was to find a spot on the firewall that was clear from the outside (engine compartment) and inside (passenger cabin). Drill a 1" hole using a hole saw. Install a 1" rubber grommet into the hole. Run wires through the hole in the grommet.

On the newer generation of autos, you might have to search a bit to find the best spot. The spot I always went for was on the driver's side, to the left of the brake pedal. Somewhere below the master cylinder.

--
Dave M
MasonDG44 at comcast dot net (Just subsitute the appropriate characters in the address)

Never take a laxative and a sleeping pill at the same time!!

3949. fa: Last hours: Vac Fixed Caps...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 13:55:17 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <95kPe.133544$5N3.98453@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

See at :

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

other items being added as well, check back , tnx 73 heytubeguy

3950. WTB: Luke Electronics 100 Amp PS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 17:03:50 UTC
From: Chuck K8CPA <k8cpachuck@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <rcurg1h4c5qh308aftr7q41fi7ke9kcq08@4ax.com>
Source record: 13974

Anyone ever remember seeing these? it was a local Michigan brand.
didn't last too long. I've been wanting to find one.

Anyone got one?

Thanks,

-Chuck K8CPA

3951. Re: Power wire thru firewall

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 17:50:00 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96BD6E802392Cspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 13975

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> ?? How and where on wall ??
>
> Any information would be appreciated
>
> Tnx John

Not as elegant as the proper method, but the way I have been doing it lately is find the large rubber grommet where the main wiring bundle goes through the firewall. It usually has a LOT of rubber between the wire bundle and the firewall metal. I "Carefully" stick a small sharp probe through the rubber, being cautious not to damage the wire bundle, and then check the other side visually to see how it looks. Then I remove the probe and using a sharp knife blade turn that hole into a small slit.

I can then pass my #14 DC wiring, and sometimes a small coax through this slit.

Ed K7AAT

3952. Re: FS: Planet 1 SatPhone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 18:02:08 UTC
From: Cheesehead <dplotusnotes@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1124990395.200933.86130@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13976

Or will trade for a Kenwood TS-820S or similar.
Really for any decent half-way modern transceiver.

Collin
KC8TKA

3953. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 18:09:43 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <GPnPe.12221$ih4.9813@fe02.lga>
Source record: 13977
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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3954. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 19:19:33 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <9RoPe.151493$j83.82672@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13978
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Brian Hill wrote:
> Like crossposting?

If it is appropriate to the topic, I like it very much <grin>.

Thanks for asking.

3955. FT-1000D 4th IF / Notch and Prod Det - Frequencies? Function?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 20:02:56 UTC
From: ka9s@arrl.net
Message-ID: <1125000176.538040.32740@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13979

I would like to understand the frequency scheme of the 4th mixer, 4th IF / notch filter, and product detector of my FT-1000D. I would also like to know how these stages function. I bought my FT-1000D in 1992 and it is still my main/most modern rig. It's a workhorse and I appreciate that.

I have the Yaesu FT-1000 Technical Supplement document. It's thick, heavy, and full of good information. But it is totally lacking in any sort of functional description of the rig. I had been spoiled with American boat anchor documentation like Drake and Hammarlund. They go to great lengths to describe the function of each circuit in their rigs. Yaesu acts like it's some great secret, or puzzle to figure out.

Here is what I have surmised so far:

The four local oscillator injection sources are centralized on one circuit board they call the "Local Unit". This makes sense as they have to coordinate the frequency shift of some injection oscillators to realize the IF shift and variable width functions. It's the fourth IF, notch filter, and product detector that are not obvious to reverse engineer. I have surmised the following frequencies:

1st LO - 73.63MHz - 103.62 MHZ (hi side injection to correspond with the tuning range of 100 KHz - 30 MHz).

1st IF - 73.62 MHZ (roofing filter).

2nd LO - 65.405 MHz +- 1.5 KHz (low side injection +- shift / width).

2nd IF - 8.215 MHz (first set of filters)

3rd LO - 8.67112 MHZ +- 1.5 KHz (hi side injection +- shift / width).

3rd IF - 455 KHz (second set of filters)

4th LO - 12.635 MHZ ? (High side injection?)

4th IF - 12.18 MHz? (It seems that this IF exists only to add the LC notch filter).

Product detector oscillator - 12.18 MHZ?

It looks like the LC circuit of the notch filter is fixed in frequency. It seems that the "tuning" of the notch is accomplished by IF shifting the 4th IF. There is an oscillator on the IF Unit (Q 2056). It has two crystals (X2002 - 12.280 MHz, and X2003 - 12.283 MHz). I am guessing

one or the other crystal is active based on the rig being in USB or LSB. This
oscillator is "pulled" in frequency by a varicap diode D 2080 and the front panel variable resistor "Notch" VR 8901-1. This oscillator seems to be mixed with the 4th LO though I can't figure any mixer product that makes sense to me.

The choice of 12.18 MHZ for the 4th IF and notch filter seem poor at best. (I had to reverse engineer this frequency value as it is not documented anywhere I could find.) The achievable Q of a LC notch at 12.18 MHz is going to leave the notch fairly wide (and it is - a crappy notch compared to my Drake R-4C - why bother?). Why they didn't use the 455 KHz IF to implement the LC notch and leave the receiver a triple conversion design is a puzzle to me.

It seems that the injection signal for the product detector does not come from the Local Unit. There is an oscillator Q 3002 with the crystal X 3001 - 12.18 MHZ on the AF Unit board.

Am I even close with this explanation of the 4th IF / notch and product detector? Can anyone explain how this is actually working? Is there any way to make the notch filter narrower / deeper?

Expert insights always welcome.

73s - Jeff - KA9S

3956. GMRS vs Marine VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 20:12:40 UTC
From: John <jfrey2a@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1125000760.546226.84350@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13980

Can anyone tell me what the difference in performance would be between (handhelds): a 5w GMRS vs. a 5w Marine VHF in mountain terrain (ignoring legalities.)

Your comments are appreciated.

3957. Re: GMRS vs Marine VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 20:32:31 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <zVpPe.139679$0_.49054@fe04.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13981

John wrote:
> Can anyone tell me what the difference in performance would be between
> (handhelds): a 5w GMRS vs. a 5w Marine VHF in mountain terrain
> (ignoring legalities.)

Performance? Do you mean range? If so, the answer is: It depends. The GMRS radios operate on UHF (450 Mhz band) and the marine radios operate on VHF (150 Mhz band). The path loss on line of sight communications will be greater on UHF, but improved receiver sensitivity and easier-to-achieve antenna gain can offset that. The specifications on the individual receivers in question are probably more important determinates of range.

Worry more about the legaliities and less about performance and you'll be OK.

3958. FA: ANDREW Hangers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 20:34:57 UTC
From: Fritz <bush_whack@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <RXpPe.52667$gB.17316@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13982

ANDREW 42396-9 Hangers for HELIAX, Waveguide, and Coax

http://cm.ebay.com/cm/ck/1065-29296-2357-0?uid=85320806&site=0&ver=LCA080805&item=5802603325&lk=URL

3959. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 20:44:05 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <o4qPe.2377$Yh6.1019@fe04.lga>
Source record: 13983
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Cool.

3960. WTB EF JOHNSON MESSENGER 600 PWR SUPPLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 22:31:38 UTC
From: RJ <northrnrjf@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125009098.829775.320690@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13984

Hello all,
I am looking for a power supply for an
EF JOHSON MESSENGER 600. I am in the Chicago Metro Area.
Please Email me direct.

Thanks

RJ

3961. Free guide on how to make your website rank high in Yahoo, Google, MSN...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-25 23:22:21 UTC
From: Benrick Soh <benricksoh@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <430de144$1@news.starhub.net.sg>
Source record: 13973

I am providing a free guide on how to make your website rank high in the top search engines. Using this guide and the seoelite software mentioned inside, I was able to make my website - www.studiotrafficguide.com rank in the top 3 positions. (You can type "studiotraffic guide" in Yahoo, Google or MSN search to check.)

I don't know how long I am going to offer this guide for free, so download it ASAP by visiting the link below:

http://www.studiotrafficguide.com/seo_madeeasy.pdf

Be sure to read every word of it, and use the methods diligently. You'd be amazed at how well it works (especially seoelite)!

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3962. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 00:10:31 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20050825201031.279$s0@newsreader.com>
Source record: 13985
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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They have their own group.

3963. Re: Power wire thru firewall

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 01:03:51 UTC
From: John <jkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <STtPe.1431$Rc.431897@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 13987

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns96BD6E802392Cspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175...
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> I can then pass my #14 DC wiring, and sometimes a small coax through
> this slit.
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>
> Ed K7AAT

Thank you for your responses
I will attempt to do go ahead with your answers
Thanks again
John VE3FDK

3964. Wanted: Display Board for the Kenwood TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 01:17:42 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <430E6DB6.727FDE98@erols.com>
Source record: 13986

The digital frequency readout display board on my ham bud's TS-830S looses two bands, intermittently. He has checked, rechecked, soldered and resolderd all connections. Comes and goes. Kenwood does not have new boards available. Anyone out there that may have a spare one or an 830S that is junked but has a good board please send me an email at mgreen@erols.com. He has tried just about everything to correct the problem to no avail and he is a top notch technician. Sooo, any help appreciated. Thanks.
73 Murray, K3BEQ

3965. Re: GMRS vs Marine VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 13:15:39 UTC
From: szekeres@pitt.edu
Message-ID: <den4lr$e1f$1@usenet01.srv.cis.pitt.edu>
Source record: 13988

In article <1125000760.546226.84350@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>, "John"
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>(ignoring legalities.)
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>Your comments are appreciated.
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Aside from better line of sight performance of the GMRS and Marine units, a CB
will work better over hills.

greg

3966. Re: GMRS vs Marine VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 14:58:00 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <s1bug1h4jr9fm41t6hu0clp0jc92m3pp91@4ax.com>
Source record: 13989

On Fri, 26 Aug 2005 13:15:39 GMT, szekeres@pitt.edu (GregS) wrote:

>In article <1125000760.546226.84350@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>, "John"
<jfrey2a@yahoo.com> wrote:
>>Can anyone tell me what the difference in performance would be between
>>(handhelds): a 5w GMRS vs. a 5w Marine VHF in mountain terrain
>>(ignoring legalities.)
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>>Your comments are appreciated.
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>greg

Not necessarily. As part of setting up a CERT organization in our housing development, we tested CB, FRS and GMRS hand-helds. The CB's and GMRS were 5-watt. Our area contains about 1,600 homes, built around a golf course, with many rolling hills. The goal was to be able to reach from one end of the development to another. The FRS were completely useless. So were the CB's. The GMRS units weren't great, but they did provide acceptable communication. MURS wasn't available at that time. That's what I would look at in this application. The problem with CB's is the antenna. A quarter-wave on the CB band is 9-feet! A quarter-wave on GMRS is about 6-inches. Much easier to have an efficient HT antenna on the GMRS band.

I wouldn't even consider using marine radios on land. Do you really want the FCC AND the Coast Guard on your tail? They take use of these radios very seriously.

Dick

3967. Mobile 10 meter Amplifier on EBay now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 18:01:54 UTC
From: Al Last <al.last@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <mOIPe.2863$eQ.1464@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13990

There is a mobile amplifier running on EBay at this time.
#5801889099

Thanks for reading
Al

3968. Re: WTB: Reference manual for HTX-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 20:07:48 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2608051607480001@ac9bfd13.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 13995

In article <sgecg151r25j8320otnrgr1s2apht2o3bf@4ax.com>, Ken C
<cprstn54@att.net> wrote:

> Not the user manual, but the bigger one that tells you how to trim,
> etc. -- including the circuit diagrams and board layouts.

Ken-

The HTX-10 is a variation of the Albrecht AE-485S. I found some information at
http://www.albrecht-electronic.de/service/Amateurfunk/AE485S/ if you want
to print your own.

73, Fred, K4DII

3969. WTB: Nye Viking MB-VA Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 21:11:47 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <bc1vg1531mi1bptfi18dd65r9h3ogfet52@4ax.com>
Source record: 13991

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WTB: Nye Viking MB-VA Antenna Tuner
Must be in good working order.
Leave price,details through email.
ritchi50@optonline.net
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3970. Re: Mobile 10 meter Amplifier on EBay now

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 21:18:30 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <GGLPe.2003$Wd7.1352@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13992

"Al Last" <al.last@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:mOIPe.2863$eQ.1464@newssvr30.news.prodigy.com...
> There is a mobile amplifier running on EBay at this time.
> #5801889099

Wow!
What frequency and which digital mode?

--

... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

3971. elenco frequency counter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-26 22:51:30 UTC
From: gopher <asdf@asdf.com>
Message-ID: <WPOdnfnpOfpkAZLeRVn-oQ@wideopenwest.com>
Source record: 13993

any one have a manual or know how to use a elenco F2850 or similar?
i think mine is broke or I dont know how to use it
google turned up nothing...
thanks

3972. FA - CushCraft R-7 Vertical Traps and Components

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 07:19:44 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125127184.197387.72800@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13994
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

CushCraft R-7 Vertical Traps and Components -
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803175879&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Auctions beginning Saturday evening, August 27:

CushCraft MN-7 for R-7 Vertical - Brand New
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803166535&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESC%3AIT&rd=1

CushCraft MN-7 for R-7 Vertical - Parts Unit / Rebuild
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803169759&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESC%3AIT&rd=1

3973. 15-tube homebrew rcvr for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 14:32:50 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <mQ_Pe.48889$2Q3.41447@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13996

Hi, all concerned:

This one was on ebay a while ago. Bids didn't get past the reserve, and I made an after-auction offer which was accepted.

There was no information on what is inside.

I've gotten as far as turning it on, listening on 40M, and documenting the tube lineup.

Its general form is:

6AK5-6JH8-6JH8-6BJ6 X3-6AQ5, with l-o's, bfo, detectors, agc-amps, S-meter circuitry. The r-f stage has separate peaking. The 1st-lo is tuned by a smoooooth National PW-type drive The second i-f has provisions for 2 switched 9-pin plug-in-style mechanical filters and a "wide" position. Sri -- the filters are long gone. Power supply is internal, with plug-in solid-state
rectifier and a couple of 0B2's. Line cord has one of those fused plugs which
purist-collectors drool over. I don't have a pic of the bottom side; however, it's nicely
homebrewed.

Date codes on the tubes are '50s and '60s. All but two of the shields are those nice ones with dissipators inside.

There are 5-pin plug-in coils for 80-10M, and extra BUD ceramic forms, in a box.

Physically, it is H9"XW12" with tilt built in to the design, and 18" deep. It weighs around 30 lb.

I have the ebay jpg's, which can be emailed to interested
parties.

My original intent was to find an "HBT-XX" homebrew transmitter to go with it, and the intent has fallen by the wayside. Oh, well . . .

$300 plus about $40 for insured ground shipping to conus.

73, and tks for reading.

3974. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 15:27:48 UTC
From: Scott en Aztl&#65533;n <scottenaztlan@yahooNOSPAM.com>
Message-ID: <0c11h19n47dsg5eicujg42j0gegkoqoqfj@4ax.com>
Source record: 13997
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

On Tue, 16 Aug 2005 00:07:58 GMT, "chaz" <chaznsc@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
>"G-Text" <grumbletext@grumbletext.com> wrote in message
>news:ul7Me.4660$2C5.3035@newsfe1-win.ntli.net...
>> Suit yourself pal, just telling people that they are in no hurry to refund
>> your money, by the way, the returns policy is 7 days no quibble, although
>> I expect you know about that if you have been dealing with them for years,
>> eh
>
>Debit/Credit refunds dont just happen. You need to exercise some level of
>patience.

BULLSHIT.

A transaction is a transaction. The fact that one has a minus sign in
front doesn't change the speed at which a transaction can be
processed. The only reason refunds take longer to appear than the
original charges is because companies purposely drag their feet. And
the reason they get away with dragging their feet is because sheep
like you put up with it.

Bottom line, this company has a return policy, which the OP coimplied
with. They have their merchandise back, but the OP doesn't have his
money. And that ain't right.

3975. FA: All Items ending SUNDAY NITE>>All Good but Cheep:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 15:51:59 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <C_%Pe.2575$vu5.1881@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13848
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

About 25 items altogether, nice, no junk, please take a look, could'nt hurt, right?
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

3976. Re: All Items ending SUNDAY NITE>>All Good but Cheep:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:04:01 UTC
From: Drunken Walter Barstool <wajhhhhhhh@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1cb9f$43108ed9$d1cc7c35$22210@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 13849
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:C_%Pe.2575$vu5.1881@fe11.lga...
> About 25 items altogether, nice, no junk, please take a look, could'nt
hurt,
> right?
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
>
...another ex-hamfest "dealer".

3977. F.S. Ameritron AL-1200 linear amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:55:22 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <_V0Qe.140664$5N3.53761@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13852
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale original black face Ameritron AL-1200 (pre mfj). this amp uses
3cx-1200a7 tube and easily does legal limit.
has peter dahl transformer, dayton blower, eimac tube, socket and
chimney.very nice with manual.
asking $1200 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3978. F.S. Kenwood TS-940sat hf xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:55:23 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <%V0Qe.140666$5N3.112493@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13850
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale a Kenwood ts-940sat xcvr, has yk88a am filter, yg-455c cw filter,
mc-60 microphone, sp-940 speaker.
equipment in nice shape, have manuals and boxes for ts-940 and sp-940.
asking $800 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3979. F.S. Kenwood TS-530s hf xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:55:23 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <%V0Qe.140665$5N3.105561@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13853
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale Kenwood TS-530 s xcvr, works great looks great.
comes with MC-50 mic and manual. asking $350 picked up in phila.
John W3ayt w3ayt@arrl.net

3980. F.S. Icom Ic-765 hf xcvr station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:55:24 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <0W0Qe.140667$5N3.96652@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13851
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale Icom IC-765 xcvr w/SP-20 speaker and SM-6 desk mike.
have all boxes and manuals and copy of service manual.
rig has 2.4 and 500 hz filters built in supply and built in antenna tuner.
station works perfectly and looks good, asking $1100 picked up in Phila.

John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3981. F.S. AEA PK-232mbx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:55:25 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <1W0Qe.140669$5N3.17557@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13854
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
software. unit not working and I don't have time
to mess with it. asking $40 here in Phila., Pa. will ship John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3982. F.S. Kenwood TL-922a hf linear amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:55:25 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <1W0Qe.140668$5N3.94297@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13855
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Kenwood TL-922a linear amp uses 2x 3-500z tubes.have original
shipping carton.
have not tested yet but will put on the air this weekend. if all goes well
will be asking $1000 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

3983. F.S. Drake WH-7 wattmeter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:55:26 UTC
From: John Haberkern <jhabs@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <2W0Qe.140670$5N3.152@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13856
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Drake WH-7 Wattmeter. cabinet has been repainted flat black. has
rubber feet on bottom.
comes with original manual. asking $70 shipped in the u.s. John

w3ayt@arrl.net

3984. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 16:58:51 UTC
From: Ken Ward <ken.g1itv@MTLworld.com>
Message-ID: <fZ0Qe.477$h4.209@newsfe4-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 13857
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.radio.scanner,alt.radio.scanner.flame_fest,alt.radio.scanner.uk,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.scanner,uk.radio.amateur

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> front doesn't change the speed at which a transaction can be
> processed. The only reason refunds take longer to appear than the
> original charges is because companies purposely drag their feet. And
> the reason they get away with dragging their feet is because sheep
> like you put up with it.
>
> Bottom line, this company has a return policy, which the OP coimplied
> with. They have their merchandise back, but the OP doesn't have his
> money. And that ain't right.

You a little behind the times eh?

He had his money days ago.

KW

3985. ICOM SALE UPDATE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 17:55:47 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <xO1Qe.4221$Yh6.2912@fe04.lga>
Source record: 13858

ICOM IC 746 EXCELLANT COND INCL ORIG BOX, MANUAL, HAND MIC ETC. $800.00
SHIPPED & INSURED

ICOM SP20 SPKR WITH FILTERS $195.00 SHIPPED & INSURED. ORIG BOX -- SOLD

ICOM PS 125 PWR SUPPLY. NEW IN BOX NEVER USED $195.00 SHIPPED &
NSURED. -- SOLD

3986. Re: Power wire thru firewall

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-27 23:29:32 UTC
From: case_dude <case_dude@case_dude.com>
Message-ID: <4310F75B.183BD0DB@case_dude.com>
Source record: 13859

hello john,

Find the hood release cable and run the power cables
along that route.

Most cars the hood cable runs past the car battery.

73 jimbo

3987. FA - Sangean ATS-803A Receiver - No reserve

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 02:08:13 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125194893.264502.26380@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803185587&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Very nice condition - works great.

Super-size the pictures.

3988. FA - MN-7 "Black Box" for Cush Craft R-7 Multi-Band Vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 02:18:31 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125195511.728009.136570@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

CushCraft MN-7 for R-7 Multi-Band Vertical - Brand New
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803166535&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

CushCraft MN-7 for R-7 Multi-Band Vertical - Parts Unit / Rebuild
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803169759&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

3989. FA - "Another" Sangean ATS-803A Receiver - Near Mint - Plus Extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 03:56:19 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125201379.519653.316830@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13862
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803441034

Near mint condition - one of the cleanest, best working portables I've seen in a long time. No noticeable scratches or nicks. You have to look close to see any signs of use.

Includes an AC adapter, instruction manual and the original shoulder strap.

Super-size the pictures for a closer look.

3990. Re: F.S. Kenwood TS-940sat hf xcvr

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 04:03:42 UTC
From: Barry in Wyoming <barrywohl@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1125201822.283114.82560@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13863
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

What s/n is this radio?
I'm moderately interested and I plan to be near Philly in October.
(I'm originally from Philadelphia and Lower Merion, but I've lived in
Wyoming since 1978.)
Barry
WT7T

John Haberkern wrote:
> forsale a Kenwood ts-940sat xcvr, has yk88a am filter, yg-455c cw filter,
> mc-60 microphone, sp-940 speaker.
> equipment in nice shape, have manuals and boxes for ts-940 and sp-940.
> asking $800 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John
>
>
> --
> John Haberkern
> w3ayt@arrl.net

3991. FS HEATHKIT HA-10 AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 04:27:26 UTC
From: hillbilly3302 <davesradio@alltel.net>
Message-ID: <b15e$43113d54$a228ae39$32007@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13864

Heathkit, by Daystrom, Model HA-10 "Warrior" Kilowatt Linear Amplifier, which covers the 10, 15, 20, 40, & 80 bands. It is in excellent cosmetic condition with exception of a few scratches in the paint on one side. We purchased it from an estate and it appears to have been used very little and is very clean. It powers up and has correct plate voltage, however there is a bad hum when the plate voltage is turned on.. it comes with the solid state 866 replacements +_ spare 866 tubes it also has spare 811's and an spare oil filled cap that I purchased to repair the hum. I have not worked on it and due to my health I don't intend to.$250.00 pick-up only. It weighs over 100 lbs (bring help) I'm in the Branson, Mo. Area..

Dave, K5DRC

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K5DRC Since 1969
BULL SHOALES LAKE
http://www.bullshoals.org/lake.htm
AR/MO STATE LINE

Some day someone will give a WAR and nobody will go

3992. Dead PK-232

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 04:56:52 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <11h2h13hfv97a1a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13865
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,W3AYT@arrl.net

John,
I need the top and bottom cover. I will give you 10.00 plus shipping
for the whole thing or 5.00 for the covers top and bottom plus postage.

Butch Magee KF5DE

3993. ICOM PACKAGE UPDATE 8-28-05

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 12:29:48 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <R7iQe.9569$WO2.548@fe06.lga>
Source record: 13866

ICOM IC 746 EXCELLANT COND INCL ORIG BOX, MANUAL, HAND MIC ETC. $800.00
SHIPPED & INSURED SOLD SOLD SOLD !!!

ICOM SP20 SPKR WITH FILTERS $195.00 SHIPPED & INSURED. ORIG BOX -- SOLD
SOLD SOLD !!

ICOM PS 125 PWR SUPPLY. NEW IN BOX NEVER USED $195.00 SHIPPED &
NSURED. -- SOLD SOLD SOLD !!!

THANKS

3994. WTB : Yaesu FL-7000 HF amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 15:12:59 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3ne2jrF13b49U1@individual.net>
Source record: 13867

Hello, i'd like to buy a Yaesu FL-7000 HF amplifier for my kenwood TS-870 & TS-2000.

I'm looking for a good unit, perfectly working, well kept, with also 10 meters band and, possibly, not too expensive.

No damaged, unnecessarily modified, or malfunctioning units wanted, please.

I'm located in Italy.

To write me directly please remove antispam from my email address.

Thank you,
73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

3995. WTB : power amplifier for 1296 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 15:14:38 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3ne2muF12a14U1@individual.net>
Source record: 13868

Hello, i'd like to buy a complete power amplifier (about 100W out or more)
for 1296 MHz to use with my Kenwood TS-2000.

I'm looking for a good unit, perfectly working, well kept and, possibly, not
too expensive.

No damaged, unnecessarily modified, or malfunctioning units wanted, please.

I'm located in Italy.

To write me directly please remove antispam from my email address.

Thank you,
73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

3996. FS: ICOM IC746 EXCELLANT COND

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 17:25:47 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <vsmQe.9605$WO2.3745@fe06.lga>
Source record: 13869

ICOM IC 746 EXCELLANT COND INCL ORIG BOX, MANUAL, HAND MIC ETC. $800.00
SHIPPED & INSURED

w9car@charter.net

3997. WTB: ICOM IC-2KL Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 20:00:15 UTC
From: Edward Plotzker <edplotzker@pol.net>
Message-ID: <jJoQe.3141$vu5.917@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13870

I am looking for an ICOM IC-2KL amp.

Ed, WB2JIC

WB2JIC@ARRL.NET

3998. need early catalogs and manuals for early video equipment also early tube cctv cameras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 20:02:51 UTC
From: ed sharpe <esharpe@uswest.net>
Message-ID: <MLoQe.752$aO1.990@news.uswest.net>
Source record: 13871

need early catalogs and manuals for early video equipment .... love the old reel to reel video machines and cameras! Will buy manuals, the artifacts themselves and parts

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Thanks Ed Sharpe archivist for SMECC

Please check our web site at
http://www.smecc.org
to see other engineering fields, communications and computation stuff we buy, and by all means when in Arizona drop in and see us.

address:

coury house / smecc
5802 w palmaire ave
glendale az 85301

3999. 12 vdc to 120 vac inverter recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 21:37:34 UTC
From: Denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <11h4bkv3tc11l00@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13872

Since I already have a station power supply, with a pair of deep cycle 12 vdc batts floating across a 35 amp power supply with a blocking diode in the dc plus lead, I am thinking of getting a 12 vdc to 120 vac inverter on the battery output...to feed two desktop pc's plus two lcd monitors.

For the past couple of years I have used an APC 1500 ups to feed both pc workstation and also am thinking of just getting another ups to feed the second workstation...if an inverter proves to be now the best way to go.

Before I re-invent the wheel, am wondering if anyone has done this before...thanks

4000. Re: 12 vdc to 120 vac inverter recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-28 22:37:26 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3nesl7Ft84iU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13873

I would use a separate APC for each computer, and use the APC to charge
the batteries, also, they will switch back to AC once the power is
restored in time, or when you start up your backup generator, plus they
supply better filtering than most dc to ac converters, unless you get
one with a true sine wave output.

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> workstation and also am thinking of just getting another ups to feed the
> second workstation...if an inverter proves to be now the best way to go.
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> Before I re-invent the wheel, am wondering if anyone has done this
> before...thanks
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Bob N9LVU

4001. What is this used for? Help Please!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-29 01:13:34 UTC
From: J5656@webtv.net
Message-ID: <27007-4312613E-130@storefull-3336.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 13874

Hello. What is this used for? P&H Electronics Transceiver Antenna Transfer Unit. Ebay item # 5803413587 Thanks!!!

4002. Re: What is this used for? Help Please!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-29 01:32:28 UTC
From: Will Rogers <w4wlr@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <BF37DDEC.73E0%w4wlr@bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13875

Hi!

Looks like a device used to switch an old style amplifier without a t/r
relay in and out of the line.

Hope this helps

Will

in article 27007-4312613E-130@storefull-3336.bay.webtv.net, no name at
J5656@webtv.net wrote on 08/28/2005 21:13:

> Ebay item # 5803413587

4003. Re: What is this used for? Help Please!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-29 01:36:57 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96C0BDB3A3E41spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 13876

J5656@webtv.net (no name) wrote in news:27007-4312613E-130@storefull-3336.bay.webtv.net:

> Hello. What is this used for? P&H Electronics Transceiver Antenna
> Transfer Unit. Ebay item # 5803413587 Thanks!!!
>
>

Looks to me like an antenna relay to bypass a Linear amp at the throw of a switch. Most modern PAs have this built in, I think. I suppose it would be useful for an old model PA that didn't have built in bypass capability.

Ed K7AAT

4004. Re: FA: 10 BEAUTIFUL CHROME HEATHKIT KNOBS from SENECA & APACHE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-29 03:09:56 UTC
From: "M.S." <notvalid@email.add>
Message-ID: <g5vQe.80$h4.28454@sooner.brightok.net>
Source record: 13877
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

So if you like it, it's OK, but if you don't, it's not proper netiquette.

Hah!

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:9RoPe.151493$j83.82672@fe05.news.easynews.com...
> Brian Hill wrote:
>> Like crossposting?
>
> If it is appropriate to the topic, I like it very much <grin>.
>
> Thanks for asking.
>
>

4005. FA : Uniden Scanners BEARCAT BC860XLT 142XL BC147XLT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-29 20:21:22 UTC
From: dchu <davidchu@excite.com>
Message-ID: <1125346882.742492.195130@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13878

FA Uniden Scanners BEARCAT BC860XLT 142XL BC147XLT

We have Uniden Scanners, listed on ebay starting at 99 cents... with no
reserves, so good luck... please take a look at:

Bearcat BC147XLT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803679189&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

Bearcat 142XL
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803679178&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

BEARCAT BC860XLT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803679160&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

All my listing
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZdavidchuQQhtZ-1

thanks,
dchu

4006. A site for electronic projects

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-29 20:42:57 UTC
From: SOMMERGIBILE <spammerssonsof@bitch.it.invalid>
Message-ID: <431372cd$0$8492$5fc30a8@news.tiscali.it>
Source record: 13879

http://web.tiscali.it/am2zy/index.html

4007. FA:HUGE GE/Westingh. Meters,+ tubes+stuff....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-29 22:18:57 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <IRLQe.148330$5N3.42443@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hugh GE and a Westinghouse meters; and a few tubes, and few other things too: see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, 73 heytubeguy

4008. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 00:08:27 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3nhmbqF1j2n1U1@individual.net>
Source record: 13881
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Shack Simplex Repeater Controller NIB----------$ SOLD
Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed,
but inside is very clean!
NO documentation or info...

2 Kenwood TR-7950----------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

VX5R YEASU BLACK 5W 6/2/4.5W440HT----------$200
FNB58LI 1200MAH LI-POLYMER
FBA23 YEASU 2 AA CELL BATTERY CASE
CD15A YEASU CHGR STAND
VX5R is like new as are all the accessories.
Both battery packs accept a full charge.
The antenna is also complete with end-cap
and 6M add-on.
Comes complete plus box and manual.

Standard C468A LNIB----------$ 75

Standard C568A TRI Bander 144/440/1200----------$SOLD
95%+ with extended range mod,
and extra hi gain whip.

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

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4009. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 02:47:31 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3nhvm2F1kkkaU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13882
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Model # 19-345 NEVER USED

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950----------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

VX5R YEASU BLACK 5W 6/2/4.5W440HT----------$200
FNB58LI 1200MAH LI-POLYMER
FBA23 YEASU 2 AA CELL BATTERY CASE
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4010. FA: New WELZ items, Drake Cables, REGENCY 2-MTR RIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 13:29:59 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <tbZQe.20267$KX7.17614@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13883
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

WELZ CA-23N LIGHTENING SURGE PROTECTOR DC-1500MHZ NEW
http://cgi.ebay.com/WELZ-CA-23N-LIGHTENING-SURGE-PROTECTOR-DC-1500MHZ-NEW_W0QQitemZ5802785451QQcategoryZ4672QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

WELZ CA-15A COAXIAL TERMINATION DUMMY LOAD dc-450mhz NU
http://cgi.ebay.com/WELZ-CA-15A-COAXIAL-TERMINATION-DUMMY-LOAD-dc-450mhz-NU_W0QQitemZ5802785505QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

SIX(6) ORIGINAL DRAKE R-4C & T-4XC INTERCONNECT CABLES
http://cgi.ebay.com/SIX-6-ORIGINAL-DRAKE-R-4C-T-4XC-INTERCONNECT-CABLES_W0QQitemZ5802785542QQcategoryZ48704QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

REGENCY HR-2A MOBILE TRANSCEIVER for 2-METER FM WORKING
http://cgi.ebay.com/REGENCY-HR-2A-MOBILE-TRANSCEIVER-for-2-METER-FM-WORKING_W0QQitemZ5802785557QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4011. FA: R-390A Meter replacement?, COLLINS r-390A PTO, 3)-GE 1625 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 13:33:53 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <6fZQe.20268$KX7.14315@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13884
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All cheep>
POSSIBLE COLLINS R-390A METER REPLACEMENT BULOVA Neat-O
http://cgi.ebay.com/POSSIBLE-COLLINS-R-390A-METER-REPLACEMENT-BULOVA-Neat-O_W0QQitemZ5802785597QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A 70H-12 PTO w/TUBE READ ALL NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-COLLINS-R-390A-70H-12-PTO-w-TUBE-READ-ALL-NR_W0QQitemZ5802785627QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

3 GE RADIOTRON 1625 OUTPUT TUBES CANADA ARC-5 WWII NOS
http://cgi.ebay.com/3-GE-RADIOTRON-1625-OUTPUT-TUBES-CANADA-ARC-5-WWII-NOS_W0QQitemZ5802785723QQcategoryZ48710QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4012. FA: ALINCO 2-mtr All-Mode amp, Motorola MJ15022 audio power xsistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 13:36:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <PhZQe.20269$KX7.20093@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13885
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

ALINCO ELD-230D ALL-MODE RF AMPLIFIER for 2-MTRS SSB/CW
http://cgi.ebay.com/ALINCO-ELD-230D-ALL-MODE-RF-AMPLIFIER-for-2-MTRS-SSB-CW_W0QQitemZ5802785684QQcategoryZ48700QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

20 NOS MOTOROLA MJ15022 AUDIO OUTPUT TRANSISTORS TO-3
http://cgi.ebay.com/20-NOS-MOTOROLA-MJ15022-AUDIO-OUTPUT-TRANSISTORS-TO-3_W0QQitemZ5802785746QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4013. Re: FA: R-390A Meter replacement?, COLLINS r-390A PTO, 3)-GE 1625 tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 13:38:42 UTC
From: Beerbarrel <xxx@xxx.xxx>
Message-ID: <19o8h11hnvp4tp673ngq6pde9t6s738jg0@4ax.com>
Source record: 13886
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 30 Aug 2005 09:33:53 -0400, "cooltube"
<cooltube@optonline.net> wrote:

>All cheep>
>POSSIBLE COLLINS R-390A METER REPLACEMENT BULOVA Neat-O
>http://cgi.ebay.com/POSSIBLE-COLLINS-R-390A-METER-REPLACEMENT-BULOVA-Neat-O_W0QQitemZ5802785597QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem
>
>ORIGINAL COLLINS R-390A 70H-12 PTO w/TUBE READ ALL NR
>http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-COLLINS-R-390A-70H-12-PTO-w-TUBE-READ-ALL-NR_W0QQitemZ5802785627QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem
>
>3 GE RADIOTRON 1625 OUTPUT TUBES CANADA ARC-5 WWII NOS
>http://cgi.ebay.com/3-GE-RADIOTRON-1625-OUTPUT-TUBES-CANADA-ARC-5-WWII-NOS_W0QQitemZ5802785723QQcategoryZ48710QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem
>
Man that PTO is a real beater! Looks more like garbage material than
auction material. Of course sometimes those are one in the same I
guess.

4014. FA - 12v - 4-amp Power Supply - Ends tonight -

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 15:03:51 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125414231.778221.181230@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13887
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Very clean - Works great - Used to power a 30 watt 2meter rig once a
week for the local net for the last 2 years.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5802079085&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

4015. FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 16:14:54 UTC
From: Mark Petereit <Google@You-and-Improved.com>
Message-ID: <1125418494.018282.251850@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13888
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Silent Key Auction for Herb Petereit, W0AFY. If you knew Herb, you knew that he was one of the "old timers". One of his first jobs after moving to Omaha, Nebraska, in the 60's was building Galaxy V's at World Radio. He knew his gear inside and out, knew how everything worked, and took a lot of pride in keeping everything running in top shape. For many HAMS in the Omaha area in the 70's and 80's, Herb was the guy to go to when you needed help.

Herb passed away on Veteran's Day, November 11th, 2003, after a severe bout of pneumonia. He was 71 years old.

This auction is for a very nice Icom IC-211 VHF transceiver. This rig covers 144.00 thru 148.000mhz. It has the built in A/C power supply but can also work off DC. Power out is: SSB, 10 watts, CW, 10 watts, FM 1 to 10 watts. Controls include: mic. Gain, RF power, power SW., squelch, AF gain, mode SW., RF gain, VFO, RIT, NB, AGC, rec/transmit, vox, dim switch, tuning, tuning speed button, dial lock, freq. display, rec. indicator, dial lock indicator, trans. ind, discriminator meter, multi-func. meter. The back has jacks for a scope, ext. spkr., dc input, memory sw., acc. jack, key jack.

Being that I am not an amateur radio operator, I really don't have any good way to test this. However, I did plug in an A/C power cord and it powers up with the meters and frequency LED's illuminated. A/C power cord is included.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5804209865

4016. Re: All Items ending SUNDAY NITE>>All Good but Cheep:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 21:46:29 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Zs4Re.4116$OT1.1591@fe09.lga>
Source record: 13889
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

So watts your point?
"Drunken Walter Barstool" <wajhhhhhhh@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1cb9f$43108ed9$d1cc7c35$22210@snip.allthenewsgroups.com...
>
> "cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
> news:C_%Pe.2575$vu5.1881@fe11.lga...
>> About 25 items altogether, nice, no junk, please take a look, could'nt
> hurt,
>> right?
>> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
>>
> ...another ex-hamfest "dealer".
>

4017. Re: Marine (deep-cycle) battery maintenance/recovery - Resolution

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-30 22:15:48 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <oU4Re.397$aH2.201@fe06.lga>
Source record: 13890
Cross-posted to: alt.engineering.electrical,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 08/16/05 11:24 am Percival P. Cassidy tossed the following
ingredients into the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

> I have a 115AH deep-cycle battery that I bought as a stand-by battery
> for my amateur radio station. It has been in a "battery box" on
> trickle-charge (using a charger with a "deep-cycle" setting) for most of
> the time since I bought it over a year ago, and it has been called on to
> supply power only a few times.
>
> Recently I noticed that the "fully charged" LED on the charger was not
> on and started investigating further.
>
> Having not encountered any batteries in the last few decades that have
> not been sealed and "maintenance free," I was surprised to find tiny
> print about checking the electrolyte level every 30 days -- but even
> then it took me a few minutes to figure out how to get access to the
> cells to check this.
>
> Anyway, when I removed the cunningly disguised covers, I found that the
> cells looked totally dry, and each took close to a pint of distilled
> water to bring the electrolyte level above the plates.
>
> The battery has now been on charge for about 20 hours at the charger's
> 12A setting, but most of the time the ammeter on the charger has shown
> only about 5A. The cells are all still gassing.
>
> Is this battery likely to come back to life again, or is it toast? Any
> remedial actions to take?

At one point the new three-stage charger did indicate "FUL"[l], then
switch to "FLO"[at] after I had left the battery on charge for many
hours at varying charge rates, but after discharging it again down to
11.2V I couldn't get it to recharge satisfactorily: the charge rate
would stay at 10A and the battery would get very warm.

I then realized that the free replacement warranty was good for 18
months rather than 12 and that I still had a few days to go. I took it
back to Sam's, and they replaced it free without checking anything other
than the date on the receipt. They didn't put it on test in any way and
didn't even check the electrolyte level. So now I have a new battery
with a new replacement warranty good for 18 months and pro-rated after that.

AND now I know that I'm supposed to check the electrolyte level every month.

Thanks, everyone, for your input.

Perce

4018. Am I the only one that thinks backlite LCD screen ham radios are butt ugly?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 02:09:15 UTC
From: Odd Ball <OddBall333@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ds3ah1tm8h0qeu1tggfp7atvfoov857rsf@4ax.com>
Source record: 13891

Am I the only one that thinks backlite LCD screen ham radios are ugly? When I look at the TenTec Orion, TenTec Jupiter, Yaesu FT-857D, and the Kenwood 2000 I immediately think "ugly". As a matter of fact I think "butt ugly". To me those are some truely ugly radios.
On the good looking side are the TenTec Omni VI, the Drake TR-7, The Yaesu FT-980, Yaesu FT-102, Kenwood TS-940, and the Yaesu FT-1000D. An even older good looking radio is the Drake 4 B and C line twins. Nice looking radios. Am I the only one that reacts this way to backlite display LCD screen radios, or do others think the LCD screen radios are ugly?

Odd Ball

4019. Re: Am I the only one that thinks backlite LCD screen ham radios are butt ugly?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 09:46:39 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <30fRe.4559$kn4.907@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13892

I don't mind the LCD radios, as long as they are using some kind of LED backlighting. In this day and age, there is no excuse to use incandescent light bulbs for backlighting. What I really don't care for are the "rounded off" style radios such as the FT847. I reminds me of the current batch of automobiles.
I agree about those older radios with their more "squared off" style being more appealing, but I don't care for the flourescent displays. Reminds me of some sort of appliance like a VCR. I prefer either LED or LCD readouts.
Different styles of radios, different preferences.....that's why there are so many.

Pete

"Odd Ball" <OddBall333@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:ds3ah1tm8h0qeu1tggfp7atvfoov857rsf@4ax.com...
>
> Am I the only one that thinks backlite LCD screen ham radios are
> ugly? When I look at the TenTec Orion, TenTec Jupiter, Yaesu
> FT-857D, and the Kenwood 2000 I immediately think "ugly". As a matter
> of fact I think "butt ugly". To me those are some truely ugly
> radios.
> On the good looking side are the TenTec Omni VI, the Drake TR-7,
> The Yaesu FT-980, Yaesu FT-102, Kenwood TS-940, and the Yaesu
> FT-1000D. An even older good looking radio is the Drake 4 B and C
> line twins. Nice looking radios. Am I the only one that reacts this
> way to backlite display LCD screen radios, or do others think the LCD
> screen radios are ugly?
>
> Odd Ball
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>

4020. ic-751a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 10:12:59 UTC
From: nn <nn@nn.nn>
Message-ID: <df3vsj$5qh$1@phys-news1.kolumbus.fi>
Source record: 13893

Hello everyone,

Does anyone know what is the power level that comes from RF-unit (Q14)
to the PA-module? I am askin because the transverter output in the rig has
too low output for LT2S. This might be one solution.

In message:

http://groups.google.com/group/rec.radio.amateur.equipment/browse_thread/thread/fc84761aa8
45763e/81d13c9437582a2c?lnk=st&q=ic751+transverter&rnum=1&hl=en#81d13c9437582a2c

Gary says that in ic-735 this is just perfect 5 mW. But how about ic-751a
same signal, what is the power level? Any ideas ?

4021. Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 13:48:06 UTC
From: laborkei <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <JyiRe.2664$xw1.1794@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13894
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I have been watching wwltv.com and wdsutv.com on the Internet.
I keep hearing about the lack of emergency services to communicate.
Does anyone know if any Amateur Operators are being engaged to assist?

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4022. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 15:40:25 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <fred@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <704c5$4315cf6b$97d55b95$24217@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Here is the latest info that I have:

Fred W4JLE DEC SEOC SC

The on-the-ground situation in SE Louisiana and SW Mississippi is as bad as television is reporting. Neither state is permitting disaster relief agencies into the affected areas except on a very limited basis and only then where conditions are stable. Nearly everyone is still staging as close by as possible and waiting.

The Louisiana SM (Mickey Cox K5MC) and SEC (Gary Stratton K5GLS) are in communications with state officials, who have directed them to NOT advertise for volunteers. Some volunteers have been requested, and these are being staged at the state EOC.

The situation for the Mississippi SM and SEC, Malcolm Keown W5XX, in Vicksburg MS is very uncertain. His station is completely on the ground and EchoLink repeaters in the area are off-the-air. Attempts to contact Assistant SMs have been unsuccessful.

An AB2M.net Amateur Radio operator registration web site has been setup and is ready to go public when approval is received. Some Amateur Radio operators are known to be traveling towards the affected areas with emergency services and disaster relief agencies as dedicated communications resources.

Despite everyone's nearly overwhelming desire to help, about all we can do right now is to make preparations for a prompt response when the officials finally give their approval. None of us know when that will occur.

Jerry Reimer, KK5CA
South Texas

"laborkei" <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:JyiRe.2664$xw1.1794@bignews6.bellsouth.net...
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4023. USPS List of ZIP CODES closed by Katrina

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 15:43:23 UTC
From: kegwasher <nodonkeys@soupnazisforpeace.com>
Message-ID: <c3011$4315d2f4$d1cc4914$21578@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 13896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Here's a handy list of USPS Offices and Zip Codes
which are closed as of 08/31/05 due to Hurricane Katrina

May be useful if you intend to ship anything into the affected area

http://www.usps.com/communications/news/serviceupdates.htm?from=bannercommunications&page=katrina

4024. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 15:52:17 UTC
From: kegwasher <nodonkeys@soupnazisforpeace.com>
Message-ID: <c7dfb$4315d2f5$d1cc4914$21578@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 13897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

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A high volume of health-and-welfare requests reportedly is slowing the passage of critical tactical and emergency traffic. The Salvation Army Team Emergency Radio Network (SATERN) on 14.265 MHz has been accepting and handling general health-and-welfare inquiries on the air and via its Web site.

4025. BBB Complaint # 414840 against Bozak Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 16:51:58 UTC
From: your name <you@company.com>
Message-ID: <OelRe.18$HQ1.1852533@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 13748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna, rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc, rec.radio.amateur.equipment, rec.radio.amateur.misc, rec.radio.amateur.swap

COMPANY OR ORGANIZATION INFORMATION:

Bozak Antenna
8 Timberwick Drive
Clifton Park, NY United States 12065
(518)373-8069
http://www.bozak.org
http://members.tripod.com/~Bozak/HOMEPAGE.HTM

COMPLAINT INFORMATION:

Complaint #: 414840
Complaint Type: Company (other than automobile)
Date Received: 9/12/2001
Primary Complaint Classification: Credit or
Billing Disputes
Secondary Complaint Classification: Delivery
Issues
Complaint:

To whom it may concern:

Mr. Steve G. Bozak was contacted in mid July 2001
regarding products (eg.
antennas and coax cables) which were available
for sale from his firm. Mr.
Bozak quoted prices and then later changed the
quote to reflect higher prices
(25% higher) without my authorization. Mr. Bozak
concludes that since I gave
my credit card info that I agreed in principle
with the altered price quote
(which I did not agree too).

In addition to the order being 2-3 weeks late
(because his firm did not have
enough coax cable on hand), I then had to follow-
up and specifically request
a copy of the original billing invoice. When the
invoice was finally received
in late August, and after noting the higher
prices charged, I immediately
called and complain to Greg (Bozak's sales rep).
Greg was informed that I

received a lower price quote in mid July. Greg requested that I forward that
quote which I did. After reviewing, Mr. Bozak wrote back on September 12,
2001 that "I am sorry for the confusion about the prices.... every effort
has been made so this does not happen."

Thus, Mr. Bozak concedes that he (and his organization) screwed up but they
want me to eat the higher costs. This is why this matter is being forwarded
to your offices for recording and resolution purposes. Prospective customers
need to know about Bozak's deplorable customer service/business practices.

4026. Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 18:02:36 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125511356.488033.277030@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13749
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Channel 13 - WLOS TV in Asheville, NC is reporting that a number of gas stations in WNC are closing down due to an outage at the supplier's terminal in Spartanburg, SC. The terminal outage is said to last 3 days or so.

Just a heads up - if you're going to Shelby this weekend, might wanna keep 'er topped off as you travel through the affected areas. Just got this clip from http://www.wlos.com./

Mountain Fuel Shortage
Hurricane Katrina has knocked out power to many areas in the Gulf States and that's affecting the two major suppliers of fuel in the Southeast.

That means delays in fuel deliveries to stations here in Western North Carolina. Wednesday morning we found that some gas stations only had premium. And at least one station, is selling gas for more than $3 dollars a gallon. People are urged to cut back on unnecessary trips and to conserve gasoline as much as possible. If the gas problem continues for several days, cities, towns and counties may ask police and firefighters to stay overnight to be sure they can get to work.

4027. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 18:50:13 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <DZmRe.2226$UQ1.521@fe03.lga>
Source record: 13750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

My XYL said she saw/heard Larry King telling people last night that ham radio could be the best way of getting information to and from the affected areas.

I have been listening to SATERN on 14.265 handling emergency/H&W traffic.

"Perce"
(aka Alan NV8A)

On 08/31/05 09:48 am laborkei tossed the following ingredients into the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

> I have been watching wwltv.com and wdsutv.com on the Internet.
> I keep hearing about the lack of emergency services to communicate.
> Does anyone know if any Amateur Operators are being engaged to assist?

4028. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 20:06:33 UTC
From: dalite01@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <o3oRe.1787$%j7.835@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In South Georgia, gas deliveries to some stations have been suspended until
further notice. In North Georgia stations are running out in smaller towns,
and shipments aren't expec6ted before another 3 weeks. At least one small
town Sherriff's department has pulled all patrol cars off the street and is
only sending out .
for emergencies.

Ga Governor's office has lifted restrictions on truck drivers carrying gas
supplies to allow them to drive more hours than they were previously limited
to.

"kk4tl" <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1125511356.488033.277030@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
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> premium. And at least one station, is selling gas for more than $3
> dollars a gallon. People are urged to cut back on unnecessary trips and
> to conserve gasoline as much as possible. If the gas problem continues
> for several days, cities, towns and counties may ask police and
> firefighters to stay overnight to be sure they can get to work.
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4029. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 20:24:32 UTC
From: Beerbarrel <xxx@xxx.xxx>
Message-ID: <mc4ch1909u7jfunjclrchppa80rlq5kaei@4ax.com>
Source record: 13752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On 31 Aug 2005 11:02:36 -0700, "kk4tl" <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote:

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>to conserve gasoline as much as possible. If the gas problem continues
>for several days, cities, towns and counties may ask police and
>firefighters to stay overnight to be sure they can get to work.

I was going to drive up there. It is about a 300 mile drive for me. I changed my mind because I'm not sure if I will be able to get gas. From what I hear, they are closing gas stations for the weekend around here. I guess I don't need anymore radio suff that bad.

4030. FS Ham IV Rotor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 20:48:41 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <yloRe.6909$7f5.3973@okepread01>
Source record: 13753

FS a CDE Ham IV Rotor and Control Box. It has not been used in several years and will need lubing and the cable terminal board on the Rotor will need replacing. Some of the screws on the terminal board have rusted into to place. The Control Box is in nice shape and Rotor has only been used a couple of years before being stored. It should clean up and make a very nice, strong unit.A copy of the manual is included. Digital pictures are available. Price is $225 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4031. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 21:05:16 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <QWoRe.1818$%j7.1168@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13754
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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news:1125511356.488033.277030@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
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> for several days, cities, towns and counties may ask police and
> firefighters to stay overnight to be sure they can get to work.

If you come thru Gaffney, SC on I-85 there was fuel at $2.65 (as of 2 PM
8/31) on exit 92 (Pilot and Petro). I notice a lot of spaces that had not
been taken at Shelby (I was over there today putting up my tent). There are
quite a few campers there as always, and more will prolly arrive tomorrow.
I hope it will be a good ''fest inspite of all the fuel troubles.

73

Jerry
>

4032. Re: 12 vdc to 120 vac inverter recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 21:16:03 UTC
From: Yodar <JStrain4@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <n6pRe.97119$dJ5.77974@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13755

Denton wrote:
> Since I already have a station power supply, with a pair of deep cycle 12
> vdc batts floating across a 35 amp power supply with a blocking diode in the
> dc plus lead, I am thinking of getting a 12 vdc to 120 vac inverter on the
> battery output...to feed two desktop pc's plus two lcd monitors.
>
> For the past couple of years I have used an APC 1500 ups to feed both pc
> workstation and also am thinking of just getting another ups to feed the
> second workstation...if an inverter proves to be now the best way to go.
>
> Before I re-invent the wheel, am wondering if anyone has done this
> before...thanks
>
>
Beware of the spike at the begining of the square wave from the
inverter...I have heard of people killing their laptops because of it.
I'd run the inverter thru your UPS in hopes it would filter or nullify
that peak which one fellow measured at 600 volts here(for a millisecond
or less)
Yodar

Yodar

4033. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 22:59:58 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <ODqRe.5157$FW1.3371@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

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> Team
> Emergency Radio Network (SATERN) on 14.265 MHz has been accepting and
> handling general health-and-welfare inquiries on the air and via its Web
> site.
>

I was able to pass a Emergency message via the SATERN net on 14.265 . A
station in the area was able to relay it via the Coast Guard. Ham radio is
alive and well.

Dan/W4NTI

4034. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-08-31 23:59:18 UTC
From: W4WNT <w4wnt@carolina.rr.com>
Message-ID: <qvrRe.5$ou5.7672@twister.southeast.rr.com>
Source record: 13757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Check the ARRL website. No one is going in, but plans are being made for access when possible.

Bill, W4WNT

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4035. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 00:32:16 UTC
From: Greg <gfight@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <BF3BC55C.46E07%gfight@tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13758
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

> From: "kegwasher" <nodonkeys@soupnazisforpeace.com>
> Organization: none
> Reply-To: "kegwasher" <nodonkeys@soupnazisforpeace.com>
> Newsgroups:
> rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equ
> ipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave
> Date: Wed, 31 Aug 2005 11:52:17 -0400
> Subject: Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!
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> handling general health-and-welfare inquiries on the air and via its Web
> site.
>
There's also a health & welfare net on 3.935 LSB, Louisiana based, I think.

Greg

4036. Re: Am I the only one that thinks backlite LCD screen ham radios are butt ugly?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 01:02:10 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.im3x7m9.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 13760

On Wed, 31 Aug 2005 09:46:39 GMT, Pete KE9OA wrote:

>I don't mind the LCD radios, as long as they are using some kind of LED
>backlighting. In this day and age, there is no excuse to use incandescent
>light bulbs for backlighting.

>I agree about those older radios with their more "squared off" style being
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>some sort of appliance like a VCR. I prefer either LED or LCD readouts.
>Different styles of radios, different preferences.....that's why there
>are so many.

Those of us with decreased eysesight favor the bright fluorescent
displays because we can read them much easier than the LCD panels.
The latter try to stuff so much info on the itty-bitty panel so that
a magnifying glass is necessary to make sense out of it. At least
the first generation LCD panels (such as on the ICOM 229H) had large
digits for frequency readout albeit incandescent backlight. The
current generation (such as on the ICOM 2100H for instance) are not
too bad if you are close up and view it head-on. Both of them are
"square box" fronts, too.

I can't comment on Kenwood or Yaesu because I don't "do" those brands.

--
73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

4037. Teletype station - London

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 01:26:50 UTC
From: yared22311@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1125538010.691301.79450@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13759

In WWII, there was an AACS (U.S. Army Airways Communication System)
teletype station in London. Where exactly was this located?
Thanks
mike

4038. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 02:02:11 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125536699.065360.175020@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13761
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Jerry said
<< I hope it will be a good ''fest inspite of all the fuel troubles. >>

Agreed, I hope it'll be business as usual. With Dayton spinning down,
it's good to see Shelby still standing strong.

For those coming up from I-85 south, I'd say top it off in the
Greenville/Spartanburg/Gaffney area.

For those coming in from I-85 north, better catch some no later than
Gastonia or Belmont just before you turn off of I-85 onto Hwy 74.

For either situation there's convenience stores and/or truck stops at
many exits.

4039. FA: ANDREW Hangers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 12:54:55 UTC
From: Fritz <bush_whack@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <zSCRe.59781$ja7.19599@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13762

Last few hours for ANDREW Hangers

http://cm.ebay.com/cm/ck/1065-29296-2357-0?uid=85320806&site=0&ver=LCA080805&item=5802603325&lk=URL

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Fritz

4040. FS: Inexpensive Manual copies, Many 1000's to choose from.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 14:26:57 UTC
From: rlucch2098@aol.com
Message-ID: <1125584817.133896.316420@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13763

Most are only $16.00ppd in the USA.
All copied from originals.
Discount for multiple orders.
Please check this out>
http://www.myradioroom.com/hamradiomanuals.html
73..
Rich WA2RQY

4041. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 15:26:40 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <Q4FRe.2472$3R1.1179@fe06.lga>
Source record: 13764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Look at the top two items at http://www.arrl.org/ (as of 1120 EDT on
Sept. 1).

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that resulted in the rescue of 15 people:

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about the usefulness of amateur radio in emergency situations:

http://www.electroblog.com:8090/~electrode/woodtv_nts.avi

"Perce"
(aka Alan NV8A)

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ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

> I have been watching wwltv.com and wdsutv.com on the Internet.
> I keep hearing about the lack of emergency services to communicate.
> Does anyone know if any Amateur Operators are being engaged to assist?

4042. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 15:47:42 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <yoFRe.73520$DW1.40416@fed1read06>
Source record: 13765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

See URL:
http://www.arrl.org/news/stories/2005/08/30/1/

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

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4043. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 18:25:49 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <fred@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <a5b5e$431747b4$471c610a$32175@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

I am a DEC with ARES and have been told by a number of newer hams that ARES is obsolete in the 21st Century.

It was pointed out to me that echo link, cell phones, wireless internet etc etc. obviated the need for a "bunch of old farts" that couldn't read the handwritting on the wall...

We all watched in amazement as New Orleans was relagated to the Stone Age. All the wizz bang technology fell on it's hind parts. No cell phones, no internet, no echo link, no communications.

No emergency system that relies on intact infrastructure can be relied upon period! Those who fail to heed this lesson, are doomed to repeat it.

Now take it one step further and change the disaster to a nuclear explosion. The EMP wipes out all the rest of the neat toys necessary to communicate in the digital modes.

The SOS and requests for help being transmitted on CW from an old tube type rig go unanswered, as no one can understand code. Mores the pity.

4044. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 19:36:58 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <tsleh1p42mpie7g6j2fjtrlhd3u6uut49s@4ax.com>
Source record: 13767

I was somewhat surprised to see on the news that people trapped in
their homes in New Orleans were calling out on their cel phones. I
would have thought with that much destruction, the cel towers would
have been toast.

Dick - W6CCD

On Thu, 1 Sep 2005 14:25:49 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <fred@w4jle.com>
wrote:

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>is obsolete in the 21st Century.
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>internet, no echo link, no communications.

4045. Re: Am I the only one that thinks backlite LCD screen ham radios are butt ugly?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 20:52:47 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <zSJRe.165631$5N3.52470@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13768

Phil, I do understand about that decreased eyesight.....it can be frustrating trying to see those small displays. I do favor the larger characters. I have a Kenwood 570.....it falls into this category. Once again, there are quite a few styles so it is easy for somebody to fine something that is appealing.

Pete

"Phil Kane" <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop> wrote in message news:cuvyxnansvbet.im3x7m9.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net...
> On Wed, 31 Aug 2005 09:46:39 GMT, Pete KE9OA wrote:
>
>>I don't mind the LCD radios, as long as they are using some kind of LED
>>backlighting. In this day and age, there is no excuse to use incandescent
>>light bulbs for backlighting.
>
>>I agree about those older radios with their more "squared off" style being
>>more appealing, but I don't care for the flourescent displays. Reminds me
>>of
>>some sort of appliance like a VCR. I prefer either LED or LCD readouts.
>>Different styles of radios, different preferences.....that's why
>>there
>>are so many.
>
> Those of us with decreased eysesight favor the bright fluorescent
> displays because we can read them much easier than the LCD panels.
> The latter try to stuff so much info on the itty-bitty panel so that
> a magnifying glass is necessary to make sense out of it. At least
> the first generation LCD panels (such as on the ICOM 229H) had large
> digits for frequency readout albeit incandescent backlight. The
> current generation (such as on the ICOM 2100H for instance) are not
> too bad if you are close up and view it head-on. Both of them are
> "square box" fronts, too.
>
> I can't comment on Kenwood or Yaesu because I don't "do" those brands.
>
> --
> 73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane
>
> From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
> Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon
>
>

4046. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 21:01:35 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <P_JRe.3625$UQ1.1732@fe03.lga>
Source record: 13769

The towers might have survived, but how long will/did their battery
backup last?

"Perce"
(aka Alan NV8A)

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ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

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> their homes in New Orleans were calling out on their cel phones. I
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4047. ICOM IC-2350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 21:18:59 UTC
From: John <jkassay@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <XeKRe.11529$2F1.540945@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 13771

Hello all

Can anyone advise me of what conditions arose from above mentioned unit being hit by lightening ??
The first thing that came to mind was the power cord and in-line fuse
Fuses showed OK bu haven't checked the diode as yet
Would like your input as to your experience on the outcome
What parts were replaced etc etc.
Thank you
I will pass info on to a friend
Thank you John
I can be reached at

VE3FDK@rac.ca

4048. FS Ham IV Priced Reduced

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 21:27:49 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <cnKRe.10263$7f5.5440@okepread01>
Source record: 13770

FS a CDE Ham IV Rotor and Control Box. It has not been used in several years and will need lubing and the cable terminal board on the Rotor will need replacing. Some of the screws on the terminal board have rusted. The Control Box is in good shape and the
Rotor has only been used a couple of years before being stored. It should clean up and make a very
nice, strong unit.A copy of the manual is included. Digital pictures are available. Price is $175 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4049. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 22:00:22 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <beueh158regi3atnnujcddh7h5p2939ph8@4ax.com>
Source record: 13772

Hopefully, long enough to get their location recorded.

On Thu, 01 Sep 2005 17:01:35 -0400, "Percival P. Cassidy"
<Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:

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>backup last?
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>"Perce"
>(aka Alan NV8A)
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>>>internet, no echo link, no communications.

4050. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 22:21:53 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <G8LRe.6777$ZL4.3784@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13773
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

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> rig go unanswered, as no one can understand code. Mores the pity.

Ah Ha! But there will be *some* of us still around until of course all us
geezers kick the bucket. Then they' re on their own.

73

J

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>

4051. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 22:32:42 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <CiLRe.6781$ZL4.6532@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"kk4tl" <kk4tl@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1125536699.065360.175020@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> Jerry said
> << I hope it will be a good ''fest inspite of all the fuel troubles. >>
>
> Agreed, I hope it'll be business as usual. With Dayton spinning down,
> it's good to see Shelby still standing strong.
>
> For those coming up from I-85 south, I'd say top it off in the
> Greenville/Spartanburg/Gaffney area.
>
> For those coming in from I-85 north, better catch some no later than
> Gastonia or Belmont just before you turn off of I-85 onto Hwy 74.
>
> For either situation there's convenience stores and/or truck stops at
> many exits.

Today, there are a "fair" amount of 'festers on site with the camper section near 74 Business full. The guy next to me is from New York, so some aren't afraid to travel. The Exxon out there on 74 and 74 Business had their gas at $3.39 per gallon! Petros in Gastonia 10 cent cheaper.

IMHO, this is nothing but a lousy attempt to take advantage of one situation and "claim" their huge price increases are valid; it is a GOUGE that I hope BACKFIRES on the oil companies. It's time for consumers to simply NOT buy for a few days and see what happens. Of course, I suspect the gas price will "mysteriously" begin to drop after the Labor Day holiday disguised as refineries being "repaired" (how concidental that they get repaired right after Labor Day because they can "hide" under the disaster.) I hope they CHOKE on their ill-gotten profits! :(Me, except for attending the hamfes)t, I am sitting at home until the SOB's rot; I can WALK to the grocery store if I have to!

Jerry
>

4052. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 22:54:40 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.im5lz4b.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 13775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

On Thu, 1 Sep 2005 18:21:53 -0400, Jerry wrote:

>Ah Ha! But there will be *some* of us still around until of course all us
>geezers kick the bucket. Then they' re on their own.

There's a bunch of teen-agers in our local radio club who think that
Morse is "Reel Kewl" because their non-ham friends can't read it.....

Old geezers (like us) never die - we just pass the key to the young
whipper-snappers.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane
(Orig, call sign 53 years ago)

4053. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 23:35:43 UTC
From: Lawrence Statton N1GAK/XE2 <lawrence@hummer.not-here.net>
Message-ID: <x7br3cl5tc.fsf@hummer.i-did-not-set--mail-host-address--so-shoot-me>
Source record: 13776
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"Jerry" <joxendi@bellsouth.net> writes:

> IMHO, this is nothing but a lousy attempt to take advantage of one
> situation and "claim" their huge price increases are valid; it is a
> GOUGE that I hope BACKFIRES on the oil companies.

Well -- I agree that the price bump in the last few days is
suspicious. On the other hand, consider the following:

o Forty percent of the nations refinery capacity is at an absolute
standstil.

o The main pipeline feeding the entire eastern half of the US for
what refined products ARE available in storage terminals is running
at less than 30% capacity.

o The Gulf Coast has the landing terminals for 50% of all crude oil
consumed by the US.

o Every agency on the ground says it will be *weeks* before things
are back to normal.

Everything we learned in high-school economics tells us: Prices are
going to rise. I fear that it is going to get worse before it gets
better. If it makes you feel any better, buy energy stock.

> It's time for consumers to simply NOT buy for a few days and see
> what happens.

Well, the trick is not to move your purchase decision - a deferred
purchase is still a purchase. The trick is to actually lower
consumption -- something that, for good or for bad, my countrymen have
not shown a great interest in for decades.

> Of course, I suspect the gas price will "mysteriously" begin to drop
> after the Labor Day holiday disguised as refineries being "repaired"
> (how concidental that they get repaired right after Labor Day
> because they can "hide" under the disaster.)

I cannot believe someone wrote that - Do you honestly suspect the oil
industry conspired to make a hurricane happen near a busy travelling
weekend? Sometimes an amazing coincidence is just a coincidence.

Reminds me "And the second gangster says to the third, `but how were
you able to arrange a flood?' ... " [1]

> Me, except for attending the hamfes)t, I am sitting at home until
> the SOB's rot; I can WALK to the grocery store if I have to!

A great idea all the time -- good for one's health, good for the
environment. Now if we just had urban planning that put the grocery
stores a teeny bit closer to where we lived ...

Of course, I live down in XE land, so we have abundant cheap gasoline
(US $2.15 at current exchange rates) and I have three grocery stores
within a five minute walk of my house.

> Jerry

73

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Lawrence Statton - lawrenabae@abaluon.abaom s/aba/c/g
Computer software consists of only two components: ones and
zeros, in roughly equal proportions. All that is required is to
sort them into the correct order.

4054. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-01 23:55:59 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <43179522.C1A94287@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Lawrence Statton N1GAK/XE2 wrote:
>
> Of course, I live down in XE land, so we have abundant cheap gasoline
> (US $2.15 at current exchange rates) and I have three grocery stores
> within a five minute walk of my house.
>
> > Jerry

Good for you. The closest grocery to my house isa couple miles away.
It is down a busy highway with no place to walk, and I have to use a
cane so walking to the grocery is out of the question. Because of this
I try to arrange to stop at the grocery when I have to leave the house
for another reason.

As I always say, "We all have our bears to cross!" ;-)

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Link to my "Computers for disabled Veterans" project website deleted
after threats were telephoned to my church.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4055. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 00:03:51 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <431796FB.CBE0B6C1@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13778

"Percival P. Cassidy" wrote:
>
> The towers might have survived, but how long will/did their battery
> backup last?
>
> "Perce"
> (aka Alan NV8A)

Most of the cellular sites I've seen around here have backup
generators and fuel for 12 to 24 hours. Other areas may not have them,
but they should.

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after threats were telephoned to my church.

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4056. FA - CushCraft R-7 Traps - Ending Fri night

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 02:08:31 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125626911.069280.242890@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Traps, clamps, radial rods, X-Hat Rods, and many other misc parts for a

CushCraft R-7 multiband vertical.
Nearly new condition.
Good for a spare parts supply or a rebuild kit for the classic R-7
vertical.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803175879&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

4057. 36 volt solid state amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 03:52:43 UTC
From: Denton <denton@oregontrail.net>
Message-ID: <11hfj4b70etuh42@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13780

Hi all....
I was given a 36 volt, 24 amp battery charger. I haven't dug into the insides to see what it uses for a rectifier system, but am wonding if there are any solid state amps that would run on that kind of voltage..
Thanks in advance...

4058. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 05:04:10 UTC
From: Polymath <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1125637450.429645.31700@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What a lot of fuss about _NOTHING_ from you Yanks!

What has happened down south is exactly what you have
been meting out to the citizenry of Yugoslavia, of
Afghanistan and latterly of Iraq - the destruction
of the civilain infrastructure.

It's normal Yankland experience!

Serves you right for your illegal invasion of Iraq!

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> internet, no echo link, no communications.

4059. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 11:11:52 UTC
From: Scott <acepilot@bloomer.net>
Message-ID: <y6idnUyJwKHoroXeRVn-oQ@bright.net>
Source record: 13782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hmmm, I could have sworn I saw pictures of British troops in Iraq as
well. Oh well, maybe they were doctored photos...

Polymath wrote:

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>
> Serves you right for your illegal invasion of Iraq!
>

4060. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 12:10:27 UTC
From: Russ <carlzomer@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <73ggh1lnblt7m40a8lif0eot6g1059hg5v@4ax.com>
Source record: 13783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On 1 Sep 2005 22:04:10 -0700, "Polymath" <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
wrote:

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>Serves you right for your illegal invasion of Iraq!
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>Fred W4JLE wrote:
>> We all watched in amazement as New Orleans was relagated to the Stone Age.
>> All the wizz bang technology fell on it's hind parts. No cell phones, no
>> internet, no echo link, no communications.

Thanks, you worthless piece of crap. We note your caring attitude for
those in distress. Deep down, all socialists are violent, hate-filled
potential dictators. Oh, and Jerry Hollombe would be surprised at
your screen name. Polymath, indeed. Do you call yourself that
because you can actually count past three?

R

4061. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 12:21:09 UTC
From: Polymath <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1125663669.776144.205160@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Yup - it is/was an Axis Of Evil combining together the hypocrisy
of the religious loonies, Bush, Blair and Windsor.

Insofar as they contrived to send many young men to their
deaths, they're not a lot different to the Muslim loonies
directing all these suicidal youngsters.

Scott wrote:
> Hmmm, I could have sworn I saw pictures of British troops in Iraq as
> well. Oh well, maybe they were doctored photos...
> Polymath wrote:
> > What a lot of fuss about _NOTHING_ from you Yanks!
> > Serves you right for your illegal invasion of Iraq!

4062. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 12:22:22 UTC
From: Polymath <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1125663742.594980.56970@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Stupid boy.

Russ wrote:
> Thanks, you worthless piece of crap. We note your caring attitude for
> those in distress. Deep down, all socialists are violent, hate-filled
> potential dictators. Oh, and Jerry Hollombe would be surprised at
> your screen name. Polymath, indeed. Do you call yourself that
> because you can actually count past three?

4063. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 14:03:00 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <fred@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <e3b6f$43185bac$471c610a$31817@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13786
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

With all do respect, may I entice you to have an auto-erotic experience.

If we had not helped you during WW2, I would not be reading your trash as I do not understand German.

Regardless of your politics, to show such utter disregard for the suffering of the people is indicative of your anti US stance as opposed to your concern for humanity of any stripe.

But were you not a rabid mouth breather, you would know that.

"Polymath" <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk> wrote in message news:1125637450.429645.31700@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> What a lot of fuss about _NOTHING_ from you Yanks!
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> What has happened down south is exactly what you have
> been meting out to the citizenry of Yugoslavia, of
> Afghanistan and latterly of Iraq - the destruction
> of the civilain infrastructure.
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> It's normal Yankland experience!
>
> Serves you right for your illegal invasion of Iraq!
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> Fred W4JLE wrote:
> > We all watched in amazement as New Orleans was relagated to the Stone Age.
> > All the wizz bang technology fell on it's hind parts. No cell phones, no
> > internet, no echo link, no communications.
>

4064. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 14:12:36 UTC
From: Polymath <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1125670356.254742.160010@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Your challenge is rather silly and infantile.

Perhaps it is indicative of the malaise that
prepossesses Yankland when Yankland visits the
same style of destruction on the innocent
citizenry of the World?

You did not help me during WWII.

I am not showing "utter disregard for the suffering
of the people". Far from it, but your self-obsession
and the self-obsession of Yankland might lead you
to think so.

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> > > internet, no echo link, no communications.

4065. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 14:19:25 UTC
From: k <spam@uce.gov>
Message-ID: <NbZRe.348$Gh.110@tornado.socal.rr.com>
Source record: 13788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

If you or your ancestors were 'anywhere' in Europe in WWII, we sure as
hell did help you, dipshit!

"Polymath" <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk> wrote in message
news:1125670356.254742.160010@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
: Your challenge is rather silly and infantile.
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: Perhaps it is indicative of the malaise that
: preposseses Yankland when Yankland visits the
: same style of destruction on the innocent
: citizenry of the World?
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: You did not help me during WWII.
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: I am not showing "utter disregard for the suffering
: of the people". Far from it, but your self-obsession
: and the self-obsession of Yankland might lead you
: to think so.
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phones, no
: > > > internet, no echo link, no communications.
:

4066. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 14:30:24 UTC
From: Mike Lee <mldl21624@blueyonder.co.uk>
Message-ID: <4mZRe.1741$hv5.251@fe2.news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 13789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

k wrote:
> If you or your ancestors were 'anywhere' in Europe in WWII, we sure as
> hell did help you, dipshit!
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> news:1125670356.254742.160010@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> : Perhaps it is indicative of the malaise that
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> phones, no
> : > > > internet, no echo link, no communications.
> :
>
>
Lett`s all get along shall we, there is enough shit and crap going on in
this world.
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http://uk.geocities.com/swift240/mikes_page_1.html

4067. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 15:11:33 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <w5dxp@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1125674107_1921@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

k wrote:
> If you or your ancestors were 'anywhere' in Europe in WWII, we sure as
> hell did help you, dipshit!

Eastern Europeans might disagree. US intervention in WWII
enabled the creation of the Soviet Empire along with its
Iron Curtain.
--
73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4068. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 15:28:11 UTC
From: Polymath <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1125674891.930344.53600@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Your challenge is rather silly and infantile.

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4069. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 15:30:28 UTC
From: Polymath <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1125675028.665701.44960@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13792
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

A good point.

WWII was started by Britland with the express purpose
of dispersing the invaders from Poland, and yet the
war ended with invaders in Poland.

Therefore, Britland (and Yankland for all its pompous
posturing) _LOST_ WWII.

Cecil Moore wrote:
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> enabled the creation of the Soviet Empire along with its
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4070. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 18:27:51 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <zcCdnS3gyqJxBIXeRVn-sQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Polymath wrote:

> A good point.
>
> WWII was started by Britland with the express purpose
> of dispersing the invaders from Poland, and yet the
> war ended with invaders in Poland.

Who were NOT British, French, Belgian, Finnish, Irish, Canadian,
Scottish, Aussie, NZlanders, American or German.

If I recall ancient history, ca 1991, Poland is FREE!
>
> Therefore, Britland (and Yankland for all its pompous
> posturing) _LOST_ WWII.

German's surrended, NOT Brits or Yanks or the members of the above list.

Get your head out of the 'pint' and do REAL history!!

We love you anyway.

4071. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 19:55:49 UTC
From: microwaves@blueyonder.co.uk
Message-ID: <4318ad1a.871931361@news.blueyonder.co.uk>
Source record: 13794
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 02 Sep 2005 12:10:27 GMT, Russ <carlzomer@hotmail.com> wrote:

>On 1 Sep 2005 22:04:10 -0700, "Polymath" <aiyr.r.bean@lycos.co.uk>
>wrote:
>
>>What a lot of fuss about _NOTHING_ from you Yanks!
>>
>>What has happened down south is exactly what you have
>>been meting out to the citizenry of Yugoslavia, of
>>Afghanistan and latterly of Iraq - the destruction
>>of the civilain infrastructure.
>>

<Snip crap>
>
>Thanks, you worthless piece of crap. We note your caring attitude for
>those in distress. Deep down, all socialists are violent, hate-filled
>potential dictators. Oh, and Jerry Hollombe would be surprised at
>your screen name. Polymath, indeed. Do you call yourself that
>because you can actually count past three?
>
>R

Just ignore Plymath!

He is actually Gareth A. Evans, G4SDW of Chippenham, England. He is
obviously retarded in many ways as you can see..

I'm very sorry you folk in the USA have to read his garbage,
particularly in a situation like the hurriucane disaster.

Peter, G3PHO

4072. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-02 22:13:00 UTC
From: jm <nospam@garbagecan.com>
Message-ID: <Q64Se.32395$Tf5.23403@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 13795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Peter" <microwaves@blueyonder.co.uk> wrote in message
news:4318ad1a.871931361@news.blueyonder.co.uk...
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> He is actually Gareth A. Evans, G4SDW of Chippenham, England. He is
> obviously retarded in many ways as you can see..
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> I'm very sorry you folk in the USA have to read his garbage,
> particularly in a situation like the hurriucane disaster.
>
> Peter, G3PHO

We or at least "I" don't judge a whole country on the potty mouth of one.
We're still your friends and probably will be for life! It is sometimes hard
to ignore a$$ holes without defending oneself, but that truly is the best
course of conduct. Maybe one day he'll find himself in the midst of some
terrible plight and as he lays there suffering, he'll think back of all his
assinine words.

jm

jm

4073. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 00:49:24 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <inshh11oq61cp15brlk5ne6kek6ii8fgna@4ax.com>
Source record: 13796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Fri, 02 Sep 2005 14:27:51 -0400, Ham op <hamop@comcast.net> wrote:

>Polymath wrote:
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>> A good point.
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>> of dispersing the invaders from Poland, and yet the
>> war ended with invaders in Poland.
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>Who were NOT British, French, Belgian, Finnish, Irish, Canadian,
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>> Therefore, Britland (and Yankland for all its pompous
>> posturing) _LOST_ WWII.
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>German's surrended, NOT Brits or Yanks or the members of the above list.

France is in the list. France surrendered.

>
>Get your head out of the 'pint' and do REAL history!!
>
>We love you anyway.

4074. Re: FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 01:44:12 UTC
From: Chameleon <nobody@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <4uvhh11q4djh7t1noo70ha2bm7q69aalr4@4ax.com>
Source record: 13798
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Someone got a DEAL there for $83.00 (if it works)

On 30 Aug 2005 09:14:54 -0700, "Mark Petereit"
<Google@You-and-Improved.com> wrote:

>Silent Key Auction for Herb Petereit, W0AFY. If you knew Herb, you knew
>that he was one of the "old timers". One of his first jobs after moving
>to Omaha, Nebraska, in the 60's was building Galaxy V's at World Radio.
>He knew his gear inside and out, knew how everything worked, and took a
>lot of pride in keeping everything running in top shape. For many HAMS
>in the Omaha area in the 70's and 80's, Herb was the guy to go to when
>you needed help.
>
>Herb passed away on Veteran's Day, November 11th, 2003, after a severe
>bout of pneumonia. He was 71 years old.
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>
>
>This auction is for a very nice Icom IC-211 VHF transceiver. This rig
>covers 144.00 thru 148.000mhz. It has the built in A/C power supply but
>can also work off DC. Power out is: SSB, 10 watts, CW, 10 watts, FM 1
>to 10 watts. Controls include: mic. Gain, RF power, power SW., squelch,
>AF gain, mode SW., RF gain, VFO, RIT, NB, AGC, rec/transmit, vox, dim
>switch, tuning, tuning speed button, dial lock, freq. display, rec.
>indicator, dial lock indicator, trans. ind, discriminator meter,
>multi-func. meter. The back has jacks for a scope, ext. spkr., dc
>input, memory sw., acc. jack, key jack.
>
>Being that I am not an amateur radio operator, I really don't have any
>good way to test this. However, I did plug in an A/C power cord and it
>powers up with the meters and frequency LED's illuminated. A/C power
>cord is included.
>
>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5804209865

4075. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 01:49:38 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <fred@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <537e1$43190139$471c610a$4294@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thank you Peter, we have our share of buttheads here as well. We well understand his type. Here it is folks that are blaming the whole deal on George Bush.

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"Peter" <microwaves@blueyonder.co.uk> wrote in message
news:4318ad1a.871931361@news.blueyonder.co.uk...
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>
> He is actually Gareth A. Evans, G4SDW of Chippenham, England. He is
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> Peter, G3PHO

4076. Re: FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 03:52:01 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <697ih1tgbtq22vdonoi08vp21vqnlm9dnu@4ax.com>
Source record: 13799
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

On Sat, 03 Sep 2005 01:44:12 GMT, Chameleon <nobody@nowhere.com>
wrote:

>Someone got a DEAL there for $83.00 (if it works)

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4077. Re: FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 04:29:53 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <0i9ih1h7ss0nao6hpuvrqbpo9maqqt65hn@4ax.com>
Source record: 13800

On Fri, 02 Sep 2005 20:52:01 -0700, Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
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it still looks brand new.

Dick - W6CCD

4078. FA: HT-750 Portable 16-Channel Unit, w/Charger & Speaker/Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 05:22:52 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <MqaSe.4522$mH.3024@fed1read07>
Source record: 13801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: HT-750 Portable 16-Channel Unit, w/Charger & Speaker/Microphone

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7542079477&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4079. FA: Two SP50's for parts uhf models

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 05:24:36 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <osaSe.4523$mH.477@fed1read07>
Source record: 13802
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Two SP50's for parts uhf models

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7542169080&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4080. FA: HT1000 UHF 403-470 16-Channels w/Speaker/Mic & Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 05:27:53 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <tvaSe.4524$mH.3632@fed1read07>
Source record: 13803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: HT1000 UHF 403-470 16-Channels w/Speaker/Mic & Charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7542067509&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4081. FA: Pair of HT-750 Walkie-Talkie Radios-UHF Band-Remote Spkr/mic's & Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 05:32:39 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <XzaSe.4526$mH.3202@fed1read07>
Source record: 13804
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Pair of HT-750 Walkie-Talkie Radios-UHF Band-Remote Spkr/mic's & Chargers

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7543319488&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4082. FA: CP-100 UHF w/Case & NI-MH Battery

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 05:37:26 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <IFaSe.4527$mH.869@fed1read07>
Source record: 13805
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: CP-100 UHF w/Case & NI-MH Battery

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7542150396&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4083. FA: Military Type Headset w/Boom Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 05:45:00 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <wLaSe.4529$mH.3937@fed1read07>
Source record: 13806
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: Military Type Headset w/Boom Microphone

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7541319983&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4084. oscillator problem: pulling crystal abt 500 Hz in LT2S SSB Electronics -transverter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 08:02:06 UTC
From: Pasi <tuomi@sci.fi>
Message-ID: <dfbl9ofpi1@phys-news1.kolumbus.fi>
Source record: 13807

I have SSB Electronics transverter LT2S. Its 116 MHz crystal oscillator is about 500 Hz off the frequency eg. running somewhere 116 000, 500 kHz. How could this be tuned to pulled 116 MHz? Or is even impossible/too hard to do?

See picture http://www.g1ogy.com/projects/LT2S/page13.jpg

The oscillator is T1/Q1 I am talking about. Any ideas, any help?

73 Pasi, oh2pt, tuomi@sci.fi

4085. Ending Sat Night - SANGEAN ATS-803A - Near Mint

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 10:57:26 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125745045.977557.299220@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803441034&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

4086. Ending Sat Night - CushCraft MN-7 for R-7 Vertical

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 10:59:24 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1125745164.874624.309130@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13809
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

New One
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803166535&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Parts Unit
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5803169759&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

4087. FA: Vintage tubes, Kenwood Charger, R-390A parts+ MUCH MORE!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 14:21:23 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <FjiSe.1778$Rd7.890@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13810
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Here is the Entire list on Ebay.
Some stuff ends tomorrow nite, Nothing expensive but NO JUNK Either, pse
check it all out>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4088. Re: FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 14:55:51 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <vudjh19faa2kpk1ki67jalhcetfnqscugt@4ax.com>
Source record: 13811

On Fri, 02 Sep 2005 21:29:53 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

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synthesizer module was hopelessly unreliable, especially while mobile
in motion.

4089. Re: FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 15:08:46 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <cjejh1drh75ugklaatomcos6kc1sp0kglp@4ax.com>
Source record: 13812

On Sat, 03 Sep 2005 07:55:51 -0700, Wes Stewart <n7ws_@*yahoo.com>
wrote:

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The IC-211 wasn't really suitable as a mobile, even though Icom did
provide a mount for it. That's why they came out with the IC-245/SSB.
You need to remember that the IC-211 was the first radio of that type
ever produced. You can't compare the ham radio technology of the 70's
with what is available today. For its time, the IC-211 was an amazing
radio. As was the IC-701 which I also have in pristine condition.

Dick - W6CCD

4090. Motorola HMN3596A mic pinout

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 18:33:45 UTC
From: "Wolfgang K. Mygett" <please.no@mail.com>
Message-ID: <q0rjh19l8s0u7jb5eou588p7e0qlnmkh66@4ax.com>
Source record: 13813

Hi all,

can someone please help with the pinout
of the RJ45 connector of the Motorola HMN3596A mic?

Thanks in advance
Wolfgang

4091. HELP ON YAESU FT-7400 or FT-2400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 20:33:52 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HMnSe.1226$YC1.264@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13814
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap

Hi all, I have a Yaesu FT-7400, which is a 440 mobile radio.
Any one have a clue how to adjust the LCD back lighting, or turn it off
or on??

The FT-2400 is the 2 meter version.

THANKS FOR YOUR HELP!!!

4092. Re: FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 20:49:59 UTC
From: Bill Janssen <billj9@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <X%nSe.120$am.38@news01.roc.ny>
Source record: 13815

Wes Stewart wrote:

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>in motion.

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I found that there were a few rivets used for "through hole" connection
to connect traces on
one side to the other near the synthesizer. I soldered those and the
synthesizer worked better.
Mi 211 sets on the shelf with a broken switch :-(

Bill k7NOM

4093. Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 21:50:20 UTC
From: Ugly Hamfest Bums <dirtystinkinhams@noarrl.net>
Message-ID: <b14e8$431a1aa7$d1cc57ad$13562@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 13816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

I can't believe how many scumbags there
are profiteering off of Katrina on e-Bay
right now !!

Alot of them say that some of the proceeds will
go to Disaster relief when everyone knows these
fat smelly opportunistic bastards won't send one single
dime in to any charity anytime or anywhere and will
just pocket the proceeds and walk away laughing.

I knew these gypsy dealers we all used to see at the hamfests
each and every year were lowlifes and scumbags, but this really
takes the cake and the silverware! What a bunch of cheap ass
lying bastadts !!!!

(Wonder how may of em are pulling the same crap on the
many other swap-and-shop boards?? Not all hams do this
of course but the ones who are really stink like shi+ - disgusted.)

4094. Re: Re: FA: ICOM IC-211 VHF TRANCEIVER - NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 21:56:57 UTC
From: Chamberpot <nobody@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <bv6kh1hounk0cp0phdr05l9s4g018j8d21@4ax.com>
Source record: 13817
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap

Unlucky saps!

Mine always worked fine! Made SSB DX contacts over 1,000 miles with
it.

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4095. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-03 23:28:52 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <njqSe.3189$L86.948@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:43179522.C1A94287@earthlink.net...
> Lawrence Statton N1GAK/XE2 wrote:
>>
>> Of course, I live down in XE land, so we have abundant cheap gasoline
>> (US $2.15 at current exchange rates) and I have three grocery stores
>> within a five minute walk of my house.
>>
>> > Jerry
>
>
> Good for you. The closest grocery to my house isa couple miles away.
> It is down a busy highway with no place to walk, and I have to use a
> cane so walking to the grocery is out of the question. Because of this
> I try to arrange to stop at the grocery when I have to leave the house
> for another reason.
>
> As I always say, "We all have our bears to cross!" ;-)
>
> --
> Link to my "Computers for disabled Veterans" project website deleted
> after threats were telephoned to my church.
>
> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

Indeed, there are not so drastic measures consumers can take. Of course,
when the price of a commodity rises beyond the price the public as a whole
is willing to pay, then the demand falls with an often matching fall in the
price. If we just stop in our harried schedule to think, "Wait a sec. Is
THIS trip really necessary?" Or, "Can I combine this with an other errand
tomorrow". If we made a conscious effort and goal of saving ONE gallon a
week in our own driving, how much would that impact the demand for fuel?
One gallon--even two--for every vehicle in the USA saved. How about a more
ambitious goal? One gallon per DAY=5 gals per workweek X how many drivers on
the road at a time = what? Of COURSE, there are trips and business that must
be made/done. OTH, how many times do you just hop in the car without a
second thought to run down to the Radio Shack and pass the SAME store the
next day going to the grocery store? How about slowing down to 55-60
instead of 70 per?
How many Escalades do we see each day with ONE person when we could carpool
to work (some DO carpool but there are untold numbers that "prefer" to have
their car to themselves Heck, I press in the clutch on my little truck and

coast down long hills often maintaining 55 while the engine is idling at 600 RPM; at steady state, the engine is at 1700 @ 55, 2100 @ 70. If I don't just HAVE to go, I will just stay at home, piddle in my shop and watch TV. We ALL have to do a little to prevent the profiteers from taking advantage of our spoiled habits of yore. I KNEW "them" Surburbans" would come back to bite us eventually!! :)

J

4096. WTB: Radio Shack DX-398

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 00:53:23 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <ubhkh11smj8g5q258e7nvt1srs0vbmukof@4ax.com>
Source record: 13819

WTB: Radio Shack DX-398
Please leave price and condition through email.
ritchi50@optonline.net

4097. Re: Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 01:12:58 UTC
From: jm <nospam@garbagecan.com>
Message-ID: <zRrSe.32468$Tf5.25136@newsread1.mlpsca01.us.to.verio.net>
Source record: 13820
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

"Ugly Hamfest Bums" <dirtystinkinhams@noarrl.net> wrote in message
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Are you "sure" about that? Somewhere in the news I heard that E-Bay was
setting up a program where the proceeds from sales could be sent directly to
them to be put toward the relief effort! Maybe the sales of these items ARE
for this purpose. "I" could be wrong but that is a possibility.

jm

4098. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 02:29:34 UTC
From: VOA SWLer <Reply_Here@bogus.com>
Message-ID: <qeGdnUhUcL2TwYfeRVn-gQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

kk4tl wrote:

> Channel 13 - WLOS TV in Asheville, NC is reporting that a number of gas
> stations in WNC are closing down due to an outage at the supplier's
> terminal in Spartanburg, SC. The terminal outage is said to last 3
> days or so.
>
> Just a heads up - if you're going to Shelby this weekend, might wanna
> keep 'er topped off as you travel through the affected areas. Just got
> this clip from http://www.wlos.com./
>

If anyone is using diesel, the local Giant food store here in Laurel, Maryland is selling their brand name vegetable oil and Crisco oil in bottles of a little over two quarts (as of September 2) on sale. It works out to be about $3.10 per gallon.

(Today, diesel fuel here was priced at +/- $3.65 per gallon.)

A friend of mine is using Crisco in his diesel powered Dodge Ram 2500 pickup truck.

He says he gets 25 to 27+ mpg on the highway (about 10% less than diesel fuel), vegetable oil provides better lubrication for the fuel injectors than diesel fuel and it doesn't stink of diesel. He says the diesel engine exhaust smells like McDonald's french fries.
:-)

4099. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 02:39:07 UTC
From: -ex- <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <7b541$431a5e4e$4232bd79$22344@COQUI.NET>
Source record: 13822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

VOA SWLer wrote:

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I wonder if Mel-Fry would be better? Sure makes better fries!

-Bill

4100. Gaithersburg, MD (Washington, DC) Hamfest - Sept 10 - Sept 11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 02:49:52 UTC
From: VOA SWLer <Reply_Here@bogus.com>
Message-ID: <deudnW-hL75N_YfeRVn-2A@comcast.com>
Source record: 13823
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

The 2005 MD/DC ARRL Section Convention will be held at FARFest
on Saturday, September 10 and Sunday, September 11 at the
Montgomery County Agricultural Center (Fairgrounds) in
Gaithersburg, MD.

For more information, click on:

<http://farfest.org/>

It's the only place to be on September 10th and 11th, 2005!

4101. Re: HELP ON YAESU FT-7400 or FT-2400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 03:32:23 UTC
From: Lennie <NoName@anon>
Message-ID: <dfdppm$an4$0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 13824
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap

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news:HMnSe.1226$YC1.264@fe08.lga...
Hi all, I have a Yaesu FT-7400, which is a 440 mobile radio.
Any one have a clue how to adjust the LCD back lighting, or turn it off
or on??

The FT-2400 is the 2 meter version.

THANKS FOR YOUR HELP!!!

My FT 2400 has no adjustments for the LCD. It is supposed to be automatic.
For instance. When the ambient light is bright, the LCD is supposed to get
brighter. Conversely, when it is dark, the readout becomes dimmer. This is a
stupid design flaw that, fortunately, Yaesu corrected with the FT 2500.
Another common problem with the 2400 is that the freq. selector knob often
malfunctions and either skips step up and step down, or fails to work
altogether. You will then have to use the Up Down keys on the mic.

4102. Re: Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 04:49:31 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96C6DE0F34D61spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 13825
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

> I can't believe how many scumbags there
> are profiteering off of Katrina on e-Bay
> right now !!
>
> Alot of them say that some of the proceeds will
> go to Disaster relief when everyone knows these
> fat smelly opportunistic bastards won't send one single
> dime in to any charity anytime or anywhere and will
> just pocket the proceeds and walk away laughing.

Before you blow a gasket, check to see if any listing in question has a
little blue ribbon by it. Per Ebay, (http://givingworks.ebay.com/)
there is a valid contribution campaign available.

Ed K7AAT

4103. need pinout of Motorola HMN3596A mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 07:23:31 UTC
From: "Wolfgang K. Mygett" <please.no@mail.com>
Message-ID: <t58lh11k4pmgbobaaumbmq13803c3b4r7g@4ax.com>
Source record: 13826

Hi all,

can someone please help with the pinout
of the RJ45 connector of the Motorola HMN3596A mic?

Thanks in advance
Wolfgang
OE1MWW

4104. Re: Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 12:36:45 UTC
From: MS <ms@ms.org>
Message-ID: <nhqlh1lm1707k7bbd72o07cd8rems6a449@4ax.com>
Source record: 13827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sat, 3 Sep 2005 17:50:20 -0400, "Ugly Hamfest Bums"
<dirtystinkinhams@noarrl.net> wrote:

>What a bunch of cheap ass lying bastadts !!!!

bastadts?

4105. Re: Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 13:11:51 UTC
From: "John L. Sielke" <w2agn@NOSPAMw2agn.net>
Message-ID: <431AF297.6040702@NOSPAMw2agn.net>
Source record: 13828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

MS wrote:
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>
> bastadts?
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That's an illiterate bastard.

4106. Re: Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 13:13:33 UTC
From: "John L. Sielke" <w2agnNOSPAM@w2agn.net>
Message-ID: <431AF2FD.1040402@w2agn.net>
Source record: 13829
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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> bastadts?
>
That's an illiterate bastard.

4107. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 14:08:33 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <FrCdnZgPkqJ-YofeRVn-pQ@rcn.net>
Source record: 13830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

-ex- wrote:
> VOA SWLer wrote:
>
>
>>
>> If anyone is using diesel, the local Giant food store here in Laurel,
>> Maryland is selling their brand name vegetable oil and Crisco oil in
>> bottles of a little over two quarts (as of September 2) on sale. It
>> works out to be about $3.10 per gallon.
>>
>> (Today, diesel fuel here was priced at +/- $3.65 per gallon.)
>>
>> A friend of mine is using Crisco in his diesel powered Dodge Ram 2500
>> pickup truck.
>>
>> He says he gets 25 to 27+ mpg on the highway (about 10% less than
>> diesel fuel), vegetable oil provides better lubrication for the fuel
>> injectors than diesel fuel and it doesn't stink of diesel. He says
>> the diesel engine exhaust smells like McDonald's french fries.
>> :-)
>
>
> I wonder if Mel-Fry would be better? Sure makes better fries!
>
> -Bill

Do a search on SVO (straight vegetable oil). It is a good match for most diesels, but it usually won't start the engine, and at room temperature is borderline too thick to safely pass through the injectors. The solution to these problems is to start the engine on diesel, and use the engine coolant to preheat the SVO. When the engine is up to temperature, switch to SVO. When you are a couple of miles from the end of your trip, switch back to diesel (to clear the filters, pumps and lines of SVO)

Also, if your friend doesn't want to have to fill his truck bed with empty VO bottles, he can buy the stuff in 55 gallon plastic barrels for a much reduced price.

-Chuck

OBTW, using SVO in an on-the-road vehicle is illegal both federally, and in most states, as you aren't paying the required per gallon road taxes. The road taxes amount to about $1 per gallon of the price of fuel. It is also illegal to run a hybrid using a battery charger, for the same reason... non commercial use is unlikely to be

caught in the near term, however. As SVO becomes more popular, I am sure that the local constabulary will find ample time to pull over any vehicle that smells like a fryer. The fines for running untaxed motor fuel on the road are very steep.

4108. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 14:47:54 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <dff1eq$r38$1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 13831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

VOA SWLer <Reply_Here@bogus.com> wrote:
>A friend of mine is using Crisco in his diesel powered Dodge Ram 2500 pickup truck.
>
>He says he gets 25 to 27+ mpg on the highway (about 10% less than diesel fuel),
>vegetable oil provides better lubrication for the fuel injectors than diesel
>fuel and it doesn't stink of diesel. He says the diesel engine exhaust smells
>like McDonald's french fries.

It's acidic enough that it will eventually corrode the fuel injectors
if he does this for too long without adding some buffering or cutting it
with diesel. But that should be fine to get us through the current
shortage.

Likewise my local paint store is selling VM&P naptha for around $2/gal.
A gasoline engine won't run on it alone terribly well, but you can cut
gasoline with it without any harm. (Admittedly I say this as a guy
with a car that predates catalytic converters).

Hmm... what are alcohol prices slike?
--scott

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"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

4109. FA SP-600 Cabinet and WWII radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 15:50:52 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <qJESe.18071$7f5.12568@okepread01>
Source record: 13832

Please see my auctions for a very nice original Hammarlund SP-600 Cabinet
and several New WWII radios including BC-457A and BC-459A, and T-21/ARC5.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4110. FS TS-440SAT and IC-10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 16:01:08 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <3TESe.18076$7f5.10998@okepread01>
Source record: 13833

I have a good working Kenwood TS-440SAT for sale. It includes the optional IC-10 which allows computer assisted control of various transceiver functions via the IF-232C interface. I have the original box, manuals, and power cord. There is some wear on the front panel around the Trim Ring of the Front Panel.
The Front Panel and the rest of the cabinet look good. Price is $375 plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4111. FS TS-450SAT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 16:11:05 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <o0FSe.18079$7f5.3951@okepread01>
Source record: 13834

FS Kenwood TS-450SAT HF Transceiver in nice working condition. It comes with the original manual and power cable. There is some wear around the Trim Ring of the front panel, but overall looks good. Cabinet looks almost perfect. Price is $475. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4112. FS MFJ 259 Antenna Analyzer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 18:22:40 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <LXGSe.18084$7f5.12518@okepread01>
Source record: 13835

I have for sale a clean MFJ Model 259 Antenna Analyzer. It works great, but needs a battery case. The one that came with it fall apart like many of them do.
It can be operated from an external power source like a wallwort, not included. This unit comes with the original box and a copy of the manual.
Price is $125 plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4113. Re: Gaithersburg, MD (Washington, DC) Hamfest - Sept 10 - Sept 11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 18:36:40 UTC
From: Scott in Baltimore <sDcOoNtTtS_PuAnMiMtE_69@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <I7Gdnf0Cx50zo4beRVn-tQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13836
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

VOA SWLer wrote:
> The 2005 MD/DC ARRL Section Convention will be held at FARFest
> on Saturday, September 10 and Sunday, September 11 at the
> Montgomery County Agricultural Center (Fairgrounds) in
> Gaithersburg, MD.
>
> For more information, click on:
>
> <http://farfest.org/>
>
> It's the only place to be on September 10th and 11th, 2005!
>

Who can afford the gas to drive there from here?

4114. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-04 22:18:10 UTC
From: Rich Myer <n8fgb@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <H-ednZ2dnZ2qFBOYnZ2dnQrvht6dnZ2dRVn-yJ2dnZ0@comcast.com>
Source record: 13837
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Yes
"laborkei" <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:JyiRe.2664$xw1.1794@bignews6.bellsouth.net...
>I have been watching wwltv.com and wdsutv.com on the Internet.
> I keep hearing about the lack of emergency services to communicate.
> Does anyone know if any Amateur Operators are being engaged to assist?
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> --
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>

4115. Re: Gaithersburg, MD (Washington, DC) Hamfest - Sept 10 - Sept 11

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 00:52:18 UTC
From: Straydog <asdf@panix.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.63.0509042051560.6194@panix1.panix.com>
Source record: 13838
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 4 Sep 2005, Scott in Baltimore wrote:

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> Who can afford the gas to drive there from here?
>

Guys who are rich. ;-)

4116. FA: 4 Books - HAM RADIO - AMATEUR RADIO - QST - ARRL - Now You're Talking, FCC Rule Book, General License, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 01:38:09 UTC
From: Joe <joe@jslkjdfoiuwer.com>
Message-ID: <040920052138096210%joe@jslkjdfoiuwer.com>
Source record: 13839
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5805903236

4117. Re: ic-751a

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 01:49:50 UTC
From: Gene Rodgers <oldcodger@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <2vNSe.13049$B34.8070@trnddc09>
Source record: 13840

10 watts max to .5 watt minimum.

"nn" <nn@nn.nn> wrote in message news:df3vsj$5qh$1@phys-news1.kolumbus.fi...
> Hello everyone,
>
> Does anyone know what is the power level that comes from RF-unit (Q14)
> to the PA-module? I am askin because the transverter output in the rig has
> too low output for LT2S. This might be one solution.
>
> In message:
>
> http://groups.google.com/group/rec.radio.amateur.equipment/browse_thread/thread/fc84761a
a845763e/81d13c9437582a2c?lnk=st&q=ic751+transverter&rnum=1&hl=en#81d13c9437582a2c
>
> Gary says that in ic-735 this is just perfect 5 mW. But how about ic-751a
> same signal, what is the power level? Any ideas ?
>
>
>
>

4118. WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 01:54:24 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <aa9nh19l20ijlh2g56v5oej21bckgmpm89@4ax.com>
Source record: 13841

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WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver
Please leave condion and price email.
Rich NJ
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4119. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 02:11:57 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3o1nrcF3pr5mU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13842
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

VX5R YEASU BLACK 5W 6/2/4.5W440HT---------------------$ SOLD
FNB58LI 1200MAH LI-POLYMER
FBA23 YEASU 2 AA CELL BATTERY CASE
CD15A YEASU CHGR STAND
VX5R is like new as are all the accessories.
Both battery packs accept a full charge.
The antenna is also complete with end-cap
and 6M add-on.
Comes complete plus box and manual.

Standard C468A LNIB-------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

4120. FS Dual Band HTs Cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 03:45:39 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <wbPSe.18844$7f5.12408@okepread01>
Source record: 13843

I have the following HTs for sale. They are from an estate and have been stored for years. They work great, but the batteries have gone bad.
1. Kenwood TH-77A Dual Band 2/440 HT, BC-11 Rapid Desk Charger, SMC-33 Speaker Mic, 4 Batteries(Weak), Original boxes for the HT and Desk Charger. Copy of Manual, Good Operating condition, just needs battery or rebuild the old ones, Price $135;
2. Icom IC-32AT Dual Band 2/440 HT, BC-35 Rapid Desk Charger, IC-DC1 DC Adaptor, HM-46 Speaker Mic, 4 Batteries(Weak), Good Condition, just needs Battery or rebuild old ones, Copy of the Manual, Price $135;
3. Icom IC-2AT 2 meter HT, 2 Batteries(Weak), copy of the manual, Works great, $35
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4121. Gulf Coast Communication Restoration Group-

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 04:18:36 UTC
From: restore_com@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1125893916.680890.216760@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13844

Gulf Coast Communication Restoration Group-

Gulf Coast Communication Restoration Group (GCCRW) is tasked to provide "Real Time" information and coordination for the on going Communication Restoration effort on the Gulf Coast.

This Group is for all Wired and Wireless Communication Professionals.

Carrier representatives are encouraged to join to disseminate or collect information to expedite restoration efforts. GCCRW will serve as a "Clearing House" for those on the ground in the Gulf Coast by linking companies together.

Communication Companies and Communication Professionals should -

1) Identify themselves
2) Indicate Communication Expertise
3) Manpower Available
4) Contact information (Telephone Number, Email, Wireless Number)

Subscribe:

GulfCoastCommunicationRestorationGroup-subscribe@yahoogroups.com

Post message:

GulfCoastCommunicationRestorationGroup@yahoogroups.com

Home Page-

http://finance.groups.yahoo.com/group/GulfCoastCommunicationRestorationGroup

4122. Re: Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 08:32:06 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <ri0oh1tlhnb2h0o5j73rushrcsha5imi3v@4ax.com>
Source record: 13845
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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><dirtystinkinhams@noarrl.net> wrote:
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>>What a bunch of cheap ass lying bastadts !!!!
>
>bastadts?

Go to the head of the class -- you actually found a
misspelling on usenet. Do you do any other tricks?

4123. Re: Hamfest bums on e-bay profiteering on Katrina ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 10:06:09 UTC
From: Cribbie <nune@anon.uz>
Message-ID: <dfh57u$8qe$0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 13846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

<kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
news:ri0oh1tlhnb2h0o5j73rushrcsha5imi3v@4ax.com...
On Sun, 04 Sep 2005 12:36:45 GMT, MS <ms@ms.org> wrote:

>On Sat, 3 Sep 2005 17:50:20 -0400, "Ugly Hamfest Bums"
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misspelling on usenet. Do you do any other tricks?
..

Nahhh...that's how people from the East Coast speak...

"bastadt" and Chappaquiddick...

4124. Motorola GP2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 12:41:48 UTC
From: Christopher O'Callaghan <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <dfheedcaj1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 13847

Hi,

Any idea if i can get a Case to put my motorola gp2000 into?

Thanks

Chris

4125. FA: Icom 900 Band Units LOTS!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 13:28:48 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <a0ioh1pfls16ak8f813hveachvrp47lj45@4ax.com>
Source record: 13648

FA: Icom 900 Band Units LOTS!!
Hi
The following band units on ebay going cheap.
28 Mhz
50 Mhz
144 Mhz
220 Mhz
440 Mhz
1200 Mhz
Go to ebay and in the serch engine type: Icom 900
And you'll see all the band units in seperate auctions.

4126. FA: Two Yaesu FT-470 HT's and SB-1 PTT Switch

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 18:55:57 UTC
From: tjd@notme.com
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-vmVowtkvrHvc@localhost>
Source record: 13649
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings:

I have 2 Yaesu FT-470 HT radios up for auction. They are being sold
separately. Also, I have an SB-1 Yaesu PTT swicth used with the
FT-207,208,404,708R series of radios, using the 6 pin round
speaker mic connection.

Please see:

<http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZve3tjd>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZve3tjd

Thanks, Tedd, VE3TJD

Note, if you are looking at both HT's, I offer combined shipping.

4127. GE LBI31233 FOR MPE MODELS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 20:14:15 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <11hp9on8hrhh9ce@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13650

FOR SALE

GE MAINTENANCE MANUAL LBI31233
FOR MPE SERIES PERSONAL RADIO

INCLUDES:

LBI4528K for PE/PY Models
138-174 MHz, 5-watt transmitter
Type KT-106-A & KT-107-A

LBI30000G for PE, MPE & Porta-Mobile II
150.8-174 MHZ Receiver Type ER-59-C

LBI31240B for MPE Models
Systems Board & Case Assembly 19D433414G1
5-freq w/Type 99 Decoder

LBI4679D for PE & Porta-Mobile II
Type 99 Decoder Model 4EJ21A11

Condition: New, unused, original manual

Price: $10.00 includes shipping via Media
Rate U.S. Mail to U.S. addressees in lower
48 states. No foreign sales.

Pay By: U.S. Postal Money Order

Return Policy: No return on this item.

Contact: Bob Carter, W5BTC dc2light@radix.net

4128. WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 21:25:32 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <7udph1hmv8f68ililrrvckcmk9ja1h7bmp@4ax.com>
Source record: 13651

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WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver
Please leave price and condition
through email or call me at 973-857-1195 NJ
Thanks Rich
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4129. LM-18 FREQUENCY METER POWER SUPPLY AC CABLE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 22:20:23 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <11hph57e6lq51c7@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13652

FOR SALE

AC POWER CABLE FOR LM-18 FREQUENCY METER
POWER SUPPLY

SALIENT CHARACTERISTICS

Length: Approx. 44 inches.

Cable: 2-conductor neoprene.

Connector 1: 2-conductor, 120VAC male plug.

Connector 2: 3-conductor female plug with
one key hole and one locking hole.
Markings: P-901, CLT-49232, Pin numbers 63, 64 & 65.
[MFR] Lundquist Worcester.

Condition: Used, very good.

Price: $10.00 includes shipping via U.S. Mail
to U.S. addressees in lower 48 states.
No foreign sales.

Pay By: U.S. Postal Money Order.

Return Policy: No return on this item.

Contact: Bob Carter, W5BTC dc2light@radix.net

4130. GE EM33D MICROPHONE FOR PORTA-MOBILE I

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-05 22:40:27 UTC
From: "Robert G. Carter" <dc2light@radix.net>
Message-ID: <11hpiargvrtf08b@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13653

FOR SALE

GE EM33D HAND MICROPHONE [BLUE-GREY]
FOR USE WITH PORTA-MOBILE I

Condition: Used, very good.

Price: $12.00 includes shipping via U.S. Mail
to U.S. addressees in lower 48 states.
No foreign sales.

Return Policy: No return on this item.

Contact: Bob Carter, W5BTC dc2light@radix.net

4131. WTT Bearcat 155XL desktop Scanner/FOR Broken Winchester 94 Rifle

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 00:37:14 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <3x5Te.35435$U63.12099@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13654

I have a good working Bearcat 16 channel scanner. I have it working on 2 meter and 440 mhz. Great for office or to listen to fire calls ETC..

I am looking for a BROKEN,,, RATTY MESSED up Winchester Lever gun. Model 94 would be great.. PARTS gun.. I am looking for a winter project..

Mike WB2GLW

4132. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 01:10:12 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <m_5Te.10025$VU6.4409@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13655
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"Chuck Harris" <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote in message
news:FrCdnZgPkqJ-YofeRVn-pQ@rcn.net...
> -ex- wrote:
>> VOA SWLer wrote:
>>
>>
>>>
>>> If anyone is using diesel, the local Giant food store here in Laurel,
>>> Maryland is selling their brand name vegetable oil and Crisco oil in
>>> bottles of a little over two quarts (as of September 2) on sale. It
>>> works out to be about $3.10 per gallon.
>>>
>>> (Today, diesel fuel here was priced at +/- $3.65 per gallon.)
>>>
>>> A friend of mine is using Crisco in his diesel powered Dodge Ram 2500
>>> pickup truck.
>>>
>>> He says he gets 25 to 27+ mpg on the highway (about 10% less than diesel
>>> fuel), vegetable oil provides better lubrication for the fuel injectors
>>> than diesel fuel and it doesn't stink of diesel. He says the diesel
>>> engine exhaust smells like McDonald's french fries.
>>> :-)
>>
>>
>> I wonder if Mel-Fry would be better? Sure makes better fries!
>>
>> -Bill
>
> Do a search on SVO (straight vegetable oil). It is a good match for most
> diesels, but it usually won't start the engine, and at room temperature is
> borderline too thick to safely pass through the injectors. The solution
> to these
> problems is to start the engine on diesel, and use the engine coolant to
> preheat
> the SVO. When the engine is up to temperature, switch to SVO. When you
> are
> a couple of miles from the end of your trip, switch back to diesel (to
> clear the
> filters, pumps and lines of SVO)
>
> Also, if your friend doesn't want to have to fill his truck bed with empty
> VO bottles, he can buy the stuff in 55 gallon plastic barrels for a much
> reduced

> price.
>
> -Chuck
>
> OBTW, using SVO in an on-the-road vehicle is illegal both federally, and
> in most
> states, as you aren't paying the required per gallon road taxes. The road
> taxes
> amount to about $1 per gallon of the price of fuel. It is also illegal to
> run a hybrid
> using a battery charger, for the same reason... non commercial use is
> unlikely to be
> caught in the near term, however. As SVO becomes more popular, I am sure
> that
> the local constabulary will find ample time to pull over any vehicle that
> smells like
> a fryer. The fines for running untaxed motor fuel on the road are very
> steep.

How about if I brew up some moonshine and run it in my '31 Model A Ford (hic, excuse me)? ;)

Jerry

4133. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 02:21:53 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <537Te.14143$xl6.12769@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13656
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Can you provide cites? I can't beleive that i would be breaking a law if
I drove a solar powered vehicle.

>>OBTW, using SVO in an on-the-road vehicle is illegal both federally, and
>>in most states, as you aren't paying the required per gallon road taxes. The road
>>taxes
>>amount to about $1 per gallon of the price of fuel. It is also illegal to
>>run a hybrid
>>using a battery charger, for the same reason... non commercial use is
>>unlikely to be
>>caught in the near term, however. As SVO becomes more popular, I am sure
>>that
>>the local constabulary will find ample time to pull over any vehicle that
>>smells like
>>a fryer. The fines for running untaxed motor fuel on the road are very
>>steep.
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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

4134. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 02:50:42 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <K4CdnUkEe-mZmYDeRVn-iQ@rcn.net>
Source record: 13657
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

THE-RFI-EMI-GUY wrote:
> Can you provide cites? I can't beleive that i would be breaking a law if
> I drove a solar powered vehicle.

Why can't you believe it? The states and feds want their road taxes even more than they want a solution to the fossil fuel problem.

Diesel for off the road tractors, and earth movers is untaxed, and is dyed red to make it obvious if a vehicle has ever used the stuff. (It stains the tank red, and the filters. Truckers get checked for this problem at weigh stations. On this I have first hand experience, as I run farm tractors, and earth moving equipment.

Here is a cite on that:

http://www.bizjournals.com/washington/stories/2003/06/23/daily27.html

-Chuck

4135. Re: Problem with TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 04:13:35 UTC
From: voluguru <penurius@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <PH8Te.8252$FW1.4157@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13658

You may have smoked the 20 ohm 1/2 watt final cathode resistors R2, R3, R4, R5. This can give the symptoms you describe, no output and pegged plate current reading. The plate current is not actually high, but the meter reads the voltage across the cathode resistors to display current, if they are open it reads very high. Be sure to use a non-metalic adjusting tool around the finals.

Good luck, the TS-830 is a fine old radio, I have had mine for 20 years and it is still doing its job for me.
-KJ4DU

"Chris" <va3ut@rac.ca> wrote in message
news:YU_Ae.3097$6e3.390452@news20.bellglobal.com...
> Thanks for reading this posting.
>
> I need some help from experts. My TS-830S stopped transmitting. It was
> working fine until few months ago, then it shows a little delay on
> transmit. When I pressed PTT, the first couple of seconds get cut off in
> the beginning. After this point, everything seems working fine with good
> power. I thought it was caused by faulty driver or final tubes, so I
> replaced all three tubes. After I replaced all three tubes, the symptom
> disappeared but I ran into a new problem.
>
> I was turning the TC1 trimmer to neutralize the final, and I saw a small
> sparks and smelled some burn. From this moment, no output power. When I
> turn the meter to Ip, it goes to infinite on transmit even if I try to
> adjust it using the BIAS pot. The voltage on the plate seems OK.
>
> Does anyone know what the problem might be? I think one of resisters or
> caps got burned but I can't see it since the board is under the chassis.
> Should I take it apart and check it out?
>
> Any input will be greatly appreciated. Thanks.
>
> Chris VA3UT
>

4136. Re: Problem with TS-830S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 13:01:55 UTC
From: wilbur <mr_ed@wilbur.com>
Message-ID: <431D9343.8E3F1006@wilbur.com>
Source record: 13659

hi,

You have rec'd good info, here is another
resource, come on over and join other
ts-5xx ts-8xx users !

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TS-520_820_530_830/

ed

4137. FA: ETO ALPHA VOMAX speech processor, ORIGINAL AUTEK QF-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 13:50:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Y8hTe.338$wH6.143@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13660
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

VOMAX
http://cgi.ebay.com/ETO-ALPHA-VOMAX-3C-SPLIT-BAND-LOGARITHMIC-SPEECH-PROC_W0QQitemZ5805045316QQcategoryZ1502QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

AUTEK
http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-AUTEK-QF-1-AUDIO-FILTER-AM-SSB-CW-110vac-NEAT_W0QQitemZ5805029550QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4138. FA: RCA WV-97A VTVM, WE TUNGAR RECTIGON TUBE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 13:53:06 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <8bhTe.339$wH6.11@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13661
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Big $9.99>
http://cgi.ebay.com/RCA-WV-97A-SENIOR-VOLTOHMYST-VTVM-METER-STILL-HANDY-NR_W0QQitemZ7543291823QQcategoryZ73159QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

No Bids, Rare & old Western Electric Rectigon>
http://cgi.ebay.com/WE-S-289416-D-TUNGAR-RECTIGON-RECTIFIER-TUBE-OLD-NR_W0QQitemZ5805045193QQcategoryZ73381QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4139. FA: 2-NEW Rare 3E29 tubes-OLD, TUNG-SOL 717A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 13:58:17 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <%fhTe.341$wH6.74@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13662
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

No Bids @$10>
http://cgi.ebay.com/TUNG-SOL-JAN-CTL-717A-VT-269-OCTAL-RADIO-TUBE-1941-WWII_W0QQitemZ5805045242QQcategoryZ73381QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-RARE-GENERAL-ELECTRONICS-DR-3E29-829B-TWIN-TUBE_W0QQitemZ5805045233QQcategoryZ48710QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4140. FA: Brand-New SPERRY DMM w/Case & Leads>Don't miss this one @$10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 13:59:35 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <chhTe.342$wH6.65@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13663
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/NEW-SPERRY-DM-4400A-DIGITAL-MULTIMETER-CASE-LEADS-INST_W0QQitemZ5805045256QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4141. FA: MORSE CODE TUTOR & M.C. JONES VHF MICROMATCH SWR METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 14:01:02 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <zihTe.343$wH6.130@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13664
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

both at $10>
http://cgi.ebay.com/MYSTERY-PROTOTYPE-MORSE-CODE-CW-TUTOR-NEAT-WORKING-NR_W0QQitemZ5805045266QQcategoryZ1502QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/M-C-JONES-MICROMATCH-VHF-UHF-SWR-METER-Remote-COUPLER_W0QQitemZ5805045282QQcategoryZ48701QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4142. FA: NICE HEATH IM-10 VTVM & Mint KENWOOD ST-1 Charger/Docking station ETC!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 14:03:24 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <NkhTe.344$wH6.49@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13665
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

This is a mere $13 & Mint>
http://cgi.ebay.com/KENWOOD-ST-1-BASE-STAND-CHARGER-DOCKING-STATION-NEAT-O_W0QQitemZ5805045297QQcategoryZ40067QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

No Bids on this @$10, tubes alone worth a bid>

http://cgi.ebay.com/HEATHKIT-IM-10-SERVICE-BENCH-VTVM-REALLY-NICE-ONE-NEAT_W0QQitemZ7543301853QQcategoryZ73159QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4143. Re: FA: MORSE CODE TUTOR & M.C. JONES VHF MICROMATCH SWR METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 15:18:06 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126019885.997763.83340@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13666
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

why seek to seel a Morse Code tutor in a CB group

4144. F.S. ICOM IC-751A HF XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:44 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <sBjTe.195051$5N3.189274@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13667
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Icom ic-751a hf xcvr, covers 160-10 meters, 100w's output, 500hz cw
filter. have handheld hm-36 mic, power cord
and manual. asking $450 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4145. F.S. ICOM IC-765 HF XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:44 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <sBjTe.195052$5N3.193093@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13668
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale Icom IC-765 xcvr w/SP-20 speaker and SM-6 desk mike.
have all boxes and manuals and copy of service manual.
rig has 2.4 and 500 hz filters built in supply and built in antenna tuner.
station works perfectly and looks good, asking $1100 picked up in Phila.

John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4146. F.S. KENWOOD TS-530S HF XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:45 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <tBjTe.195053$5N3.88797@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13669
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale Kenwood TS-530 s xcvr, works great looks great.
comes with MC-50 mic and manual. asking $350 picked up in phila.
John W3ayt w3ayt@arrl.net

4147. F.S. KENWOOD TS-940SAT HF XCVR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:46 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <uBjTe.195054$5N3.35483@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13670
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale a Kenwood ts-940sat xcvr, has yk88a am filter, yg-455c cw filter,
mc-60 microphone, sp-940 speaker.
equipment in nice shape, have manuals and boxes for ts-940 and sp-940.
asking $800 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4148. F.S. KENWOOD TL-922A LINEAR AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:46 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <uBjTe.195055$5N3.128771@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13673
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Kenwood TL-922a linear amp uses 2x 3-500z tubes.have original
shipping carton.
have not tested yet but will put on the air this weekend. if all goes well
will be asking $1000 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4149. F.S. AMERITRON AL-1200 LINEAR AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:47 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <vBjTe.195056$5N3.114004@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13674
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Forsale original black face Ameritron AL-1200 (pre mfj). this amp uses
3cx-1200a7 tube and easily does legal limit.
has peter dahl transformer, dayton blower, eimac tube, socket and
chimney.very nice with manual.
asking $1200 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4150. F.S. AEA PK-232MBX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:48 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <wBjTe.195058$5N3.65462@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13671
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.swap

forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
software. unit not working and I don't have time
to mess with it. asking $50 here in Phila., Pa. will ship if you pay
shipping. John

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John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4151. F.S. DRAKE WH-7 WATTMETER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:37:48 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <wBjTe.195057$5N3.35030@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13672
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Drake WH-7 Wattmeter. cabinet has been repainted flat black. has rubber feet on bottom.
comes with original manual. asking $70 shipped in the u.s. John

w3ayt@arrl.net

4152. FS Ham IV Cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 16:50:01 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <RMjTe.25132$7f5.9478@okepread01>
Source record: 13675

I have a CDE Ham IV Rotator for sale. It is complete with the rotator, control unit, and copy of the manual.The control box is the Black one. This Ham IV is going to need some work. The terminal strip on the rotator will need replacing and the bearings will need replacing also. They are rusted.
This one has been setting for several years. It was working at the time it was taken down. I plugged the control unit in and nothing blew, but the dial light is out.
Price is $125 shipped within the lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4153. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 17:48:47 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <431dd682$0$12851@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

"Fred W4JLE" <fred@w4jle.com> wrote
> The SOS and requests for help being transmitted on CW from an old tube
type
> rig go unanswered, as no one can understand code.

So, use TAP code. Everybody knows that .... don't they?

4154. Re: Motorola GP2000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 19:15:55 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <LVITe.16021$qY1.9101@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13677

Give Motorola parts a call, and they should have it in stock. Shouldn't be more than 20 or 30 dollars.

"Christopher O'Callaghan" <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie> wrote in message news:dfheedcaj1@reader01.news.esat.net...
> Hi,
>
> Any idea if i can get a Case to put my motorola gp2000 into?
>
> Thanks
>
> Chris
>

4155. FS: 10 Meter & CB Radio Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-06 20:51:29 UTC
From: Saleoasis <sales@saleoasisonline.com>
Message-ID: <1126039889.586024.280140@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13678

For all your 10 meter & CB Radio needs, check out our website at
http://www.saleoasisonline.com

4156. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 00:39:40 UTC
From: Jim - NN7K <nn7kexk7zfg@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <gFqTe.1185$eQ7.985@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Reminds me of the past, on the Novice bands, with the old A.M./C.W.
rigs-- when you forgot your morse, or the other guy couldnt copy
your fist -- Simply switch to A.M., grab the mic, and -- "WHAT I SAID
WAS----"! Seemed to work 40 years ago, if you didn't get caught!
Jim NN7K :)

Vito wrote:
> "Fred W4JLE" <fred@w4jle.com> wrote
>
>>The SOS and requests for help being transmitted on CW from an old tube
>
> type
>
>>rig go unanswered, as no one can understand code.
>
>
> So, use TAP code. Everybody knows that .... don't they?
>
>

4157. F.S. KENWOOD TL-922A LINEAR AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 01:09:00 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <M4rTe.197173$5N3.48386@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13681
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale Kenwood TL-922a linear amp uses 2x 3-500z tubes.have original
shipping carton.non-smoker and very little use, looks like new!
unit works great and looks great, if you are a kenwood collector this is the
one to own.
asking $1000 picked up in Phila.,Pa. John

--
John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4158. AEA PK-232MBX [lower price]

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 01:09:01 UTC
From: John W3AYT <w3ayt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <N4rTe.197174$5N3.148409@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13680
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

forsale AEA pk-232mbx interface. have all manuals, cables and copy of
software. unit not working and I don't have time
to mess with it. asking $35 here in Phila., Pa. will ship

--
John Haberkern
w3ayt@arrl.net

4159. Re: HELP ON YAESU FT-7400 or FT-2400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 01:15:53 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <TOKRA@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <WarTe.12660$OT1.4257@fe09.lga>
Source record: 13682
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,alt.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.swap

Lennie wrote:

>"Jack O'Neill" <TOKRA@optonline.net> wrote in message
>news:HMnSe.1226$YC1.264@fe08.lga...
>Hi all, I have a Yaesu FT-7400, which is a 440 mobile radio.
>Any one have a clue how to adjust the LCD back lighting, or turn it off
>or on??
>
>The FT-2400 is the 2 meter version.
>
>THANKS FOR YOUR HELP!!!
>
>My FT 2400 has no adjustments for the LCD. It is supposed to be automatic.
>For instance. When the ambient light is bright, the LCD is supposed to get
>brighter. Conversely, when it is dark, the readout becomes dimmer. This is a
>stupid design flaw that, fortunately, Yaesu corrected with the FT 2500.
>Another common problem with the 2400 is that the freq. selector knob often
>malfunctions and either skips step up and step down, or fails to work
>altogether. You will then have to use the Up Down keys on the mic.
>
>
>
>
>
Hi, thanks for your input. There is something messed up with the radio.
Picked it up used. When I first turned it on it lit up, then went off.
I jumped
out the photo sensor but still no lights, No biggie, still easy to use
in the shack.
THANKS, 73

4160. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 04:29:07 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <n0uTe.18318$xl6.11948@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13683
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I know about using heating oil being illegal. But sure enough, I googled this subject and various state DOT's are trying to get Bio-Diesel categorized for taxation. Still they are not talking about going after solar power, but I am sure that is coming next. By the way, there is a new "initiative" called "open roads", which is everything but open roads. They are trying to put RFID transponders in every car and extract tolls from everywhere you drive.

Chuck Harris wrote:

> **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** wrote:
>
>> Can you provide cites? I can't beleive that i would be breaking a law
>> if I drove a solar powered vehicle.
>
>
> Why can't you believe it? The states and feds want their road taxes even
> more than they want a solution to the fossil fuel problem.
>
> Diesel for off the road tractors, and earth movers is untaxed, and is
> dyed
> red to make it obvious if a vehicle has ever used the stuff. (It
> stains the
> tank red, and the filters. Truckers get checked for this problem at
> weigh
> stations. On this I have first hand experience, as I run farm
> tractors, and
> earth moving equipment.
>
> Here is a cite on that:
>
> http://www.bizjournals.com/washington/stories/2003/06/23/daily27.html
>
> -Chuck

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

4161. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 12:33:15 UTC
From: Andy Cogswell <shorecogs@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <4-OdnZ2dnZ0VjoOwnZ2dnZhDg96dnZ2dRVn-0J2dnZ0@comcast.com>
Source record: 13684
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

"Fred W4JLE" <fred@w4jle.com> wrote in message
news:a5b5e$431747b4$471c610a$32175@ALLTEL.NET...
> The SOS and requests for help being transmitted on CW from an old tube
> type
> rig go unanswered, as no one can understand code. Mores the pity.

That's because there's no power for the old tube type rig.

4162. "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 12:49:00 UTC
From: Charlie <chas@aol.com>
Message-ID: <11htogetcauugb1@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13685
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

1. http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/9228945/

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Charlie - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

4163. FS: Radios & more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 18:20:29 UTC
From: Marv_E_Ads@juno.com
Message-ID: <1126117229.033338.12280@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13686

After much typing, I've posted a lot of goodies for sale at:

http://wc6w.50webs.com/wc6wfsw/index.html

There are also some audio, video and other curiosities posted therein.

Have fun!

4164. WTB: Collins KWM-2A Round Emblem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 21:28:38 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <0smuh15dgvmkn79joe5a9v5atk19c5thde@4ax.com>
Source record: 13687

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WTB: Collins KWM-2A Round Emblem
Looking for one that works well, Don't care
how the front panel looks or how the cabinet looks.
Just need one that works well.
Please leave price and condition through email
ritchi50@optonline.net
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4165. Re: 12 vdc to 120 vac inverter recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-07 23:02:22 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dfnrek$ic8$1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 13688

"Jim Higgins" <me7@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:2m9uh1p66dd505uido3a6dvr9c1h6hgak0@4ax.com...
> On Sun, 28 Aug 2005 14:37:34 -0700, in
> <11h4bkv3tc11l00@corp.supernews.com>, "Denton"
> <denton@oregontrail.net> wrote:
>
>>Since I already have a station power supply, with a pair of deep cycle 12
>>vdc batts floating across a 35 amp power supply with a blocking diode in
>>the
>>dc plus lead, I am thinking of getting a 12 vdc to 120 vac inverter on the
>>battery output...to feed two desktop pc's plus two lcd monitors.
>>
>>For the past couple of years I have used an APC 1500 ups to feed both pc
>>workstation and also am thinking of just getting another ups to feed the
>>second workstation...if an inverter proves to be now the best way to go.
>>
>>Before I re-invent the wheel, am wondering if anyone has done this
>>before...thanks
>
> Let's pretend you draw the maximum current from your 12-volt
> battery that your power supply can replace. That's 12V x 35 amps
> or 420 watts. Figure some losses in the inverter and the USP -
> say 20% - for an output of 340 watts. Can you run the two
> computers on less than 340 watts - 170 watts each? If not then
> you're looking at a power deficit that would need to be made up
> with an additional or larger DC power supply... that or you run
> the computers thru their UPS units off wall current and only swap
> over to the inverter when power fails.

Not only that, but those inverters are notoriously bad noise generators.
I've tried to use them for transmitting and gotten switching noise on the
carrier (several dB), and had lines in the monitor when trying to use a
computer.

4166. FA: ELECTRONIC BOOKS - Master IC Cookbook, IC Timer Handbook, Microcomputer Interfacing: A/D & D/A - 4 TAB Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-08 01:14:32 UTC
From: Fred <fred@flkjasdfowera.com>
Message-ID: <070920052114327096%fred@flkjasdfowera.com>
Source record: 13689
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4574107139

4167. Neat shortwave receiver site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-08 04:28:45 UTC
From: "LiveToBe100.org" <livetobe100.org@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126153725.429412.184870@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13690

There is this guy in Sweden who has a website set up where you can
listen to any type of shortwave broadcast on 40 or 50 different types
of receivers. It's neat.

Go to:
http://PileUpBuster.com and then click on "Listen to Amateur Radio"

73's

Bob

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Read the 'How to Double your Gas
mileage' article on Live To Be 100.org

click here:
http://LiveToBe100.org

4168. FS: MFJ-704 Low Pass Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-08 21:35:27 UTC
From: ars_wa8mea@netzero.com
Message-ID: <1126215327.678102.208400@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13691

If your harmonics are causing TVI problems, an MFJ-704 could keep your neighbors happy while you have fun hamming.
MFJ's Super Low Pass filter simply plugs between your rig and antenna. It suppresses TVI, RFI, telephone and other interference by reducing unwanted harmonics going to your antenna. At the same time your HF signal passes on through with low loss so you can snag rare DX.
Nine Chebyshev poles, MFJ's exclusive TeflonDielectric Technology capacitors, Hi-Q inductors, ground plane shielding and an RF tight cabinet give you excellent TVI and RFI protection. (Right from the MFJ flier.) Instructions & box included. ONLY $19.95 plus $8.95 shipping and insurance. First e-mail gets it! 73, Bill - WA8MEA - ars_wa8mea@netzero.com - http://HamRadioFun.com

4169. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 00:43:22 UTC
From: Mac <vk2evb@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dfql5loq1@nnrp.waia.asn.au>
Source record: 13692
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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4170. Five by Five Ham Study Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 04:07:01 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <FT7Ue.15404$4i6.11425@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13693
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Has anyone used this software to study with? I have a friend who is interested in becoming a ham and I am researching study materials. The demo looks pretty promising.

Anyone out there who tried it and liked it? Any ham neophytes who actually learned the subject matter? All comments welcome.

Also is the question pool up to date?

Thanks

http://www.dauntless-soft.com/PRODUCTS/FCCTest/index.asp

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The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
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4171. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 06:39:20 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1126247960.516709.218910@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13694
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Even the snide remarks of some lame slime from Motorola has been laid waste.

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Steve, K4YZ

4172. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 14:52:46 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <tjhUe.31$z73.22@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13695
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Yeah! Where's all those fellers "a-standin' by to pass that 'ere
'eee-mer-gen-cee' traffic thar". We down, we off the key, we gone (thar)"
:)

J
>

4173. Alincom DJ-596 software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 16:27:08 UTC
From: ai8o <ai8o@LexComInc.net>
Message-ID: <dfsd4n$5ts3$1@news3.infoave.net>
Source record: 13696

I went to the Shelby hanmfest last weekend. At the Alinco booth I was given an Alinco Catalog.

On page 10 of the catalog there is a listing for the "ERW-4C" "PC Programming Cable".

I don't see any listing for DJ-596 software.
Also, I dont see a mention of this in my user's manual.

Is this only to be used with the EJ-47U "Digital Board"?

Am I missing something here????

73
AI8O

4174. Alinco DJ-596

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 16:39:58 UTC
From: ai8o <ai8o@LexComInc.net>
Message-ID: <dfsdsp$5vgk$1@news3.infoave.net>
Source record: 13697

I went to the Shelby Hamfest last weekend. At the Alinco booth I was given a new catalog.

On page 10 there is a listing for the ERW-4C "PC Programming Cable".
It is listed as being for all the DJ-x96 handhelds including the DJ-596.
I do NOT see any listing for software.

Is the DJ-596 truly PC Programmable using this cable?

If so, where can I acquire appropriate software?

Confused,

Dan
AI8O

4175. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 16:43:21 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126284201.468452.155920@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13698
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Amateur Radio.

No waviering here. The ARS proides usefull service, mostly in keeping
H&W stuff off the plate of those with better things to do.

It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as witness the
keystone cops bummbling we see and here about

the ARS is not saving the day or saving civilation, it is hellp people
lessen the impact of the disaster, what I have been saying all along
>
> Even the snide remarks of some lame slime from Motorola has been
> laid waste.
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> 73
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> Steve, K4YZ

4176. Re: Amateur Radio Assistance to Katrina Disaster!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 18:50:00 UTC
From: N7ZZT - Eric Oyen <n7zzt@127.0.0.1>
Message-ID: <fPkUe.391$GK2.24@lakeread07>
Source record: 13699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

laborkei wrote:

> I have been watching wwltv.com and wdsutv.com on the Internet.
> I keep hearing about the lack of emergency services to communicate.
> Does anyone know if any Amateur Operators are being engaged to assist?
>
>
> --
lots of them.
even showed up on fox news and nbc.

unfortunately, the DHS/FEMA are trying very hard to keep everything on their
plate (thus even hams with the American red cross are being told to pound
sand in some cases).

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DE N7ZZT
Eric Oyen
Phoenix, Arizona
e-mail: n7zzt(at)hotmail(dot)com
the difference between intelligence and stupidity is that intelligence
has its limits.

4177. Re: Five by Five Ham Study Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 19:01:35 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <4321dc12$0$14439@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13700
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> Has anyone used this software to study with? I have a friend who is
> interested in becoming a ham and I am researching study materials. The
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Actually, most of the questions on the real tests, especially the Tech test, cover rules, frequencies, etc that must be learned by rote memorization anyway so I recommend simply take the sample tests on www.qrz.com over and over til you consistantly score well above passing then c'mon down and take the test. We'll be giving them at the Salem Church Library, west of Fredricksburg, Va tomarrow (Saturday) morning.

One really should indulge in a good electronics course too .... It's fun.

4178. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 19:33:34 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dfso2g$b7h$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 13701
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Methinks a very strongly worded letter from ARRL to the head honcho at
Motorola might be a good idea.

73
and special kudos to all those volunteers.
ZR3RC

4179. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 20:14:25 UTC
From: "LenAnderson@ieee.org" <LenAnderson@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <1126296865.329405.72430@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13702
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

From: "K4YZ" on Thurs 8 Sep 2005 23:39

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"Patriarch?!?" :-) Not I, never having met in-person any of
those against the mighty warrior of "seven hostile actions,"
Dudly the Unconquerable...aka Dudly the Unhumbleable. :-)

"Waned?!?" :-) Life goes on 2000 miles away from the Katrina
hurricane devastation.

Ahem...the "MAJOR media" are reporting as much as possible about
the Gulf Coast damage. That is of considerable quantity.

Reporters, journalists, telecasters are all on-the-scene covering
an enormous area of extensive damage with many, many "human
interest" stories appearing. Anybody with a working TV set can
see/hear that; anybody with a working BC receiver can hear that.
Anyone able to read a major newspaper can read that. Anyone with
a working PC and an Internet connection can find that out.

What Dudly is doing in here is just ordinary FLAMING because he
is obsessed with FIGHTING. [wannabe-warriors get that way...]
Yes, stories have been filed with newsservices on amateur radio
doing their part in aiding the relief effort, but are those
relief actions of amateurs of any notable effect on society as
a whole? Health and welfare messages have not been shown to "save
lives" on any large scale...a large scale such as a MILLION

displaced and homeless citizens in the Gulf states affected by Katrina. Perhaps nearer to two MILLION people displace, homeless, or dead when the tallies on human lives is more complete. The scale of damage is too vast, too shattering to millions more.

Thousands and thousands of volunteers and paid workers are very busy at the moment, doing many things of DIRECT AID to the homeless and displaced, all WITHOUT any direct "need" to do radio communications about "health and welfare messages." That's important work. MOST (very nearly all) of that work can be done WITHOUT a lot of radio communications. Coordination of effort does require communications of some kind, but the "coordination" of ALL agencies, paid and volunteer, were simply NOT prepared to deal with the magnitude of damage and destruction that happened. That includes amateur radio, folks, whether it smarts your little egos or not. Did anyone really think that a few dozen hams could really make a "difference" by sending health and welfare messages from millions to other millions? No doubt the self-proclaimed amateur patriots far from the disaster scene were happy as larks to see the tiniest factoid of their Great Help to the victims of hurricane Katrina. They have waved their banners, cheered as loudly (and abusively) as possible, pinned invisible medals of valor to their equally invisible uniforms of service they wear in the newsgroups.

But, things eventually get sorted out and the REAL coordinators can organize things, start to do the REAL rescue work such as pumping out all those millions of acre-feet of flood water, finding shelter and food and sanitation for a million or more displaced and homeless people, trying to restore a large city and many smaller cities along the Gulf. The REAL health workers have been on the scene, pulling out bodies of the dead, measuring the countryside for disease, taking steps to control insect-borne diseases, preparing for the epidemics that might ravage the survivors. REAL work, down on the nitty-gritty level, done by those who KNOW what they are doing even though they are over-whelmed by the enormity of the task.

> Even the snide remarks of some lame slime from Motorola has been
>laid waste.

"Lame slime?" :-) While some consider Public Relations folks in that category, that's just inflamatory, ignorant rhetoric from a nurse who has no provable record of past "experience" in either radio communications or the electronics industry...a wannabe-warrior who can only "fight" by cursing others who don't agree with him. Disreputable activity.

Such inflammatory curse words are only in the minds of a few who have NO REAL CONCEPT of the many and various communications systems used by the "infrastructure." Motorola has been one of the leaders in radio since World War 2...surviving when Hallicrafters and Zenith

and a number of other electronics industry biggies of the Chicago area FAILED, dissolved, went bankrupt, became DEFUNCT.

The electronics industry of the United States IS HELPING, just as it did after the NYC disaster of 11 Sep 01, shipping in professional radio-electronics equipment from handhelds to "WiFi" and "WiMax" whole systems to restore the BIG communications needs along the Gulf coast. The evidence IS there in the "MAJOR news", in the newspaper business section, in the press releases of major electronics industry corporations. It isn't carried on the amateur "news" from the ARRL...such is counter-productive to promoting the ARRL and furthering the amateur mystique that some need to justify their imaginary glory of having an amateur radio hobby.

The disaster of hurricane Katrina is of unparalleled proportions and ALL humane-thinking citizens can do their part, however big, however small. There is NO AID given to anyone or anything by continuing an unrelenting stream of personal insults towards others they know nothing of nor nothing about.

LenAnderson@ieee.org

4180. Re: resonance: power supply vs. frying pan

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 20:25:22 UTC
From: Steve Nosko <suteuve.nosukowicuz@moutouroula.com>
Message-ID: <dfsr3i$4km$1@engnntp2.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 13704
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.basics

Nice tutorial, Dave. Just what I would think, but it is clear that this
power supply is VERY susceptible to whatever the pan is doing. One more
suggestion.

Run the fry-pan on high, but use a real Variac to reduce the power... Not so
$$$ a solution.

73, Steve, K9DCI

snippers on high...

"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
news:11g72jenvcdol20@corp.supernews.com...
> >My ham radio 110->13.8 V power supply interacts with my electric
> >frying pan. No matter how far away in the house I plug them in, there
> >is a harmonic that causes the power supply to make a loud hum.
> >... it
> >only happens when the pan is switched to "low", not on "high".
>
> What these symptoms suggest to me is that the "low" setting of the pan
> is probably switching in either a half-wave rectifier diode, or some
> sort of triac-based switcher... the former seems more likely. [snip]
>
> Triac-based switchers, ...can cause transformer buzzing and the "singing"
of
> light bulb filaments.

Not to mention RF noise @ HF.

>
> ...solutions...:
>
> - Replace the electric fry-pan ...
>
> - ...isolation transformer ...
>
> - Try a ferroresonant ...
>
> - ...different type of power supply.
>
> - Unplug your ham supply...when the fry-pan is in use...
>
> - To mis-quote the old saying, "Be cooking with gas!"

4181. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 20:36:12 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <0nmUe.9902$FW1.9234@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13703
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:1126284201.468452.155920@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> K4YZ wrote:
>> Mac wrote:
>> > Great work and excellent publicity...cya Mac
>> >
>> > "Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message
>> > news:11htogetcauugb1@news.supernews.com...
>> > > 1. http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/9228945/
>> > >
>> > > --
>> > >
>> > > Charlie - AD5TH
>> > > www.ad5th.com
>>
>> I've noted that the usual rhetoric from the "Ham Radio Will Never
>> Get Through When Anything Fails" crowd, specifically from the patriarch
>> of the Feeble Five, Lennie "No Guts" Anderson, has waned in the face of
>> MAJOR media stories in all facets of "the press" that have lauded
>> Amateur Radio.
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> No waviering here. The ARS proides usefull service, mostly in keeping
> H&W stuff off the plate of those with better things to do.
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> It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as witness the
> keystone cops bummbling we see and here about
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> lessen the impact of the disaster, what I have been saying all along
>>
>> Even the snide remarks of some lame slime from Motorola has been
>> laid waste.
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>> 73
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>> Steve, K4YZ
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As usual our resident dissident has no idea what he is talking about. Here
in Alabama we have provided the operators to man the shelters for the Red
Cross on the Gulf Coast. They have, and ARE providing the ONLY
communications between the shelters and Red Cross HQS in Montgomery.

The Alabama Net and other groups are providing links further down the line.

Dan/W4NTI

4182. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 21:30:13 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126301413.743957.191760@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13705
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> >> > >
> >> > > --
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> communications between the shelters and Red Cross HQS in Montgomery.

did you you bother to read my remarks before lighting up the flame
thrower?

But just How big is Mntgomery I was though there once long ago, and
thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better than
I.

as to your other points.

One am unable judge for myself directly of course because of rules you
personaly have supported for years.

Two I said most com seemed to that most were H&W, Indeed given the size
of Montgomery could not they diespense with anything but messagers? Not
syaing they should but couldn't they.

The Comms provided by hams are important and of value, But I see no
report of (let alone have one confirmed) use of ham radio that rises to
the level of critcal

>
> The Alabama Net and other groups are providing links further down the line.

and what are they passing?

what vital message are they conveying?
>
> Dan/W4NTI

4183. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 22:10:50 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <se14i1l1rqv003mmd45q2f26gak12hcvgu@4ax.com>
Source record: 13706

On Fri, 09 Sep 2005 20:36:12 GMT, "Dan/W4NTI"
<w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote:

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>Cross on the Gulf Coast. They have, and ARE providing the ONLY
>communications between the shelters and Red Cross HQS in Montgomery.
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He obviously doesn't know much about ARES/RACES. If he did, he would
know that Health and Welfare messages have the LOWEST priority after
emergency and priority traffic. There has been incident after
incident where ARES/RACES was the ONLY communication out of a disaster
area. Let alone communication with the Red Cross. The fire at Los
Alamos New Mexico is a prime example. When the phones are out, and
the public service radios fail, who do they call? ARES/RACES. The
military can handle it, but as we have seen it can take days for them
to get on site. ARS can get there within a few hours.

Dick - W6CCD

4184. OT Aristocrat Slot machine parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 22:58:08 UTC
From: Al Last <al.last@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <4soUe.3260$6e1.2209@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13707

See my listing #6206626024 and the others running on EBay at this time.

Thanks for looking, Al

4185. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-09 23:03:18 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <af44i11v0c7ctk7i01dt8622vg1u8uibc2@4ax.com>
Source record: 13708
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 9 Sep 2005 14:30:13 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
wrote:
>> > No waviering here. The ARS proides usefull service, mostly in keeping
>> > H&W stuff off the plate of those with better things to do.

Mostly? This is a left-handed complement in light of the news.

>> > It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as witness the
>> > keystone cops bummbling we see and here about

In fact it did replace the system used by the cops, and witnesses
abound.

>> > the ARS is not saving the day or saving civilation, it is hellp people
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Well, until you were crossposted here, we have been entirely unaware
of what you have been saying all along. That aside, and more to the
point about your comment about ARS not saving the day, there are a
half dozen FEMA workers who would humbly admit otherwise after they
were rescued through Ham operator efforts.

>But just How big is Mntgomery I was though there once long ago, and
>thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
>CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better than
>I.

From your vantage deep in Virginia, I would think that Montgomery
would be quite cosmopolitan. Going beyond that however, such
suggestions as offered above seem to miss the point of HF
communications.

>The Comms provided by hams are important and of value, But I see no
>report of (let alone have one confirmed) use of ham radio that rises to
>the level of critcal

You should consider your choices made in informing yourself.

To Others,

I've rummaged up at least a couple of dozen references to the Ham
activities from a variety of news outlets (and not just the bobbing
heads of salacious cable TV). It would do us all well to stockpile
such commendations to "remind" authorities who so quickly forget in
the face of those who can stuff their pockets with money-for-airspace.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4186. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 01:17:46 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126315066.262040.67480@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13709
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> >> > It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as witness the
> >> > keystone cops bummbling we see and here about
>
> In fact it did replace the system used by the cops, and witnesses
> abound.

Cops dispatched by Ham radio? I don't think so
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> Well, until you were crossposted here, we have been entirely unaware
> of what you have been saying all along. That aside, and more to the
> point about your comment about ARS not saving the day, there are a
> half dozen FEMA workers who would humbly admit otherwise after they
> were rescued through Ham operator efforts.

well that is news
>
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> >thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
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> would be quite cosmopolitan. Going beyond that however, such
> suggestions as offered above seem to miss the point of HF
> communications.

Virgina? I don't live in Virgina

but in responf to a quip about the shelters in Montgomery being linked
by Ham radio HF would hardly seem likely to be involved

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> heads of salacious cable TV). It would do us all well to stockpile
> such commendations to "remind" authorities who so quickly forget in
> the face of those who can stuff their pockets with money-for-airspace.

Indeed we should, we should also make sure they are accurate
>
> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4187. Re: Alinco DJ-596

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 03:25:02 UTC
From: "M." <notvalid@email.add>
Message-ID: <rmsUe.93$h4.33334@sooner.brightok.net>
Source record: 13710

Here is the website for the software: http://www.cbtinc.net/
Or check eBay, as they sell the software there also. That's where I bought
mine.

M

"ai8o" <ai8o@LexComInc.net> wrote in message
news:dfsdsp$5vgk$1@news3.infoave.net...
>I went to the Shelby Hamfest last weekend. At the Alinco booth I was given
>a new catalog.
>
> On page 10 there is a listing for the ERW-4C "PC Programming Cable".
> It is listed as being for all the DJ-x96 handhelds including the DJ-596.
> I do NOT see any listing for software.
>
> Is the DJ-596 truly PC Programmable using this cable?
>
> If so, where can I acquire appropriate software?
>
> Confused,
>
> Dan
> AI8O
>

4188. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 06:33:47 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <hqs4i1tdb3tft3jd29fcjjj4mo3dekhm9i@4ax.com>
Source record: 13711
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 9 Sep 2005 18:17:46 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
wrote:

>> You should consider your choices made in informing yourself.
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>Auf Anglish Bitte?

All Things Considered, August 30, 2005 ï¿½
While cell phones and other communication networks were demolished
by Hurricane Katrina, a group of radio operators volunteering with the
Red Cross have been instrumental in assistance and relief efforts.

NORTH LITTLE ROCK -
... Temple is president of the Central Arkansas Radio Emergency Net.
When Hurricane Katrina knocked over cell phone towers and utility
lines, ham radio became a key communications tool.
Temple says ham radio operators have acted as go-betweens for
Louisiana hospitals needing help and Arkansas aid workers.

Ham radio operators provide vital link after storm
Thursday September 01, 2005
ROANOKE, Va. (AP) ... Then an urgent voice sliced through the static,
clear as a bell.
``I have a diabetic, 80 years old, out of food and water for the
last 24 hours,'' it said.
An elderly woman from Bush, La., was stranded in her home after
Hurricane Katrina and desperate for food and insulin. Somebody sent
the message out over the air. Other voices picked up the call and it
was relayed all across America until, with luck, it would reach a
local rescue squad.

Ham Radio Operators Rise to Occasion of Another Disaster
BY CHUCK McCUTCHEON
c.2005 Newhouse News Service
Approximately 250 operators are in Louisiana working with the
American Red Cross and state emergency response officials, with others
waiting to enter the state when floodwaters recede ....
Sept. 1, 2005

Local Woman Helping Hurricane Victims Via Ham Radio
Aug 30, 2005, 08:00 PM
A woman in central Indiana took control of one of the most powerful
emergency networks anywhere to help those effected by Hurricane
Katrina.

Somehow, somewhere in the middle of all the hurricane mess, someone is broadcasting to the world probably operating on battery power and a makeshift antenna.
Tuesday night, Indiana handled the call.
For an hour, Peggy McNary took the post of "controller" of SATERN, Salvation Army Team Emergency Radio Network.... "A family called out on a cell phone, trapped in an attic. They got word to an amateur radio operator somehow just before they lost contact, SATERN was able to contact the Coast Guard and that family was rescued," she explained.
The network claims a hand in dozens of Katrina rescues already and will operate until there is no need for more.

Local ham-radio operators help rescue effort
By Rocky Scott
DEMOCRAT STAFF WRITER
Tallahassee ham-radio operators took part in the daring helicopter rescue Friday of about 1,500 patients and staff from two New Orleans hospitals besieged by darkness, dank water and gunfire.
...
Looting and gunfire erupted and 100,000 stranded, scared residents became a force ready to spill into anarchy.
Enter the Tallahassee Amateur Radio Club, Florida Division of Emergency Management and some old-fashioned ingenuity.
State Emergency Management officials suggested Hall contact the local ham radio club to solve the communications dilemma.
Urged by rapidly rising water - 8 feet deep in places - and the growing knowledge that New Orleans had become a drowning pool, the ham operators fashioned a satellite reception device atop an 8-story building in downtown Tallahassee.
Then three of them - Theo Titus, Gene Floyd and Bill Schmidt - all boarded a helicopter in Tallahassee Wednesday and headed for New Orleans.
Atop the garage at Tulane, they set up a generator-powered ham radio with a satellite uplink.
By Tuesday afternoon, the choppers were up and running, and Hall and his co-workers in Tallahassee were able to give directions to pilots....

Reported by Justin Cavey
Ham Radio Operators Invaluable in Times of Disaster

Volunteer Ham Radio Operators to Receive Grant To Enhance Emergency Communications in Hurricane Region
WASHINGTON, D.C. ï¿½ The Corporation for National and Community Service today announced a supplemental grant of $100,000 to the American Radio Relay League (ARRL) to support volunteer emergency communication operators who are helping out in Gulf Coast states affected by Hurricane Katrina.
"With the breakdown of regular communication channels caused by the storm, the services provided by volunteer ham radio operators is

vitally important, both to organizations and to individuals seeking to connect with loved ones," said David Eisner, CEO of the Corporation. "Weï¿½re pleased to be able to provide this extra assistance at this critical time."

Ham radio operators play role in communication
By TERESA RESSEL\Daily Journal Staff Writer
Amateur (or ham) radio operators are playing a major role in communications in the states hit hard by Hurricane Katrina. The wind and rain hampered other means of communication, so it was estimated as of Wednesday that 250 Amateur Radio Emergency Service members have been working with relief organizations and emergency management agencies to assist with communication.

Ham radio helps in emergencies
Updated: 9/3/2005 11:30 AM
By: Adam Shub, News 14 Carolina
SHELBY, N.C. -- Amateur radio operators are banding together to help the victims of Hurricane Katrina.

Ham radio provides a link between hurricane victims and loved ones in West Michigan
(Grand Rapids, September 1, 2005, 8:06 a.m.) Getting in touch with anyone in the hurricane-stricken areas is almost impossible. Telephone poles and cell phone towers have been knocked down or washed away. The lack of power means no e-mail, either. But a group of people in West Michigan has a way to get through.

Ham Radio Operators Provide Lifeline During Disaster
Radio Operators Can Communicate In Stricken Areas
POSTED: 5:51 pm EDT September 1, 2005
MEREDITH, N.H.
... ham radio operators from New Orleans to Utah coordinated the effort to guide a Coast Guard helicopter to rescue more than a dozen trapped people.

As usual, ham radio operators help sustain wide-ranging relief efforts
By Andrea Kelly
ARIZONA DAILY STAR
When all else fails, it's ham radio to the rescue. Across Arizona, ham radio operators are helping sustain Hurricane Katrina relief efforts by helping storm-torn communities communicate with rescue workers....

HAM radio operators reach out
Some messages have been sent
WJRT By Joel Doepker
Saginaw - (09/01/05)
...
In one case, a victim in New Orleans called a family member outside the area for help. That person then contacted an amateur radio

operator who contacted rescue crews, who saved more than a dozen people from a rooftop.

Relief Effort
Many Pleas For Aid Go Out
Rescue Teams and Clean Water Needed
By Elizabeth Williamson
Washington Post Staff Writer
Thursday, September 1, 2005; Page A21
... "I was just a relay kind of station. The message got transmitted on into the Coast Guard, who handled the rescue," said Fillinger, 78, whose ham radio unit is based in his hilltop home in Portland, Ore. "By the evening, we got confirmation that the group had been rescued," including an 81-year-old woman that Fillinger knows only as Helen.

Ham radio volunteers help re-establish communications after Katrina
Some 700 operators are already at work, with more on the way
News Story by Todd R. Weiss
... Many of the volunteers sprung into action even before the storm struck the Gulf Coast, broadcasting as part of a "Hurricane Watch-Net" three days before deadly Hurricane Katrina slammed into the coast on Aug. 29, Pitts said

Ham radio operator tunes in to help victims
By EDIE HALL
The Kansas City Star
... Since Hurricane Katrina devastated the Gulf Coast, Goll, 81, has been getting messages to agencies such as the Federal Emergency Management Agency, the American Red Cross and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Ham radio operators to the rescue after Katrina
Amateur radio networks help victims of the hurricane
By Gary Krakow
Columnist
MSNBC
... Such rescues were repeated over and over again. Another ham was part of the mix that same Monday when he heard over the same Salvation Army emergency network of a family of five trapped in an attic in Diamond Head, La. The family used a cell phone to call out. Bob Rathbone, AG4ZG, in Tampa, says he checked the address on a map and determined it was in an area struck by a storm surge.
He called the Coast Guard search-and-rescue station in Clearwater, explained the situation and relayed the information. At this point, the Coast Guard office in New Orleans was out of commission. An hour later he received a return call from the South Haven Sheriffï¿½s Department in Louisiana, which informed him a rescue operation was under way.
Another search-and-rescue operation involved two adults and a child stuck on a roof. The person was able to send a text message from a

cell phone to a family member in Michigan. Once again, the Coast Guard handled the call.

Ham radio operator tunes in to help victims
By EDIE HALL
The Kansas City Star
... he said. "I also got a message from a group of FEMA workers who were trapped on a bridge that was about to collapse and we got them out of there."

.... hopefully this is written in suitably understandable English.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4189. FA: 1-Day-Left: 4 Books - HAM RADIO - AMATEUR RADIO - QST - ARRL - Now You're Talking, FCC Rule Book, General License, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 11:01:33 UTC
From: Diane <diane@dlaskdjfoiuw.com>
Message-ID: <10092005070133715O%diane@dlaskdjfoiuw.com>
Source record: 13712
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5805903236

4190. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 13:25:07 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1126358707.445082.283000@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13713
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

nobodys_old_friend wrote:
> Richard Clark wrote:
> > On 9 Sep 2005 14:30:13 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
> > wrote:
> > >> > No waviering here. The ARS proides usefull service, mostly in keeping
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> > Mostly? This is a left-handed complement in light of the news.
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> I have seencoverage of H&W traffic on the news
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> > >> > It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as witness the
> > >> > keystone cops bummbling we see and here about
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> > In fact it did replace the system used by the cops, and witnesses
> > abound.
>
> Cops dispatched by Ham radio? I don't think so

Then get your "believer" fixed, boyo.

It's happened before, it's happening now.

> > >> > the ARS is not saving the day or saving civilation, it is hellp people
> > >> > lessen the impact of the disaster, what I have been saying all along
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> > Well, until you were crossposted here, we have been entirely unaware
> > of what you have been saying all along. That aside, and more to the
> > point about your comment about ARS not saving the day, there are a
> > half dozen FEMA workers who would humbly admit otherwise after they
> > were rescued through Ham operator efforts.
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> > >But just How big is Mntgomery I was though there once long ago, and
> > >thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
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> > From your vantage deep in Virginia, I would think that Montgomery
> > would be quite cosmopolitan. Going beyond that however, such
> > suggestions as offered above seem to miss the point of HF
> > communications.

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> Virgina? I don't live in Virgina

Good thing, too.

They like liars and deviants even less than I do.

> but in responf to a quip about the shelters in Montgomery being linked
> by Ham radio HF would hardly seem likely to be involved

"response"

Why?

You think that they only need to talk across town?

> > >The Comms provided by hams are important and of value, But I see no
> > >report of (let alone have one confirmed) use of ham radio that rises to
> > >the level of critcal
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> > You should consider your choices made in informing yourself.
>
> Auf Anglish Bitte?

Cowardly avoidance.

Typical Mark Morgan.

Steve, K4YZ

4191. FA: 1 DAY>ETO VOMAX, VTVM', RARE old TUBES, Classic SWR METERS>WAY MUCH:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 13:34:16 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <uhBUe.15814$OT1.5949@fe09.lga>
Source record: 13714
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All Right here>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4192. FA: Collins R-390A AUDIO DECK>Much more, pse check it out!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 13:37:43 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JkBUe.15823$OT1.1721@fe09.lga>
Source record: 13715
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4193. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 14:08:13 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1126361293.168132.184530@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13716
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> > "nobodys_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> > news:1126284201.468452.155920@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...

> > As usual our resident dissident has no idea what he is talking about. Here
> > in Alabama we have provided the operators to man the shelters for the Red
> > Cross on the Gulf Coast. They have, and ARE providing the ONLY
> > communications between the shelters and Red Cross HQS in Montgomery.
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> did you you bother to read my remarks before lighting up the flame
> thrower?

Seems to me he did.

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> thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
> CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better than
> I.

ANYONE knows better than you.

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FCC. To the best of my knowledge, there is NO active GMRS repeater in
Montgomery. However, with only 35 licensees, I find it hard to believe
there's more than one if there's any at all.

This means a MAXIMUM of seven repeater pairs and 14 simplex
channels and no more than 25w to fixed antennas, period.

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repeater directory shows (6) 2 meter repeaters and (6) 440 repeaters in
the city alone.

On the 2 meter band alone this includes five digital-exclusive
channels, over 30 simplex channels, and authorized power of up to
1500w.

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miles. Daytime propagation makes it completely unusable more than 2
miles away.

(4) There is no viable CB radio-based traffic handing system in
the United States. You can tattoo the message to the CBer's head, but
if they don't have the infrastructure to disposition the message, all

you've done is waste time.

(5) Montgomery's population is just under 250,000.

Steve, K4YZ

4194. FA Lots of Vintage Gear/over today

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 14:48:26 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <XmCUe.40938$7f5.30539@okepread01>
Source record: 13717

Please see my auctions for lots of Vintage Gear including BC-457A,BC-459A,
ARC5s, Signal Shifter, SP-600 Cabinet, More...
Auctions are over this weekend.
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4195. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 14:52:50 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126363970.820311.161670@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13718
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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that was the stated report
>
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> > > You should consider your choices made in informing yourself.
> >
> > Auf Anglish Bitte?
>
> Cowardly avoidance.

then you are a bigger coward stilll pretending you don't understand
when it is convientant
>
> Typical Mark Morgan.
>
> Steve, K4YZ

4196. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 15:01:11 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126364471.656311.316620@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13719
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Montgomery. However, with only 35 licensees, I find it hard to believe
> there's more than one if there's any at all.

so now repeaters are the only means
cuting the off topic bullshit

all you do is rant mostly about things with no relavnce even make
claims that the laws of physics change somehow for cb hf

no reason advanced why the shelter even the radios at all all could be
handled less effectively perhaps by the people driving supplies to the
shelters

I see a lot of posturing

It was nice for that other poster a list a few life saving events,
though are worth knowing about

>
> Steve, K4YZ

4197. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 16:18:00 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <YGDUe.506$LS5.315@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13720
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>> news:1126284201.468452.155920@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>> >
>> > K4YZ wrote:
>> >> Mac wrote:
>> >> > Great work and excellent publicity...cya Mac
>> >> >
>> >> > "Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message
>> >> > news:11htogetcauugb1@news.supernews.com...
>> >> > > 1. http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/9228945/
>> >> > >
>> >> > > --
>> >> > >
>> >> > > Charlie - AD5TH
>> >> > > www.ad5th.com
>> >>
>> >> I've noted that the usual rhetoric from the "Ham Radio Will Never
>> >> Get Through When Anything Fails" crowd, specifically from the
>> >> patriarch
>> >> of the Feeble Five, Lennie "No Guts" Anderson, has waned in the face
>> >> of
>> >> MAJOR media stories in all facets of "the press" that have lauded
>> >> Amateur Radio.
>> >
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>> >>
>> >> Even the snide remarks of some lame slime from Motorola has been
>> >> laid waste.
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>> >> 73
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>> >> Steve, K4YZ
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> CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better than
> I.
>
> as to your other points.
>
> One am unable judge for myself directly of course because of rules you
> personaly have supported for years.
>
> Two I said most com seemed to that most were H&W, Indeed given the size
> of Montgomery could not they diespense with anything but messagers? Not
> syaing they should but couldn't they.

That is incorrect. All the traffic I personally relayed was
emergency requests for rescue. All the traffic handled by
the net I helped was emergency traffic, and resulted in many
many rescues. Lots of folks are alive today because of ham radio.

> The Comms provided by hams are important and of value, But I see no
> report of (let alone have one confirmed) use of ham radio that rises to
> the level of critcal

Your ignorance is amazing. Did you actually LISTEN?

>
>>
>> The Alabama Net and other groups are providing links further down the
>> line.
>
> and what are they passing?
>
> what vital message are they conveying?

Listen and learn.

--

... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

4198. WTB: Nye viking RFM-003

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 16:49:53 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <al36i1pij2ti2mjql8sfj6ejk5tcoqi2el@4ax.com>
Source record: 13721

WTB: Nye viking RFM-003
Power Monitor
Please leave price and phone number through email or call:
973-857-1195 NJ

4199. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 19:14:25 UTC
From: fazamy@aol.com
Message-ID: <1126379665.506036.203190@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13722
Cross-posted to:
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NYC''s WCBS 880 business reporter Steve Donnelly stated a few days
after Katrina devasted New Orleans that the only things working down
there were helicopters and ham radio.

KB2AMY

4200. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 19:52:30 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <1QGUe.29145$ih4.20237@fe02.lga>
Source record: 13723
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 09/09/05 05:30 pm an_old_friend tossed the following ingredients into
the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

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Several days ago I heard a message being relayed to police/hwy
patrol/whomever about people trapped in an attic somewhere that needed
to be rescued.

The latest ARRL eLetter reports that in some places hams were lending
their equipment to "official" agencies because the latters' equipment
did not work.

Remember that, in this "land of the 'We'll do it our own way, thank you
very much'", many govt. agencies cannot communicate with each other by
radio even when the equipment does work: every county and municipality,
every fire dept. and ambulance service is free to decide what equipment
to use regardless of what anybody else is using. I understand that
Michigan is one of the few states with an integrated (or at least
coordinated) radio system. Where multiple agencies are trying to work
together, putting ham radio operators with each agency may be one of the
few ways they have of keeping in touch.

"Perce"
(aka Alan NV8A)

4201. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 20:34:32 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1126384472.396083.263930@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13724
Cross-posted to:
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But he DID!

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> > so now repeaters are the only means
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What's "off topic" about it, Markie..?!?!

YOU were the one who brought up GMRS and CB, Ya Putz!

And you will please notice that I clearly addressed SIMPLEX
frequencies too, so so much for your "repeaters only" diatribe, Markie.

> all you do is rant mostly about things with no relavnce even make
> claims that the laws of physics change somehow for cb hf

(1) YOU brought up GMRS and CB radio, Markie, NOT ME!

(2) I didn't claim any "laws of physics" were different for "cb hf" ! I SPECIFICALLY addressed the shortcomings of using CB radio BASED upon KNOWN propagation at that wavelength! It's the SAME reason that 10 meters is not typically used for short range emergency communications here! Add the horrific QRM on 11 meters, and it's a wasteland good for nothing except in-house intercom duties, IF that!

> no reason advanced why the shelter even the radios at all all could be
> handled less effectively perhaps by the people driving supplies to the
> shelters
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> I see a lot of posturing

No...what you SAW here were some FACTS.

QUOTE

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UNQUOTE

What is "posturing" about that, Markie? Nothing there is mistruthful or deceitful. Also please note the aforementioned use of OTHER-THAN "repeater" options that you tried to claim was my only point.

QUOTE

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the city alone.

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UNQUOTE

One correction on my part...There are "374", not "378" Amateur licensees in Montgomery...And that's just folks with a Montgomery mailing address.

Again...I'd be interested in what part of those numbers are "posturing", Markie.

And again, OTHER than "repeater" options are addressed.

QUOTE:

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miles. Daytime propagation makes it completely unusable more than 2
miles away.

UNQUOTE

You dispute this, Markie?

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the United States. You can tattoo the message to the CBer's head, but
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you've done is waste time.

UNQUOTE

Wondering what part of THAT is "posturing", Markie.

P L E A S E point me to the URL for the CB-radio based traffic
handing organization in the United States...Please...

QUOTE:

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UNQUOTE

YOU said that you remembered Montgomery as being small. So now
the Census numbers are "posturing"...?!?!

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> though are worth knowing about.

Stuff like that is going on every day right now. It will be a long
time before Motorola and the other manufacturers can get the gear into
the field and working.

So...Amateurs created KATRINA just so we could "posture" in a
newsgroup...?!?!

Steve, K4YZ

4202. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 20:53:03 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126385583.478998.173920@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13725
Cross-posted to:
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>
> The latest ARRL eLetter reports that in some places hams were lending
> their equipment to "official" agencies because the latters' equipment
> did not work.
>
> Remember that, in this "land of the 'We'll do it our own way, thank you
> very much'", many govt. agencies cannot communicate with each other by
> radio even when the equipment does work: every county and municipality,
> every fire dept. and ambulance service is free to decide what equipment
> to use regardless of what anybody else is using. I understand that
> Michigan is one of the few states with an integrated (or at least
> coordinated) radio system. Where multiple agencies are trying to work
> together, putting ham radio operators with each agency may be one of the
> few ways they have of keeping in touch.

michigan is still working on this system sad to say although they are
trying fairly hard and have made a lot of progress compared to much of
the nation
>
> "Perce"
> (aka Alan NV8A)

4203. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 20:56:19 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <TLHUe.10445$FW1.3243@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13726
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:1126315066.262040.67480@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>
> Richard Clark wrote:
>> On 9 Sep 2005 14:30:13 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
>> wrote:
>> >> > No waviering here. The ARS proides usefull service, mostly in
>> >> > keeping
>> >> > H&W stuff off the plate of those with better things to do.
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>> Mostly? This is a left-handed complement in light of the news.
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> I have seencoverage of H&W traffic on the news
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>> >> > It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as witness
>> >> > the
>> >> > keystone cops bummbling we see and here about
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>> In fact it did replace the system used by the cops, and witnesses
>> abound.
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> Cops dispatched by Ham radio? I don't think so
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>> >> > the ARS is not saving the day or saving civilation, it is hellp
>> >> > people
>> >> > lessen the impact of the disaster, what I have been saying all along
>>
>> Well, until you were crossposted here, we have been entirely unaware
>> of what you have been saying all along. That aside, and more to the
>> point about your comment about ARS not saving the day, there are a
>> half dozen FEMA workers who would humbly admit otherwise after they
>> were rescued through Ham operator efforts.
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> well that is news
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>> >But just How big is Mntgomery I was though there once long ago, and
>> >thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
>> >CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better than
>> >I.
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>> From your vantage deep in Virginia, I would think that Montgomery
>> would be quite cosmopolitan. Going beyond that however, such

>> suggestions as offered above seem to miss the point of HF
>> communications.
>
> Virgina? I don't live in Virgina
>
> but in responf to a quip about the shelters in Montgomery being linked
> by Ham radio HF would hardly seem likely to be involved
>

Now the goof calls me a liar. I have been sitting on HF for the last WEEK helping the shelters talk with each other. Montgomery needs commo into places like the Gulf Coast, Biloxi, Gulfport, and of course New Orleans. Get a flippin map and tell me how VHF/UHF is going to make those distances?

Montgomery is the capital city of Alabama. Not what I would call a small town.

>>
>> >The Comms provided by hams are important and of value, But I see no
>> >report of (let alone have one confirmed) use of ham radio that rises to
>> >the level of critcal
>>
>> You should consider your choices made in informing yourself.
>
> Auf Anglish Bitte?
>
>>
>> To Others,
>>
>> I've rummaged up at least a couple of dozen references to the Ham
>> activities from a variety of news outlets (and not just the bobbing
>> heads of salacious cable TV). It would do us all well to stockpile
>> such commendations to "remind" authorities who so quickly forget in
>> the face of those who can stuff their pockets with money-for-airspace.
>
> Indeed we should, we should also make sure they are accurate
>>
>> 73's
>> Richard Clark, KB7QHC
>

4204. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 20:57:43 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126385863.388711.272520@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13727
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

K4YZ wrote:
> nobodys_old_friend wrote:
> > K4YZ wrote:
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> > > > Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> > > > > "nobodys_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> > > > > news:1126284201.468452.155920@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> > > >
> > > > > As usual our resident dissident has no idea what he is talking about. Here
> > > > > in Alabama we have provided the operators to man the shelters for the Red
> > > > > Cross on the Gulf Coast. They have, and ARE providing the ONLY
> > > > > communications between the shelters and Red Cross HQS in Montgomery.
> > > >
> > > > did you you bother to read my remarks before lighting up the flame
> > > > thrower?
> > >
> > > Seems to me he did.
> >
> > but he did not
>
> But he DID!
>
> > > > But just How big is Mntgomery I was though there once long ago, and
> > > > thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
> > > > CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better than
> > > > I.
> > >
> > > ANYONE knows better than you.
> > >
> > > (1) There are only 35 ACTIVE GMRS licenses in Montgomery per the
> > > FCC. To the best of my knowledge, there is NO active GMRS repeater in
> > > Montgomery. However, with only 35 licensees, I find it hard to believe
> > > there's more than one if there's any at all.
> >
> > so now repeaters are the only means
> > cuting the off topic bull####
>
> What's "off topic" about it, Markie..?!?!
>
> YOU were the one who brought up GMRS and CB, Ya Putz!
>
> And you will please notice that I clearly addressed SIMPLEX

> frequencies too, so so much for your "repeaters only" diatribe, Markie.
>
> > all you do is rant mostly about things with no relavnce even make
> > claims that the laws of physics change somehow for cb hf
>
> (1) YOU brought up GMRS and CB radio, Markie, NOT ME!
>
> (2) I didn't claim any "laws of physics" were different for "cb
> hf" ! I SPECIFICALLY addressed the shortcomings of using CB radio
> BASED upon KNOWN propagation at that wavelength! It's the SAME reason
> that 10 meters is not typically used for short range emergency
> communications here! Add the horrific QRM on 11 meters, and it's a
> wasteland good for nothing except in-house intercom duties, IF that!
>
> > no reason advanced why the shelter even the radios at all all could be
> > handled less effectively perhaps by the people driving supplies to the
> > shelters
> >
> > I see a lot of posturing
>
> No...what you SAW here were some FACTS.

sure there are facts but it also a fact that i think you are an idoit
but this sate of being a fact does not make it relavant

nothing your rant saying why the neds Dan was identifing culd not be
met though other means

just a waste of BW
cut

> YOU said that you remembered Montgomery as being small. So now
> the Census numbers are "posturing"...?!?!

250,00 is relitive small but the issue was never number but land area
>
> > It was nice for that other poster a list a few life saving events,
> > though are worth knowing about.
>
> Stuff like that is going on every day right now. It will be a long
> time before Motorola and the other manufacturers can get the gear into
> the field and working.
>
> So...Amateurs created KATRINA just so we could "posture" in a
> newsgroup...?!?!

more of you absurdity

>
> Steve, K4YZ

4205. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 21:05:26 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <qUHUe.9896$9i4.1896@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13728
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>> > K4YZ wrote:
>> >> Mac wrote:
>> >> > Great work and excellent publicity...cya Mac
>> >> >
>> >> > "Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message
>> >> > news:11htogetcauugb1@news.supernews.com...
>> >> > > 1. http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/9228945/
>> >> > >
>> >> > > --
>> >> > >
>> >> > > Charlie - AD5TH
>> >> > > www.ad5th.com
>> >>
>> >> I've noted that the usual rhetoric from the "Ham Radio Will Never
>> >> Get Through When Anything Fails" crowd, specifically from the
>> >> patriarch
>> >> of the Feeble Five, Lennie "No Guts" Anderson, has waned in the face
>> >> of
>> >> MAJOR media stories in all facets of "the press" that have lauded
>> >> Amateur Radio.
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>> > H&W stuff off the plate of those with better things to do.
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>> > It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as witness the
>> > keystone cops bummbling we see and here about
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>> > the ARS is not saving the day or saving civilation, it is hellp people
>> > lessen the impact of the disaster, what I have been saying all along
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>> >> Even the snide remarks of some lame slime from Motorola has been
>> >> laid waste.
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>> >> 73
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> thrower?
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> But just How big is Mntgomery I was though there once long ago, and
> thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS or even
> CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better than
> I.
>
> as to your other points.
>
> One am unable judge for myself directly of course because of rules you
> personaly have supported for years.
>
> Two I said most com seemed to that most were H&W, Indeed given the size
> of Montgomery could not they diespense with anything but messagers? Not
> syaing they should but couldn't they.
>

Sure they could. And if we still had WWI carrier pidgeons they could be
used also. Or perhaps they could mail a letter.

> The Comms provided by hams are important and of value, But I see no
> report of (let alone have one confirmed) use of ham radio that rises to
> the level of critcal
>
Then I suggest you listen in and find out what is being passed. I will be
posting on rec.radio.amateur. policy the statements from the ARRL on this
subject. Perhaps that will help you to understand.

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>> The Alabama Net and other groups are providing links further down the
>> line.
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> and what are they passing?
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Everything from relaying between shelters (because of poor conditions, or
poor antennas or both), helping various operators with finding links to
other nets, Health and Welfare such as passing messages (at our expense)
from the disaster area to families of those in the area. I personally
participated in passing Emergency traffic from Huntsville AL to New Orleans

Coast Guard about a family trapped in a house and needing their help. Additionally I relayed between a very weak HF station in New Orleans to Tallahassee Hospital to "tell the aircraft to come up on VHF". I have no idea what that meant. But I have no doubt it was important to someone.

I am just ONE operator doing what I can. How about stop criticizing those that are.....you may learn something.

> what vital message are they conveying?
>>
>> Dan/W4NTI
>

4206. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 21:07:28 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <kWHUe.9897$9i4.9616@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13729
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>> > > >> > It does not properly replace the system used by the cops as
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>> > > >> > keystone cops bummbling we see and here about
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>> > > In fact it did replace the system used by the cops, and witnesses
>> > > abound.
>> >
>> > Cops dispatched by Ham radio? I don't think so
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>> Then get your "believer" fixed, boyo.
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>> It's happened before, it's happening now.
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>> > > communications.
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>> > Virgina? I don't live in Virgina
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>> > by Ham radio HF would hardly seem likely to be involved
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>> "response"
>>
>> Why?
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>> You think that they only need to talk across town?
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> that was the stated report
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>> > > You should consider your choices made in informing yourself.
>> >
>> > Auf Anglish Bitte?
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>> Cowardly avoidance.
>
> then you are a bigger coward stilll pretending you don't understand
> when it is convientant
>>
>> Typical Mark Morgan.
>>
>> Steve, K4YZ
>
Just where did you get the notion that Montgomery only needed to talk across
town?

Dan/W4NTI

4207. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 21:09:31 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126386571.077673.154380@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13730
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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from your statement obviously
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> Dan/W4NTI

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Date: 2005-09-10 21:13:37 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126386817.465115.147680@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13731
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> >
> > as to your other points.
> >
> > One am unable judge for myself directly of course because of rules you
> > personaly have supported for years.
> >
> > Two I said most com seemed to that most were H&W, Indeed given the size
> > of Montgomery could not they diespense with anything but messagers? Not
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Dan if that is what I am to judge the ARS come off even worse

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again you and Stvie and Dave can't allow anyone to question any thing

anyone daring to question is subject to automatic flame thrower

Very typical of the ARS operators these days

so thin skined that anything short glorifcation is critism
>
> > what vital message are they conveying?
> >>
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> >

4209. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 21:24:13 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <1aIUe.9902$9i4.6598@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13732
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>> >> > > point about your comment about ARS not saving the day, there are a
>> >> > > half dozen FEMA workers who would humbly admit otherwise after
>> >> > > they
>> >> > > were rescued through Ham operator efforts.
>> >> >
>> >> > well that is news
>> >> > >
>> >> > > >But just How big is Mntgomery I was though there once long ago,
>> >> > > >and
>> >> > > >thought it pretty small. But any reason they could not use GRMS
>> >> > > >or
>> >> > > >even
>> >> > > >CB to make those links? I don't see any but you might know better
>> >> > > >than
>> >> > > >I.
>> >> > >
>> >> > > From your vantage deep in Virginia, I would think that Montgomery
>> >> > > would be quite cosmopolitan. Going beyond that however, such
>> >> > > suggestions as offered above seem to miss the point of HF
>> >> > > communications.
>> >> >
>> >> > Virgina? I don't live in Virgina
>> >>
>> >> Good thing, too.
>> > cuting you sex ramrks again
>> >> > but in responf to a quip about the shelters in Montgomery being
>> >> > linked
>> >> > by Ham radio HF would hardly seem likely to be involved
>> >>
>> >> "response"
>> >>
>> >> Why?
>> >>
>> >> You think that they only need to talk across town?
>> >
>> > that was the stated report
>> >>
>> >> > > >The Comms provided by hams are important and of value, But I see
>> >> > > >no
>> >> > > >report of (let alone have one confirmed) use of ham radio that
>> >> > > >rises
>> >> > > >to
>> >> > > >the level of critcal
>> >> > >
>> >> > > You should consider your choices made in informing yourself.
>> >> >
>> >> > Auf Anglish Bitte?

>> >>
>> >> Cowardly avoidance.
>> >
>> > then you are a bigger coward stilll pretending you don't understand
>> > when it is convientant
>> >>
>> >> Typical Mark Morgan.
>> >>
>> >> Steve, K4YZ
>> >
>> Just where did you get the notion that Montgomery only needed to talk
>> across
>> town?
>
> from your statement obviously
>>
I never said any such thing. I was talking about comms in/out of shelters.
You think ALL the shelters are in one town?

Are you seriously this out of step with the rest of ham radio? Seek mental
health help. You have been fixed, right? Please say yes.

Dan/W4NTI

4210. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 22:15:29 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126390529.275426.171890@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13733
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:1126386571.077673.154380@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> >> Just where did you get the notion that Montgomery only needed to talk
> >> across
> >> town?
> >
> > from your statement obviously
> >>
> I never said any such thing. I was talking about comms in/out of shelters.
> You think ALL the shelters are in one town?

you never said any such thing as needing to get to other cites, you
seem to think it is my duty to read your mind
>
> Are you seriously this out of step with the rest of ham radio?

Perhaps I am indeed I suspect I like a lot of the long term memeber of
the tech class are largely cut off from the rest of Ham radio. OTOH
that is a result of decisions and rules you have supported for years

> Seek mental
> health help. You have been fixed, right? Please say yes.

up thine preffeable with a antenna conection to powerful tranmitter
>
> Dan/W4NTI

4211. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 23:01:59 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1126393478_8223@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13734
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

K4YZ wrote:
> So...Amateurs created KATRINA just so we could "posture" in a
> newsgroup...?!?!

Someone interviewed on network news said today that it was
an "Act of God by George Bush's God". A couple of days ago
some followers of Allah were taking credit for it.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

----== Posted via Newsfeeds.Com - Unlimited-Uncensored-Secure Usenet News==----
http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+ Newsgroups
----= East and West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =----

4212. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 23:23:24 UTC
From: VOA SWLer <Reply_Here@bogus.com>
Message-ID: <ELCdnYYjrfx2977eRVn-iQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Chuck Harris wrote:

> OBTW, using SVO in an on-the-road vehicle is illegal both federally, and
> in most
> states, as you aren't paying the required per gallon road taxes.

Who cares? What are the chances of him being stopped by an IRS
"revenuer" or a state official because his exhaust smells of french
fries?

Nil!

4213. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 23:29:54 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <43236BFF.F90C9FB9@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13736
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
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> Sure they could. And if we still had WWI carrier pidgeons they could be
> used also. Or perhaps they could mail a letter.

Sure they could mail a letter. After the US postal service reopens
mail service to the affected areas. There were notices on the USPS
website telling that next day, and some other mail services were not
available for the time being.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4214. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-10 23:32:45 UTC
From: VOA SWLer <Reply_Here@bogus.com>
Message-ID: <7aSdndDQNvKB8L7eRVn-iQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Scott Dorsey wrote:

> VOA SWLer <Reply_Here@bogus.com> wrote:
>
>>A friend of mine is using Crisco in his diesel powered Dodge Ram 2500 pickup truck.
>>
>
> It's acidic enough that it will eventually corrode the fuel injectors
> if he does this for too long without adding some buffering or cutting it
> with diesel.

How long would it take to show corrosion of the fuel injectors?
50K miles? 100K miles?

>But that should be fine to get us through the current
> shortage.

That's right! And, now that the prices for diesel fuel are dropping,
Crico oil is more expensive.

4215. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 00:39:16 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <43237cb4$0$32199$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13738
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

an_old_friend wrote:

>
> sure there are facts but it also a fact that i think you are an idoit
> but this sate of being a fact does not make it relavant
>
> nothing your rant saying why the neds Dan was identifing culd not be
> met though other means

>
> 250,00 is relitive small but the issue was never number but land area
>

> more of you absurdity

You might be more credible if you could spell a bit better. At least
use a spell checker so you appear to be less of an idiot.

Of course, your arguments would still be suspect even if you did that.

tom
K0TAR

4216. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 02:02:27 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126402494.029517.184900@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13739
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> tom
> K0TAR

4217. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 02:14:40 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <43239310$0$22197$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13740
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> many cases the aurguement is rejected before it is read
>

Stupid is as stupid does.

tom
K0TAR

4218. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 02:16:15 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <4323936f$0$22197$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13741
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> already made up their minds, why should I put out the effort when in
> many cases the aurguement is rejected before it is read
>

And I have the balls to admit who I am.

tom
K0TAR

4219. Re: Shelby Hamfest Travel

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 04:45:23 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <xKednced8tj5K77eRVn-qw@rcn.net>
Source record: 13742
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

VOA SWLer wrote:
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> Who cares? What are the chances of him being stopped by an IRS
> "revenuer" or a state official because his exhaust smells of french
> fries?

Getting better all the time! When it was just one or two cars doing it, the chances were nil. But now there are websites dedicated to running SVO, or biodiesel. The legislature in MD, for one, had already addressed the issue, and will be taxing biodiesel in all forms.

Considering that the fine is in the thousands of dollars, it might be important to you if you decide to run SVO, or off road diesel.

-Chuck

4220. Re: F5VKM - New Antennas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 15:39:26 UTC
From: Don <nospam@nospam.net>
Message-ID: <OcYUe.2053$R9.341@trnddc02>
Source record: 13743

No matter...its still means "Crook", or Thief"

"The hustler" <thehustler@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:thehustler-03080520585700001@10.0.1.1...
> American ???
>
> No no no dear chap, don't you mean English ?
> After all Native Americans didn't speak English !
>
> In article <1123086188.757634.123690@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
> RickN7HJ@gmail.com wrote:
>
> > As do you, With a very Anon name, a name in American that means Con
> > Artist or a Bad Magazine.
> > Hustler
> > b : to sell something to or obtain something from by energetic and
> > especially underhanded activity <hustling the suckers> c : to sell or
> > promote energetically and aggressively <hustling a new product> d : to
> > lure less skillful players into competing against oneself at (a
> > gambling game) <hustle pool>

4221. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 20:15:41 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <Nf0Ve.10359$9i4.10170@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13744
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Tom Ring" <news0002@taring.org> wrote in message
news:43239310$0$22197$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net...
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>> already made up their minds, why should I put out the effort when in
>> many cases the aurguement is rejected before it is read
>>
>
> Stupid is as stupid does.
>
> tom
> K0TAR
>

And one thing about it....Ya just cain't fix stupid!!

Dan/W4NTI

4222. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 20:16:42 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <Kg0Ve.10360$9i4.4123@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13745
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:43236BFF.F90C9FB9@earthlink.net...
> Dan/W4NTI wrote:
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>> Sure they could. And if we still had WWI carrier pidgeons they could be
>> used also. Or perhaps they could mail a letter.
>
>
> Sure they could mail a letter. After the US postal service reopens
> mail service to the affected areas. There were notices on the USPS
> website telling that next day, and some other mail services were not
> available for the time being.
>
>
> --
> ?
>
> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida\

That was my point, sir.

Dan/W4NTI

4223. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 21:09:26 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <a21Ve.10383$9i4.5343@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13598
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This is to 'an old friend' in particular and his dingaling buddies.

Perhaps this E-Mail I just received from the Alabama Section Emergency Coordinator will "HELP" 'an old friend' to understand. Anyone want to bet?

Please notice the comments about using tactical and formal message handling. FYI tactical would be to dispense with the formal headings. Just use the basic address/phone number. Then the operator that received the message makes a phone call to deliver anywhere in the world that allowed 3rd Party traffic.

Formal should be self explainatory, but knowing the abilities of Mr. 'an old friend' I'll translate....It is using standard ARRL Formatted messages as in;

Number 139 W (Welfare) W4NTI CHECK 12 ANNISTON AL SEPT 10
TO MR JAMES KIRK
STARSHIP ENTERPRISE
ANYWHERE IN THE UNIVERSE ZIP CODE
PHONE NR
BT
ALL IS WELL HERE MR. SPOCK X HOPE
TO SEE YOU SOON BT JAMES T. KIRK

BT

NNNN (MEANS NOTHING FURTHER) (USUALLY SENT IN CW OR DIGITAL MODES AND NOT USED IN PHONE)

You do notice the word 'sites' right? That is plural for many locations.

I especially want your response to the paragraph concerning the highly vaunted 800 mhz system. That FAILED immediatly. Then please comment about the use of Hams to DISPATCH Police and Fire. Not to mention the comment of how these same hams helped FIX these sites to attempt getting the Police and other Emergency agencies back on line.

Please also note that these Ham teams VOLUNTARILY PUT THEMSELVES into the middle of one of worst, if not THEY worst ecological disaster in this countries history. Providing their own equipment, their own supplies, their own gas, etc. Note how much that is appreciated and does not ADD to the problem.

No bragging, no looking for headlines, in fact NO NAMES AT ALL. So tell me 'an old friend' where is all the bragging????????

I doubt this will do a bit of good with you and your 1/3 of the newsgroup
that support you. But these are the facts. Believe it if you want.

OR.....just remove the egg off you face and drop the subject.

Dan/W4NTI

> Good morning Folks,
>
> I can't begin to tell you how awesome your response to Hurricane Katrina
> and the aftermath has been. The Tactical and Formal traffic handling as
> well as the overall professionalism, has truly been impressive.
>
> Those of you that have packed up and gone to the needed sites to operate
> in dismal conditions deserve all of our gratitude. You have made our state
> proud, and me too.
> For those who went but were turned around because of mis-communication,
> please accept my sincere apologies. With a half million people homeless,
> and hundreds of thousands without power, water and basic services, all of
> us in Emergency Services were simply overwhelmed. We're trying to get it
> right, and using the experience to make sure of a good plan should this
> magnatude of event ever happen again.
>
> This is what we have learned:
>
> The 800mhz and other trunked systems commonly used by local and state
> agencies, were the first to go in the hard hit areas. In many cases, we
> found Police and Fire units were dispatching from a car or HT. Even after
> two weeks, we still have hams handling All of the EOC and Public Service
> communications in a number of counties and Parishes on the coast. This is
> really hot gristly work. Many of the hams were able to repair the
> commercial antenna systems and bring some public services back online.
> Cell phones were out initally, but began to come up after a week, but many
> areas are still overloaded or spotty.
> The most valuable asset by far has been the totally self contained ham or
> team who went in with radios, generators, antennas, food, water, and
> sleeping bags. This is what everyone onsite began to ask for, and what we
> are running short of. Keep this in mind for a club or group project in the
> future.
>
> ARRL has set up a Clearing House for needed hams at
> http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/agencies/.
> Also Greg W4OZK has beed working as Amateur Radio liaison at the American
> Red Cross Disaster Operation Center that has been set up in Montgomery.
> You can contact him at DR871-06RTT-RCO3@usa.redcross.org for placement.
>
> We are still looking at at least 60 days of operations that will require
> our assistance. Anything that you or your clubs can do will mean a great
> deal to those folks who still can't communicate with the needed agencies.
>
> 73's and God Bless, Jay Isbell KA4KUN ARRL Alabama Section Emergency
> Coordinator

> ARES - ARES Mutual Assistance Team - ARES Rapid Response Team - "It's Not
> Just A Hobby Anymore"
>
>

4224. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 21:10:08 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <Q21Ve.10384$9i4.10311@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13599
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I think he listened to Dr. Peppers Lonely Hearts club band way way tooooooo
much....hi hi

Dan/W4NTI

"Cmdr Buzz Corey" <me@that.moc> wrote in message
news:zaOdnTg7KpJxC7neRVn-jw@gbronline.com...
> Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>>>
>> Just where did you get the notion that Montgomery only needed to talk
>> across town?
>
> The voices in his head told him so.

4225. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 21:22:03 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126473723.008658.199030@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13600
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> And one thing about it....Ya just cain't fix stupid!!

SoP insult any that dare question
>
> Dan/W4NTI

4226. What ham radio is doing with Katrina communications

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 21:29:43 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <bl1Ve.10397$9i4.1433@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13601
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

For those of you that want to know what ham radio is doing with Katrina communications, enjoy the read.

Dan/W4NTI

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SPECIAL EDITION TWO: HURRICANE KATRINA FOLLOW-UP

It's been quite a week of studying the ARES response to Hurricane Katrina while keeping a wary eye on storm Ophelia, just off shore here in Flagler County, on the Florida central east coast. Local ARES was on alert. We had winds and driving rain as Ophelia tried to decide which way to turn. Yesterday, it marched to the northeast and today we have an uneasy, almost surreal calm. But, the sky is clear.

Back to Katrina: I can't remember a more comprehensive ARES response, especially in terms of inter-county and interstate mutual assistance, plus the concomitant, unprecedented activity by ARRL HQ staff in support of that response, ever. Even the Chief Operating Officer Harold Kramer, WJ1B, worked over the Labor Day holiday weekend. And word arrived yesterday that the "Hurricane Katrina Amateur Radio Volunteers Needed Clearing House" now is live on the ARRL Web site <http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/agencies/>. The ARRL Letter: "This database will be the primary means for relief organizations requiring Amateur Radio volunteers for communication support to list their needs. Additionally, volunteers looking to help may search the listings to match up their capabilities with the various requirements." That is a first, as far as I know. Credit Joe Tomasone, AB2M, for the Hurricane Katrina Disaster Communications Volunteer Registration and Message Traffic Database he developed.

On the Northern Florida ARES Net this morning, a report was made that "renegade" hams were turned away from an affected area and were to be

adorned with "metal bracelets" if they did not leave. Message: Coordinate your volunteer efforts with your own home ARRL Section Emergency Coordinator (SEC), or his/her designees. Also, be prepared to be self-sufficient: "If you need it, you bring it," advised Alabama SEC Jay Isbell, KA4KUN. - K1CE

"All of us know this will be a months-long effort. Just because we are unable to immediately send those of you who have registered, that does not mean we will not need you in the future. Your patience in awaiting an assignment that may never come is appreciated. The requirements are likely to change in the future; we are unable to give any idea of when that will be." - Jerry Reimer, KK5CA, STX SEC

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+ NORTHERN TEXAS SECTION RESPONSE

The NTX Section had been on alert since Monday, August 29. NTX SEC Harris Swan, K5MWC, and STX SEC Jerry Reimer, KK5CA, had agreed early on a plan to make effective use of NTX ARES members in response to requests from the affected area. That plan was to prepare a list of people volunteering to go if requested; Reimer would coordinate all requests for assistance.

NTX ARES has primarily been supporting the West Gulf ARES Emergency Net, dealing with H/W traffic, and supporting Red Cross, Salvation Army, and FEMA. Several of the county EOCs requested support as they anticipated operations with the large number of evacuees expected.

NTX will supplement resources in the affected area, provide support to local shelter operations and support relief agencies in response to their requests. The tempo will certainly pick up as time goes by; NTX ARES is planning for long-term needs. -- NTX SEC Harris Swan,

K5MWC

The following is culled from a status report by the indefatigable Jerry Reimer, KK5CA, South Texas SEC: Hurricane Katrina ARES operations continue in Louisiana, Alabama, Mississippi, North and South Texas sections, using operators recruited from Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi, Texas, Tennessee, Florida and other nearby states and sections.

+ LOUISIANA

ARES continues to support Red Cross shelter and Southern Baptist Convention debris-clearing operations in St. Tammany parish, where disaster relief workers are housed and fed at the First Baptist Church in Covington. In Washington Parish, ARES operators are arriving to provide critical communication among hospitals and the parish EOC. Over a dozen operators from Texas alone have traveled to Louisiana. Victoria County (Texas) ARES EC John Wagner, WA5VBP, flew into the New Orleans airport where it was determined that his assignment was unsafe; he was sent on to serve in Baton Rouge.

Communications among the field teams and the state EOC in Baton Rouge continues using HF voice on 75 meters and 40 meters. Surprisingly, many VHF and UHF repeaters remained operational after the storm's passing. Louisiana SEC Gary Stratton, K5GLS, temporarily delegated his authority to former SM Al Oubre, K5DPG. Stratton will be working on restoring the communications infrastructure.

In yesterday's ARRL Letter, Stratton was cited as saying Amateur Radio was the only means for state officials at the state EOC in Baton Rouge to communicate earlier this week with parishes above Lake Pontchartrain. Also, there was a communication to the EOC from FEMA that said, "Ham radio is our prime communications with you, and they should get anything they need."

Reports also have ARES ops even loaning government agencies their equipment.

+ MISSISSIPPI

The hardest hit areas are perhaps the counties closest to the Gulf coast, especially Hancock and Harrison Counties. ARES DEC Tom Hammack, W4WLF, requested 25 ARES operators for critical communication among EOCs, hospitals, and shelters. ARRL Northern Florida, West Central Florida and Southern Florida Sections are sending self-sufficient teams to meet this urgent need, and a few operators are coming from Arkansas. Hammack said his operators are sleeping on the floor where they are assigned. State RACES Officer and ARES DEC Ron Brown, AB5WF, is working on a staging area for Amateur Radio responders near the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) in Jackson. Mississippi SM/SEC Malcolm Keown, W5XX, received a replacement generator and now has telephone and Internet

service.

[In correspondence with Malcolm, he gave me an appreciation for their mental status and what they are going through on the ground in Mississippi: "At this point nobody has much time to document activities. Nobody at this point really has a clear enough mind to put together a coherent story." -- K1CE]

+ ALABAMA

The state capitol of Montgomery was the scene of processing and orienting Amateur Radio volunteers for Red Cross and other duty in Louisiana and Mississippi. Some volunteers will help support communication at Red Cross shelters set up for evacuees, while others will provide tactical communication for feeding stations or for emergency management. Alabama SM Greg Sarratt, W4OZK, has been coordinating ham radio volunteers at the Montgomery site. - ARRL Letter

+ SOUTH TEXAS

The Red Cross reports housing more than 142,000 people in 485 shelters in 18 states. Texas has over 230,000 people who fled. Orange County ARES EC Rocky Wilson, N5MTX, has ARES operators supporting seven Red Cross facilities that include distribution centers and shelters. Since being activated on August 27, 35 ARES operators have provided over 1,200 person-hours, as operations continue. ARES groups from adjacent Jefferson and Polk Counties are providing much-needed mutual aid.

ARES District 14 (Harris County) DEC Ken Mitchell, KD2KW, was requested by the county emergency management office (HCOEM) to provide four operators 24 hours per day, on-site at the Houston Astrodome, and two at the county EOC, beginning September 1. Since then, more than 90 operators have provided over 720 person-hours of direct communications support. All four county ARES ECs are providing operators at both sites.

Managing the incoming health and welfare inquiry messages is overwhelming nearly all NTS resources, especially at the local level. To mitigate this, Amateur Radio clubs have been asked to contact nearby shelters as often as possible to pick up outgoing messages and process them into the NTS by any available means.

At the request of the state Adjutant General's office, Travis County ARES EC Don Dudley, AC5YK, facilitated National Guard in Waco with communication with Guard elements at the Louisiana Superdome.

+ NEW ORLEANS

STX SEC Jerry Reimer, KK5CA, reports: "Amateur Radio operators are beginning to be sent into areas around New Orleans to support command and control operations for Red Cross and other disaster relief

operations. The equipment requirement is VHF and UHF FM. Portable, hand-held and mobile stations are needed. Conditions remain primitive. A pass is required from the Louisiana State Police for access beyond roadblocks. Similar requirements exist in Mississippi, where the state EOC is located in Jackson."

+ NORTHWEST HARRIS COUNTY (TEXAS) ARES

From Hal Merritt, KD5HWW, EC, Northwest Harris County (Texas) ARES: "I have a few moments to breathe and share some notes. We have three running missions: a deployment near Slidell, an operator in New Orleans, and the local event.

The local mission consists of serving the mass shelters in Houston. We saw rapid escalation, much more misinformation than information, and a dynamic situation. The core problem was one we've never seen before: We had trained and drilled on mass evacuations, but not the reverse (mass incoming evacuees). Our local resources were quickly overwhelmed, and I pulled the trigger on our MOU with surrounding county ARES groups. I am now tasking hams from several counties, but may be expanding my plea for operators statewide. The problem is that there is no lodging of any kind to be had. Every hotel and motel is completely full with evacuees.

There is ample local infrastructure, except housing. The event is running along the FEMA ICS (Incident Command System) and UC (Unified Command) scripts. It may seem like chaos to the untrained eye, but it is a thing of beauty to see it working so well.

Normally, an ARES response team would report to, and be tasked by, the Liaison person of the FEMA Command Staff. There, it might be used as an ICS resource or tasked to Logistics for assignment to Task Forces or Strike Teams. Amateur Radio is not yet an official FEMA Resource Type, but that is being worked on. In this event, the Harris County OEM called us. The EOC is attached to ICS under Logistics, and that is how we fit into this event. The ICS is on site at the Astrodome complex.

The ARES response has two locations. The first team is situated with the EOC, providing communication for logistics (resource scheduling and support of the Dome team). They are making entries into a master event log, also.

The main effort is in the field, however. We have teams of four to six operators. There is a Team Leader who is in charge. He/she is responsible for on-site task assignments and for getting the relief team quickly up to speed. The Team Leaders are ARES AECs, or other amateurs with large public service event experience.

We are running six-hour shifts. No one is scheduled for more than six hours, and they have only one shift per day. Having seen what happens when someone gets too tired, we would rather do without, than have someone get hurt; or worse, get other people hurt. Superheroes

need not apply.

The ARES leadership is focused on coordination. Every possible task is being delegated. Although we are working 12-hour days, the real action is with the Team Leaders and Net Controls. No, things are not being done exactly like we would have done it, but it is getting done; and generally, with the highest degree of professionalism. Every time I screw up, there seems to be a number of folks there to beat me up and get the job done right.

Please relay my deepest gratitude to all that have stepped up to the plate. - Contact Hal Merritt, KD5HWW, at <hal.merritt@worldnet.att.net>

+ HILLSBOROUGH (FLORIDA) OPS DEPLOYED TO MISSISSIPPI MAKING A DIFFERENCE FOR KATRINA SURVIVORS

Six trained communication volunteers from the Tampa Bay, Florida, area (sponsored by the Hillsborough County EOC) have been in Mississippi. Using ham radio while awaiting their deployment with state of Florida communications assets, they became one of the few outlets for "I'm Alive" messages out of the area. With local operators in the affected area providing communications to local police, fire, and search teams, there has been limited means of transmitting H/W messages from the victims to their families outside the disaster zone.

Members of the Hillsborough team have been visiting shelters and feeding stations collecting messages from victims. More than 100 messages have been transmitted from Gulfport to Tampa via the Tampa Amateur Radio Club, and local hams in Tampa have been making heart-breaking phone calls to loved ones across the country who had no word for a week on the fate of their family members in Mississippi.

The official mission of the Hillsborough team is to set up and operate EDICs (Emergency Deployable Interoperable Communications System), a fly-away computer-controlled communications system that interconnects radios and cell phones of different frequencies and types so that public service communication can be restored in a disaster area. It allows the radios that survived to be put to use so that police officers and firefighters can better coordinate recovery operations.

The EDICs unit may be tasked to Stennis Space Center in Hancock County, or to Keesler Air Force Base, Mississippi. The team is to deploy with Florida law enforcement teams staged in Gulfport. -- Pete Kemp, KZ1Z, West Central Florida Section PIO

Gary Sessums, KC5QCN, member of the Hillsborough team writes: "Thanks for the mention in the ARES newsletter about the Hillsborough County ARES/RACES deployment. We are on site in Biloxi and Gulfport, Mississippi. We have passed over 100 H/W messages in addition to our

public safety tasking. We are on the MARS, CAP, and SHARES nets, in addition to Amateur Radio. I am trying to arrange relief for the local ARES/RACES operators at the Harrison County EOC, as those guys have been running non-stop since before the storm hit."

+ INTEROPERABILITY TIP

Watching in frustration at the breakdown of communications in the Gulf coast response, I was made acutely aware of the viability of Amateur Radio in terms of interoperability. We have the ability to change frequencies in our radios to serve the location and needs of the area.

Mobile HF, VHF and UHF radios can be re-programmed on the fly. With that in mind, one of the necessary contents of anyone's "grab and go" equipment should be the manuals, or copies of specific pages, for any radio they carry with them.

I also write down the necessary steps -- and only the necessary steps -- to program and use the radio away from the manual. I word process the steps small enough so that I can laminate them as part of my credentials lanyard. As a backup, I put another credit-card-size laminated copy in a wallet that I keep separate in a coat pocket or in the cargo pocket of my trousers. -- Chuck Heron, KD7BWG, DEC, Gila County ARES, Arizona, Executive Officer, Gila County EMCOMM (ARES/RACES), <kd7bwg@arrl.net>

+ ON RESPONDER FATIGUE

From Fred Leif, W6WTI: Thank you for putting out the special edition ARES E-Letter. It is important that hams outside the impact and support areas have a sense of the service that is being provided so that we can help explain to our neighbors and the public the vital role that Amateur Radio is playing.

Amateur Radio serves best while the communications emergency exists. The full response and recovery from Katrina will take a very long time, but when the response agencies and recovery teams have established networks that meet their communications needs, the hams should be allowed to stand down. It will be difficult to determine when this occurs, but the ARES leaders should keep an eye on this ball. We don't want "responder fatigue" to the extent that we can't get operators for the next event. Bringing our service to bear on the communications emergency, and recognizing when it is time to step aside is a vital management function.

+ DIGITAL OUTLETS

Louisiana SEC Gary Stratton, K5GLS, reports "We now have digital (Pactor/Internet/WL2K) outlets for H/W traffic into the areas noted below in Louisiana and Mississippi. National Traffic System (NTS) traffic can be sent to <ae5v@winlink.org>. At the point that destination traffic handlers feel they can take on all comers, the

directions to reach them will be shared. Louisiana towns and parishes: St. Tammany, Abita Spring, Covington, Folsom, Lacombe, Madisonville, Mandeville, Pearl River, Son, Slidell, Tangipahoa, Amite, Hammond, Independence, Kentwood, Ponchatoula, Roseland, Tangipahoa, Ticfaw, Terrebonne, Houma, Washington, Angie, Bogalusa, Franklinton, Varnado. Mississippi Towns: Gautier, Ocean Springs, Pascagoula. - Relayed by Benson Scott, AE5V

+ BRIEFS:

The Ohio Single Side Band Net (OSSBN) was to announce that H/W traffic will be accepted. OSSBN Net Manager Connie Hamilton, N8IO, who is also an Assistant Section Manager, said conditions have changed, allowing for a reasonable chance of traffic getting delivered. -- Joe Phillips, K8QOE, Ohio Section Manager

+ HURRICANE KATRINA HF RESPONSE AND RECOVERY FREQUENCIES

The following frequencies and links are the courtesy of John Mayger, W4DJ. As far as net activity is concerned, I've been listening primarily to the Gulf Coast ARES Net on 7285 kHz, and the SATERN Net on 14.265 MHz, although I'm sure there are many other active nets. Good propagation to the Florida east coast from those two nets have allowed me to monitor their excellent, professional work. - K1CE

2802.4 USB American Red Cross Disaster
3171.4 USB American Red Cross Disaster
5136.4 USB American Red Cross Disaster
5141.4 USB American Red Cross Disaster
5211.0 USB FEMA
5236.0 USB SHARES Coordination Network
6859.5 USB American Red Cross Disaster
7507.0 USB USN/USCG hurricane net
7550.5 USB American Red Cross Disaster (primary)
7698.5 USB American Red Cross Disaster
9380.0 USB USN/USCG hurricane net
10493.0 USB FEMA
14396.5 USB SHARES Coordination Network

AMATEUR HF GULF COAST HURRICANE NETS

3845.0 LSB Gulf Coast West Hurricane
3862.5 LSB Mississippi Section Traffic
3873.0 LSB Central Gulf Coast Hurricane
3873.0 LSB Louisiana ARES Emergency (night)
3873.0 LSB Texas ARES Emergency (night)
3873.0 LSB Mississippi ARES Emergency
3910.0 LSB Mississippi ARES
3910.0 LSB Louisiana Traffic
3923.0 LSB Mississippi ARES
3925.0 LSB Central Gulf Coast Hurricane
3925.0 LSB Louisiana Emergency (altn)

3935.0 LSB Central Gulf Coast Hurricane
3935.0 LSB Louisiana ARES (health and welfare)
3935.0 LSB Texas ARES (health and welfare)
3935.0 LSB Mississippi ARES (health and welfare)
3935.0 LSB Alabama Emergency
3940.0 LSB Southern Florida Emergency
3950.0 LSB Northern Florida Emergency
3955.0 LSB South Texas Emergency
3965.0 LSB Alabama Emergency (altn)
3967.0 LSB Gulf Coast (outgoing traffic)
3975.0 LSB Texas RACES
3993.5 LSB Gulf Coast (health & welfare)
3995.0 LSB Gulf Coast Wx

7225.0 LSB Central Gulf Coast Hurricane
7235.0 LSB Louisiana Emergency
7235.0 LSB Central Gulf Coast Hurricane
7235.0 LSB Louisiana Emergency
7240.0 LSB American Red Cross US Gulf Coast Disaster
7240.0 LSB Texas Emergency
7243.0 LSB Alabama Emergency
7245.0 LSB Southern Louisiana
7248.0 LSB Texas RACES
7250.0 LSB Texas Emergency
7260.0 LSB Gulf Coast West Hurricane
7264.0 LSB Gulf Coast (health and welfare)
7265.0 LSB Salvation Army Team Emergency Radio (SATERN) (altn)
7273.0 LSB Texas ARES (altn)
7280.0 LSB NTS Region 5
7280.0 LSB Louisiana Emergency (altn)
7283.0 LSB Gulf Coast (outgoing only)
7285.0 LSB West Gulf ARES Emergency (day)
7285.0 LSB Louisiana ARES Emergency (day)
7285.0 LSB Mississippi ARES Emergency
7285.0 LSB Texas ARES Emergency (day)
7290.0 LSB Central Gulf Coast Hurricane
7290.0 LSB Gulf Coast Weather
7290.0 LSB Texas ARES (health and welfare)
7290.0 LSB Louisiana ARES (health and welfare) (day)
7290.0 LSB Texas ARES (health and welfare)
7290.0 LSB Mississippi ARES (health and welfare)

14265.0 USB Salvation Army Team Emergency Radio (SATERN)
14300.0 USB Intercontinental Traffic
14300.0 USB Maritime Mobile Service
14303.0 USB International Assistance and Traffic
14313.0 USB Intercontinental Traffic (altn)
14313.0 USB Maritime Mobile Service (altn)
14316.0 USB Health and Welfare
14320.0 USB Health and Welfare
14325.0 USB Hurricane Watch (Amateur-to-National Hurricane Center)

14340.0 USB Louisiana (1900)

+ RESOURCE LINKS

CAUTION: The links presented below are listed as possible resources
for ARES deployment teams. THEY HAVE NOT BEEN VETTED BY ARRL. USE
AT YOUR OWN RISK.
-K1CE

Health and Welfare Inquiries can be submitted to:

Salvation Army Team Emergency Radio Network (SATERN)
<http://www.satern.org/>; for Health and Welfare inquiries after
hurricanes and other disasters <http://qso.com/satern/emailfrm.htm>.

American Red Cross (H/W Inquiries): 866-GET-INFO (866-438-4636)
American Red Cross donations and volunteering: 800-HELP-NOW
(800-435-7669)
<http://www.redcross.org>

Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)
(Individual Disaster Assistance): 800-621-FEMA (800-621-3362)
<http://www.fema.gov/>

Hurricane Katrina Survivor Lists and Information:

National Next of Kin Registration <http://www.nokr.org/>

Hurricane Katrina Survivors Online Forum and Survivor List
<http://www.hurricanekatrinasurvivors.com/main/>

CNN Hurricane Katrina Survivor List <http://www.cnn.com/safe>

Globe Coast News Katrina Survivor List
<http://kenburtonne.web116.discountasp.net/Katrina/Status.aspx>

New Orleans <http://www.neworleans.craigslist.org>

WDSU-TV6 New Orleans TV Station <http://www.wdsu.com/news>

New Orleans Newspaper <http://www.nola.com>

Hurricane Housing Information for Victims
<http://www.hurricanehousing.org>

Links to Emergency Management and Related Sites:

<http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/aboutlinkem.html>

See also:

Florida Division of Emergency Management
<http://www.floridadisaster.org/>

Alabama Emergency Management <http://www.disaster.ema.alabama.gov/>

Alabama Homeland Security <http://www.homelandsecurity.alabama.gov/>

Louisiana State Emergency Information
<http://www.lsp.org/emergency.html>

Louisiana Homeland Security <http://www.ohsep.louisiana.gov/>

Louisiana Governor's Office <http://www.gov.state.la.us/>

City of New Orleans <http://www.cityofno.com/portal.aspx>

Mississippi Emergency Management <http://www.msema.org/>

Mississippi Emergency Management Emergency Line: 1-800-222-MEMA(6362)

Mississippi Homeland Security <http://www.homelandsecurity.ms.gov/>

Disaster Relief Organizations:

American Red Cross <http://www.redcross.org>

Salvation Army <http://www.salvationarmyusa.org/>

United Way <http://national.unitedway.org/>

Catholic Charities <http://www.catholiccharitiesusa.org/>

Operation Blessing (800) 436-6348 <http://www.ob.org/>

United Jewish Communities <http://www.ujc.org>

United Methodists Relief Committee
<http://gbgm-umc.org/umcor/emergency/hurricanes/2005/>

Episcopal Relief <http://www.er-d.org/>

America's Second Harvest (800) 344-8070
<http://www.secondharvest.org/>

+ FINAL NOTE AND PREDICTION

This special edition is released on the anniversary of the September 11 bombings that changed all of our lives. As with the humanitarian ARES response, then, it has been a privilege to monitor the incredible ARES response to the current catastrophe. Bravo to you, the ARES field activists.

It was also inspiring to see Newington and other staff give up their holiday and other time to support the ARES effort. Bravo to them -- they are members of the HQ staff for all of the right reasons.

And now, the prediction: When the curtain is finally drawn on this calamity, you will see Amateur Radio and ARES written -- or re-written -- into a host of more governmental and non-governmental organization plans for the future. Guaranteed. Mark my words on that one. Get your pens ready. - K1CE

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4227. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 21:31:53 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126474313.128208.216810@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13602
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> This is to 'an old friend' in particular and his dingaling buddies.
>
> Perhaps this E-Mail I just received from the Alabama Section Emergency
> Coordinator will "HELP" 'an old friend' to understand. Anyone want to bet?
>
> Please notice the comments about using tactical and formal message handling.
> FYI tactical would be to dispense with the formal headings. Just use the
> basic address/phone number. Then the operator that received the message
> makes a phone call to deliver anywhere in the world that allowed 3rd Party
> traffic.
>
> Formal should be self explainatory, but knowing the abilities of Mr. 'an
> old friend' I'll translate....It is using standard ARRL Formatted messages
> as in;
>
> Number 139 W (Welfare) W4NTI CHECK 12 ANNISTON AL SEPT 10
> TO MR JAMES KIRK
> STARSHIP ENTERPRISE
> ANYWHERE IN THE UNIVERSE ZIP CODE
> PHONE NR
> BT
> ALL IS WELL HERE MR. SPOCK X HOPE
> TO SEE YOU SOON BT JAMES T. KIRK
>
> BT
>
> NNNN (MEANS NOTHING FURTHER) (USUALLY SENT IN CW OR DIGITAL MODES AND NOT
> USED IN PHONE)
>
> You do notice the word 'sites' right? That is plural for many locations.
>
> I especially want your response to the paragraph concerning the highly
> vaunted 800 mhz system. That FAILED immediatly.

Yes they failed never said otherwise

> Then please comment about
> the use of Hams to DISPATCH Police and Fire.

I see no such reference, I see a reference that mean that but it is not
clear what type of car or HT radio. Had this been Sanagamon
County(springfield IL area) or here (houghton County) the police and

fire systems can operate autonomouslys of the 800 MHZ system not as
well

> Not to mention the comment of
> how these same hams helped FIX these sites to attempt getting the Police and
> other Emergency agencies back on line.

Nice to see them lend a hand but of course this isn't passing a
message, and here at least many of hams able to fix such system are
also the poeple that installed them in the first place
>
> Please also note that these Ham teams VOLUNTARILY PUT THEMSELVES into the
> middle of one of worst, if not THEY worst ecological disaster in this
> countries history.

Never said otherwise

> Providing their own equipment, their own supplies, their
> own gas, etc. Note how much that is appreciated and does not ADD to the
> problem.

never said otherwise
>
> No bragging, no looking for headlines, in fact NO NAMES AT ALL. So tell me
> 'an old friend' where is all the bragging????????

you were the one Bragging personaly. I know you can't seem to seperate
yourself from the totality of the ARS.

>
> I doubt this will do a bit of good with you and your 1/3 of the newsgroup
> that support you. But these are the facts. Believe it if you want.

I see it and I see the ARRL is being more carefull than I have seen
them in the past not to over state the role of the ARS
>
> OR.....just remove the egg off you face and drop the subject.

of course anyone that dares disgree you in the slightest degree has
"egg" on their face
>
> Dan/W4NTI
>
> > Good morning Folks,
> >
> > I can't begin to tell you how awesome your response to Hurricane Katrina
> > and the aftermath has been. The Tactical and Formal traffic handling as
> > well as the overall professionalism, has truly been impressive.
> >
> > Those of you that have packed up and gone to the needed sites to operate
> > in dismal conditions deserve all of our gratitude. You have made our state
> > proud, and me too.
> > For those who went but were turned around because of mis-communication,

> > please accept my sincere apologies. With a half million people homeless,
> > and hundreds of thousands without power, water and basic services, all of
> > us in Emergency Services were simply overwhelmed. We're trying to get it
> > right, and using the experience to make sure of a good plan should this
> > magnatude of event ever happen again.
> >
> > This is what we have learned:
> >
> > The 800mhz and other trunked systems commonly used by local and state
> > agencies, were the first to go in the hard hit areas. In many cases, we
> > found Police and Fire units were dispatching from a car or HT. Even after
> > two weeks, we still have hams handling All of the EOC and Public Service
> > communications in a number of counties and Parishes on the coast. This is
> > really hot gristly work. Many of the hams were able to repair the
> > commercial antenna systems and bring some public services back online.
> > Cell phones were out initally, but began to come up after a week, but many
> > areas are still overloaded or spotty.
> > The most valuable asset by far has been the totally self contained ham or
> > team who went in with radios, generators, antennas, food, water, and
> > sleeping bags. This is what everyone onsite began to ask for, and what we
> > are running short of. Keep this in mind for a club or group project in the
> > future.
> >
> > ARRL has set up a Clearing House for needed hams at
> > http://www.arrl.org/FandES/field/agencies/.
> > Also Greg W4OZK has beed working as Amateur Radio liaison at the American
> > Red Cross Disaster Operation Center that has been set up in Montgomery.
> > You can contact him at DR871-06RTT-RCO3@usa.redcross.org for placement.
> >
> > We are still looking at at least 60 days of operations that will require
> > our assistance. Anything that you or your clubs can do will mean a great
> > deal to those folks who still can't communicate with the needed agencies.
> >
> > 73's and God Bless, Jay Isbell KA4KUN ARRL Alabama Section Emergency
> > Coordinator
> > ARES - ARES Mutual Assistance Team - ARES Rapid Response Team - "It's Not
> > Just A Hobby Anymore"
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4228. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 21:47:01 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <zaOdnTg7KpJxC7neRVn-jw@gbronline.com>
Source record: 13746
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
>>
> Just where did you get the notion that Montgomery only needed to talk across
> town?

The voices in his head told him so.

4229. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-11 21:48:13 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <zaOdnTs7KpKuCrneRVn-jw@gbronline.com>
Source record: 13747
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com> wrote in message

>>from your statement obviously
>>
> I never said any such thing. I was talking about comms in/out of shelters.
> You think ALL the shelters are in one town?

First you need to explain to an_old_idiot what a shelter is.

4230. FA: HAM RADIO Books - AMATEUR RADIO - QST - ARRL - Now You're Talking, FCC Rule Book, General License, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 01:41:24 UTC
From: John <john@jskdkjwoidwka.com>
Message-ID: <1109200052141246869%john@jskdkjwoidwka.com>
Source record: 13603
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5808276735

4231. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 01:57:46 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4324E0BD.A033E1A@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13604
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"LenAnderson@ieee.org" wrote:
>
> The disaster of hurricane Katrina is of unparalleled proportions
> and ALL humane-thinking citizens can do their part, however big,
> however small.

And then, there are the morons and bigots:
<http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+Oaks&btnG=Search+News>

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4232. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 02:48:14 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126493294.756384.272070@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13605
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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I doubt they are the first to do so, I am certain they are will not be
the last.

Hopefully such actions will deliever a silver lining of forcing the
hand of the Govt to reign in the overbearing homowner assocations, as
hopefully, will the death and estruction in NO lead to finaly dealing
with the cities problems rather than just pushing them off till the
next admistration (at all levels)
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> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

4233. Re: Five by Five Ham Study Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 02:49:12 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <4324EDF1.9030500@nettally.com>
Source record: 13606
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks; to all who replied. The program looks pretty good. I might even
upgrade my GROL to GMDSS maintainer. I will pass on the QRZ site to my
freind as well.

Joe

Vito wrote:

>"**THE-RFI-EMI-GUY**" <rhyolite@nettally.com> wrote
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>
>>Has anyone used this software to study with? I have a friend who is
>>interested in becoming a ham and I am researching study materials. The
>>demo looks pretty promising.
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>Actually, most of the questions on the real tests, especially the Tech test,
>cover rules, frequencies, etc that must be learned by rote memorization
>anyway so I recommend simply take the sample tests on www.qrz.com over and
>over til you consistantly score well above passing then c'mon down and take
>the test. We'll be giving them at the Salem Church Library, west of
>Fredricksburg, Va tomarrow (Saturday) morning.
>
>One really should indulge in a good electronics course too .... It's fun.
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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

4234. Queestions about FAA Avionics Towers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 02:56:36 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <E76Ve.61556$p_1.44212@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13607

A few years back a Ham with a callsign like --4CNN (all I can recall)
was selling on e-bay some sections of four leg straight tower that was
used for FAA installations. The sections included a ladder.

1. Can anyone recall who was selling these?

2. Can anyone ID the make of the tower?

I am looking for about about 30 feet.

Thanks

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4235. Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 12:29:24 UTC
From: Win Heagy <wheagy@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <dg3sb4hco1@newslocal.mitre.org>
Source record: 13608

Hi,

I'd like to get a small, portable HT type radio for my wife (a non HAM) in case phones, etc., fail. What can you recommend? It should be small enough to carry daily, but get an honest 2-3 mile range (depending on terrain).
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Please email to wheagy@SPAMgmailSPAM.com (remove SPAM)

Thanks,

Win

4236. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 13:26:52 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <4325821C.8030001@NotMyISP.net>
Source record: 13609

GMRS? Allegedly better range than FRS, but needs a (no-examination)
license that costs.

Perce

On 09/12/05 08:29 am Win Heagy tossed the following ingredients into the
ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

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4237. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 13:33:29 UTC
From: et472@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <dg4039fnn1@theodyn.ncf.ca>
Source record: 13610

"Win Heagy" (wheagy@mitre.org) writes:
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are you hoping that she can call some random person to come and help (which
may or may not happen?)?

Michael VE2BVW

4238. Utah Radio Products Co. equipment info

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 14:32:19 UTC
From: gmbuypower1@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1126535539.217557.256570@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13611

I have 3 pieces of ham gear that I can't find any info on. Utah UA5, UAT4 and UAT1. Can anybody point me in the right direction as to info on these units. Pre WW11 is all I know. Must have Taylor tubes in them.

Thanks in advance, Todd

4239. SONY TV-KV1370R....Help.. pls.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 14:57:08 UTC
From: carlos <carl_os34@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <Rb6dnSdD2rPYCrjeRVn-qw@rogers.com>
Source record: 13612

Hallo smart guys....

Yeah.... .I have a problem.... I would like use my old (but still working)
TV SONY-KV 1370R for some Ham experiment,. but this devil drive
me crazy.... I can't figure out how to add more channel... some channel
are blocked (kids reason ???)... the " + " button is not working as should
be.
Maybe I have to press more buttons... but " - " minus channel - button
is working properly.. and I already lost few channel without recovery....

My dears do you have any help ideas..?

Carlos

4240. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 16:44:04 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <4mbbi1h1cs9tca3ha0a43i7prgmm9demuj@4ax.com>
Source record: 13613

I think I would look at an MURS radio. They run two watts in the
150-160 Mhz range, and do not require a license. Recognize though,
that even with a 5-watt radio, you cannot be assured of 2-3 mile
range. We used 5-watt GMRS radios in our CERT organization, which was
only intended to cover our housing development from one end to
another. It's a little over a mile, but coverage was often spotty at
best. You are probably looking for something that doesn't exist. To
get reliable coverage over a 3-mile distance usually requires a
repeater, and that's a whole different ball game. Ever thought about
getting her a ham license? It's not that difficult now.

Dick - W6CCD

On Mon, 12 Sep 2005 09:26:52 -0400, "Percival P. Cassidy"
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4241. SGC model SG-230 SmartTuner - Automatic Antenna Tuner on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 17:17:53 UTC
From: wmtell@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1126545473.532986.157680@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13614

I have listed a NEW SGC SG-230 SmartTuner on ebay. As you most likely know, this is the ultimate automatic antenna tuner.

This is a commerical grade, state of the art antenna tuner for Ham, commercial, marine, aviation, military, intelligence and shortwave use.

For more information or to see the pictures click on this link:

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6802005559

If the linik does not work for you, just go to http://ebay.com and do a search for: "SGC model SG-230"

I have the ability to ship this unit worldwide.

Thanks,

Bill

4242. FS: Radio's, mics, meters, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 17:21:30 UTC
From: HomebruElectronics@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1126545690.093271.8280@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13615

Have the following FS. All the equipment is fully operational w/
paperwork unless specified, shipping is included in the prices:

Rigs:
- Yaesu FT-890AT..... Works great, looks fine. $475
- Kenwood TS-50..... Never mobile, w/ box and all accesories $450
- Icom 706MKIIG..... Also never mobile, w/ all from factory $600
- Icom IC-2800... 2m/440 like new, a scrath or two on heatsink $375
- Yaesu VX-6R.... tri-band HT, 2 months old $195
Meters:
-Bird 43 - Very clean w/ box papers etc. $175
-MFJ 934 300W TUNER - $225
-MFJ 962d 1500W TUNER - $145
Amps:
-Dentron MLA 2500 amplifier - some wear-n-tear, new tubes $350
-Heathkit SB-220 2kW AMP $440
Mics (will wire to your preference @ no charge):
-Astatic 10 DA - NIB - $115
-Astatic D104 - lightly used, looks new $80
-Heil HM-10 - Used once, Wired for Icom $85
Keys:
-MFJ 464 Memory Keyer - like new $150

Thanks, homebruelectronics@yahoo.com

4243. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 18:13:40 UTC
From: Win Heagy <wheagy@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <dg4ggm$26b$1@newslocal.mitre.org>
Source record: 13616

Ok...I guess more details are needed She works in Washington DC, I work a
few miles away. As you may know, over the past few years, DC has been,
shall we say, an area of interest with regard to emergencies. As we also
know,
from 4 years ago, cell phones were no help during the emergency. We have
text messaging, but that cannot necessarily be counted on either.

So, my original post still stands, but to be more specific, I'm talking
about
9/11 type emergencies. I'd like to have a backup communications method
when our familiar methods fail. I realize no communication method is
failsafe, but I just wanted to see if someone had any insight I may not have
considered. If you don't, know problem...thanks anyway.

Win

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news:dg4039fnn1@theodyn.ncf.ca...
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> Michael VE2BVW
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4244. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 19:10:08 UTC
From: Carl / W6VDC <carl.hixon@cox.net>
Message-ID: <bnkVe.8821$mH.8469@fed1read07>
Source record: 13617
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> <http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+Oaks&btnG=Search+News>

I looked at the link and read a couple of the articles. I didn't see anything that warranted labelling them bigots. I don't think that the HOA took the proper position, but that doesn't make them bigots.

4245. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 19:27:29 UTC
From: Steven L Umbach <n9rou@n0-spam-for-me-comcast.net>
Message-ID: <CJOdnYdzos0hS7jeRVn-hw@comcast.com>
Source record: 13618

All the two way communication devices I have seen give ranges that are at best optimistic and then at only best possible conditions. The more power the device has [all else being equal] the better your range though going from 1 watt to 2 watts will not come close to doubling your range. I would also look at devices that have multiple power levels because you want to conserve power when you do not need full output. Having backup devices is always better then nothing. Keep in mind that the type of communications these devices use is "line of sight". If there is a hill between the two of you range will be poor. If one person is much higher than the other and the path is relatively clear the range can be very good. I have a modest vertical antenna on top of my house at 35 feet above the ground for 146 mhz and with it my range is over ten miles to other users on the ground and up to about 50 miles for users with similar antenna set up. Directional "beam" antennas can extend range dramatically [well over 100 miles] to other beam antennas pointed at each other. With the built in antenna for my HT about a mile is good for HT to HT communications at ground level.

So if you need to use a HT device try to get as high and in the clear as possible or consider an outside antenna. I don't know if they make external antenna devices for the consumer devices though one could be easily built if need be. Even one in the attic of a house could extend the range quite a bit. Otherwise consider getting your ham license. You do not need to learn Morse code for the entrance license and the exam is fairly easy with books that have the questions and answers. With a ham license you could then also purchase higher powered FM mobile devices for your cars. Event without a repeater with car to car using 50 watts FM your range should be at least a couple miles due to the combination of higher power and a much better antenna that would be used on the car. A car mobile possibly would also be able to communicate with a HT on the ground within the range you need. A new FM mobile radio can be purchased for well under $200 and there are economical mag mount antennas that can be stored in the trunk until needed. These antennas can be as little as a foot high. Good luck. --- Steve

http://www.universal-radio.com/catalog/fm_txvrs/2800.html --- Yaesu FT 2800M. 65 watts on 2 meters for $159.95.

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4246. Re: Radio's, mics, meters, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 21:30:03 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <vrmVe.9084$c27.8247@trndny01>
Source record: 13619

I will offer you $150.00 for the VX-6R
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news:1126545690.093271.8280@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
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4247. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 22:01:01 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndibuh1.bbq.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 13620

In article <dg4ggm$26b$1@newslocal.mitre.org>, Win Heagy wrote:
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> failsafe, but I just wanted to see if someone had any insight I may not have
> considered. If you don't, know problem...thanks anyway.

I know this is herasy in this group, but you might want to consider getting
her a CB. It's cheap, it's easy to use and there are a lot of them around.

You might not be able to reach each other directly, but there is a good
chance that there will be someone around who can relay a message for you.

Geoff.

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Geoffrey S. Mendelson, Jerusalem, Israel gsm@mendelson.com N3OWJ/4X1GM
IL Voice: (077)-424-1667 IL Fax: 972-2-648-1443 U.S. Voice: 1-215-821-1838
Support the growing boycott of Google by radio users and hobbyists.
It's starting to work, Yahoo has surpassed Google.

4248. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-12 23:11:35 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <43260B27.4000703@netscape.net>
Source record: 13621

Michael Black wrote:
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Should also mention that you need the batteries in the thing to be
charged. And you need to have it on you. Lugging around an extra pound
of useless radio day after day after day is gonna get old, so It'll
soon be on the shelf at home.

And the same thing will happen with your end.

And why do people think they need to communicate so urgently? She's
either OK or probably in no shape to use the radio. Unless you're
a medic or have her rare blood type, it can wait. It'll either be OK
or it won't. Knowing about it sooner won't change it.

Most people don't even NEED a cellphone. Just gives them something do
do so they don't have to pay attention to that boring driving to the

place they don't need to go in their SUV they use for hauling two bags
of groceries.
Just my opinion.
mike

>
> One thing missing from your post is what is she supposed to do with
> this radio? You need someone at the other end, so are you saying
> you'll always be that close to her so the two of you can talk? Or
> are you hoping that she can call some random person to come and help (which
> may or may not happen?)?
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> Michael VE2BVW
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Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
.
Wanted, PCMCIA SCSI Card for HP m820 CDRW.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Wanted 12" LCD for Compaq Armada 7770MT.
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

4249. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 02:24:36 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <6qudnRtjVJhVpLveRVn-tQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13622
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Carl / W6VDC" <carl.hixon@cox.net> wrote in message
news:bnkVe.8821$mH.8469@fed1read07...
>
>> And then, there are the morons and bigots:
>> <http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+Oaks&btnG=Search+News>
>
> I looked at the link and read a couple of the articles. I didn't see
> anything that warranted labelling them bigots. I don't think that the HOA
> took the proper position, but that doesn't make them bigots.

However it would seem to indicate that they lack humanitarianism.

4250. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 03:29:04 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <432647A7.FF531A57@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13623
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> >> <http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+Oaks&btnG
=Search+News>
> >
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> > anything that warranted labelling them bigots. I don't think that the HOA
> > took the proper position, but that doesn't make them bigots.
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> However it would seem to indicate that they lack humanitarianism.

They finally backed down today, after a change in the HOA and a
number of residents calling realtors to see if they could find another
home to move out of Majestic Oaks.

BTW, the same HOA tried to evict a resident after 9/11 for having the
nerve to display the American flag in one of their windows. The local
paper had printed a full page American flag on heavy paper stock and
asked people to display them in their homes.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4251. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 03:41:07 UTC
From: KU2S <ku2s@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <diici1lmtoekbcrqifh03q7rmgqv9r265h@4ax.com>
Source record: 13624

On Mon, 12 Sep 2005 08:29:24 -0400, "Win Heagy" <wheagy@mitre.org> was
heard to say:

>Hi,
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>I'd like to get a small, portable HT type radio for my wife (a non HAM)
>in case phones, etc., fail. What can you recommend? It should be small
>enough to carry daily, but get an honest 2-3 mile range (depending on
>terrain).
>We've tried several of the FSR type radios, but none get anywhere near the
>advertised range. Any suggestions?
>
>Please email to wheagy@SPAMgmailSPAM.com (remove SPAM)
>
>Thanks,
>
>Win
>

Oddly enough, nobody suggested having her earn her Amateur Radio
ticket and getting a 2-meter handheld!

My wife did it with three days of studying. To this day she retains
maybe 2% of the testing material, but at least she remembered it long
enough to get her ticket - and that was when you had to take TWO
written tests for Tech!
Raymond Sirois
SysOp: The Lost Chord BBS
http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Park/9257
telnet://thelostchord.dns2go.com:6023

4252. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 03:58:22 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ehjci1hbf71ml4k0tp672li4rktmb0pl9l@4ax.com>
Source record: 13625

On Tue, 13 Sep 2005 03:41:07 GMT, KU2S <ku2s@arrl.net> wrote:

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>http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Park/9257
>telnet://thelostchord.dns2go.com:6023

Even more odd. You didn't read my post when I suggested exactly that.

dick

4253. how can we get 110V and 220V in our homes in Saudi Arabia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 05:25:30 UTC
From: abdulaziz_022@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1126589130.909606.149720@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13626

I want to ask how can we get 110V and 220V in our homes in Saudi Arabia

Or in other words
what is the wires that inters our home ????
I heared in this group about 120 and 0 and -120 and, but these are DC
and we get AC in our home and according to my knolage in AC we dont
have negative or positive because this is an altranating current .
PLEASE ANSWER ME WITH A CLEARE EXPLANATION
THANK YOU.....

4254. Re: how can we get 110V and 220V in our homes in Saudi Arabia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 09:56:01 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndid8ej.k6r.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 13628

In article <1126589130.909606.149720@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
abdulaziz_022@yahoo.com wrote:

> I want to ask how can we get 110V and 220V in our homes in Saudi Arabia
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> Or in other words
> what is the wires that inters our home ????
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> and we get AC in our home and according to my knolage in AC we dont
> have negative or positive because this is an altranating current .

In the U.S. the power system is 120 volts 60Hz. To improve efficency most homes are powered by transformers that have a 240 volt output with a grounded center tap. So two wires come into the house with 240 volts across them, while the outlets are wired with one side connected to a "hot" wire and the other connected to ground at a central location.

Some applicances such as ovens, clothes dryers, large air conditioners, heaters, etc are wired across both wires and run on 240 volts.

In Saudi Arabia things are different. The power coming in used the European standard of 220 volts 50 Hz. Most countries are migrating to a 230 volt standard that the E.U. is using (a compromise between England's 240 volts and Europe's 220 volts).

What I don't know is if Saudi Arabia uses the traditional two hot wires with no reference to ground, or it uses one hot and one neutral (central ground) like other places.

Most likely, if you want 120 volts 50Hz, you can buy a transformer. There are two kinds, an autotransformer (one winding with a center tap) that has poor regulation, but is much cheaper and a true transformer that has two windings. For electronic equipment, a true transformer is better.

If you want to run a refrigerator, a transformer with a 100 volt output is better because the motor is less efficent with the 50Hz current and the lower voltage prevents it from stressing itself.

Note that the are some rare devices (mostly made before 1990) that are sensative to the frequency of the incoming electricity. These are things like clocks, hifi equipment,VCRs etc. They will not function properly with a transformer.

Note that TV systems are different and you will not be able to use a 120 volt (U.S.) TV set no matter what you do to watch local TV. There are "multisystem" TV sets and VCRs, but they are all dual voltage, check for a switch.

DVD's are a different story.

Since this is a ham radio group after all, if you are asking about ham radio equipment you would, IMHO, be best off buying equipment that runs on 13.8 volts (also known as 12 volts) and getting a proper power supply locally.

Geoff.

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Support the growing boycott of Google by radio users and hobbyists.
It's starting to work, Yahoo has surpassed Google.

4255. Re: how can we get 110V and 220V in our homes in Saudi Arabia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 09:56:34 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dg67l0sea1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 13627

<abdulaziz_022@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1126589130.909606.149720@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> and we get AC in our home and according to my knolage in AC we dont
> have negative or positive because this is an altranating current .
> PLEASE ANSWER ME WITH A CLEARE EXPLANATION
> THANK YOU.....

Voltages in Saudi Arabia are nominally the same as on the North American continent. This is to say, 127 volts for most appliances, 220 volts for heavy appliances. Both at 60 Hz line frequency. They use the same appliance plugs as N. America for their 127 volt service, and the Euro round two-pin plug for 220, as well as a larger plug for heavier appliances that has two flat horizontal pins and a round pin for ground or neutral.

http://kropla.com/electric2.htm

4256. FA: 1-Day-Left: ELECTRONIC BOOKS - Master IC Cookbook, IC Timer Handbook, Microcomputer Interfacing: A/D & D/A - 4 TAB Books

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 11:29:40 UTC
From: Mick <mick@ajlkjwoidfww.com>
Message-ID: <130920050729404219%mick@ajlkjwoidfww.com>
Source record: 13629
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4574107139

4257. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 12:30:52 UTC
From: Win Heagy <wheagy@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <dg6gpv$36d$1@newslocal.mitre.org>
Source record: 13630

Thanks for all the responses. (I especially liked..."And why do people
think they need to
communicate so urgently?"...and this from someone in
rec.radio.amateur.equipment! Usenet
always makes me smile. :-))

Anyway, there were some good ideas and you gave me a few things to consider.

Thanks for your time.

Win

4258. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 12:48:05 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <0ICdncTJkPKeVrveRVn-vA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13631
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Dee Flint wrote:
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> news:bnkVe.8821$mH.8469@fed1read07...
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>>><http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+Oaks&btnG=Search+News>
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>>anything that warranted labelling them bigots. I don't think that the HOA
>>took the proper position, but that doesn't make them bigots.
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> However it would seem to indicate that they lack humanitarianism.
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Judgments!!! Would it not be better to read the exact terms of the CC&R,
AKA CONTRACT, before judgments are made??

The exact wording of the HOA/CC&R may restrict certain activities [such
as external antennas, or temporary housing, etc]. The restriction can
only be waived by consent of the members of the HOA.

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4259. FA: RCA 6146A's, JOHNSON "JUMBO" sockets, 3-807's all good!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 13:28:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ouAVe.4473$IC3.599@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13632
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-RCA-RADIOTRON-6146A-RF-OUTPUT-TUBES-Test-GOOD_W0QQitemZ5807360808QQcategoryZ48710QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-JOHNSON-JUMBO-TWIST-LOCK-CERAMIC-SOCKETS-872A-810_W0QQitemZ5807360817QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/THREE-3-JAN-807-AMPLIFIER-TUBES-RCA-GE-CBS-from-WWII_W0QQitemZ5807360826QQcategoryZ48710QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4260. FA: Rare Hallicrafters HA-6 Xverter, Collins R-390A meter, Mil-Spec test leads>NEW!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 13:30:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <dwAVe.4474$IC3.3455@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13633
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/RARE-HALLICRAFTERS-HA-6-TRANSVERTER-for-6-METERS-Neat_W0QQitemZ5807360834QQcategoryZ4675QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-COLLINS-R-390A-VU-METER-M101-cover-screws_W0QQitemZ5807360845QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/NOS-USA-MIL-SPEC-TEST-LEAD-PROBE-SET-BIG-100-VALUE-NR_W0QQitemZ7545252048QQcategoryZ50971QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4261. FA: Collins R-390A Audio Module, 4-Various Air Caps, 4-nos 6DQ6B's,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 13:33:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0zAVe.4475$IC3.2398@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13634
Cross-posted to:
alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/COLLINS-R-390A-RECEIVER-FINAL-AUDIO-UNIT-REAL-NICE_W0QQitemZ5807360880QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/FOUR-4-VARIOUS-VINTAGE-AIR-VARIABLE-CAPACITORS-Handy_W0QQitemZ5807360862QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/FOUR-4-NOS-GE-6DQ6B-6GW6-POWER-AMPLIFIER-TUBES-SAVE_W0QQitemZ7545252062QQcategoryZ58172QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4262. FA: B&W Protax switch, SET-Chrome HEATHKIT KNOBS, 40' asst. Tinned Copper ground straps.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 13:36:27 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xBAVe.4476$IC3.2322@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13635
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/B-W-PROTAX-375-6-POSITION-COAXIAL-SWITCH-Handy_W0QQitemZ5807360901QQcategoryZ48692QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/11-MATTE-CHROME-HEATHKIT-KNOBS-from-SENECA-APACHE_W0QQitemZ58073609300QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/40-feet-ASSORTMENT-of-TINNED-COPPER-TUBULAR-FLAT-BRAID_W0QQitemZ5807360909QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4263. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 14:41:47 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <KyBVe.9427$mH.8378@fed1read07>
Source record: 13636

"KU2S" <ku2s@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:diici1lmtoekbcrqifh03q7rmgqv9r265h@4ax.com...
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>>terrain).
>>We've tried several of the FSR type radios, but none get anywhere near the
>>advertised range. Any suggestions?
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>>Please email to wheagy@SPAMgmailSPAM.com (remove SPAM)
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>>Thanks,
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>>Win
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Wnen u say depending on terrain, that is the kicker. Too many variables
without actually getting and testing FRS, CB, MURS, or GMRS, so I would
recommend a Ham license. Here in San Diego we have 100+ repeaters most of
which can operate on emergency power and cover 2500 square miles of the
county and a 100+ mile range.

The Technician test is easy and no code and one can take it over again til
they pass. Kids from age 8 and up and folks with no technical background do
it all the time.

Small Ham handheld radiis will do the trick and are great for travelling as
well. The used ones go for as cheap as $25 each

For Personal Radio services -- see URL:
http://wireless.fcc.gov/services/personal/
For Amateur Radio see URL: http://www.arrl.org/hamradio.html

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

4264. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 15:10:29 UTC
From: Carl / W6VDC <carl.hixon@cox.net>
Message-ID: <vYBVe.9651$mH.7595@fed1read07>
Source record: 13637
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> nerve to display the American flag in one of their windows. The local
> paper had printed a full page American flag on heavy paper stock and
> asked people to display them in their homes.

It is exactly that type of over zealous HOA that made me tell my Realtor, "Do not shot me a house with any HOA!" On our first trip out , the first house she showed me had an HOA. I told her, "If you do that again, you are fired" She looked shocked and said, "It's only $50/month." And I replied, "It has nothing at all to do with money..."

Of course, now I have a house across the street with no less than 8 cars in the driveway and street. So much for single-family-home. But, we all get along.

Carl

4265. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 15:45:14 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <4326f40f$0$20767@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13638

"Steven L Umbach" <n9rou@n0-spam-for-me-comcast.net> wrote
> ..... Otherwise consider getting your ham license. You do not need to
learn
> Morse code for the entrance license and the exam is fairly easy with books
> that have the questions and answers. With a ham license you could then
also
> purchase higher powered FM mobile devices for your cars. .....

.....And you can use any 5 watt Handy to reach each other via the many repeaters in the area. Ask your wife to go to www.qrz.com and take the Tech exams over and over til she gets passing scores then find a volunteer examiner session and get her license. This is not cheating - most of the test is on rules that must be learned by rote anyway and this is a good way to do it. If this piques her interest she can go on from there. My wife was a secretary with no technical background. Today she's an "extra" making more than I in a good technical job. Good luck ....
K3DWW

4266. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 15:56:02 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndidtdb.pbu.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 13639

In article <dg6gpv$36d$1@newslocal.mitre.org>, Win Heagy wrote:
> Thanks for all the responses. (I especially liked..."And why do people
> think they need to
> communicate so urgently?"...and this from someone in
> rec.radio.amateur.equipment! Usenet
> always makes me smile. :-))

Without wanting to start a political discussion while you have been relativly ignored by terrorists, a situation that unfortunately will not continue, we here in Israel have not. Every time there is a terrorist attack every one calls all of their family and friends and asks if they are ok.

Even if there is no chance of them being in the attack itself, everyone worries that this was the one day that their loved one went to the place it happened.

We have 3 1/2 cell phone carriers here, one runs a mixed AMPS CDMA network, one runs a D-AMPS (800mHz) and GSM 1800 mHz network and one runs a 900/1800 mHz network. The half is really a trunked radio service (MIRS) masquerading as a cell phone network.

The landline network becomes clogged beyond useage after a few minutes, the CDMA network crashes, and the other two become full, but eventualy you can get through.

Ham radio still works.

Of course in absolute size, the attack on us are small, usually one or two single bombers or car bombs. It is important to note that the 9/11 attacks cut electrical power, telephone service, cell phone service and ham radio repeaters.

However, we switched to GSM cell phones (the 900/1800 network) about 5 years ago because the cost of calling each other in our family was $.01 a minute. The HT's sit in a drawer. I still keep the batteries charged in the ones that can hold a charge and will rebuild the old ones RSN (real soon now).

As for land lines, we still keep ours, but for outgoing calls we switched to a VoIP service from the TV cable company (not an internet service) that costs about $15 a month with 2000 minutes of calls to regular landlines and other cable phones. The regular land line costs about twice that for the "line" with no free minutes.

I would like to note that while you saw the last several wars with Iraq on CNN, we had to seal ourselves in chemical weapon proof rooms and were asked by Presidents Bush to stay out of it. We also had to send our children

to school carrying gas masks.

Learn from what we did, it may happen to you. Be prepared to evacuate
and communicate when everything you think is normal stops working.
It's not just terror attacks that can happen, train wrecks, industrial
accidents and of course storms can affect you.

How many of you have heard the name Mel Tappan? Ok you both can put down
your hands. :-) He was the "guru" of the survivalist movement, the sincere
people who wanted to survive a nucelar war with the Soviet Union, not
the nuts that bombed the Murrah Building. He moved to the woods of Montanna.
Unfortunately he was on kidney dialysis. He was snowed in by a storm and
did not survive.

Maybe if he had another way of communitcating he'd be alive today.

Geoff.

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Support the growing boycott of Google by radio users and hobbyists.
It's starting to work, Yahoo has surpassed Google.

4267. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 16:18:19 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <EXCVe.1521$Nw6.738@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13640
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> It is exactly that type of over zealous HOA that made me tell my Realtor,
> "Do not shot me a house with any HOA!" On our first trip out , the first
> house she showed me had an HOA. I told her, "If you do that again, you
> are fired" She looked shocked and said, "It's only $50/month." And I
> replied, "It has nothing at all to do with money..."
>
> Of course, now I have a house across the street with no less than 8 cars
> in the driveway and street. So much for single-family-home. But, we all
> get along.
>
> Carl

I chose an older neighborhood, and, like you, I refused to accept any HOA bullcrap. I simply will NOT tolerate any old blue-haired busybody telling what I can or cannot do on my own property! IOW, yer rights end at that property line, and if you don't like what I do then come over here and *make* me do something about it--all 6 feet, 230 lbs of me!!! :) Now to clarify something, all my neighbors are nice people who keep their homes and property looking decent. If there are 2-3-4--or 7 cars over there, it ain't none of my business! So we have no problems. (and I get to put up as many ham antennas I want to!)

Jerry

4268. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 16:23:07 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <30DVe.1556$Nw6.692@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13641
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I feel VERY strongly about property rights, and if I want to put up an
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Date: 2005-09-13 17:28:17 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <88WdnbrHqZgpkbreRVn-tg@comcast.com>
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Gerry, you said it correctly. Tell your agent "I will not consider, under any conditions, any HOAs or CC&Rs." If the RE attorney uncovers any 'hidden' CC&Rs in the title search, the sale is OFF!

I live in the "Live Free or Die" state [New Hampshire]. When I bought here three years ago I made that point to our realtor. We bought a very nice single family home of 2100 square feet on a 1/2 acre only 21 years old, 6 miles south of the state capital and 12 miles north of the third largest city.

I checked town zoning requirements for a tower. I'm allowed 70 feet for the tower without requesting a variance. Also, if the tower is professionally installed I need not consult the town building inspector. Heights from 70 feet 1 inch to 200 feet require plan approval by the building inspector ONLY for safety issues. BTW: my tower is only 50 feet [I live on top of a 510 foot hill with height above average terrain of 250 feet for 5 miles radius].

But back to the original issue. The HOA may have a strict rule on temporary housing. It is a freely entered into contract condition that requires the consent of the contracting parties to amend.

So, the term 'BIGOT' is a prejudicial pre judgment.

4270. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 17:44:04 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <EdEVe.711$Gy3.565@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13643
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"Dan/W4NTI" <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com> wrote
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> As usual our resident dissident has no idea what he is talking about. Here in
> Alabama we have provided the operators to man the shelters for the Red Cross
> on the Gulf Coast. They have, and ARE providing the ONLY communications
> between the shelters and Red Cross HQS in Montgomery.
>

Often at considerable personal risk....

A guy who is a radio-tower contractor (like cell sites, microwave towers,
commercial radio stations, etc.) sent this.

We got the call on Sunday afternoon. I expected
it, of course. After 18 years of doing this I can always sense when
the call is about to come. We gathered supplies on Monday and got
out the tents, Coleman fuel, cook stove, lanterns and bedrolls. Becky
graciously went to the store for our provisions, then to the bank for
cash, and by dark we had all in order.

We went by to see the customer on Tuesday morning to equip ourselves
with radios, site maps, and lists of those that we would be reporting
to. As we departed on Tuesday mid day I knew that this would be
another great adventure. All was good through Pine Bluff and Lake
Village, Arkansas. Greenville, Mississippi was even tolerable. By the
time we got to Yazoo City, however, things had changed. No ATM's, no
gas, no ice. I knew we were in trouble when the lines at the check
cashing places were longer than those at the banks. We had half a
tank. I had stopped in Dumas and bought 12 half pints of whiskey
knowing that with such legal tender a full tank could be mine
whenever I wished. We pressed on.

We arrived in Jackson to the sight of long lines at the gas stations
and grocery stores with crowds gathered outside. How wonderful it
felt to have the secure gates of the Entergy compound locked behind
us. There was little electricity and no hotel rooms. We readied the
camping supplies and checked the map for a good state park. A little
fuel from the Gods at Entergy and we were on our way. We found a
decent park (no electricity, of course) and pitched camp. Dinner was
chicken helper, mashed potatoes and tea. It began to rain but
thankfully we had brought a huge roll of Visqueen. A large tent was
erected above our sleeping bags and in no time Wednesday morning

found us nursing our mosquito bites and eating oatmeal. After that it was off for a day in the air.

I should mention at this point that I brought my stellar lead man, Paul Fitler. Paul spends too much time in jail, too much time in the sauce, and too much time attending to women that can't take care of themselves. He is constantly deep in debt and out of a place to live, and good transportation. He is also the best, and highest paid towerdog in the state. An average week for him is $1000.00 gross. He'll easily double that during his tenure here. In fact, I'd imagine that he may have a $2500.00 week before it's all over. He has worked for me over eight years. He can't last working for anyone else more than ten days.

We take off Wednesday in a search for fuel, ice, and towers on our maps and find all of them. It is another long hard, hot day. We are constantly greeted with bewildered folks looking at trees impaled in their roofs, cars mangled and electric lines in their yards. We have Entergy signs on the side of the van at this point and when they see those signs their looks are heart wrenching and desperate. We look back with sympathy. They do not understand. They want us to have the answer. They want us to make it all better. They want relief which we cannot give. We give 100% that day and many communications tower sites come back to life. We see the line trucks begin to roll as we leave town. We are glad to have played a part in this process.

Thursday finds us in the office. The telecom crew is going ballistic. There are people everywhere barking out orders. So and so needs 19 phones installed at the office in Hattiesburg , the computers are down at thus and so, the radio system has died at Tylertown and the line crews can't work. The locals see the trucks sitting idle and they are getting angry. The locals don't understand that the line crews can't work unless they know for sure that lines are not energized.

The line crews can't be assured of that unless they have good communications. They can't have good communications unless the telecom guys do their jobs and in turn, unless we get the antennae fixed. So the locals are mad. Mad as Hell.

We listen to all of the banter going back and fourth and suddenly someone is shoving a piece of paper in my face and screaming loudly... Generating station (power plant) South of New Orleans . it's off line... no output... city is dark enough as it is... something has to be done. they need a 20 KW generator ASAP in order to have lights so they can get the plant back in service. Someone has to go. It is a war zone down there. The plant must come back to life... And then the inevitable question: "Will you go?" It echoes in my mind... Will I go? Will I? Can we take that chance? I smile. Actually, I grin. Yeah. I'll go. I give them the inevitable response to their inevitable question. "You bet your sweet ass I'll go... Press hard pal, Five copies"!!!

We top off the tank, load the shotgun, holster the pistols and hit the road. This is going to be a trip to remember. As we head out there are few cars on the road. No gas. The traffic is minimal and we set the cruise on 60 so as to conserve gas. Getting there will be easy. Getting back will not be as assured. I know, however, that we have enough gas to get to the plant and at least back to the Mississippi/Louisiana state line. I've got food, ammo, tents and lots of water. If I get stranded I'll be ok. We drive along saying little. We know that one wrong turn or wrong word at the wrong time to the wrong person could change things real quick.

With the Entergy signs on the truck we glide through every roadblock with ease. Cops don't ask for our ID or license. They don't search us. They really don't even look at us. We are riding on a magic carpet. No one will mess with us. They can see what we have in tow. Ah yes. The generator. The magic elixir that everyone wants. Generators make oxygen systems work; they bring food refrigeration units back to life; they bring light to the darkness, life to the newborns at the hospital. We have the generator. We are the stewards of all that the citizens hold sacred at the moment. We are the golden boys. They smile us and we smile back.

We get onto I-310 and then onto US 90 headed for the plant and suddenly our swollen heads and large egos begin to shrink. We are greeted by bands of wandering blacks about 15 to 20 in number. Every store front is destroyed. Some buildings are burned. All of the glass is gone from every window. We do a quick mental calculation as to wind direction during the storm. We realize quickly that many of the broken windows are on the downwind side. We see the crowds... it all makes sense then.

We get to the end of US 90 and make our turn towards the plant. We are confronted by a policeman in full riot gear. The intersection is desolate save for him. An industrial wasteland with this one shred of order standing in the road. He reminds me of some cavalryman in Oklahoma in the early 1800's or some sheriff in a town of lawless criminals. He looks over our cargo curiously and gives us a halting look, letting us know that "Entergy trucks have been taking fire in this area. I suggest you remove or cover your decals".
We see the plant up ahead. The sign of the guard lowering his shotgun is a welcome one. We make our delivery and point our truck for Jackson.

The men at the plant we visit with are worried. They don't want to risk the ride home. Some have wives and kids they must attend to. They have no choice. The others opt to sleep in their trucks to avoid venturing from the perceived safety of the 12 gauge in the hands of the guard.

I envy neither of them. Either choice is dangerous. The gangs in the streets are hungry, thirsty and angry. Neither the guard nor the men on the way home are any match for them. The gangs know it and the men know it. For the first time I understand the delicate balance between

prison guards and their charges. The criminals really do have the upper hand at some moments. Everyone just allows the perceptions to be different than that.

As we head home among fallen timbers, power lines and buildings we come across a group of cops with side arms drawn and pointed at a group of men. On the ground are 15 or 20 individuals cuffed and laying on their faces. There are 9 or 10 cops and only 5 or 6 in the crowd, save those on the ground, so we figure the cops are winning and we punch it and move on. Every store has the front doors kicked in. One shopkeeper had the brilliant idea of putting his coke machines in front of the doors to prevent entry. The thugs were offended and responded by putting a truck through the windows. After they finished their shopping they left their calling card by way of a Molotov cocktail. How quaint.

I thought we were going to burn a hole in the gas gauge on the way home with our eyes. We calculated and recalculated. Every road sign showing mileage to the next map point was checked and rechecked. We were always cognizant of the five gallon can in the back. The fumes it emanated were like sweet perfume to our olfactories. That was the sweet smell of a soft landing. We knew that we could make it back. We felt good about that.

I thought of the B-29 pilots flying missions over Japan in 1944. Their calculations were much harder and there was much more at stake. I wondered what it was like for them when they ran the numbers and the result was death. What were those last hours like? What did they say to one another? I said a prayer for their souls and paid my respects. Real men. Let me never forget that.

My air mattress coupled with the floor of the Entergy Radio shop at Jackson, MS was a welcome relief. I looked forward to a good night's sleep only to be haunted by the looks of those on the streets. Why them and not me? I guess I'll always ask that. I always have. Why am I even here? What drives me to do these crazy things? Why would I put my best lead man along with the father of my children in harm's way? I don't know the answers to those questions. Frankly, I don't really care about the answers. I'm just glad to be safe and alive tonight. I feel bad for those that are without homes and families tonight and wish I could do something to take away their pain.

I think when it is all over I may go back down to that stretch of Highway 90 where the shops were burned. I think I may go back there and meet with the owners. Yeah. That's what I'll do. I'll meet with them. All that they have worked for was taken away from them by one violent act of nature and many lewd acts of men. I'll go meet with those men and women and engage in commerce with them as I can. And when I do. I'll tell them that I understand. Because I do. And they will know that I do. And in the end. I will know that everything will be OK. And they will know that too.

4271. FS TH-77A HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 18:21:09 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <gMEVe.43369$7f5.25448@okepread01>
Source record: 13644

FS Kenwood TH-77A Dual Band 2/440 HT, BC-11 Rapid Desk Charger, SMC-33
Speaker Mic, 4 Batteries(Weak), Original boxes for the HT and Desk
Charger. Copy of Manual. Needs battery or rebuild the old ones.
HT has some output on 440 but no outout on 2 meters.
I has been in storage for almost 10 years. Price for all is $75 shipped in
lower
48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4272. FS: Scopes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 18:53:18 UTC
From: HomebruElectronics@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1126637598.365848.182610@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13645

I have the following list of test equipment FS. All the equipment is tried & true in super good cond. inside and out w/ shipping included in the price (to the U.S lower 48). Please email any questions or requests for info to: Homebrueletronics@yahoo.com

1) Fluke 97 2-channel 50MHz Scopemeter $305 shipped

2) HEWLETT PACKARD 8640B - $315 shipped

3) Tektronix 465- 100 MHz, 2-channel $255
shipped

4) Agilent 54622A 2-channel 100 MHz Oscilloscope - $465 shipped

Thanks for looking!

4273. Re: how can we get 110V and 220V in our homes in Saudi Arabia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 19:41:00 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndieapq.srg.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 13646

In article <slrndid8ej.k6r.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>, I wrote:
> In the U.S. the power system is 120 volts 60Hz....

> In Saudi Arabia things are different. The power coming in used the
> European standard of 220 volts 50 Hz. Most countries are migrating to a
> 230 volt standard that the E.U. is using (a compromise between England's
> 240 volts and Europe's 220 volts).

I was partialy correct. :-)

Saudi Arabia has both 120v 60Hz systems that use U.S. type plugs and 240v
(stated on one web site as 60Hz) systems that use in some places German
("Shucko") and in other places U.K. plugs.

Geoff.

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IL Voice: (077)-424-1667 IL Fax: 972-2-648-1443 U.S. Voice: 1-215-821-1838
Support the growing boycott of Google by radio users and hobbyists.
It's starting to work, Yahoo has surpassed Google.

4274. WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 21:53:26 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <fiiei1t83ne0mjndd6hqf1cp18ph34hilo@4ax.com>
Source record: 13647

>WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver
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>Rich NJ

4275. WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver

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Date: 2005-09-13 21:54:18 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <5kiei1t1f0dlhci2tem2vovt4ejd763cdu@4ax.com>
Source record: 13498

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4276. WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 21:54:30 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <fkiei1p4opb3cvj741f9h05411rj0cqjtb@4ax.com>
Source record: 13499

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4277. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 22:06:59 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <kdCdnav-l_ID07reRVn-1w@comcast.com>
Source record: 13500
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> number of residents calling realtors to see if they could find another
> home to move out of Majestic Oaks.
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> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

Why doesn't that surprise me?

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 22:09:01 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <W46dnVfnD6nM0rreRVn-qQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13501
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Nothing stops them from calling an immediate emergency meeting to address
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Message-ID: <asGdnR0R3qazzLreRVn-qA@comcast.com>
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> three years ago I made that point to our realtor. We bought a very nice
> single family home of 2100 square feet on a 1/2 acre only 21 years old, 6
> miles south of the state capital and 12 miles north of the third largest
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and temporarily set such aside, then I would consider them not only bigots
but cold hearted. HOAs can VOTE for such measures.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

4280. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 22:29:46 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <upIVe.9968$Wd7.6725@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13503
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Dee Flint" <deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote

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> temporarily suspending such limits in times of great need.
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If a ham can only use their station "in times of great need" it's unlikely
they'd have the equipment to put into service, so it's all a moot point.

73, de Hans, K0HB

4281. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 22:53:37 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <IYCdnY0CpqtSxLreRVn-sQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13504
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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The equipment thing is an entirely separate issue that needs addressed one way or another as it cannot be left to the last minute as you point out.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

4282. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 23:19:03 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <H7JVe.9645$4P5.9064@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13505
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Dee Flint" <deeflint01@comcast.net> wrote
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> a lack of humanitarianism.
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I have no HOA restrictions, but if I did have some like that, then they'd just
be friends visiting for a few weeks.

73, de Hans, K0HB

4283. How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 23:27:20 UTC
From: Marshall Goldblatt <w4emb@myacc.net>
Message-ID: <3op5feF73ibjU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,.radio.amateur.antenna

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So, does anyone have any suggestions?

73, Marshall - W4EMB

4284. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-13 23:51:13 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <RBJVe.11436$_84.3450@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,.radio.amateur.antenna

"Marshall Goldblatt" <w4emb@myacc.net> wrote in message
news:3op5feF73ibjU1@individual.net...
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Both should peal off reasonable well.

One other thing I am concerned with tho. I always heard that the rotar
must be kept in a vertical position or the grease would drain out of the
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Dan/W4NTI

4285. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 00:42:09 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4327720A.61F01CAB@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13508
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Dee Flint wrote:
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> "Ham op" <hamop@comcast.net> wrote in message
> news:88WdnbrHqZgpkbreRVn-tg@comcast.com...
> > Jerry wrote:
> >
> >> "Ham op" <hamop@comcast.net> wrote in message
> >> news:0ICdncTJkPKeVrveRVn-vA@comcast.com...
> >>
> >>>Dee Flint wrote:
> >>>
> >>>>"Carl / W6VDC" <carl.hixon@cox.net> wrote in message
> >>>>news:bnkVe.8821$mH.8469@fed1read07...
> >>>>
> >>>>
> >>>>> And then, there are the morons and bigots:
> >>>>><http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+Oaks&b
tnG=Search+News>
> >>>>>
> >>>>>I looked at the link and read a couple of the articles. I didn't see
> >>>>>anything that warranted labelling them bigots. I don't think that the
> >>>>>HOA took the proper position, but that doesn't make them bigots.
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> >>>>However it would seem to indicate that they lack humanitarianism.
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> >>>
> >>>Judgments!!! Would it not be better to read the exact terms of the CC&R,
> >>>AKA CONTRACT, before judgments are made??
> >>>
> >>>The exact wording of the HOA/CC&R may restrict certain activities [such
> >>>as external antennas, or temporary housing, etc]. The restriction can
> >>>only be waived by consent of the members of the HOA.
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> >> That's just it! There ain't gonna BE any HOA's ,covenants, or busybody
> >> neighbors telling me to do a durned thing unless they got enough rear end
> >> on 'em to MAKE me! If today, somebody wanted to start an HOA in my
> >> neighborhood, I'd tell them to kiss my (censored).
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> >> I feel VERY strongly about property rights, and if I want to put up an
> >> American flag, then I'll put up an American flag and I dare some
> >> schweinhund to come over here and touch it! I DESPISE and detest HOA's!
> >> :(
> >>
> >> Jerry
> >
> > Gerry, you said it correctly. Tell your agent "I will not consider, under
> > any conditions, any HOAs or CC&Rs." If the RE attorney uncovers any
> > 'hidden' CC&Rs in the title search, the sale is OFF!
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As someone who lives near Ocala and has to visit a lot of these gated communities run by HOAs, I find most of them to be jerks who are only interested in holding onto their perceived power at any cost. The fact that it hurts others doesn't matter to them. Another HOA in the area told a retired couple move out, or send their 17 year old grand daughter away after she lost both of her parents in an accident. She had a few months till she was to graduate from high school and no other relatives but it didn't matter to the HOA. People like that are scum, no matter how expensive their home, or what they drive.

Its just too damn bad you can't tar and feather them and then run them out of town, like the good old days! ;-)

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4286. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 01:25:25 UTC
From: Bob Bob <bob3bob3@cox.net>
Message-ID: <6pakv2-ti9.ln1@p400bob.personal.cox.net>
Source record: 13511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

One of the tricks I learnt early on with RTV sealant in medical ultrasound water tanks is if you wet the surfaces with water and a detergent wetting agent the sealant wont actually adhere to the prewetted surface. Kind of handy if you wanted to force the sealant into a clearance slot and remove it later.

Or was it oil? Damn I cant remember! I know kerosene is used to pre the surface for better adhesion...

How about paper/masking tape over the gaps and spraying with that gluggy sealant you use on sink drains?

Probably not very useful thoughts, sorry!

Cheers Bob W5/VK2YQA

Dan/W4NTI wrote:

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> must be kept in a vertical position or the grease would drain out of the
> bearings? Wives tale ??? I don't know. But I always keep mine vertical
> when stored.
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> Dan/W4NTI
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4287. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 01:40:18 UTC
From: Marshall Goldblatt <w4emb@myacc.net>
Message-ID: <3opd8pF71npnU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> "Marshall Goldblatt" <w4emb@myacc.net> wrote in message
> news:3op5feF73ibjU1@individual.net...
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> when stored.

Don't know about that, but there's no way to keep the rotor vertical
when lowering a foldover tower... In any case, it's been folded over
(for long periods) many times, and I've never noticed a bearing problem.

4288. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 01:44:10 UTC
From: LRod <duckecho@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <aguei11hc242hqhlimdv4kjfh76b2l58bt@4ax.com>
Source record: 13510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,.radio.amateur.antenna

On Tue, 13 Sep 2005 19:27:20 -0400, Marshall Goldblatt
<w4emb@myacc.net> wrote:

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>well enough to keep water out or because stuff may get up inside the
>rotor where I can't get it out.
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First off, there are at least two rotor repair vendors whom you should
contact for ideas; Craig's and RotorDoc (I think those are the
names--a web search should yield results).

Secondly, with some experience with HAM type rotors I would suggest
that the two principle entries for moisture are at the cable
attachment point (either a terminal strip or an Amphenol connector,
depending on vintage or whether you modified it), and the space
between the fixed portion of the rotor (the part with the cable
attachment) and the black rotating part.

The cable attachment point will be trickier, but you may be able to
get good results with gobs of plumber's putty. What you want to avoid,
particularly if you have a terminal strip, is glopping it up with
silicone sealant or Coax-Seal. You will rue the day you ever tried
either if you use it on a terminal strip. The spaces around the
attachment into the non-rotating part need to be sealed, too.

You might also have success with plumber's putty at the opening
between the moving and non-moving parts. Just roll it up and stuff it
in.

I would follow that up with some sort of shroud. The garbage bag/duct
tape method you mentioned seems like a really good idea. I would have
been inclined to think it sufficient without any extra caulking. Don't

be concerned about "stuff [that] may get up inside the rotor where I can't get it out." See below.

As far as Dan's warning about the grease, I think he's right about the "old-wive's tale." The rotator turns at 1 RPM. Even if the grease did run out of the races (there are two in the T2X), you can certainly run the rotator at least a limited amount of time without concern until you get to it, not to mention that fact that there will be a film of it that will stay on regardless of position.

What many people ignore is the instruction right in the manual regarding grease, and it calls for very little. It's not a wheel bearing. Since you're almost certainly going to want to take it apart for a cleanup after all of your other repairs are completed, you can take care of any missing grease (and "stuff") then.

There are two kinds of hams: those who have had bearings on the floor and those who have never taken apart a HAM style rotor. But, even if you don't get 'em all back in, you'll be okay. When you talk to one or the other of the rotor repair guys, order a pack of extra balls. You'll need 'em sooner or later anyway. Think of the fun you'll have telling people you ordered extra balls.

Here's a tip: the bearings are held in a plastic carrier. Whatever you do, when you lift the carrier out, do NOT attempt to straighten the carrier into any bigger diameter than the race it rests in. In fact, keep the ends of the carrier overlapped. That is the secret to keeping the bearings off the floor. It's not foolproof, but it'll certainly reduce your adventure significantly. I can't tell you how many rotor invasions I had to perform to learn that.

I hope your Rohn 25 isn't one of the ones that folds over halfway up with a significant boom to crank it over. Those things are killers. I had a friend in Oswego, IL, who broke his arm when repairing his after it went over during the Plainfield tornado. The kit for 45 is MUCH stronger.

Good luck on all of your recovery.

Rod
K4QG

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LRod

Master Woodbutcher and seasoned termite

Shamelessly whoring my website since 1999

http://www.woodbutcher.net

Proud participant of rec.woodworking since February, 1997

4289. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 02:31:51 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1126665270_28245@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13512
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael A. Terrell wrote:
> Its just too damn bad you can't tar and feather them and then run
> them out of town, like the good old days! ;-)

Seems to me a large percentage of the blame lies with the
buyers who readily agree to such irrational HOA terms and
then complain about them later.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4290. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 03:55:09 UTC
From: KU2S <ku2s@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <h67fi1h73j6eon89gv11e3e8si59vbk704@4ax.com>
Source record: 13513

On Mon, 12 Sep 2005 20:58:22 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> was heard to
say:

>On Tue, 13 Sep 2005 03:41:07 GMT, KU2S <ku2s@arrl.net> wrote:
>
>>Oddly enough, nobody suggested having her earn her Amateur Radio
>>ticket and getting a 2-meter handheld!
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>>My wife did it with three days of studying. To this day she retains
>>maybe 2% of the testing material, but at least she remembered it long
>>enough to get her ticket - and that was when you had to take TWO
>>written tests for Tech!
>>Raymond Sirois
>>SysOp: The Lost Chord BBS
>>http://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Park/9257
>>telnet://thelostchord.dns2go.com:6023
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4291. Re: how can we get 110V and 220V in our homes in Saudi Arabia

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 04:16:13 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ims8v15.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 13514

On Tue, 13 Sep 2005 18:56:34 +0900, Brenda Ann wrote:

>Voltages in Saudi Arabia are nominally the same as on the North American
>continent. This is to say, 127 volts for most appliances, 220 volts for
>heavy appliances. Both at 60 Hz line frequency.

Sounds to me, an electrical power engineer, that they are using a
three-phase 220V (nominal) secondary distribution, with 127 V
provided by phase-to-neutral and 220 V provided by phase-to-phase.
The neutral is not derived from a center-tap on the phase-to-phase
secondary (which is really single-phase if only two phase leads are
provided) but is "carried through" from a three-phase wye
arrangement.

Although this is fairly common in US commercial d industrial
occupancies (277/480V is more common) where the lower voltage is
used for lighting and the higher voltage used for machinery, it is
not permitted in the US for residential occupancies, and IIRC there
are severe circulating third-harmonic current problems if the
secondary is a delta rather than a wye.

This is entirely different from a single-phase 220V center-tap
secondary distribution which is standard in North America.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

4292. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 04:35:54 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <32afi11pvm9hbr4camtoqa3e2eo60qvjsh@4ax.com>
Source record: 13515

On Wed, 14 Sep 2005 03:55:09 GMT, KU2S <ku2s@arrl.net> wrote:

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>SysOp: The Lost Chord BBS
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I just couldn't resist giving you the needle on that one Raymond. I
knew you probably didn't see my post, but the devil made me do it.

Dick - W6CCD

4293. FA : various radiofrequency devices

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 10:13:06 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3oqbdjF77j35U1@individual.net>
Source record: 13516

FA on Ebay (http://search.ebay.it/_W0QQsassZrightrik) the following RF
items:

Coax relay 1 in 4 out:
http://i19.ebayimg.com/04/i/04/76/a6/ee_1_b.JPG

High insulation ceramic insulators for wire antennas :
http://i8.ebayimg.com/01/i/04/d3/52/56_1_b.JPG

2c39 ready cavity with high precision mechanics :
http://i20.ebayimg.com/02/i/04/ed/d8/95_1_b.JPG

Surplus cavity with Eimac 2c39 glass tube included :
http://i16.ebayimg.com/01/i/04/9d/18/e3_12_sb.JPG

Antenna switch Rohde & Schwartz for wire antennas:
http://i1.ebayimg.com/04/i/04/9a/27/24_1_b.JPG

Various tubes, still in box :
http://i1.ebayimg.com/03/i/04/a6/0e/9c_12_sb.JPG
http://i10.ebayimg.com/04/i/04/d3/8b/31_1_b.JPG
http://i15.ebayimg.com/02/i/04/cd/fd/b7_1_b.JPG
http://i8.ebayimg.com/02/i/04/d4/8e/9f_1_b.JPG
http://i16.ebayimg.com/02/i/04/cd/e9/bc_1_b.JPG
http://i1.ebayimg.com/02/i/04/ce/e7/47_1_b.JPG

Here the complete list of items :
http://search.ebay.it/_W0QQsassZrightrik[/size=3][/b][/blue]

Thank you,
73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

4294. WTB: 40' self supporting tower Dallas area

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 14:56:25 UTC
From: W5GT <w5gt@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <rSWVe.1694$Q71.627@fe02.lga>
Source record: 13517

I'm looking for a 40' tower in the Dallas area. Rohn 25 or Universal OK. I'd prefer that the tower is down. If rotor / and or beam available will consider.

73s

Dave - W5GT

4295. FA: UHF-MOTOROLA-HT1000-Mic & Charger-Price Lowered-Must sell

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 15:58:13 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Nq1We.97036$Ji4.42208@fed1read03>
Source record: 13521
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: UHF-MOTOROLA-HT1000-Mic & Charger-Price Lowered-Must sell

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7546568873&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4296. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 16:45:26 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <ZqYVe.7932$XZ1.5794@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13518
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:4327720A.61F01CAB@earthlink.net...

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> As someone who lives near Ocala and has to visit a lot of these gated
> communities run by HOAs, I find most of them to be jerks who are only
> interested in holding onto their perceived power at any cost. The fact
> that it hurts others doesn't matter to them. Another HOA in the area
> told a retired couple move out, or send their 17 year old grand daughter
> away after she lost both of her parents in an accident. She had a few
> months till she was to graduate from high school and no other relatives
> but it didn't matter to the HOA. People like that are scum, no matter
> how expensive their home, or what they drive.
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> Its just too damn bad you can't tar and feather them and then run
> them out of town, like the good old days! ;-)
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> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

I am actually quite peaceable and believe in living and letting live in most
cases. Who I allow in my home is up to me and whom I refuse entry is not
the purvey of HOA Nazis. And, again, it is why I chose an older home
(1956) with plenty of room, almost ZERO crime, and NO
HOA's. Now should I run into one of those SOB's that start telling me what I
can or can't do, then it will become another story. I feel so strongly
about property rights that I would go to WAR over it, both nationally...or
on a personal basis. Like, I wouldn't be averse to whuppin' some
smartmouth's you-know-what over it. Again, being very quiet and peaceable as
I certainly am, I am also quite intimidating in stature, so it would be an
interesting fight! LOL! Now, it *could* even get down to the point of
"You SOB, you can tell me what to do when you get around on the backside of
my shotgun, or you got enough
a$$ on ya to MAKE me, you *&^%$#"! LMAO!

In Charlotte, NC, this year, there was a case where the HOA Nazis and their
powermongers went too far with "foreclosures" and the NC legislature put
some restrictions on their ability to foreclose with respect to their
"rules".

Now, foreclosing on someone's house because some Nazi b#####d didn't LIKE the peoples' guests? NOT!
(Not me because I don't HAVE that problem) I can see how this could cause somebody to get severely injured or KILLED! You don't MESS with one's home! :(I feel for those who have to put up with such nonsense! OTH, one should NEVER move into such a place, either, so he bears some of the blame. :)

Best to all,

Jerry

4297. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 20:25:40 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <k01hi114g23s2umc1ne9tk40eb8697v9rh@4ax.com>
Source record: 13519

On Wed, 14 Sep 2005 12:45:26 -0400, "Jerry" <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
wrote:

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>"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
>news:4327720A.61F01CAB@earthlink.net...
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That's why it is important to READ the CC&R's before you move into a
housing development with an HOA. If you have read them, and move in
anyway, you have no one to complain to except yourself. One good way
to temper what you refer to as HOA Nazis is to become a board member
yourself and do something about it. Having been an HOA board member,
I was disgusted with all the constant complainers at the meetings, but
not one of them was willing to lift a finger to help. Some people
apparently were just born to complain. HOA's can serve a useful
function, unless you are the type that enjoys living on a street with
dozens of junk cars that don't run, and weeds 4-feet high. People
agree to have HOA's so they can have a reasonably nice area in which

to live and raise their children. The protection of property values is a prime consideration. No one forces someone to live in an area with a HOA. From what I have seen, in several cities, most are not as restrictive as those given in these examples.

Dick

4298. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 20:43:06 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <uX%Ve.2066$Q71.798@fe02.lga>
Source record: 13520

On 09/14/05 04:25 pm Dick tossed the following ingredients into the
ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

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>>>communities run by HOAs, I find most of them to be jerks who are only
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> as restrictive as those given in these examples.

It's all very well to tell people not to buy houses with CC&Rs and HOAs,
but probably anything recent (last 20 years or so) has them. I've read
that the financial institutions that fund the developments insist on
them; they may not dictate every detail, but I think there are "model
rules" around that the developers copy, and these rules just about
require an application in triplicate 3 months in advance before you can
get permission to sneeze.

Perce

4299. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 22:27:20 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <sn7hi15h8jhdbqa2t1pbath6vcbkach836@4ax.com>
Source record: 13522

On Wed, 14 Sep 2005 16:43:06 -0400, "Percival P. Cassidy"
<Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:
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CC&R's are very common today, but HOA's are far less common.
Typically, if you buy in a development by one or several builders, the
builders will create CC&R's (copied usually as you stated) primarily
to protect themselves. They don't want someone trashing the
neighborhood while they are attempting to sell new homes. It's still
very possible to buy land outside the cities where you can have a
custom home built without CC&R's. I have read CC&R's ad nauseam and
most of them are very reasonable in their requirements. In our area,
they deal primarily with things like property line setbacks, minimum
square footage, overall height, height of fences, minimum landscaping,
junk cars, etc. All things that most people would like to see some
degree of control over to protect the value of their property. If you
don't have an HOA, you are forced to sue someone to enforce the
CC&R's. Even with an HOA sometimes that becomes necessary, but then
the legal fees come out of the funds of the association, and not
directly out of your pocket.

Dick

4300. Re: 36 volt solid state amp?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 23:07:54 UTC
From: PE2WDO <pe2wdo@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <11il4cc9sid3j37@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13565

Plenty of RF transistors and fets that work on 50Vdc.
I have even seen modern rf powerfets in end-stages
operating at 300V lately!

You will need to turn your battery charger into a stabilised supply though.

73

Willem
PE2WDO

"Denton" <denton@oregontrail.net> schreef in bericht
news:11hfj4b70etuh42@corp.supernews.com...
> Hi all....
> I was given a 36 volt, 24 amp battery charger. I haven't dug into the
> insides to see what it uses for a rectifier system, but am wonding if
> there are any solid state amps that would run on that kind of voltage..
> Thanks in advance...
>

4301. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-14 23:24:42 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <_i2We.49517$4i6.23935@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13523

Probably the best test is to determine how much money the HOA is collecting. If they collect $100 per home for road maintenance, there is little chance that they will accumulate a pot of money to hire lawyers over a small infraction.On the other hand, if the neighborhood is full of lawyers, or is collecting $1200 year per home for "general maintenance" - watch out!

I found a neighborhood where the CC&R's essentially had a loophole whereby if you built something that was not approved by the architectural control committee (ACC) , and the ACC did not take action (injunction) for 30 days, it was grandfathered. In other words, get it built fast and keep a low profile for 30 days.

Finally, if you buy a 2 acre wooded lot, chances are nobody will see what you are doing and will leave you alone.

Dick wrote:

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>Dick
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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

4302. Ge super radio.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 07:57:19 UTC
From: Dana <dana@panix.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.63.0509150355420.8999@panix3.panix.com>
Source record: 13524
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I am looking for ge super radios. I would like to find the super i or the
ii. If you have a couple laying around, e-mail back.

4303. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 14:41:17 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <e455b$43298825$471c610a$28456@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13525
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

While I would agree with officious and petty, moron and bigot do not apply
from my readings.

I get really tired of that old saw being hauled out and applied to people;
simply because others disagree with their actions.

A few moments spent perusing a dictionary will show that simply refusing to
take in a storm victim, while abhorrent to me, does not make one a bigot.

"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:4324E0BD.A033E1A@earthlink.net...
> "LenAnderson@ieee.org" wrote:
> >
> > The disaster of hurricane Katrina is of unparalleled proportions
> > and ALL humane-thinking citizens can do their part, however big,
> > however small.
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> And then, there are the morons and bigots:
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<http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+
Oaks&btnG=Search+News>
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> Michael A. Terrell
> Central Florida

4304. Yaesu 1000SDX opinion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 15:18:35 UTC
From: David Snyder Hale <n3wtk@REM0VE.ARRL.NET>
Message-ID: <dgc3cbjkp1@agate.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 13526

I see that the Yaesu 1000SDX rotor doesn't get a very good review on eHam.net (20 reviews result in 3.5/5) but I thought I'd run my own poll here. Newsnet always elicits all sorts of opinions (usually without asking, though).

I'm thinking about buying one of these but the 7 out of 20 poor reviews at eHam have me concerned.

Thanks,
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Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu

4305. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 15:36:56 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <4o4ji1p26o2mcctbkfbuugpan1qmlt05nd@4ax.com>
Source record: 13527
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 10:41:17 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:

>A few moments spent perusing a dictionary will show that simply refusing to
>take in a storm victim, while abhorrent to me, does not make one a bigot.
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from the Oxford English Dictionary:

Bigot. 1598. 1. A hypocrite. 2. A superstitious person - 1664. 3. A
person obstinately and unreasonably wedded to a creed, opinion or
ritual - 1661. Intolerant toward others - 1645.

Hardly seems that the meaning has veered from this in the past 340
years.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4306. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 16:00:29 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <31f74$43299abf$471c63c6$12083@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13528
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply to an HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.

"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message news:4o4ji1p26o2mcctbkfbuugpan1qmlt05nd@4ax.com...
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4307. GMRS motorola's What's the story?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 16:57:40 UTC
From: Pdigmking <PUdstrand@att.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96D279B1D1BBEPUdstrandattnet@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 13529

I'm looking at these GMRS motorolas, one is a t6510xmrs and another is a t5520. Here's the thing: both have a power output of one watt, but one claims to have a distance range of 8 miles, and the other 5. Is this BS or what? Why would one 1 -watt radio have more range than another 1 watt radio? They both have the same size antenna.

Paul.

4308. Looking For

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 17:05:54 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <SRhWe.92428$Hx4.68554@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13530

I am looking for 75 foot of 20 Gauge 6 Conductor shielded Rotor cable if anyone has any to spare. Please email me at kb2sin@stny.rr.com
Thanks and 73's
de kb2sin

4309. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 17:08:41 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <t3aji1hsepkfap9c8i3h0j3t592t8nedfd@4ax.com>
Source record: 13531
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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wrote:

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>HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.

You said it yourself:
>>refusing to take in a storm victim
exactly conforms to
>>>Intolerant toward others - 1645.

otherwise, why would you offer your opinion
>>while abhorrent to me

Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
getting through the eye of the needle.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4310. Re: Looking For

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 17:39:22 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndijcea.24vs.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 13532

On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 17:05:54 GMT, Kb2sin wrote:
> I am looking for 75 foot of 20 Gauge 6 Conductor shielded Rotor cable if
> anyone has any to spare. Please email me at kb2sin@stny.rr.com
> Thanks and 73's
> de kb2sin

I've always gone to One Of The Big Hardware Stores and purchased 2 (two)
of the 100 foot 14 ga. extension cords that they seem to sell as "loss
leaders" every other week or so. The Plus is you get a whole lot less
voltage drop on a long run for the rotator. (And, if you cut the ends
Just Right, you can make up a set of 4 short extension cors. HI!HI!)

HTH
Jonesy
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Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
Pueblo, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
38.24N 104.55W | config.com | DM78rf | SK

4311. Re: GMRS motorola's What's the story?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 17:57:24 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11ijdg4rrhl4e05@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13533

In article <Xns96D279B1D1BBEPUdstrandattnet@127.0.0.1>,
Pdigmking <PUdstrand@att.net> wrote:

>I'm looking at these GMRS motorolas, one is a t6510xmrs and another is a
>t5520. Here's the thing: both have a power output of one watt, but one
>claims to have a distance range of 8 miles, and the other 5. Is this BS or
>what? Why would one 1 -watt radio have more range than another 1 watt
>radio? They both have the same size antenna.

The difference might be real, due to improved receiver sensitivity or
to the use of an antenna which looks the same but has lower losses or
higher gain.

The difference might be illusory, due to differences in the assumed
test conditions (e.g. height of the radios above ground clutter and
obstructions, or just what sort of signal intelligibility qualifies as
an acceptable contact for the purposes of figuring out range).

The difference might be marketingbabble - numbers pulled out of the
air, or out of somebody's bodily orifice, for the sole purpose of
making the radios seem (and sell) better than those of the competition.

Frankly, I suspect that a a 1-watt GMRS radio is likely to achieve
even the lower of these two range figures (5 miles) only under rather
optimistic conditions... e.g. both users are up on the tops of
buildings or hills, with a clear line of sight to the other and with
no obstructions in between the two.

In a typical suburban ground-level setting, I wouldn't count on
getting signals to go more than a mile, and you'd probably have to
walk around a bit to find a location with a clean signal path (direct
or reflected) to the other.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

4312. FA : Motorola MT2000 VHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:12:03 UTC
From: Vince <duster@duster.com>
Message-ID: <TPiWe.1146$Jm.338@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13534

very clean, near new. . .

http://cgi.ebay.com/Motorola-MT-2000-VHF_W0QQitemZ5809542809QQcategoryZ40068QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4313. Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:13:51 UTC
From: k4yz@aol.com
Message-ID: <1126808031.037964.232290@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13535
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Does anyone have the schematic for the RS-35M, in particular the crowbar protection circuit? Also, does anyone know of any RFI problems within certain bands for this supply?

73

Steve, K4YZ

4314. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:27:10 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <22jWe.156$Gg1.80@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13536
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<k4yz@aol.com> wrote

> Also, does anyone know of any RFI problems
> within certain bands for this supply?

I have 2 RS35M and one RS50M in the shack, between them often loaded to about
80A in aggregate. I have no known RFI problems from them.

(Sorry, no schematic)

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73, de Hans, K0HB
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Home page:
http://home.earthlink.net/~k0hb

Member:
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MWA http://www.w0aa.org
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NCI http://www.nocode.org

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> Steve, K4YZ
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4315. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:42:06 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <3gjWe.15460$tc7.10245@fe03.lga>
Source record: 13537
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 09/15/05 01:08 pm Richard Clark tossed the following ingredients into
the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

>>Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply to an
>>HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.

<snip>

> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
> and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
> getting through the eye of the needle.

Amen, Brother.

"Perce"

4316. For Sale: Mint Kenwood TS-530SP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:44:15 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <4329C0FF.A7D3EE15@erols.com>
Source record: 13538

For Sale: Absolutely mint and working Kenwood TS-530SP with Operating
and Service Manual. Tuned and ready to plug in and operate.
$275.00 plus shipping from Maryland (near WashDC)

Please contact: Joe Nunemaker, KD3VR at bmejoe@earthlink.net or
301-577-3749.

4317. For Sale: Bird 43 Watt Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:46:42 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <4329C192.FE959A8E@erols.com>
Source record: 13539

For Sale: Bird 43 Watt Meter. A definite "10". No slugs. $185 plus shipping from Maryland (near Washington DC.)

Contact Joe Nunemaker, KD3VR, at: bmejoe@earthlink.net or 301-577-3749

4318. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:51:11 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <6906e$4329c2c1$471c63c6$4287@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13540
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Weak Richard, but we love you no less.

"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:t3aji1hsepkfap9c8i3h0j3t592t8nedfd@4ax.com...
> On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 12:00:29 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
> wrote:
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> >Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply to
an
> >HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.
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> You said it yourself:
> >>refusing to take in a storm victim
> exactly conforms to
> >>>Intolerant toward others - 1645.
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> otherwise, why would you offer your opinion
> >>while abhorrent to me
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> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
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> getting through the eye of the needle.
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> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4319. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 18:55:56 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1126810780_1703@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13541
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Clark wrote:
> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
> and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
> getting through the eye of the needle.

The small "eye of the needle" gate at the walls of a city
was sized for human beings. It was camels that couldn't
get through it. Camels had to enter through the main gate.
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73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4320. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:09:05 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <lFjWe.10719$Wd7.4963@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13542
Cross-posted to:
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4321. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:10:24 UTC
From: kelly@dvol.com
Message-ID: <1126811424.637211.212260@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13543
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

k4yz@aol.com wrote:
> Does anyone have the schematic for the RS-35M, in particular the
> crowbar protection circuit?

Sorry Steve but no gots.

> Also, does anyone know of any RFI problems
> within certain bands for this supply?

I have a VS-35M which is the variable-voltage version of your RS-35M
and I've used it to power rigs from 160 thru 2M and have never had an
RFI problem either way. Very quiet P/S. I also have an SS-30 switcher
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> Steve, K4YZ

w3rv

4322. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:24:33 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1126812273.275429.292330@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13544
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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great. I did take a power spike in 95 from a lightning storm and had
to ship it then. As I remember then it was about $65 to fix it, and I
forgot what my out-going shipping is...The cheapest I can find right
now is $40...For that much plus what I am sure is an increase in repair
fees at Antron, I'd almost be better off going for a new supply.

K0HB said:

I have 2 RS35M and one RS50M in the shack, between them often loaded to
about 80A in aggregate. I have no known RFI problems from them.

(Sorry, no schematic)

UNQUOTE

Thanks anyhow, Hans...This unit had sat unused for almost 2 years,
and I didn't know whether to consider the failure during tune-up to be
due to that, or the fact I was on a band I hadn't used before. I had
made 1 QSO with Jim, N2EY on 30M a week ago and had no problems then...

The CH53A and D Sea Stallion's used to have a problem losing the
primary AC generators if the HF was tuned up on 7 or 13MHZ due to RFI
problems in the overspeed protection system.

Hopefully someone else can come up with the schematic for
me...I've got several feelers out.

73

Steve, K4YZ

4323. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:35:06 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <jhiji1h4mkpile943ko30o6mnmc4dpocna@4ax.com>
Source record: 13545
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 19:09:05 GMT, "Kï¿½HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
wrote:

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Hi Hans,

I will leave that to other faiths to describe for themselves. One
distinct difference between Christian charity and Islamic charity is
that Muslims are commanded to give the expected portion of their
charity directly to the afflicted. This means hand-to-hand.

>, and do I need to be a
>member of your cult in order to get through the eye of the needle (and why would
>I want to?)?

Complete the allusion and enlighten us to which cult offers fare
discounts for buying the way to Heaven. Of course, if you have no
interest in the destination, then the subject is rather transparent
and hardly requires comment.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4324. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:37:34 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <4329CD7E.3020504@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 13546
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Try here;

http://bama.sbc.edu/astron.htm

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Bob N9LVU

4325. Re: GMRS motorola's What's the story?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:41:27 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <H7kWe.11906$iM2.1046831@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 13547

"Pdigmking" <PUdstrand@att.net> wrote in message
news:Xns96D279B1D1BBEPUdstrandattnet@127.0.0.1...
> I'm looking at these GMRS motorolas, one is a t6510xmrs and another is a
> t5520. Here's the thing: both have a power output of one watt, but one
> claims to have a distance range of 8 miles, and the other 5. Is this BS
> or
> what? Why would one 1 -watt radio have more range than another 1 watt
> radio? They both have the same size antenna.
>
> Paul.

Here's a good site:
http://www.popularwireless.com/gmrsrange.html

Cheers.

Ken

4326. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:43:24 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1126813628_2069@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13548
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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4327. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 19:51:52 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <LfkWe.14208$XZ1.9401@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13549

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:k01hi114g23s2umc1ne9tk40eb8697v9rh@4ax.com...
> On Wed, 14 Sep 2005 12:45:26 -0400, "Jerry" <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
> wrote:
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>>
>>"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
>>news:4327720A.61F01CAB@earthlink.net...
>>
>>>
>>>
>>> As someone who lives near Ocala and has to visit a lot of these gated
>>> communities run by HOAs, I find most of them to be jerks who are only
>>> interested in holding onto their perceived power at any cost. The fact
>>> that it hurts others doesn't matter to them. Another HOA in the area
>>> told a retired couple move out, or send their 17 year old grand daughter
>>> away after she lost both of her parents in an accident. She had a few
>>> months till she was to graduate from high school and no other relatives
>>> but it didn't matter to the HOA. People like that are scum, no matter
>>> how expensive their home, or what they drive.
>>>
>>> Its just too damn bad you can't tar and feather them and then run
>>> them out of town, like the good old days! ;-)
>>>
>>> --
>>> ?
>>>
>>> Michael A. Terrell
>>> Central Florida
>>
>>I am actually quite peaceable and believe in living and letting live in
>>most
>>cases. Who I allow in my home is up to me and whom I refuse entry is not
>>the purvey of HOA Nazis. And, again, it is why I chose an older home
>>(1956) with plenty of room, almost ZERO crime, and NO
>>HOA's
>
> That's why it is important to READ the CC&R's before you move into a
> housing development with an HOA. If you have read them, and move in
> anyway, you have no one to complain to except yourself. One good way
> to temper what you refer to as HOA Nazis is to become a board member
> yourself and do something about it. Having been an HOA board member,
> I was disgusted with all the constant complainers at the meetings, but
> not one of them was willing to lift a finger to help. Some people

> apparently were just born to complain. HOA's can serve a useful
> function, unless you are the type that enjoys living on a street with
> dozens of junk cars that don't run, and weeds 4-feet high. People
> agree to have HOA's so they can have a reasonably nice area in which
> to live and raise their children. The protection of property values
> is a prime consideration. No one forces someone to live in an area
> with a HOA. From what I have seen, in several cities, most are not
> as restrictive as those given in these examples.
>
> Dick

Oh, I agree totally. It is why I made SURE there were no such things. To my mind, if you do your research carefully BEFORE you buy, it ain't a problem. I simply was not going to HAVE anyone telling me that, if my car broke down and it sat there for awhile, but not "derelict", that I would have to move it.

If you pick carefully, the economic factors will keep "riff raff" out of a neighborhood; zoning and general city ordinances will take care of the rest. In my city, if you let your grass grow over a certain height, the city will come and cut it and charge you $100. Few people ever allow that to happen!

I simply refuse to knuckle under to ANY HOA or covenant-restricted community, nor will I tolerate some busybody coming on MY land and telling me what color I can paint my door, or how many antennas I can put up. I am a quiet, non-obtrusive man, I keep my yard and house presentable, I mind my own business; you would scarcely know I am there. But nobody is going to regulate what happens on my property beyond reasonable safety and esthetics. I just happen to feel VERY strongly about HOA's. If somebody tried to start an HOA, I would REFUSE to join it (street maintenance is what I pay taxes for!). If they start mouthing off to me about it, then they'd best go home and, well......just be quiet. I'm having NO part of HOA's. :)

73

Jerry
K4KWH

4328. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

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Date: 2005-09-15 20:33:13 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <dUkWe.10739$Wd7.2389@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13550
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Cecil, you are one dangerous dude! Welcome back. I missed you.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 21:49:52 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <jaSdnSmgnLp7cLTeRVn-1Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 13551
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>> from the Oxford English Dictionary:
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>> Bigot. 1598. 1. A hypocrite. 2. A superstitious person - 1664. 3. A
>> person obstinately and unreasonably wedded to a creed, opinion or
>> ritual - 1661. Intolerant toward others - 1645.
>>
>> Hardly seems that the meaning has veered from this in the past 340
>> years.
>>
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Looks to me like all after number 2 apply especially that "unreasonably..."
since they chose to not consider accommodating the victims of the
catastrophe until publicity shined upon them.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

4330. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 21:57:56 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1126821476.840433.194860@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
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Luther thought the practice pro and so do most prods groups
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4331. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 22:48:23 UTC
From: hot-ham-and-cheese@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1126824503.629126.214360@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13553
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I'll look through my files and see if I have the schematic; the only diff should be the meter circuits.

Brian

4332. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 23:13:16 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <gpvji15tlh6h4ei9ppatdrf0c4ekqc784i@4ax.com>
Source record: 13554

On Wed, 14 Sep 2005 13:25:40 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

>On Wed, 14 Sep 2005 12:45:26 -0400, "Jerry" <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
>wrote:
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>>"Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote in message
>>news:4327720A.61F01CAB@earthlink.net...
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>>> As someone who lives near Ocala and has to visit a lot of these gated
>>> communities run by HOAs, I find most of them to be jerks who are only
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>That's why it is important to READ the CC&R's before you move into a
>housing development with an HOA. If you have read them, and move in
>anyway, you have no one to complain to except yourself. One good way
>to temper what you refer to as HOA Nazis is to become a board member
>yourself and do something about it.

Not all that easy. My MIL became "treasurer" of her condo
association, but the clicque of other jerks did everything they could
to keep her away from any past books. She eventually found they were

sanctioning members who were a couple of months behind on their dues, while many of the board members were in arrears for as much as 18 months.

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>as restrictive as those given in these examples.
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>Dick

4333. FA:Jennings JCS-250PF fxd caps + more

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-15 23:43:41 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <NGnWe.46724$qY1.9240@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

4 Jennings JCS-250 PF fixed vac caps + other stuff as well, see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, heytubeguy

4334. Re: Emergency HT for non HAM?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 00:14:30 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ef3ki1lvqt7idqoqgeprhe2jddda7025b0@4ax.com>
Source record: 13556

On Mon, 12 Sep 2005 08:29:24 -0400, "Win Heagy" <wheagy@mitre.org>
wrote:

>Hi,
>
>I'd like to get a small, portable HT type radio for my wife (a non HAM)
>in case phones, etc., fail. What can you recommend? It should be small
>enough to carry daily, but get an honest 2-3 mile range (depending on
>terrain).
>We've tried several of the FSR type radios, but none get anywhere near the
>advertised range. Any suggestions?
>
>Please email to wheagy@SPAMgmailSPAM.com (remove SPAM)
>
>Thanks,
>
>Win
>

Look for a CB handi-talkie with as close to 5 watts output as you can
get. It might do 2 or 3 miles, depending on circumstances and battery
charge or if you're willing to climb up a tree...

bob
k5qwg

4335. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 01:46:12 UTC
From: Ron <apositiveplace@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <FtpWe.2946$P34.2526@okepread07>
Source record: 13557
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Gee. I'm actually glad that my initial posting of this link (the one that was up before Charlie's by about 10 hours) didnt go out to all these other groups, only to alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf. Far to many spastic individuals replying with unrelated and often inane comments. How come I'm not surprised.

Ron

"Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message news:11htogetcauugb1@news.supernews.com...
> 1. http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/9228945/
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> Charlie - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
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4336. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 01:52:47 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <r4Gdnc4kKfoHuLfenZ2dnUVZ_smdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 13558
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

an_old_friend wrote:

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> Discounts I don't know but Chatholic dogma still provides for the sale
> of Indulenges for sin, even allowing them to be purchased for yone
> firend and relitives post mortem
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> Luther thought the practice pro and so do most prods groups

"friend" I challenge you to quote an official Catholic source to support your 'sale' assertion!!

For those who may be interested in putting this outrageous statement to rest, I suggest a trip to your local library and read the official position of the Catholic Church. It is openly published in the public documents of the Second Vatican Council, in a book titled "VATICAN COUNCIL II - The Councilar and Post Councilar Documents", Section 1 titled: "The Constitution on The Sacred Liturgy", dated 4 December 1963, Sub-section 1-6, dated 1 January 1967, titled "Indulgentiarum Doctrina" paragraphs 1 through 18.

Please note that "an_old_friend" has stated another outrageously erroneous misuse of language. 'friend' states "DOGMA". The official pronouncement is DOCTRINAL, not Dogmatic. There is a very significant distinction between the two words.

It has NEVER been the DOGMA of the Catholic Church to sell indulgences. PERIOD! A period of clerical abuse of indulgences, contrary to the Doctrinal position of the Church, did exist in history. Martin Luther was correct to cite this failure in clergy practice. The abuse was censured in the Council of Trent [ca 1545 - 1563].

Note[1] to 'an_old_friend': be sure of your facts before you post outrageously erroneously statements.

Note[2] to 'an_old_friend': your 'prod' sources are also in error.

Signed Ham Op, Catholic Clergyman

4337. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic <<< Mission Accomplished...Thanks to ALL Who Responded!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 03:26:32 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1126841192.693991.255030@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13559
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

hot-ham-and-cheese@hotmail.com wrote:
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> > k...@dvol.com wrote:
> > > k4yz@aol.com wrote:
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> > > > Also, does anyone know of any RFI problems
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> > > and it's just as quiet as the analog supply. Astron "makes good stuff".
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> > I agree...I've had this one almost 15 years now, and it's been
> > great. I did take a power spike in 95 from a lightning storm and had
> > to ship it then. As I remember then it was about $65 to fix it, and I
> > forgot what my out-going shipping is...The cheapest I can find right
> > now is $40...For that much plus what I am sure is an increase in repair
> > fees at Antron, I'd almost be better off going for a new supply.
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> > I have 2 RS35M and one RS50M in the shack, between them often loaded to
> > about 80A in aggregate. I have no known RFI problems from them.
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> do I pretend to be one on RRAP.
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> I'll look through my files and see if I have the schematic; the only
> diff should be the meter circuits.
>
> Brian

Dear Brian and Everyone else,

Thanks to all for the help, both here and e-mail...

Brian, I think the power transistors are OK, but will swap that
chip and see what cooks...Will let ya know.

73 to all

Steve, K4YZ

4338. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 04:39:09 UTC
From: Steven Fritts <w4sef@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <a2jki19270ff6qlqktmetgomqcgsppe07e@4ax.com>
Source record: 13560
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Do you still need the schematic? I have one and will email it to you.

Steve W4SEF

On 15 Sep 2005 11:13:51 -0700, k4yz@aol.com wrote:

> Does anyone have the schematic for the RS-35M, in particular the
>crowbar protection circuit? Also, does anyone know of any RFI problems
>within certain bands for this supply?
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4339. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 05:04:00 UTC
From: Brian Kelly <kelly@dvol.com>
Message-ID: <1126847040.057235.156250@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13561
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Marshall Goldblatt wrote:
> Dan/W4NTI wrote:
> > "Marshall Goldblatt" <w4emb@myacc.net> wrote in message
> > news:3op5feF73ibjU1@individual.net...
> >
> >>Hello all,
> >>
> >>I have a Tailtwister (TX-2) rotor mounted on a Rohn 25 foldover tower.
> >>While the tower itself appears to have survived intact, hurricane
> >>Katrina snapped the mast and destroyed the antennas. I need to fold the
> >>tower over to work in it, and likely leave it folded over for a fairly
> >>extended period. This will leave the top of the tower and the rotor
> >>upside down.

Fold the tower then cut the rotator loose and store it indoors . . . ??

w3rv

> >> Unfortunately, it is still the rainy season here, and the
> >>last time I needed to do this, rain water got into the rotor and settled
> >>in the bell, causing rust and other corrosion damage inside the rotor,
> >>because it is only weather protected when it is upright. I would like
> >>to seal the rotor to prevent this from happening again, but none of the
> >>ideas I've had so far (wrapping it in plastic garbage bags, using duct
> >>tape, using sealing foam) are usable, either because they don't seal
> >>well enough to keep water out or because stuff may get up inside the
> >>rotor where I can't get it out.
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> >>So, does anyone have any suggestions?
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> >>73, Marshall - W4EMB
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> > Maybe ... get some axle grease, or RTV sealant would be better, perhaps.
> > Both should peal off reasonable well.
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> > One other thing I am concerned with tho. I always heard that the rotar
> > must be kept in a vertical position or the grease would drain out of the
> > bearings? Wives tale ??? I don't know. But I always keep mine vertical
> > when stored.
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> Don't know about that, but there's no way to keep the rotor vertical

> when lowering a foldover tower... In any case, it's been folded over
> (for long periods) many times, and I've never noticed a bearing problem.

4340. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 05:55:25 UTC
From: Fritz Wuehler <fritz@spamexpire-200509.rodent.frell.theremailer.net>
Message-ID: <d5e84e79befdf7dae6e49d2bd2d9bcb7@msgid.frell.theremailer.net>
Source record: 13563
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <1126808031.037964.232290@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
k...@aol.com wrote:
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> Does anyone have the schematic for the RS-35M, in particular the
> crowbar protection circuit? Also, does anyone know of any RFI problems
> within certain bands for this supply?

Yeah I do, Nursie, but I wouldn't give it to you even if it was an emergency.

4341. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 06:06:55 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <f6oki1lvebf6899hgvv8qtd588sknvnsur@4ax.com>
Source record: 13562

On Wed, 14 Sep 2005 16:43:06 -0400, "Percival P. Cassidy"
<Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:

>On 09/14/05 04:25 pm Dick tossed the following ingredients into the
>ever-growing pot of cybersoup:
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>> That's why it is important to READ the CC&R's before you move into a
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>> with a HOA. From what I have seen, in several cities, most are not
>> as restrictive as those given in these examples.
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>It's all very well to tell people not to buy houses with CC&Rs and HOAs,
>but probably anything recent (last 20 years or so) has them. I've read
>that the financial institutions that fund the developments insist on

>them; they may not dictate every detail, but I think there are "model
>rules" around that the developers copy, and these rules just about
>require an application in triplicate 3 months in advance before you can
>get permission to sneeze.
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>Perce

And twelve months advaance notice to stay at home after having
a baby.

4342. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 06:42:37 UTC
From: K4YZ <k4yz@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1126852957.010244.36150@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13564
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Steven Fritts wrote:

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> Steve W4SEF

Thanks, Steve, but it's covered...

73

Steve, K4YZ

4343. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic <<< Mission Accomplished...Thanks to ALL Who Responded!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 10:50:57 UTC
From: hot-ham-and-cheese@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1126867857.631550.187790@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13566
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

K4YZ wrote:
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> Dear Brian and Everyone else,
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> Thanks to all for the help, both here and e-mail...
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> Brian, I think the power transistors are OK, but will swap that
> chip and see what cooks...Will let ya know.
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> 73 to all
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> Steve, K4YZ

If that's all it is, you'll be back in biz in 5 minutes. Good luck. bb

4344. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 14:59:07 UTC
From: John Ferrell <johnferrell@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <eaili191rbugkjruujmrshtavm0gbdecsq@4ax.com>
Source record: 13567
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I am not sure I understand the question. I think you have the rotator upside down on the tower at the moment. If it went through some weather, it is probably full of water now. The way I would handle the problem is to remove the rotator from the mount and hang it on the tower (clothes hanger wire) right side up. I would hang it there for a few days to drain & dry out. When it comes time to reinstall the antennas, test the rotator for proper operation. Chances are that it will be OK. If you seal it tight, the moisture will be sealed in. These things are intended to be able to breathe!

If removing/replacing the rotator is a major hassle, I would either send it to one of the maintenance guys or put up a new one & sell the old one on ebay WITH the explanation. There are lots of us who have setups that are easy to change.

If the rotator must be left in the inverted position outside for an extended time I would wrap it in black landscape plastic and duct tape to prevent more water from entering while leaving the bottom of the plastic open to dry out.

On Tue, 13 Sep 2005 20:25:25 -0500, Bob Bob <bob3bob3@cox.net> wrote:

>One of the tricks I learnt early on with RTV sealant in medical
>ultrasound water tanks is if you wet the surfaces with water and a
>detergent wetting agent the sealant wont actually adhere to the
>prewetted surface. Kind of handy if you wanted to force the sealant into
>a clearance slot and remove it later.
>
>Or was it oil? Damn I cant remember! I know kerosene is used to pre the
>surface for better adhesion...
>
>How about paper/masking tape over the gaps and spraying with that gluggy
>sealant you use on sink drains?
>
>Probably not very useful thoughts, sorry!
>
>Cheers Bob W5/VK2YQA
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>> Maybe ... get some axle grease, or RTV sealant would be better, perhaps.
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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 15:41:56 UTC
From: Ted Goldblatt <tedgoldblatt@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3p07aaF7ublaU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13568
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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> antennas, test the rotator for proper operation. Chances are that it
> will be OK. If you seal it tight, the moisture will be sealed in.
> These things are intended to be able to breathe!

The tower is currently up (the mast broke above the rotor, so all the antennas are dangling by their feedlines, but the tower itself is OK) and the rotor is in its normal upright position. It will be upside down when the tower is folded over to work on. As far as I know, the rotor is fine right now.

> If removing/replacing the rotator is a major hassle, I would either
> send it to one of the maintenance guys or put up a new one & sell the
> old one on ebay WITH the explanation. There are lots of us who have
> setups that are easy to change.

Don't understand this. Yes, removing/replacing the rotor is a hassle, largely because it has to be done with the unit upside down, and standing at the top of a ladder. But that isn't the issue here - in fact, there is no obvious reason to remove the rotor at all, since it seems intact. Just remove the stub of the broken mast from the thrust bearing and put a new one in. The issue is that while that is done, and the new antennas are mounted, and new (or repaired) feedlines are run, and all the antennas are tuned, the tower will need to be folded over, with the rotor mounted, and these steps will almost certainly take several days. Because of availability of helpers reasons, this will likely have to be on weekends, meaning the tower will be folded (and the rotor inverted) for a period of at least 1 to 2 weeks.

> If the rotator must be left in the inverted position outside for an
> extended time I would wrap it in black landscape plastic and duct tape
> to prevent more water from entering while leaving the bottom of the
> plastic open to dry out.

I have done this in the past, but because of the way the rotor is mounted on the Rohn tower, it isn't possible to seal it very well this way - I was looking for suggestions for better ways of weatherproofing it for this period.

Marshall

4346. HD-73 vs. Ham-M rotors?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 15:42:09 UTC
From: David Snyder Hale <noemail@foobar.com>
Message-ID: <dgep4h$1c3s$2@agate.berkeley.edu>
Source record: 13569
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Can anyone comment on a comparison between these two rotors?
I'm looking to purchase one or the other, and need something to tip the
scales.

tnx,

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Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu

4347. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 16:18:51 UTC
From: Ted Goldblatt <tedgoldblatt@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3p09fhF7vdhiU1@individual.net>
Source record: 13570
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,.radio.amateur.antenna

LRod wrote:

> On Tue, 13 Sep 2005 19:27:20 -0400, Marshall Goldblatt
> <w4emb@myacc.net> wrote:
>
>
>>I have a Tailtwister (TX-2) rotor mounted on a Rohn 25 foldover tower.
>>While the tower itself appears to have survived intact, hurricane
>>Katrina snapped the mast and destroyed the antennas. I need to fold the
>>tower over to work in it, and likely leave it folded over for a fairly
>>extended period. This will leave the top of the tower and the rotor
>>upside down. Unfortunately, it is still the rainy season here, and the
>>last time I needed to do this, rain water got into the rotor and settled
>>in the bell, causing rust and other corrosion damage inside the rotor,
>>because it is only weather protected when it is upright. I would like
>>to seal the rotor to prevent this from happening again, but none of the
>>ideas I've had so far (wrapping it in plastic garbage bags, using duct
>>tape, using sealing foam) are usable, either because they don't seal
>>well enough to keep water out or because stuff may get up inside the
>>rotor where I can't get it out.
>>
>>So, does anyone have any suggestions?
>
>
> First off, there are at least two rotor repair vendors whom you should
> contact for ideas; Craig's and RotorDoc (I think those are the
> names--a web search should yield results).

Have used both over the years (at least one and perhaps both on this
particular rotor :-)). I don't believe that either had specific
suggestions for this problem.

> Secondly, with some experience with HAM type rotors I would suggest
> that the two principle entries for moisture are at the cable
> attachment point (either a terminal strip or an Amphenol connector,
> depending on vintage or whether you modified it), and the space
> between the fixed portion of the rotor (the part with the cable
> attachment) and the black rotating part.

The unit has a terminal strip, but this was "remoted" via a short cable
the last time one of the rotor repair vendors overhauled it, and the
point that the cable exits was heavily sealed. (This was done because
the terminal strip is blocked by the Rohn rotor mounting plate.) The
space between the fixed and rotating parts is the one of concern.

> The cable attachment point will be trickier, but you may be able to
> get good results with gobs of plumber's putty. What you want to avoid,
> particularly if you have a terminal strip, is glopping it up with
> silicone sealant or Coax-Seal. You will rue the day you ever tried
> either if you use it on a terminal strip. The spaces around the
> attachment into the non-rotating part need to be sealed, too.
>
> You might also have success with plumber's putty at the opening
> between the moving and non-moving parts. Just roll it up and stuff it
> in.

I'd have some concern about some of the putty getting into the bell of the rotor, where it could cause problems. I'm currently thinking of using tape (perhaps just masking tape) to cover the opening, and then covering this with sealing foam or something else. The tape would be to prevent any of the sealer from entering the bell.

> I would follow that up with some sort of shroud. The garbage bag/duct
> tape method you mentioned seems like a really good idea. I would have
> been inclined to think it sufficient without any extra caulking. Don't
> be concerned about "stuff [that] may get up inside the rotor where I
> can't get it out." See below.

Just garbage bags and duct tape isn't really sufficient (or hasn't been in the past) because the way the rotor is mounted on the Rohn (seems to?) preclude wrapping it well without gaps that let rain in.

> As far as Dan's warning about the grease, I think he's right about the
> "old-wive's tale." The rotator turns at 1 RPM. Even if the grease did
> run out of the races (there are two in the T2X), you can certainly run
> the rotator at least a limited amount of time without concern until
> you get to it, not to mention that fact that there will be a film of
> it that will stay on regardless of position.

Haven't ever had (noticeable?) problems with loss of grease.

> What many people ignore is the instruction right in the manual
> regarding grease, and it calls for very little. It's not a wheel
> bearing. Since you're almost certainly going to want to take it apart
> for a cleanup after all of your other repairs are completed, you can
> take care of any missing grease (and "stuff") then.

Actually, no plans to take it apart (hence the concern about "stuff" getting in). It was overhauled after tower damage _last_ year (not directly hurricane related, but...). As far as I know, there are no current problems with the rotor, so if at all possible, I had planned on leaving it mounted, and just replacing the mast and other thing above.

> There are two kinds of hams: those who have had bearings on the floor
> and those who have never taken apart a HAM style rotor. But, even if
> you don't get 'em all back in, you'll be okay. When you talk to one or
> the other of the rotor repair guys, order a pack of extra balls.
> You'll need 'em sooner or later anyway. Think of the fun you'll have
> telling people you ordered extra balls.

Well aware of bearing on the floor :-)...

> Here's a tip: the bearings are held in a plastic carrier. Whatever you
> do, when you lift the carrier out, do NOT attempt to straighten the
> carrier into any bigger diameter than the race it rests in. In fact,
> keep the ends of the carrier overlapped. That is the secret to keeping
> the bearings off the floor. It's not foolproof, but it'll certainly
> reduce your adventure significantly. I can't tell you how many rotor
> invasions I had to perform to learn that.

> I hope your Rohn 25 isn't one of the ones that folds over halfway up
> with a significant boom to crank it over. Those things are killers. I
> had a friend in Oswego, IL, who broke his arm when repairing his after
> it went over during the Plainfield tornado. The kit for 45 is MUCH
> stronger.

It indeed _is_ a half-way up fold-over. No other style works in the location (well, at one time in the distant past, I had a crank down, fold over at the base tower, but current versions of such either won't fit the space or won't fit the budget...) Have had it and folded it over many times for many years without problems (lost it in hurricane Andrew, but no problems for 10 years before or after that). However, have lost the hinge section a couple of times in the last few years - once because a wind gust spun it sideways while it was being cranked up, and once because the boom got caught in a guy without our noticing while it was being cranked up. I'm a lot more concerned (and careful) about it now than in earlier years, but (for the above reasons) don't expect to do anything about it if it can be avoided. We've avoided injury by keeping well clear while it is going up and down, and (trying to) control rotation by using guide ropes well to the side and out of the path. The 45 _is_ much stronger, but it would be difficult to fit, and would require replacing the entire tower, which is effort and expense that isn't viable right now.

> Good luck on all of your recovery.

Thanks!

Marshall

4348. Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 17:15:00 UTC
From: Dave <davebong@bongmaker5.com>
Message-ID: <69875$432afd90$d1cc4e42$18655@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 13571
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

And it has 2 meters also!

http://www.tagpilotsupply.com/index.asp?PageAction=VIEWPROD&ProdID=793

4349. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 17:48:07 UTC
From: sdaniel13@nyc.rr.com
Message-ID: <1126892887.812265.261280@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13572
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Then why don't you tote it, 'tard.

4350. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 18:16:47 UTC
From: Casey <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <j_DWe.2695$5n4.2313@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13573
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dave wrote:
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Agree, very nice and it would be a great radio for when you are way out in the middle of nowhere with an emergency. You can always contact a plane flying over to relay your position and situation to local authorities and not have to rely on a Ham 2 meter repeater being nearby. Very cool radio and nice size and battery life too.

4351. Re: Astron RS-35M Power Supply Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 18:26:36 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.imx1kc3.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 13574
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 16 Sep 2005 05:09:08 GMT, Bart Bailey wrote:

>Oops, you wanted the RS-35M instead of the VS-35M
>http://tinyurl.com/drgxe
>Pretty much the same thing however

Thanks for posting the VS version, though. I have a VS-12M which is
"close enough for government work".

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

4352. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 19:29:53 UTC
From: Harveyat8c43z0@aol.com
Message-ID: <1126898993.586762.180740@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13575
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Dave wrote:
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> http://www.tagpilotsupply.com/index.asp?PageAction=VIEWPROD&ProdID=793

Nice..
I've seen similar equipment discussed in ultralight Backpacking Yahoo
group..

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ultralightbackpacking/

Someone (Hiking alone) Took a 40 foot tumble down a cliff..
Survived..
now carries something like whats in the link above..
Use it only once and it's paid for immediatly .. .

4353. Re: GMRS motorola's What's the story?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 20:28:06 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-1609051628060001@ac910d3f.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 13576

In article <Xns96D279B1D1BBEPUdstrandattnet@127.0.0.1>, Pdigmking
<PUdstrand@att.net> wrote:

> I'm looking at these GMRS motorolas, one is a t6510xmrs and another is a
> t5520. Here's the thing: both have a power output of one watt, but one
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> what? Why would one 1 -watt radio have more range than another 1 watt
> radio? They both have the same size antenna.

Paul-

Both are theoretical values for person-to-person communications over level ground with no obstructions or reflecting surfaces. Since the communications path is essentially line-of-sight, slight efficiency differences in power or antenna gain make little difference. Therefore, the differences must be based on some assumption that was different when calculations were made.

For line-of-sight, you can approximate the distance to the radio horizon for each, and add the two for total maximum range. Suppose a person holds the handheld radio up to their face, and it is five feet above ground. The distance to their radio horizon in miles, is approximately the square root of twice the antenna height in feet, or 3.2 miles. Range to another similar person would be 6.4 miles under these ideal conditions.

You should see that estimating distance based on different heights can result in differeing ranges. A height of 3.125 feet (sitting down?) has range of 5 miles, and a height of 8 feet (basketball player?) has a range of 8 miles to a similar person.

This approach works fairly well from mountain to mountain or airplane. Based on power and receiver sensitivity, the limiting range might easily be greater than a hundred miles. In the real world there are reflections that cancel signals (Multipath), tall objects that block signals and vegetation that absorbs them. Person-to-person on typical terrain might easily be limited to less than one mile.

Fred

4354. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 22:39:09 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <hQHWe.12917$_84.1349@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13577
Cross-posted to:
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firend and relitives post mortem

Luther thought the practice pro and so do most prods groups
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This has got to be the most outragious line of BS I have ever read. He is
beyond IGNORANT.

This IGNORANT FOOL is now jumping headlong into the "Chatholic" religion.
Oh I get it now....it is a whole NEW group. Most folks I know spell it
CATHOLIC. Now it makes sense......sort of.

Dan/W4NTI

4355. WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 23:20:53 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <3qkmi113hd9aqd37v9lbi9cve4eore2lha@4ax.com>
Source record: 13578

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WTB: Icom R8500 Receiver
Please leave condion and price email.
973-857-1195
Rich NJ
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4356. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-16 23:43:37 UTC
From: Al Arduengo <aarduengo@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <pan.2005.09.16.23.43.34.886187@sbcglobal.net>
Source record: 13579
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Fri, 16 Sep 2005 18:16:47 +0000, Casey wrote:

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> not have to rely on a Ham 2 meter repeater being nearby. Very cool radio
> and nice size and battery life too.

Odd. It looks remarkably like a Yaesu VX-7R.

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Vote for Pedro

4357. Re: GMRS motorola's What's the story?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 01:34:16 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <432B73ED.5090104@nettally.com>
Source record: 13581

It is all BS
First; Don't believe the mileage claims of any manufacturer, even Motorola. The specifications which make a difference are not published by most of the FRS and GMRS manufacturers.

There are important considerations used to calculate the BEST CASE range of a portable radio, however it is unavailable for independent evaluation.

1. Antenna gain or loss (usually a loss for a handheld) NEVER PUBLISHED
2. Receiver sensitivity SELDOM PUBLISHED
3. Transmitter power SOMETIMES PUBLISHED, BUT MISLEADING

The above values figure into the "system gain" and can be used to estimate "best case" line of sight communications" when you factor in "free space loss" for the distance. But this only works mountain top to mountaintop!, the path is always worse than free space loss when there are obstructions like hills, buildings or foliage. I have never seen any manufacturer other than ICOM provide receiver sensitivity values, no manufacturer will tell you the antenna gain/(loss), but if you know the FCC certification number, you might be able to figure it out to some degree from FCC records.

4. Receiver selectivity (immunity from interference on adjacent channels) NEVER PUBLISHED
5. Receiver intermodulation (immunity from interference and overload from multiple off frequency transmitters) NEVER PUBLISHED

These two above reveal how well a receiver will work in an urban or suburban environment, or even when on a hilltop amongst broadcast towers. None of the manufacturers want you to know how bad their receivers behave with respect to the above. If the receiver is prone to getting interference, your range diminishes rapidly.

6. Transmitter current drain
7. Receiver current drain
8. Operating time

These you need to know if you plan to use the radios on disposable batteries over an extended time. Don't buy an FRS or GMRS radio unless you can power it from AA batteries (AAA's suck!)! Operating time is calculated on a duty cycle like: 10% transmit, 10% receive, 80% standby. To improve on operating time, the ICOM IC-4008A and IC-4088A FRS radios publish these specs and their radios are equipped with a battery saver feature so you can go days with the same set of batteries.

Joe

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when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

4358. Re: GMRS motorola's What's the story?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 01:52:26 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <432B782E.2050202@nettally.com>
Source record: 13580

Paul;
I will add another angle;
Motorola used to make a low cost mobile radio called the "MOXY". It was a cheap radio to compete with Japanese brands. Motorola also sold a somewhat more expensive model called the MAXAR 80 targeting buyers wanting a high performance dash mounted radio. In the high powered UHF and VHF models of 30 watts and higher, the MAXAR 80 chassis was used in both the MAXAR 80, the MAXAR (slightly cheaper) and the dirt cheap MOXY. All three radios had same guts (a pretty good performer by the way) but were given a different set of performance specifications. So the guy who bought the MOXY (which was an ugly radio with a tiny mike!) got just as good a radio as the buyer of the hyped up MAXAR 80.

It is called specsmanship

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4359. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 02:07:15 UTC
From: Tom Holden <holden_family@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <sTKWe.4267$6Z1.1038731@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 13582
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Yaesu changed its company name to Vertex Standard and markets Yaesu to hams
and Vertex to commercial.

4360. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 03:01:22 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <ci1ni1dmf3cnhek0hggj3goetodbbns4qs@4ax.com>
Source record: 13583
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 15 Sep 2005 14:57:56 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
wrote:

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4361. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 04:41:03 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11in7j7e4fbgkf2@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13584
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You tell em' Teddy Boy!!!

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Charlie

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4362. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 05:16:19 UTC
From: Dan <newsgroupemail99@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <wKSdnY1h0rtUO7beRVn-3g@comcast.com>
Source record: 13585
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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4363. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 05:16:49 UTC
From: Dan <newsgroupemail99@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <wKSdnYxh0rtUO7beRVn-3g@comcast.com>
Source record: 13586
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 05:17:00 UTC
From: Dan <newsgroupemail99@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <3KednfA0iutOO7beRVn-rg@comcast.com>
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does it play MP3's

Dan

"Dave" <davebong@bongmaker5.com> wrote in message
news:69875$432afd90$d1cc4e42$18655@snip.allthenewsgroups.com...
> And it has 2 meters also!
>
> http://www.tagpilotsupply.com/index.asp?PageAction=VIEWPROD&ProdID=793
>
>
>

4365. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 10:16:24 UTC
From: Fred Garvin <garv@elaborate.net>
Message-ID: <2005091706263938165%garv@elaboratenet>
Source record: 13589
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On 2005-09-16 13:15:00 -0400, "Dave" <davebong@bongmaker5.com> said:

> And it has 2 meters also!
>
> http://www.tagpilotsupply.com/index.asp?PageAction=VIEWPROD&ProdID=793

WAY too much money for that.
--
Chris: "Dad, what's a blowhole for?"
Peter: "I'll tell you what it's NOT for and then you'll know why I can
never go back to Sea World."

4366. Re: Yaesu 1000SDX opinion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 10:19:05 UTC
From: Jim <K4SQR@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1126952345.561304.268260@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13588

Dave,
A friend is on his 5th yaesu rotor. Newest is a 2800, and he hopes it
lasts. Others were 1000 models.
Good luck, Jim

David Snyder Hale wrote:
> I see that the Yaesu 1000SDX rotor doesn't get a very good review on
> eHam.net (20 reviews result in 3.5/5) but I thought I'd run my own poll
> here. Newsnet always elicits all sorts of opinions (usually without
> asking, though).
>
> I'm thinking about buying one of these but the 7 out of 20 poor reviews
> at eHam have me concerned.
>
> Thanks,
> --
> Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu

4367. FA: 1-Day-Left: HAM RADIO Books - AMATEUR RADIO - QST - ARRL - Now You're Talking, FCC Rule Book, General License, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 11:38:57 UTC
From: Mel <mel@malsowjifaw.com>
Message-ID: <170920050738570322%mel@malsowjifaw.com>
Source record: 13590
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5808276735

4368. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 13:28:44 UTC
From: John Ferrell <johnferrell@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <ae6oi1tmv8h9vlp2u941b1jcut7pfe0of0@4ax.com>
Source record: 13591
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Now I understand!
I this case I would get some of the soft rope like window putty from the hardware store to seal up the rotator while it was vulnerable. I have not bought any for years, I assume it is still available. Play Dough does not work well, it either shrinks and falls out or hardens.

On Fri, 16 Sep 2005 11:41:56 -0400, Ted Goldblatt <tedgoldblatt@yahoo.com> wrote:

>
>I have done this in the past, but because of the way the rotor is
>mounted on the Rohn tower, it isn't possible to seal it very well this
>way - I was looking for suggestions for better ways of weatherproofing
>it for this period.
>
>Marshall

4369. FA: 1-DAY> 2-6146A tubes, 3-807 tubes, 2-JOHNSON JUMBO SOCKETS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 15:07:40 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2jWWe.1858$gE7.1742@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13592
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-RCA-RADIOTRON-6146A-RF-OUTPUT-TUBES-Test-GOOD_W0QQitemZ5807360808QQcategoryZ48710QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/THREE-3-JAN-807-AMPLIFIER-TUBES-RCA-GE-CBS-from-WWII_W0QQitemZ5807360826QQcategoryZ48710QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-JOHNSON-JUMBO-TWIST-LOCK-CERAMIC-SOCKETS-872A-810_W0QQitemZ5807360817QQcategoryZ296QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4370. FA: RARE HALLICRAFTERS HA-6 TRANSVERTER $20, MIL-SPEC Test Leads $100 value $9.99

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 15:09:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MkWWe.1859$gE7.1575@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13593
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/RARE-HALLICRAFTERS-HA-6-TRANSVERTER-for-6-METERS-Neat_W0QQitemZ5807360834QQcategoryZ4675QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/NOS-USA-MIL-SPEC-TEST-LEAD-PROBE-SET-BIG-100-VALUE-NR_W0QQitemZ7545252048QQcategoryZ50971QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4371. FA: 4-Air Caps, 4-NEW GE 6DQ6B's($9.99), 40ft Tinned Braid>Large

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 15:12:53 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <XnWWe.1860$gE7.307@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13594
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All around $9.99 some no bids, all good deals!
http://cgi.ebay.com/FOUR-4-VARIOUS-VINTAGE-AIR-VARIABLE-CAPACITORS-Handy_W0QQitemZ5807360862QQcategoryZ296QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/FOUR-4-NOS-GE-6DQ6B-6GW6-POWER-AMPLIFIER-TUBES-SAVE_W0QQitemZ7545252062QQcategoryZ58172QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/40-feet-ASSORTMENT-of-TINNED-COPPER-TUBULAR-FLAT-BRAID_W0QQitemZ5807360909QQcategoryZ296QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4372. FA: 1-DAY> COLLINS R-390A parts, Too much to List!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 15:15:37 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vqWWe.1861$gE7.398@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13595
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-COLLINS-R-390A-VU-METER-M101-cover-screws_W0QQitemZ5807360845QQcategoryZ4673QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/COLLINS-R-390A-RECEIVER-FINAL-AUDIO-UNIT-REAL-NICE_W0QQitemZ5807360880QQcategoryZ4673QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

ALL MY STUFF & There is Planty of great deals>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4373. FA: 1 Day+ left, all 33 items, most a great deal:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 15:16:53 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HrWWe.1863$gE7.436@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13596
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4374. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 15:41:25 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <17b21$432c3942$471c63c6$27597@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13597
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Would someone put something in "Uncle Ted's" mouth, my zipper is stuck...

Uncle Ted" <malican40@verizon.com> wrote in message

> It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
> all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
> world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.

4375. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 16:46:58 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11ioi4diagii717@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13448
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Can't do it Fred..I'm not homosexual as apparently you are.

--

Charlie

"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
news:17b21$432c3942$471c63c6$27597@ALLTEL.NET...
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>> world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>
>

4376. Re: 1 Day+ left, all 33 items, most a great deal:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 16:54:27 UTC
From: Jack <Jack@home.net>
Message-ID: <6a910$432c4a4a$8b370fb9$2065@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13449
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

whata buncha crap!

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:HrWWe.1863$gE7.436@fe08.lga...
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
>
>

4377. Re: Yaesu 1000SDX opinion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 16:58:19 UTC
From: Dino Papas <kl0s@cox.net>
Message-ID: <kl0s-39E68E.12581817092005@news.east.cox.net>
Source record: 13450

My G-1000SDX has been up in the air for 7 years and is still going
strong turning my TH-7DX and the VHF/UHF stuff above it.

Dino KL0S/4

In article <1126952345.561304.268260@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>,
"Jim" <K4SQR@juno.com> wrote:

> Dave,
> A friend is on his 5th yaesu rotor. Newest is a 2800, and he hopes it
> lasts. Others were 1000 models.
> Good luck, Jim
>
> David Snyder Hale wrote:
> > I see that the Yaesu 1000SDX rotor doesn't get a very good review on
> > eHam.net (20 reviews result in 3.5/5) but I thought I'd run my own poll
> > here. Newsnet always elicits all sorts of opinions (usually without
> > asking, though).
> >
> > I'm thinking about buying one of these but the 7 out of 20 poor reviews
> > at eHam have me concerned.
> >
> > Thanks,
> > --
> > Dave * N3WTK (DM04xf) * http://isi.mtwilson.edu

4378. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 17:43:17 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dghlio$k42$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 13451
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

"Ted Goldblatt" <tedgoldblatt@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:3p07aaF7ublaU1@individual.net...
> John Ferrell wrote:
>
>> I am not sure I understand the question. I think you have the rotator
>> upside down on the tower at the moment. If it went through some
>> weather, it is probably full of water now. The way I would handle the
>> problem is to remove the rotator from the mount and hang it on the
>> tower (clothes hanger wire) right side up. I would hang it there for a
>> few days to drain & dry out. When it comes time to reinstall the
>> antennas, test the rotator for proper operation. Chances are that it
>> will be OK. If you seal it tight, the moisture will be sealed in.
>> These things are intended to be able to breathe!
>
> The tower is currently up (the mast broke above the rotor, so all the
> antennas are dangling by their feedlines, but the tower itself is OK) and
> the rotor is in its normal upright position. It will be upside down when
> the tower is folded over to work on. As far as I know, the rotor is fine
> right now.
>
>> If removing/replacing the rotator is a major hassle, I would either
>> send it to one of the maintenance guys or put up a new one & sell the
>> old one on ebay WITH the explanation. There are lots of us who have
>> setups that are easy to change.
>
> Don't understand this. Yes, removing/replacing the rotor is a hassle,
> largely because it has to be done with the unit upside down, and standing
> at the top of a ladder. But that isn't the issue here - in fact, there is
> no obvious reason to remove the rotor at all, since it seems intact. Just
> remove the stub of the broken mast from the thrust bearing and put a new
> one in. The issue is that while that is done, and the new antennas are
> mounted, and new (or repaired) feedlines are run, and all the antennas are
> tuned, the tower will need to be folded over, with the rotor mounted, and
> these steps will almost certainly take several days. Because of
> availability of helpers reasons, this will likely have to be on weekends,
> meaning the tower will be folded (and the rotor inverted) for a period of
> at least 1 to 2 weeks.
>
>> If the rotator must be left in the inverted position outside for an
>> extended time I would wrap it in black landscape plastic and duct tape
>> to prevent more water from entering while leaving the bottom of the
>> plastic open to dry out.
>

> I have done this in the past, but because of the way the rotor is mounted
> on the Rohn tower, it isn't possible to seal it very well this way - I was
> looking for suggestions for better ways of weatherproofing it for this
> period.
>
> Marshall
>

LOTS of Heavy Grease "glooped" all over every conceivable (and
inconceivable) opening. Then wrap it in plastic.

73
Roger ZR3RC

4379. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 19:10:11 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <E9OdneXjXInf97HenZ2dnUVZ_s-dnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 13452
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Ted wrote:
> On 15 Sep 2005 14:57:56 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
> wrote:
>
>
>
>>Discounts I don't know but Chatholic dogma still provides for the sale
>>of Indulenges for sin, even allowing them to be purchased for yone
>>firend and relitives post mortem
>>
>>Luther thought the practice pro and so do most prods groups
>
>
> It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
> all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
> world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.

Ted, I'll pray for you. There's nothing you can do about it!

+ + +

4380. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 19:59:53 UTC
From: "LenAnderson@ieee.org" <LenAnderson@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <1126987193.132617.297010@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13453
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>It has NEVER been the DOGMA of the Catholic Church to sell indulgences.
>PERIOD! A period of clerical abuse of indulgences, contrary to the
>Doctrinal position of the Church, did exist in history. Martin Luther
>was correct to cite this failure in clergy practice. The abuse was
>censured in the Council of Trent [ca 1545 - 1563].

Did his karma run over your dogma? :-)

LenAnderson@ieee.org

4381. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 20:05:45 UTC
From: n0vfp_lloyd@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1126987544.968111.4370@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13454
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:
> Weak Richard, but we love you no less.

Yeah, but he's a little older than the boys you usually molest, queer.

>
> "Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
> news:t3aji1hsepkfap9c8i3h0j3t592t8nedfd@4ax.com...
> > On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 12:00:29 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
> > wrote:
> >
> > >Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply to
> an
> > >HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.
> >
> > You said it yourself:
> > >>refusing to take in a storm victim
> > exactly conforms to
> > >>>Intolerant toward others - 1645.
> >
> > otherwise, why would you offer your opinion
> > >>while abhorrent to me
> >
> > Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
> > and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
> > getting through the eye of the needle.
> >
> > 73's
> > Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4382. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 20:07:06 UTC
From: n0vfp_lloyd@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1126987626.932046.11490@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13455
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:
> Would someone put something in "Uncle Ted's" mouth, my zipper is stuck...

The tweezers get stuck again?

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> > all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
> > world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.

4383. Sniffer for SSB, FM, AM modulation control

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 20:12:01 UTC
From: SOMMERGIBILE <spammerssonof@bitch.it.invalid>
Message-ID: <432d1635$0$8493$5fc30a8@news.tiscali.it>
Source record: 13464

and a lot more on:
http://web.tiscali.it/am2zy/index.html

4384. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 22:18:39 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <3D0Xe.13382$_84.7807@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13456
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

D A N G.....he posted without talking about Morse Code Testing. Hats off
Lennie.

Dan/W4NTI

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news:1126987193.132617.297010@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>
>>It has NEVER been the DOGMA of the Catholic Church to sell indulgences.
>>PERIOD! A period of clerical abuse of indulgences, contrary to the
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>>was correct to cite this failure in clergy practice. The abuse was
>>censured in the Council of Trent [ca 1545 - 1563].
>
>
> Did his karma run over your dogma? :-)
>
>
> LenAnderson@ieee.org
>

4385. FA: Pair of HT750 - UHF - Portables - Chargers & Remote Mics..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 23:14:59 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Ur1Xe.15038$mH.6666@fed1read07>
Source record: 13457
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Pair of HT750 - UHF - Portables - Chargers & Remote Mics..

4386. FA:HT1250 ls DTMF Front...UHF 403-470 Wide Coverage & Charger-Nice Condition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-17 23:16:45 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <yt1Xe.15039$mH.14089@fed1read07>
Source record: 13458
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:HT1250 ls DTMF Front...UHF 403-470 Wide Coverage & Charger-Nice Condition

4387. CCRadio display showing broken numbers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 01:06:56 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <78fpi11d115dc0k7vffrecs1ep7dudo3to@4ax.com>
Source record: 13459

I have a Sangean/C.Crane CCRadio, a few years old. The display screen shows only bits and pieces of numbers and letters. Any known, easy fix I could do?

I contacted the C.Crane company, and they want $49.95 just to have their repair guy look at it, plus shipping both ways. Might as well get a new one, as do that -- so, looking for a home fix.

Thanks,

Bob
k5qwg

4388. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 03:34:32 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <cf5Xe.25973$uD6.15490@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13460
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Seems like a lot of money for an HT--nifty or not.

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news:69875$432afd90$d1cc4e42$18655@snip.allthenewsgroups.com...
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>
>
>

4389. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 06:34:26 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <ST7Xe.25997$uD6.2309@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13461
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,.radio.amateur.antenna

Use lots of duct tape and a large garbage bag.

"Marshall Goldblatt" <w4emb@myacc.net> wrote in message
news:3op5feF73ibjU1@individual.net...
> Hello all,
>
> I have a Tailtwister (TX-2) rotor mounted on a Rohn 25 foldover tower.
> While the tower itself appears to have survived intact, hurricane
> Katrina snapped the mast and destroyed the antennas. I need to fold the
> tower over to work in it, and likely leave it folded over for a fairly
> extended period. This will leave the top of the tower and the rotor
> upside down. Unfortunately, it is still the rainy season here, and the
> last time I needed to do this, rain water got into the rotor and settled
> in the bell, causing rust and other corrosion damage inside the rotor,
> because it is only weather protected when it is upright. I would like
> to seal the rotor to prevent this from happening again, but none of the
> ideas I've had so far (wrapping it in plastic garbage bags, using duct
> tape, using sealing foam) are usable, either because they don't seal
> well enough to keep water out or because stuff may get up inside the
> rotor where I can't get it out.
>
> So, does anyone have any suggestions?
>
> 73, Marshall - W4EMB
>
>

4390. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 06:49:49 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <h68Xe.25999$uD6.16002@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13462
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Please quit spamming our news groups.

"Dave" <davebong@bongmaker5.com> wrote in message
news:69875$432afd90$d1cc4e42$18655@snip.allthenewsgroups.com...
> And it has 2 meters also!
>
> http://www.tagpilotsupply.com/index.asp?PageAction=VIEWPROD&ProdID=793
>
>
>

4391. A lot of good diagrams

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 08:03:20 UTC
From: SOMMERGIBILE <nientem@ilaspammers.it.invalid>
Message-ID: <432d21f7$0$8486$5fc30a8@news.tiscali.it>
Source record: 13465

on:
http://web.tiscali.it/am2zy/index.html

4392. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 13:39:49 UTC
From: John Ferrell <johnferrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <F6eXe.72$vw6.16@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13466
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

If I were still flying it would be of interest. As Ham equipment it is
pricey, but as aircraft equipment it is competitive.

BTW, how come you consider this spam?
de W8CCW

--
John Ferrell
http://DixieNC.US

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4393. Re: CCRadio display showing broken numbers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 14:58:06 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <432D805E.A808BF1E@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13467

Bob Miller wrote:
>
> I have a Sangean/C.Crane CCRadio, a few years old. The display screen
> shows only bits and pieces of numbers and letters. Any known, easy fix
> I could do?
>
> I contacted the C.Crane company, and they want $49.95 just to have
> their repair guy look at it, plus shipping both ways. Might as well
> get a new one, as do that -- so, looking for a home fix.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Bob
> k5qwg

Does it have a custom LCD display? Most of them use thin "Zebra"
strips which are alternating layers of conducting and non conducting
layers. They are used to make contact between the PC board and the
conductive areas that are printed on the back of the display. They dry
out and shrink, but you can usually remove them, clean them in pure IPA,
along with the contacts on the PC board and the display. I've done this
to a lot of DMMs and other test equipment with a very good success rate.
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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4394. Re: 1 Day+ left, all 33 items, most a great deal:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 15:01:51 UTC
From: TNT <T@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <Yu6dndUmPNT4HLDeRVn-3Q@comcast.com>
Source record: 13468
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

E bay charges to get rid of junk, the trash man does it for nothing.

"Jack" <Jack@home.net> wrote in message
news:6a910$432c4a4a$8b370fb9$2065@ALLTEL.NET...
> whata buncha crap!
>
>
> "cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
> news:HrWWe.1863$gE7.436@fe08.lga...
>> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
>>
>>
>
>

4395. Re: 1 Day+ left, all 33 items, most a great deal:-)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-18 15:57:44 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <Y7gXe.11019$Ma.8772@fe07.lga>
Source record: 13469
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,us.military.army

I haven't looked to see what these particular "wonderful bargains" are,
but what A considers to be trash and will consign to the dumpster B
might be in desparate need of and pay money for. And as long as B pays A
more than eBay charges (plus the shipping charges), A is ahead.

Perce

On 09/18/05 11:01 am TNT tossed the following ingredients into the
ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

> E bay charges to get rid of junk, the trash man does it for nothing.

>>whata buncha crap!

>>>http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4396. FS: ICOM IC 706 MKIIG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 00:02:12 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <eenXe.44398$1g2.4371@fe05.lga>
Source record: 13470

FS: ICOM IC 706 MK IIG
THIS RADIO IS IN EXCELLANT WORKING CONDITION. IT INCLUDES BOX, MANUAL, HAND MIC, MOBILE BRACKET, POWER CORD, SEPARATION CABLE & BRACKET ETC NON SMOKING ENVIRONMENT !!
$725.00 SHIPPED & INSURED TO YOUR DOOR.

W9CAR@CHARTER.NET

4397. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 00:15:15 UTC
From: Al Klein <rukbat@invalid.net>
Message-ID: <vi0si1pt097fn4s17aj8k6c40qggrc90dn@4ax.com>
Source record: 13471
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 18 Sep 2005 13:39:49 GMT, "John Ferrell"
<johnferrell@earthlink.net> said in rec.radio.scanner:

>If I were still flying it would be of interest. As Ham equipment it is
>pricey, but as aircraft equipment it is competitive.

It's not aircraft equipment, it's a single-band ham transceiver that
can receive aircraft. There are cheaper multi-band ham transceivers
that have wider receivers than that. My VX-5, for example, can
receive aircraft - AND any frequency from 0.5 MHz to 999 MHz, AM, FM
or WFM, and can transmit on 6, 2 and 440. And it's cheaper.

4398. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 00:28:06 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11is1gmkkc7aof3@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13472
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <vi0si1pt097fn4s17aj8k6c40qggrc90dn@4ax.com>,
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>receive aircraft - AND any frequency from 0.5 MHz to 999 MHz, AM, FM
>or WFM, and can transmit on 6, 2 and 440. And it's cheaper.

From what I see on their web page, it appears that the VXA-700 is an
airband transceiver (not just a receiver), with 2-meter amateur
operation added.

It does look as if it re-uses a lot of the VX-7 construction.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

4399. Re: oskerblock swr200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 01:17:17 UTC
From: pharmdood <pharmdood@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <675330dbf5b52070dea42c4ad83676d1@localhost.talkaboutradio.com>
Source record: 13463

did you find the information? I had the same problem and found it. I will
e-mail jpeg file direct or follow this link
http://www.roetta.it/ik3hia/pages/Hamradio/osker_block.htm

Cheers

4400. FS d-104 desk mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 01:32:57 UTC
From: Mwin35 <Mwin35@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <Neqdnd2p4ZHTiLPeRVn-vA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13473

Looks and wotks good.
$60 shipped to the lower 48 states

4401. Re: CCRadio display showing broken numbers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 01:39:12 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ae5si1dod68etrcjbao7kec0ee0k581rca@4ax.com>
Source record: 13474

On Sun, 18 Sep 2005 14:58:06 GMT, "Michael A. Terrell"
<mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote:

>Bob Miller wrote:
>>
>> I have a Sangean/C.Crane CCRadio, a few years old. The display screen
>> shows only bits and pieces of numbers and letters. Any known, easy fix
>> I could do?
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>> Thanks,
>>
>> Bob
>> k5qwg
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>strips which are alternating layers of conducting and non conducting
>layers. They are used to make contact between the PC board and the
>conductive areas that are printed on the back of the display. They dry
>out and shrink, but you can usually remove them, clean them in pure IPA,
>along with the contacts on the PC board and the display. I've done this
>to a lot of DMMs and other test equipment with a very good success rate.

I'm not sure whether it is a custom display -- it shows the frequency
readout plus various functions of the radio; I'm guessing the display
is made for this radio only. Anyhow, if I can get the case apart, I'll
look at what I can do to clean the LCD strips.

Thanks for the tip.

Bob
k5qwg

4402. Re: How to weather-seal an upside down Tailtwister rotor?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 02:20:33 UTC
From: russ <russ_@russ.com>
Message-ID: <432E206F.C8E0D41@russ.com>
Source record: 13475
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

hi,

A large sheet of 6 mil clear plastic should be able to
cover the tower and the folded over section.

Place a container of DampRid on the rotor shelf
before you cover the tower with the plastic sheets.

Two layer of sheet should do the trick.

Drape the plastic 4 or 5 feet below the rotor,
no way for any water to get inside the rotor.

Tie it tiht with some good rope and your done.

The damp rid will absorb any moisture that it
trapped during the day from the hot sun
heating up the top of the 'rotor bag' you just made.

Or just take the rotor inside.

good luck with the repairs.

russ

4403. re emergency ht

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 02:30:07 UTC
From: russ <russ_@russ.com>
Message-ID: <432E22AF.B95AB2EF@russ.com>
Source record: 13476

Just help her to study and then take
the exams.

4404. re: emer radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 02:30:54 UTC
From: russ <russ_@russ.com>
Message-ID: <432E22DD.B3A9D736@russ.com>
Source record: 13477

buy her a nice handheld CB radio.

4405. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 03:58:21 UTC
From: Mike Burch <Libertybell7@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <xHqXe.341246$x96.130397@attbi_s72>
Source record: 13478
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

sdaniel13@nyc.rr.com wrote:
> Then why don't you tote it, 'tard.
>
That was a stupid remark. Mike K8MB

4406. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 04:01:17 UTC
From: Mike Burch <Libertybell7@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <hKqXe.341262$x96.180845@attbi_s72>
Source record: 13479
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:

> Please quit spamming our news groups.

Aw, come on... get off it. That wasn't spam at all.

4407. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 04:51:01 UTC
From: m II <None@owl.nest.org>
Message-ID: <VsrXe.291511$on1.152897@clgrps13>
Source record: 13480
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Mike Burch wrote:

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>>
> That was a stupid remark. Mike K8MB

Any stupider than when the self appointed 'Ace' uses it ad nauseam? I don't think so. It just can't get ANY more stupid.

mike

4408. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 05:30:15 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <r9jsi1pk9q0nunt0g1e76pe1u4m55vn9u3@4ax.com>
Source record: 13481
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 12:00:29 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:

>Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply to an
>HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.
>
>
The "wedded to ...." one

>"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
>news:4o4ji1p26o2mcctbkfbuugpan1qmlt05nd@4ax.com...
>> On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 10:41:17 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >A few moments spent perusing a dictionary will show that simply refusing
>to
>> >take in a storm victim, while abhorrent to me, does not make one a bigot.
>> >
>> from the Oxford English Dictionary:
>>
>> Bigot. 1598. 1. A hypocrite. 2. A superstitious person - 1664. 3. A
>> person obstinately and unreasonably wedded to a creed, opinion or
>> ritual - 1661. Intolerant toward others - 1645.
>>
>> Hardly seems that the meaning has veered from this in the past 340
>> years.
>>
>> 73's
>> Richard Clark, KB7QHC
>

4409. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 05:32:16 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <jcjsi19aa22rklfpm3609j8s27lgorvjvj@4ax.com>
Source record: 13482
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 13:55:56 -0500, Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
wrote:

>Richard Clark wrote:
>> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
>> and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
>> getting through the eye of the needle.
>
>The small "eye of the needle" gate at the walls of a city
>was sized for human beings. It was camels that couldn't
>get through it. Camels had to enter through the main gate.

But the reference was to it being as difficult for a rich man
(as in dweller of the gated community type) as for the camel ....

4410. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 05:35:14 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <ifjsi19ahovucm7g2o2tphfonraf9on57r@4ax.com>
Source record: 13483
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 19:09:05 GMT, "Kï¿½HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>
>"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote
>
>>
>> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
>> and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
>> getting through the eye of the needle.
>>
>
>How is "Christian charity" different from other charity, and do I need to be a
>member of your cult in order to get through the eye of the needle (and why would
>I want to?)?
>
>73, de Hans, K0HB

It's (at the very least) expected to be the ideal of the
Christian. Would youu care to expand on the ideals of "atheist
charity" or whatever defined variety you prefer?

4411. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 05:38:35 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <dmjsi15nau39vftr46s6rbebhnlrj7667c@4ax.com>
Source record: 13484
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 15 Sep 2005 14:57:56 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
wrote:

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>Richard Clark wrote:
>> On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 19:09:05 GMT, "Kï¿½HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
>> wrote:
>>
>> >How is "Christian charity" different from other charity
>>
>> Hi Hans,
>>
>> I will leave that to other faiths to describe for themselves. One
>> distinct difference between Christian charity and Islamic charity is
>> that Muslims are commanded to give the expected portion of their
>> charity directly to the afflicted. This means hand-to-hand.
>>
>> >, and do I need to be a
>> >member of your cult in order to get through the eye of the needle (and why would
>> >I want to?)?
>>
>> Complete the allusion and enlighten us to which cult offers fare
>> discounts for buying the way to Heaven. Of course, if you have no
>> interest in the destination, then the subject is rather transparent
>> and hardly requires comment.
>
>Discounts I don't know but Chatholic dogma still provides for the sale
>of Indulenges for sin

Far from correct. Catholiic dogma in fact has a specific name
for the sin of selling indulgences or objects which have been blessed
-- it's called simony. Since at least the 40s, AFAIK.

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>firend and relitives post mortem
>
>Luther thought the practice pro and so do most prods groups
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>> 73's
>> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4412. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 05:41:38 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <5ujsi196c3dl0l0a7su4uqltnt4u0ql4ko@4ax.com>
Source record: 13485
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 16 Sep 2005 23:01:22 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On 15 Sep 2005 14:57:56 -0700, "an_old_friend" <konstans@hotmail.com>
>wrote:
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>>Discounts I don't know but Chatholic dogma still provides for the sale
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>>Luther thought the practice pro and so do most prods groups
>
>It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.

Is this a slam against our Muslim brethren? A comment on the
position of Saudi Arabian women?

4413. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 11:44:49 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <zIudnYushuV_ObPeRVn-rQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13486
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Since the 1st Century. [Reference: Acts 8:18-24]

4414. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 12:33:05 UTC
From: Win Heagy <wheagy@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <dgmb64$3rf$1@newslocal.mitre.org>
Source record: 13487
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

It is definitely a transceiver on the aircraft band. I fly and carry it as
a
backup in the plane. Also has a backup VOR (navigation) capability
as well as FM radio. Nice piece of gear for a pilot. Plus, as was
mentioned earlier, it has 2m capabilities. Pretty cool.

Win

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> --
> Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
> Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
> I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
> boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

4415. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 14:02:40 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127138720_12439@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13488
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>get through it. Camels had to enter through the main gate.
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> But the reference was to it being as difficult for a rich man
> (as in dweller of the gated community type) as for the camel ....

Nowhere in The Bible does it say anything about a man finding
it difficult to go through the eye of the needle. The "eye of
the needle" gate was designed to allow men through, even rich
ones, and keep camels out. The difficult thing for men was to
enter the Kingdom of God, not get through the "eye of the
needle" gate.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! >100,000 Newsgroups
---= East/West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =---

4416. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-19 15:45:43 UTC
From: John Ferrell <johnferrell@sprintmail.com>
Message-ID: <b3nti1pi2b38ui9ap1o08kichl39lks6nf@4ax.com>
Source record: 13489
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

That was the mission I was thinking of. I used to fly a fair amount of
single engine,single pilot night IFR. My only remedy for a total
elecrical system failure was to always know which way to go to find
clear weather... This device would avoid an emergency operation.

de W8CCW

On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 08:33:05 -0400, "Win Heagy" <wheagy@mitre.org>
wrote:

>It is definitely a transceiver on the aircraft band. I fly and carry it as
>a
>backup in the plane. Also has a backup VOR (navigation) capability
>as well as FM radio. Nice piece of gear for a pilot. Plus, as was
>mentioned earlier, it has 2m capabilities. Pretty cool.
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>Win
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>"Dave Platt" <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote in message
>news:11is1gmkkc7aof3@corp.supernews.com...
>> In article <vi0si1pt097fn4s17aj8k6c40qggrc90dn@4ax.com>,
>> Al Klein <rukbat@invalid.net> wrote:
>>
>>>>If I were still flying it would be of interest. As Ham equipment it is
>>>>pricey, but as aircraft equipment it is competitive.
>>>
>>>It's not aircraft equipment, it's a single-band ham transceiver that
>>>can receive aircraft. There are cheaper multi-band ham transceivers
>>>that have wider receivers than that. My VX-5, for example, can
>>>receive aircraft - AND any frequency from 0.5 MHz to 999 MHz, AM, FM
>>>or WFM, and can transmit on 6, 2 and 440. And it's cheaper.
>>
>> From what I see on their web page, it appears that the VXA-700 is an
>> airband transceiver (not just a receiver), with 2-meter amateur
>> operation added.
>>
>> It does look as if it re-uses a lot of the VX-7 construction.
>>
>> --
>> Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
>> Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
>> I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
>> boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

>

4417. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 00:58:10 UTC
From: Daniel C Mckenzie <mckenzie.no@centurytel.net>
Message-ID: <24-dnVq98sQ3w7LenZ2dnUVZ_s-dnZ2d@centurytel.net>
Source record: 13490
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Win Heagy" <wheagy@mitre.org> wrote in message
news:dgmb64$3rf$1@newslocal.mitre.org...
> It is definitely a transceiver on the aircraft band. I fly and carry it
> as a
> backup in the plane. Also has a backup VOR (navigation) capability
> as well as FM radio. Nice piece of gear for a pilot. Plus, as was
> mentioned earlier, it has 2m capabilities. Pretty cool.
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Is there anywhere I can see more detail of the VOR capabilities?
I looked over the web site but it doesn't really show what it
can do in that function.

Dan

4418. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 01:14:53 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ceoui15km3tcudjfhfl8n9tbe8nmvjrk05@4ax.com>
Source record: 13491

I notice that on the referenced website it shows the radio to be
discontinued and no longer in stock. Apparently, there will be a
replacement.

Here is a site where you read some reviews on it.
http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/3377?ehamsid=5338e5b69d2d1c74d8de94e000253471

You can read all about it here. Get manual, brochure, etc.
http://www.vertexstandard.com/indexVS.cfm?cmd=DisplayProducts&ProdCatID=204&ProdID=18&Divi
sionID=2

Dick

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>

4419. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 02:14:07 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <jrrui11sa5c1cti78snsbfidq0nftkovo8@4ax.com>
Source record: 13492
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 17 Sep 2005 11:41:25 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:

>Would someone put something in "Uncle Ted's" mouth, my zipper is stuck...
>

Sorry, but I'm afraid I may be a few decades older than the
ten-year-old boys you are fantasizing about...

4420. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 02:20:01 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <34sui1h78dnnf7upi6oasunk6c3quvikup@4ax.com>
Source record: 13494
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 17 Sep 2005 15:10:11 -0400, Ham op <hamop@comcast.net> wrote:

>> It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>> all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>> world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>
>Ted, I'll pray for you. There's nothing you can do about it!

Whatever.

I have got to be one of the most "prayed-for" people there is. The
people that say they're "praying for me" remind me of the villagers in
old horror flicks that would hang up garlic and crucifixes to ward off
werewolves, vampires, fire-breathing dragons, Amway dealers, etc.

4421. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 02:22:10 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <pfsui1hs60tb8gu55d602rvvfs9s4urn72@4ax.com>
Source record: 13493
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 05:41:38 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>>It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>>all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>>world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>
> Is this a slam against our Muslim brethren? A comment on the
>position of Saudi Arabian women?

Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...

4422. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 02:40:08 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11iutq9d2274acd@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13495
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Same here Ted....

Religion is the opiate of the masses.

I prefer a free and satisfied mind...

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Charlie

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news:pfsui1hs60tb8gu55d602rvvfs9s4urn72@4ax.com...
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4423. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 04:02:14 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <md2vi1llg7c8bfqvcu9cce93s3rrvhsah3@4ax.com>
Source record: 13496
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 09:02:40 -0500, Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
wrote:

>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>> Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net> wrote:
>>
>>>Richard Clark wrote:
>>>>Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
>>>>and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
>>>>getting through the eye of the needle.
>>>
>>>The small "eye of the needle" gate at the walls of a city
>>>was sized for human beings. It was camels that couldn't
>>>get through it. Camels had to enter through the main gate.
>>
>> But the reference was to it being as difficult for a rich man
>> (as in dweller of the gated community type) as for the camel ....
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>Nowhere in The Bible does it say anything about a man finding
>it difficult to go through the eye of the needle. The "eye of
>the needle" gate was designed to allow men through, even rich
>ones, and keep camels out. The difficult thing for men was to
>enter the Kingdom of God, not get through the "eye of the
>needle" gate.

Agreed. I think it got lost in my trailing ellipsis. :-)

man:heaven - camel:eye, more or less.

4424. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 04:03:13 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <ui2vi1hrnjcmjtug82quv5lj6hgl5kvap6@4ax.com>
Source record: 13497
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 07:44:49 -0400, Ham op <hamop@comcast.net> wrote:

>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
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>SNIPPED
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>>>Discounts I don't know but Chatholic dogma still provides for the sale
>>>of Indulenges for sin
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>> Far from correct. Catholiic dogma in fact has a specific name
>> for the sin of selling indulgences or objects which have been blessed
>> -- it's called simony. Since at least the 40s, AFAIK.
>>
>
>Since the 1st Century. [Reference: Acts 8:18-24]

OK, maybe the 0040s. :-)

4425. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 10:42:12 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <6YWdnWb9yuNterLeRVn-tA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13398
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Even with your disbelief, I'll still pray for you.

There are two common anecdotes. One in Christianity, the other in Islam.

1] Work like everything depends on you. Pray like everything depends on God!

2] Trust Allah, but tie your camel.

Here is a message from a Baptist [Christian] Pastor about 10 years ago.

"Man does his part; God does His part.
Man does the sinning; God does the saving."

May God increase your faith.
+ + +

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> old horror flicks that would hang up garlic and crucifixes to ward off
> werewolves, vampires, fire-breathing dragons, Amway dealers, etc.

4426. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 10:43:21 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <6YWdnWH9yuOpdbLeRVn-tA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13399
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>
> OK, maybe the 0040s. :-)

You are too quick!!

4427. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 12:49:26 UTC
From: Matt <pissoff@spammers.suck.com>
Message-ID: <dgp0gm$2gv3$1@otis.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 13400
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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news:6YWdnWb9yuNterLeRVn-tA@comcast.com...
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This thread has degenerated into religious shit fighting. It has absolutely sweet fuck all to do with any of the NGs that it has been posted to- how about we either revert to the original topic, close this thread down, or move it to a religious discussion group where I feel that it would be far more appropriate. Please?

Matt

4428. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 13:03:38 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <GqSdnaHbf6qHlK3eRVn-qg@comcast.com>
Source record: 13401
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt wrote:

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> more appropriate. Please?
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>
> Matt
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>

Your point is valid. Your language needs serious improvement!

4429. FA: Yaesu FT-23R@$14, US Army WE BC-454-B Orig. Box@$15

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 13:38:28 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <rhUXe.4907$H24.675@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13402
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

YAESU FT-23R HANDY-TALKIE for 2-METER FM, 9 MEMS 2 WATT
http://cgi.ebay.com/YAESU-FT-23R-HANDY-TALKIE-for-2-METER-FM-9-MEMS-2-WATT_W0QQitemZ5809685258QQcategoryZ40069QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

US ARMY WESTERN ELECTRIC BC-454-B ARC-5 RECEIVER WWII
http://cgi.ebay.com/US-ARMY-WESTERN-ELECTRIC-BC-454-B-ARC-5-RECEIVER-WWII_W0QQitemZ5809685302QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4430. FA: 2-EIMAC 4CX250B's @$66, BROWN BROS CTL-A COMBI KEY @$88

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 13:40:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <njUXe.4909$H24.4843@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13403
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

TWO(2) EIMAC 4CX250B RF AMPLIFIER TUBES, LOOK-NEW:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-EIMAC-4CX250B-RF-AMPLIFIER-TUBES-LOOK-NEW_W0QQitemZ7546984046QQcategoryZ58171QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

BROWN BROS. CTL-A IAMBIC PADDLES & KEY COMBINATION RARE
http://cgi.ebay.com/BROWN-BROS-CTL-A-IAMBIC-PADDLES-KEY-COMBINATION-RARE_W0QQitemZ5809685484QQcategoryZ48706QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4431. FA: $10>Camera Stuff, Tubes, Custom Clock, Transistors, Much More!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 13:46:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ZoUXe.4933$H24.3989@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13404
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi All;
I have all sorts of small inexpensive items on that would cost much more then the $9.99 starting bid & most lately close at that so it might pay to check them all out.
Regardless of the Nay Sayers on here, others get good deals, they(nay sayers) get Zip except to complain:-)
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4432. Re: Now this is a nifty radio !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 14:23:16 UTC
From: Win Heagy <wheagy@mitre.org>
Message-ID: <dgp60m$m7q$1@newslocal.mitre.org>
Source record: 13405
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hmmm...good question. Don't know if there is a web site where you can go look.
The manual has details on how to use the VOR capabilities. Essentially, you can
select any VOR frequency (I think ILS too) and get course/bearing info, as well
as a CDI indication if desired. The range of the VOR capability is very limited.
I would not expect to do any real world navigation with it, but as a backup, it
could be indispensable (if everything else crapped out). The VOR was an added
bonus for me as I use a yoke mounted GPS (in addition to the VOR receivers in
the plane and a Loran). So I really bought it for the backup voice capabilities.
Also nice for getting ATIS/AWOS, clearances, FBOs, etc., while sitting on the
ground.

Win

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4433. setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 17:20:12 UTC
From: nospam@nowhere.edu.invalid
Message-ID: <dgpgcc$v40$1@rainier.uits.indiana.edu>
Source record: 13406

Hi folks! General hardware question, and I may be in over my head.

One of the prime camping locations at a nearby park is unfortunately
in a valley. This has the effect of radically limiting our GMRS
radios.

Would it be at all useful to run a mobile or base antenna about
50 feet up a tree and leave an antenna line so that we can just
plug in when we're at camp to get in contact with folks out
in the bush?

The amount of info out there is overwhelming. It seems like with
the tiny (~ 1W) radios, it's going to be important to get as
low-resistant cabling as possible.

Can anyone make a suggestion as to the right hardware for the job?
Is this a scenario where I'm going to need to "tune" an antenna?
Heck, is this even worth it?

Thanks!
WB

4434. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 18:38:32 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11j0lp8da3pha8a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13407

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>50 feet up a tree and leave an antenna line so that we can just
>plug in when we're at camp to get in contact with folks out
>in the bush?

Quite possibly so, if your feedline has low-enough loss.

GMRS is a UHF frequency, which propagates mostly by line-of-sight. There's some diffraction around edges, and some amount of reflection, but as a general rule you can expect a better signal (somewhat-better to lots-and-lots-better) if at least one antenna is up out of the "ground clutter".

Feedline loss, on the other hand, will work against you. Thin feedline will eat up a lot of your transmit power and your received signal... e.g. ordinary RG-58 will lose about 6 dB (that's 75%) of the power in a 50-foot run. That might, or might not, overwhelm the advantage of having the antenna up at some height.

You can get the loss down to 4 dB by using RG-8X "mini" coax. Standard RG-8 cable will lose 2 dB, which ought not to be a problem.

A decent combination might be to use a GMRS base antenna which has a few dB of gain, and a run of RG-8X (which is fairly light and unobtrusive). The antenna gain and the feedline loss might just about cancel out, giving you something roughly equivalent to what you'd get if you were standing up in the tree with the radio :-)

>Can anyone make a suggestion as to the right hardware for the job?
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If you buy a pre-tuned commercial GMRS antenna and its usual installation kit (which may include pre-tuned radials), it'll probably be a "wire it up and go" job, with no antenna tuning required.

Be careful to take all of the appropriate precautions - e.g. a climbing belt/harness, safety rope, and so forth. A distressingly large number of amateurs are killed due to failure to take proper safety precautions when climbing towers, buildings, and so forth.

Also - for legal reasons, this sort of antenna mod can only be done to
a real GMRS radio, for which a GMRS license is required. It's not
legal to modify the antenna setup on an FRS radio.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

4435. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 19:18:44 UTC
From: nospam@nowhere.edu.invalid
Message-ID: <dgpnak$1d4$1@rainier.uits.indiana.edu>
Source record: 13408

Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> wrote:
> You can get the loss down to 4 dB by using RG-8X "mini" coax.
> Standard RG-8 cable will lose 2 dB, which ought not to be a problem.

Is it worth it to shoot the extra cash on LMR 400 or Heliax?

> The antenna gain and the feedline loss might just about
> cancel out, giving you something roughly equivalent to what you'd get
> if you were standing up in the tree with the radio :-)

On the topic of antennae, I see mentions of a "no-ground-plane" antenna.
I assume I need one of these since it will be up in a tree?

Hoping to do this one without a climb. I was thinking of shooting
a guide wire over a branch and using it to haul the antenna up, with a
few wires to stake it down with.

> Also - for legal reasons, this sort of antenna mod can only be done to
> a real GMRS radio, for which a GMRS license is required. It's not
> legal to modify the antenna setup on an FRS radio.

Right, I think FRS radios come without the removable antenna for this
very reason.

Thanks, Dave!
-- WB

4436. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 19:24:54 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <amZXe.135129$s35.44266@fe09.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13409

nospam@nowhere.edu.invalid wrote:
> Is it worth it to shoot the extra cash on LMR 400 or Heliax?

Both these lines are very heavy compared to 8X. I doubt that a few db will make or break your ability to use the radio. If the valley is very deep, I doubt that 50' in elevation will help much either, especially if you are trying to communicate 'over the hill'. These are line-of-sight radios.

4437. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 19:32:10 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <_sZXe.160013$AI1.126241@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13410

Travis Jordan wrote:
> nospam@nowhere.edu.invalid wrote:
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>
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> will make or break your ability to use the radio. If the valley is
> very deep, I doubt that 50' in elevation will help much either,
> especially if you are trying to communicate 'over the hill'. These
> are line-of-sight radios.

Another thought if you are into 'build it yourself'. There are eight
GMRS frequency pairs reserved for repeater use. Cobble together a
low-cost, solar powered GMRS repeater. Is there someplace you could
install it on the peak of a nearby hill?

4438. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 20:07:24 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11j0qvsj3ajre59@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13411

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>> Standard RG-8 cable will lose 2 dB, which ought not to be a problem.
>
>Is it worth it to shoot the extra cash on LMR 400 or Heliax?

I doubt it, in the case of LMR 400.
No way, in the case of Heliax.

>On the topic of antennae, I see mentions of a "no-ground-plane" antenna.
>I assume I need one of these since it will be up in a tree?

You can either use a half-wave end-fed radiator such as a J-pole
(which needs no ground plane).

Or, you can use a quarter-wave or stacked-collinear antenna, which
does need a ground plane. Many of these will come with a set of
radials which are attached at the bottom of the radiator, and which
serve as an elevated ground plane.

>Hoping to do this one without a climb. I was thinking of shooting
>a guide wire over a branch and using it to haul the antenna up, with a
>few wires to stake it down with.

In that case, you're definitely going to want a relatively light
feedline, since the antenna and its connector are going to have to
support the weight of the feedline all the way to the ground. I
wouldn't use anything heavier than RG-8X in this situation.

>Right, I think FRS radios come without the removable antenna for this
>very reason.

Correct.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

4439. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 21:00:46 UTC
From: nospam@nowhere.edu.invalid
Message-ID: <dgpt9u$3lv$1@rainier.uits.indiana.edu>
Source record: 13412

Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net> wrote:
> Travis Jordan wrote:
>> nospam@nowhere.edu.invalid wrote:
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> GMRS frequency pairs reserved for repeater use. Cobble together a
> low-cost, solar powered GMRS repeater. Is there someplace you could
> install it on the peak of a nearby hill?

Wow! That'd be a fun little project! I'm not very talented in the
DIY department, but it doesn't stop a guy from tryin'.

I'll have to re-scout the area. Most of this is old-growth forest,
so solar might be very limited.

- WB

4440. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 21:17:09 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <p%_Xe.160690$e95.70862@fe08.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 13413

nospam@nowhere.edu.invalid wrote:
> Wow! That'd be a fun little project! I'm not very talented in the
> DIY department, but it doesn't stop a guy from tryin'.

For sure!

Here's a helpful link:
http://www.gmrsweb.com/gmrsrpt.html

Have fun.

4441. Re: setting up a tiny gmrs station?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-20 21:21:00 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndj0v4t.99i.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 13414

In article <11j0lp8da3pha8a@corp.supernews.com>, Dave Platt wrote:

> Also - for legal reasons, this sort of antenna mod can only be done to
> a real GMRS radio, for which a GMRS license is required. It's not
> legal to modify the antenna setup on an FRS radio.

At one time Radio Shack sold a FRS radio that was designed for use in
an automobile. There was a part that went in the car and an external
antenna that went outside. The part that went in the car was really
just a remote control head, with the real radio being in the base
of the antenna.

If you can find one of them and get someone to seperate them
by a much longer cable, it would give you the height that you need.

Geoff.

--
Geoffrey S. Mendelson, Jerusalem, Israel gsm@mendelson.com N3OWJ/4X1GM
IL Voice: (077)-424-1667 IL Fax: 972-2-648-1443 U.S. Voice: 1-215-821-1838
Support the growing boycott of Google by radio users and hobbyists.
It's starting to work, Yahoo has surpassed Google.

4442. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 00:31:03 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <4330a9c8$0$22199$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13415
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil Moore wrote:
>
> Nowhere in The Bible does it say anything about a man finding
> it difficult to go through the eye of the needle. The "eye of
> the needle" gate was designed to allow men through, even rich
> ones, and keep camels out. The difficult thing for men was to
> enter the Kingdom of God, not get through the "eye of the
> needle" gate.

I just love to read superstition discussions. It helps me understand
why we really haven't gone anywhere except with the technical side of
civilization.

tom
K0TAR

4443. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 00:35:29 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <4330aad1$0$22199$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13416
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ham op wrote:

> Matt wrote:
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>> move it to a religious discussion group where I feel that it would be far
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>> Matt
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> Your point is valid. Your language needs serious improvement!
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Actually, his language was perfectly appropriate.

tom
K0TAR

4444. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 02:47:52 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127271026_15855@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13417
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tom Ring wrote:
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> civilization.

If the "Kingdom of God" doesn't actually exist in reality,
it was an especially logical statement, eh? :-)
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4445. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 02:57:23 UTC
From: "LenAnderson@ieee.org" <LenAnderson@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <1127271443.195835.320110@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13418
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

From: K□B on Sep 15, 12:09 pm

>How is "Christian charity" different from other charity, and do I need to be a
>member of your cult in order to get through the eye of the needle (and why would
>I want to?)?

If you want to have tailor-made replies, put your thread
through the eye of the needle...or you get needled.

LenAnderson@ieee.org

4446. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 03:13:23 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <4330cfd4$0$22205$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13419
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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The amazing thing is that all these very smart people actually believe
this stuff.

tom
K0TAR

4447. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 03:50:39 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11j1m569peve9e6@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13420
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

So True Tom.....

Been there...done that!

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Charlie

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4448. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 04:03:20 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127275555_19265@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13421
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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4449. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 05:30:17 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <pbadna1SLLBncq3eRVn-vg@comcast.com>
Source record: 13422
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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I don't understand why people continue to be surprised that we share 96%
of our DNA with Bush.

4450. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 06:15:44 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <s7u1j19k809urlo9bdqs79phlnlpavieuj@4ax.com>
Source record: 13423
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 20 Sep 2005 22:30:17 -0700, Zoran Brlecic
<...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:

>I don't understand why people continue to be surprised that we share 96%
>of our DNA with Bush.
The poster boy for untelligent design.

Years hence the "Republicans" will blame Clinton for him too. :-)

4451. News:Gothic Singles Photos!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 08:15:52 UTC
From: mary19086@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1127290552.561693.282540@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13424

Check out our large photo gallery for gothic and their admirers. Still looking for that special someone?

http://www.aboutme.com/gothicclub/gothicmodelsuck.htm

4452. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 10:59:43 UTC
From: Brad <"bradvk2qq at w6ir.com">
Message-ID: <43313df9$0$253$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>
Source record: 13425
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>member of your cult in order to get through the eye of the needle (and why
>would
>I want to?)?

Christian Charity is a point scoring exercise with God. It is done for
selfish reasons, to make sure you are noticed by God and he lets you in.

4453. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 13:19:41 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <qoGdnYYUipyCw6zeRVn-pw@comcast.com>
Source record: 13426
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tom Ring wrote:
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>>> Matt
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>>
>> Your point is valid. Your language needs serious improvement!
>>
>
> Actually, his language was perfectly appropriate.
>
> tom
> K0TAR

Tom, that says a lot about you also. And, it's not a favorable
impression you make.

4454. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 14:40:44 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <43109$43317117$97d56a13$4287@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13427
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Do you not think it somewhat supercilious to cavalierly dismiss the beliefs
held by others?

Have you been blessed with some special insight to the universe that allows
you to, with such certainty, declare all religious beliefs as superstition?

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4455. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 14:49:38 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <39979$43317324$97d56a13$4724@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13428
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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4456. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 15:03:52 UTC
From: whinyslit_lloydie@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1127315032.257100.193750@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13429
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

And Kerry has higher SAT scores than you.

4457. Help with a user manual for ERA Microreader anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 16:41:26 UTC
From: Steve <xomegaman@deighton4.wanadoo.co.uk>
Message-ID: <dgs2fh$53a$1@newsg2.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 13430
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.scanner.uk,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,uk.radio.amateur

Can anyone help me with a copy of a user manual for the ERA Microreader
please.

I've googled and looked around and can't find one although I believe that
there used to be a .pdf version somewhere.

I know the ERA isn't cutting edge and not rocket science to use but a manual
is always nice to have with it for "senior moments" when the brain goes
blank.

Any costs happily reimbursed of course.

Steve

****
All outgoing mail is checked with Norton
AV 2004 but it's not infallible therefore
the final responsibility rests with you.
****

4458. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 17:34:04 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <gQgYe.902$xc4.335@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13431
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>tom
>>K0TAR
>
>
>

Maybe you should remember this the next time you find yourself
hammering non-Christian religions, Fred. I haven't met many
religious fanatics who didn't dismiss the beliefs of other
people as bunk.
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4459. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 17:54:41 UTC
From: Harold Burton <hwburton@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <11j37iuca45hve6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13432
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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I believe the latest info I've seen on that gave a figure of 98.5%
identical.

Harold
KD5SAK

4460. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 18:49:36 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <e8cbc$4331ab60$97d56a13$14857@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13433
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I hardly consider myself a fanatic, and am extremely unlike to "hammer"
anyone over religion, or lack there of.

Some of the most fanatical are those members of the religion of atheism.

These folks find it threatening that someone may have a set of beliefs, and
feel the only recourse is to attack those beliefs. Makes one wonder if they
find it necessary to stand in department store lines, demanding that little
children give up the idea of Santa Claus, which they find equally
believable.

I personally don't care what anyone's belief set is. I do find it abhorrent
that some are more active for atheism , than a Jehovah Witness beating on
the door selling salvation.

My feeling is that most are simply crying out for attention, and know the
religion button is a simple one to push.

"Tom Donaly" <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:gQgYe.902$xc4.335@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com...
> Maybe you should remember this the next time you find yourself
> hammering non-Christian religions, Fred. I haven't met many
> religious fanatics who didn't dismiss the beliefs of other
> people as bunk.
> 73,
> Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4461. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 20:23:54 UTC
From: Anonymous via the Cypherpunks Tonga Remailer <nobody@cypherpunks.to>
Message-ID: <20050921202354.52A2E1713F@mail.cypherpunks.to>
Source record: 13434
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <43109$43317117$97d56a13$4287@ALLTEL.NET>
"Fred W4JLE" <w...@w4jle.com> wrote:
>
> Do you not think it somewhat supercilious to cavalierly dismiss the beliefs
> held by others?
>
> Have you been blessed with some special insight to the universe that allows
> you to, with such certainty, declare all religious beliefs as superstition?

It's for weak minded fools like you, child molester who pretends to be a
christian.

>
> "Tom Ring" <news0...@taring.org> wrote in message
> news:4330a9c8$0$22199$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net...
> > I just love to read superstition discussions. It helps me understand
> > why we really haven't gone anywhere except with the technical side of
> > civilization.
> >
> > tom
> > K0TAR

4462. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 20:38:32 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127335266_20031@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13435
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Harold Burton wrote:
>>>Cecil Moore wrote:
>>>>Even with our DNA being 96% identical to a chimp's?
>
> I believe the latest info I've seen on that gave a figure of 98.5%
> identical.

They have only recently decoded the chimp's DNA genome.
The new figures seem to be 96% identical, 98.5% very similar.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4463. FS Lots of Kenwood Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 20:48:25 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <jGjYe.69135$7f5.60083@okepread01>
Source record: 13436

FS Some nice Kenwood Accessories:
1. Kenwood PS-30 Power Supply. Nice shape, 20 amp. Manual, $85;
2. Kenwood MC-30S Mobile Mic with 4 Pin Plug for TS-130S, $35;
3. Kenwood MC-42S Hand Mic with 8 Pin Plug like 450S&Others, Manual, $35;
4. Kenwood MC-44/45 DM Electret Hand Mic, 8 Pin like TM-261, etc, Manual, $35;
5. Kenwood VS-2 Voice Synthesizer for TS-450/Others, Manual, $65;
6. International Radio 1.8 Khz filter for 8.83 IF for TS-450/Others, Manual, $85;
7. Kenwood /TrioCW Filter for TS-520(S), Model YG-3395C, 500Hz, $50;
8. Kenwood TM-261A 2 Mete Transceiver, MC-53DM mic, Manual , Power Cable, Nice, $135.

Prices include shipping within lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4464. FS: COLLINS ROUND EMBLEM MODEL 55G-1 PRESELECTOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 21:00:47 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <nfi3j11e6tq1utbucs9dq0cvq5h5mgva28@4ax.com>
Source record: 13437

FS: COLLINS ROUND EMBLEM MODEL 55G-1 PRESELECTOR
LOW FREQUENCY TUNER.-THIS MANUALLY OPERATES, TUNES AND IS ACCESSORY
FOR THE 51S-1 RECEIVER. IMPROVES SENSITIVITY AND INPUT SELECTIVITY OF
THE 51S FROM 200 AND 2000 KHz , GREATLY REDUCES CROSS MODULATION &
SPURIOUS RESPONSES CAUSED FROM STRONG BROADCAST SIGNALS.
THIS WAS LOCKED AWAY IN A WARM CONTROLLED PLACE FROM 1975 TIL NOW.
WAS NOT USED FROM 1975 TIL 2005 NOW!
ITS IN NEW CONDITION!!!!!! GREAT FOR A COLLECTOR!!
THIS IS THE REAL GEM OF THEM ALL!!!
PRICE: 2300.00
REPLY TO:
ritchi50@optonline.net

4465. FS VHF HTs Cheap

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 21:10:21 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <T_jYe.69138$7f5.56503@okepread01>
Source record: 13438

I have the following HTs for sale. They are from an estate and have been stored for years. They work and looks good, but the batteries have gone bad. No Chargers.
1. Icom IC-2AT 2 meter HT, 2 Batteries(Weak), copy of the manual, Works great, $30;
2. Radio Shack HTS 202 2 Meter HT with 2 Batteries(Weak), copy of the manual,
Works great, $35.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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4466. FS: ICOM R10 RECEIVER/SCANNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 21:19:25 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <oij3j15s9fc4msd9ptibntcfasll18d1f3@4ax.com>
Source record: 13439

FS: ICOM R10 RECEIVER/SCANNER
From 0.500 to 823.999, 849.0001 to 868.9999 and 894.0001 to 1300.000
MHz.
Modes are FM, AM, WFM, USB, LSB and CW.
It's used but looks like new!
Comes with antenna and manual.
Of course it will not be dead on arrival, Works like new also.
Price: 225.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

4467. FS NIB Matched Pair of 8122 Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 21:29:55 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <chkYe.69141$7f5.18380@okepread01>
Source record: 13440

I have for sale a set of New, Matched 8122 Tubes in original boxes and packing. They are RCAs with date codes of 73-48 and 76-13.
Price is $160 plus shipping from 79602.
These were spares/backups for my NCL-2000 amp, but I never needed them.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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4468. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 21:42:47 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <RNSdnYxN5smKSazeRVn-sg@comcast.com>
Source record: 13441
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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1 a : the state of a religious <a nun in her 20th year of religion>
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beliefs, and practices

3 archaic : scrupulous conformity : CONSCIENTIOUSNESS

4 : a cause, principle, or system of beliefs held to with ardor and faith"

4469. FS Icom R7000 Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 21:47:12 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <r6l3j15mp37akl884nmpn8bdb7i2lroo8v@4ax.com>
Source record: 13442

FS Icom R7000 Receiver
30 Mhz through 2 GHz No Gaps.
AllMode Non Smoker!
Price: 425.00 I have the original Box
ritchi50@optonline.net

4470. FS Shure 444 mics

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 21:47:25 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DxkYe.69145$7f5.58286@okepread01>
Source record: 13443

For Sale Shure 444 mics. I have 3 of them. Two Silver ones wired with 4 Pin Plugs and One Black one with RCA Jack. The Black one is the Ham Radio Outlet version with HRO on the front. I have copies of instructions with the Silver ones and the Original Instrucions with the Black one.
I am asking $35 each for the Silvers 444s and $45 for the Black 444 plus shipping from 79602. They are in nice shape. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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4471. old YAESU FT815 - no sound, no xmit - got manual?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 22:06:29 UTC
From: rjvalenta@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1127340389.111148.44100@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13444

so over 10 years ago I got this ft-815 - a UHF handheld, small and decent - and best of all i was able to mod it so i could listen to my local PD. i used it off and on for a few years and then got sidetracked by other gear and other things.

eventually, i had lost the battery's charger (battery was FNB-25), so I just used my Alinco DJ-580T thinking I'd eventually get the charger for the FNB25 - but i never did.

recently I dug both radios out, and got some cables and so on from radio shack and got them both pwoered up. BUT - While the Yaesu will actually still charge (from the DC Power port up top & no idea for how long it will hold) - I cannot get much sound out of it, its almost like its being told to broadcast at 10% output. I also hooked up a speaker-mic thinking the speaker was rotted or soemthing, same result.

but it beeps, and tones, and so on, I lost the manual, so I've been playing with it - set some channels, and tried to xmit - that was bad as well, it barely sent through static.

no matter what i do, there's an S in the bottom of the screen, and it blinks when i set channels or do other things - i cant help but wonder if its some kinda squelch which is keeping the sound muted.

when i power it up, it seems to work fine, when i press the transmit the light will go red just for 1/2 a second, then it still acts like its xmitting, but the light goes out and only quiet static on the other end - and the receive is really muted.

IDEAS ANYONE? before I pitch it, I'd love some ideas - if no one has any, I guess i'll put it on eBay for parts or give it to someone who wants to fix the Alinco's rapid charger - any comments accepted...

richard
N0TZC

PS - if anyone has a copy of rht FT815 Manual - please let me know or email it! Thanks!

4472. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 22:31:56 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <wblYe.1578$oc.841@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13445
Cross-posted to:
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"Ham op" <hamop@comcast.net> wrote

>
> 4 : a cause, principle, or system of beliefs held to with ardor and faith"
>

If we accept this definition of "religion" as a system of beliefs that contains unprovable statements taken only on faith, then Kurt Godel taught us that mathematics is not only a religion, it is the only religion that can prove itself to be one.

73, de Hans, K0HB

4473. WTB: Heathkit Circular Dial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 23:14:25 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <lPlYe.66515$qY1.51156@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13446
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Seeking Heathkit VFO circular dial for a cracked one in a SB-401. State price shipped, tnx Joe

4474. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 23:16:27 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <fRIYe.1481$zQ3.16@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13447
Cross-posted to:
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> .... members of the religion of atheism.

Fred, that idea is straight out of Alice in Wonderland!

Up is down, and atheism, the antithesis of religion, is religion.

Sunuvagun!

73, de Hans, K0HB
Agnostic ("Maybe you're right, but I'm not going to take it on faith.")

4475. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 23:44:05 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <APadnSvf_azebazeRVn-vw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13348
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> beliefs, and practices
>
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>
> 4 : a cause, principle, or system of beliefs held to with ardor and faith"
>
>

Wow. I have faith that if I fall off the rim of the Grand Canyon, or
any great height, that I will most likely bite the big on upon landing.
Therefore I do not engage in risky behavior such as spinning around
until I get dizzy when I am near the edge of long drops.

I believe that I will bite the big one if I fall hundreds or thousands of feet. My belief most definitely influences my behavior.

So Have I come up with some new sort of religion here?

And I truly see you reading a lot more into this than the definition provides

- Mike KB3EIA -

4476. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 23:48:24 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <zu-dnbKc0OHYbKzeRVn-jA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13349
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>
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Hans, the Atheism as a religion is just a reserve argument that the CC Fundies are holding in their hands, so that they can claim that Evolution is a (atheistic) belief, and therefore a religion, which leads to the argument that they have every right to force their religious beliefs on us, since the "religion" of evolution has been forced on the nations children for so long.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4477. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-21 23:59:14 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <mtmYe.88641$EX.7904@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13350
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This is way off-topic. Watch out for Pat, before he nails you.

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4478. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 00:09:49 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <Vb6dnXBKkePXa6zeRVn-jQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13351
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Pat Stevens wrote:
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I have faith in that!

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4479. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 00:29:52 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4WmYe.1867$0m6.1382@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13352
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Verily, verily sayest thee! Beware, lest thou be smitten by Lord Pat!

73, de Hans, K0HB
Grand Exhalted Liberator of the Electric Smoke

4480. www.ukradioamateur

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 00:38:28 UTC
From: Chris I Townsend <chris@cbnr.net>
Message-ID: <Bu1vi3UE0fMDFwls@holmfirth.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 13353

Hi,

Some of you, hopefully many of you, may be aware of the existence of the "Amateur Radio Course" project which provides a number on-line and downloadable tutorials for the various UK amateur radio examinations.

Due to the sudden, unexpected and unexplained withdrawal of support by the company who up to now have very kindly hosted our web-site free of charge, and their even more unexpected failure to communicate with me regarding how we might transfer or redirect the URL which they registered for us but now will not let us use, our site is no longer available to the clubs and individuals who benefited from it.

Can you therefore help us and please publicise as widely as possible the following information.

The "Amateur Radio Course" which was located at www.ukradioamateur.org is now relocated at www.radioamateur.co.uk

There may be a number of functions that are not working due to the sudden move, but they will be fixed within the next few days.

It remains, as always, a non-profit making activity sponsored and supported entirely by the group of individuals who give up their time and resources free of charge to support and promote interest in the hobby.

I apologise for posting this message in so many newsgroups, but I need the new URL to be publicised as rapidly as possible.

Many thanks to you for your help, best wishes and 73's

Chris
G8PUT

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Chris I Townsend

(chris@cbnr.net)

4481. www.ukradioamateur 2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 01:00:58 UTC
From: Chris I Townsend <chris@cbnr.net>
Message-ID: <s8mEW3hKJgMDFwxp@holmfirth.demon.co.uk>
Source record: 13354

Hi,

2nd post, the first contained an error, the new address should have been given as www.ukradioamateur.co.uk

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4482. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 01:49:17 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127353913_243@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13355
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kï¿½HB wrote:
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Some say yes, some say no, and I'm inclined to agree.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4483. FT-857 CAT interface, text to voice converter product??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 02:05:18 UTC
From: AMEN <Nomail@msn.com>
Message-ID: <yjoYe.395136$xm3.14742@attbi_s21>
Source record: 13356

I am working with new ham who is sightless (legally blind). He has a new FT-857D with the CT62 interface and programming software. He needs a way to hear the CAT upload data to know what frequency and the mode that the active memory channel is on. Is there a product he can obtain that will translate that information from text to voice on his computer? Thanks for any help. OM

4484. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 03:16:14 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <3f84j1t6o536tgnekhutv1ruepdo5d5ggs@4ax.com>
Source record: 13357
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 22:22:10 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 05:41:38 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>>>It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>>>all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>>>world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>>
>> Is this a slam against our Muslim brethren? A comment on the
>>position of Saudi Arabian women?
>
>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...

That says more about you than about them.

4485. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 03:17:10 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <ag84j1dq9lhtjg1b08eb80o3bpqct1eo8d@4ax.com>
Source record: 13358
Cross-posted to:
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On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 21:40:08 -0500, "Charlie" <charlie@play.com>
wrote:

>Same here Ted....
>
>Religion is the opiate of the masses.

Mindless Marxist cliches are the opiate of the
sub-intelligent.
>
>I prefer a free and satisfied mind...

4486. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 03:18:50 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <3k84j1lavg46c4rnsqb8hpdc8vi815gker@4ax.com>
Source record: 13359
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 20 Sep 2005 23:03:20 -0500, Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
wrote:

>Tom Ring wrote:
>> The amazing thing is that all these very smart people actually believe
>> this stuff.
>
>Even with our DNA being 96% identical to a chimp's?

99.5% in some of the local cases. :-)

4487. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 04:34:27 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <stc4j1lvb8tprbjdv15lmoq6pjjkra1qo9@4ax.com>
Source record: 13360
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 21 Sep 2005 22:31:56 GMT, "Kï¿½HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
wrote:

> Kurt Godel taught us that
>mathematics is not only a religion, it is the only religion that can prove
>itself to be one.

Hi Hans,

Godel actually taught us that any system of belief, by its own rules
of consistency must include the statement that

1 + 1 = 3

Technologists would find that quite difficult to live with, some of
the religious (if not in that same crew) would also find it difficult.
Then there are those who would simply accept it on faith.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4488. TR-851 tone mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 07:25:02 UTC
From: francesco.messineo@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1127373902.285226.251610@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13361

Hello,
I have a TR-851E (european version) and I'd like to add an internal
tone encoder
unit (self made) to be able to access the newcoming sseti express
satellite.
The problem is that the internal tone unit is activated only in the A
version,
while in the E version the 1750 Hz burst tone is active. I didn't want
to lose
the 1750 Hz burst and I played a bit with diode configuration on the
control
board but haven't find a configuration that enables both the tone unit
(with
func + voice keys) and the 1750 Hz burst (via the "tone" key).
Do anyone know how to modify the radio to allow (if possible at all)
both
kind of tones?
Thanks in advance.

Francesco IS0FKQ

4489. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 07:53:01 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <lPydnWFqyIRD_6_eRVn-gw@comcast.com>
Source record: 13362
Cross-posted to:
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Ham op wrote:

>> I hardly consider myself a fanatic, and am extremely unlike to "hammer"
>> anyone over religion, or lack there of.
>>
>> Some of the most fanatical are those members of the religion of atheism.

Yeah? When was the last time an atheist:

- rode an airplane into a building?
- killed a doctor?
- bombed a planned parenthood clinic?
- scammed people put of their money in the name of atheism?
- blew himself up, as well as dozens of innocent civilians?
- imprisoned, oppressed, tortured and murdered various minorities simply because of their religious orientation?
- attempted to introduce superstitious nonsense into the public schools' curriculum?
- withheld medical help or vaccination, genitally mutilated or otherwise endangered the life of a child on the basis of his atheism?
- attempted to impose his own brand of "morality" that denies basic freedoms, liberties and other human rights to all sorts of people?
- started a war, religious genocide or mass murder in order to promote atheism specifically?
- formed a cult that sexually abused children, financially and physically drained the followers, then convinced them to commit suicide or simply killed every cult member?
- promoted legislation, laws and even Constitution change based on cherry-picked bullshit from some scripture?
- encouraged other atheists to kill as many non-atheists as possible?
- and so on...

> Fred brings up an interesting point. Atheism IS a RELIGION!!

Sure, also war is peace, freedom is slavery, ignorance is strength.
Isn't Newspeak grand?

> I define RELIGION as a set of beliefs that influence behavior.

And I define black as white. Is today International
Pull-a-definition-out-of-your-ass Day or are we applying the Bush
administration doctrine to everyday life now?

73 ... WA7AA

4490. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 10:39:33 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <kd25j157c0gn42ev50r7l6isr7dfpqgsjh@4ax.com>
Source record: 13363
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 21 Sep 2005 21:34:27 -0700, Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
wrote:

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>Then there are those who would simply accept it on faith.

That's especially true when faith is blind...

4491. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 10:42:51 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <bk25j1h1kdgf5lp3a082s8mr1eac8l6tf7@4ax.com>
Source record: 13364
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>>position of Saudi Arabian women?
>>
>>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...
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> That says more about you than about them.

Such as?

4492. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 14:05:56 UTC
From: Matt <pissoff@spammers.suck.com>
Message-ID: <dgudo3$1h3g$1@otis.netspace.net.au>
Source record: 13365
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Ham op" <hamop@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:GqSdnaHbf6qHlK3eRVn-qg@comcast.com...
> Matt wrote:
>
> SNIPPED
>
> > This thread has degenerated into religious shit fighting. It has
absolutely
> > sweet fuck all to do with any of the NGs that it has been posted to- how
> > about we either revert to the original topic, close this thread down, or
> > move it to a religious discussion group where I feel that it would be
far
> > more appropriate. Please?
> >
> >
> > Matt
> >
> >
>
> Your point is valid. Your language needs serious improvement!

Fair call - guess it is an indicator of how ridiculous and off topic that
this thread has become. Religion will always be a divisive issue but it
really has no place in any of these NGs - can we please either end it or
move it elsewhere to somewhere more appropriate?

Matt

4493. FS: Many Kenwood and Motorola Portables and Mobiles

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 14:23:15 UTC
From: Will Bartlett <will@bartlett.net>
Message-ID: <a7zYe.35$O5.0@llslave.llan.ll.mit.edu>
Source record: 13366

4 uhf Radius/Maxtrac motorola 40 watt 2ch mobiles, all have 5 pin logic boards, $100 each plus $10 shipping, or all 4 for $400 shipped
2 Radius M120 mobiles, 50 watt, 2 ch units, $150 shipped each
8 440-470 saber secure capable portables. Bypass module installed. Radio, speaker mic and antenna only. $55 shipped each
3 440-470 saber 1 Secure with DVP. Radio, speaker mic antenna and battery. $75 shipped each
6 TK-730 50 watt remote mount VHF 32 channel mobiles, Comes with radio, remote kit, brackets and microphone, no power cables. $220 shipped EACH

Paypal is fine. No Trades.

Email if interested.

4494. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 15:03:02 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127401610_739@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13367
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> Everything is blind, including faith in science.

Witness quantum physics. We must have faith that a
Buckyball can go through two slits at the same time. :-)
(Compared to other quantum particles, Buckyballs, made
from many, many carbon atoms, are rather huge.)
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73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4495. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 16:44:34 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3nl5j1pvjlq1g6097nna2a0u10utl6te9o@4ax.com>
Source record: 13368
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 06:39:33 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

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>wrote:
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>>of consistency must include the statement that
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>>Technologists would find that quite difficult to live with, some of
>>the religious (if not in that same crew) would also find it difficult.
>>Then there are those who would simply accept it on faith.
>
>That's especially true when faith is blind...

Well, in fact, the faith (by Godel's criteria) has nothing to do with
being blind, or by avoiding examination at all. By Godel's proof,
that broken rule of addition comes from inspection and rigorous
application of the rules. Self-contradiction is an inevitable
consequence. If you cannot accept the contradiction, then you lack
faith. Mark it up to "the Mystery."

The reason is that one cannot "know" when one is part of what is
trying to be "known." Another metaphor is that one cannot completely
describe the field, if one is standing within the field (the observer
can not see everything at once, and must be obstructing some view, if
only to be standing on it). Hence all knowledge is incomplete unless
you can withdraw into another dimension (or by stepping over the
field's fence into a greater field encompassing it).

Godel then points out that at that point of extra-dimensionality (when
you become a minor deity), you are still faced with the same problem:
you cannot possible "know" everything about the field within which you
stand, because in this new dimension you are once again obstructing
your view to some portion of it.

Math can only accurately describe a subset of experience, never its
whole. Same problem resides in all the religions without exception.
The only time Man did not have this problem was before the "Fall."

This state is what is also called Nirvana. By all accounts, Man will never walk with God again.

Of course, others may beg to differ, and suffer the consequence of explaining why they cannot explain:

1 + 1 = 3

variously heard in prayers (OK, wails of grief) as:

"Why ME?"

To confound the pious who reject science, they suffer the most from lack of faith. Evidence Lord Kelvin's statement:

"The more thoroughly I conduct scientific research, the more I believe that science excludes atheism."

The fumbling attempts to rewrite Darwin, replacing it with untelligent design, are heretical works of apostasy.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4496. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 16:52:42 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <42o5j1hr6hcohe06553lvib5epqepnjv50@4ax.com>
Source record: 13369
Cross-posted to:
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On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 09:47:45 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Can you name three other people who have been responsible for as many
>untimely deaths as these three?

Hi Matt,

Adolph Hitler had the support of the church and a religious society
(need we say it was NOT the Jewish religion?). If you need two more
names (a tedious exercise with an obvious outcome) simply enter the
phrase:
"kill them all and let god sort them out"
into a search engine and wade through the 20000 links that to little
exception imply any atheistic manifesto.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4497. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 18:13:20 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127413028_943@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13370
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> If one were to draw any conclusion, it is that the religious act
> within the framework of their well recognized beliefs while atheists
> succumb fully to hubris as they lack any counter to their own whims.

Don't know much about Ayn Rand's Objectivism, do you?
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73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4498. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 18:38:31 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <eit5j11m24aroud697sfh5ldopu0hakv99@4ax.com>
Source record: 13371
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 12:54:41 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>If one were to draw any conclusion, it is that the religious act
>within the framework of their well recognized beliefs while atheists
>succumb fully to hubris as they lack any counter to their own whims.

Hi Matt,

As so well demonstrated in the historical record, ethics and religion are not the same thing. To say atheists lack any counter (ethics) is also shown in the historical record to be wrong. By some accounts, Buddhism has no god, is quite ethical, but also quite atheistic. This could also be applied to Jainism. Unitarians hardly demand the existence of God, the imposition of beliefs is not in their code, whereas their ethics are guided by rational thought rather than external authority.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4499. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 20:50:11 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <nh56j19sc8hf73trtllarrg5jgkfikodcv@4ax.com>
Source record: 13372
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 09:43:59 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

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>Everything is blind, including faith in science. Until we know
>everything there is to know, all of our knowledge is contained within
>a black box, outside of which we know nothing; like the Titanic just
>before the iceberg.

Science has nothing to do with faith because the essence of science is
to continually ask questions, and explore new possibilities. IOW,
science is readily open to change, and will admit it's mistakes if
close examination of evidence reveals such things to be so. OTOH,
faith is rigid, and is not subject to any change among those with
"true believer syndrome." Faith, especially blind faith, expects one
to believe without asking any questions, and just accepting things as
they are presented.

4500. Electronic Component Spare Parts ....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 23:33:31 UTC
From: "www.militarycomponents.com" <www.militarycomponents.com@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1127432011.882194.69990@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13373

Best Regards / Peace ....

Richard Maxwell ....

Electronic Material Industries,Inc...
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4501. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-22 23:45:46 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <9uf6j1li5rgavm24ga5ru0qnckk4kssc20@4ax.com>
Source record: 13374
Cross-posted to:
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On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 17:15:16 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>By definition, anyone who has a system of beliefs cannot consider
>himself to be an atheist.
necessarily contradicts:
>Most often, the atheist will insist on science or common sense as his
>moral foundation.

Hi Matt,

This looks like a homogenous world point of view, where those who are
____, are not; and those who are not ____, are. A circularity that
fails in science, but certainly has served religion through the ages.

Consider the enigma of:
>Sociopaths may be the only true atheists;
is a mechanistic approach to morality, which is amoral.
>the rest are simply uninformed of their own dogma.
And to distinguish them from the informed (and not simply those who
disagree):
"kill them all and let god sort them out."

Hmmm, that's how we got here.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4502. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 01:01:10 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <bMqdnYI2tI1Lzq7eRVn-pQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13375
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

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> succumb fully to hubris as they lack any counter to their own whims.
>
> I do not deny that both are fallible, however, history demonstrates
> that the religious, despite their failures, have improved the human
> condition immeasurably where atheists have been only a blight upon
> civilization.

Matt, I suspect you get your news (and history) from the 700 Club.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4503. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 01:04:14 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <bMqdnb02tI0Tya7eRVn-pQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13376
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>>"true believer syndrome." Faith, especially blind faith, expects one
>>to believe without asking any questions, and just accepting things as
>>they are presented.
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>
> Faith has nothing to do with science? Does this mean you can explain
> gravity?

Once upon a time, we didn't know the nature of light, or lots of other
things. And some people used your same argument.

May I suggest that without faith, there is no science. Most
> scientists who have achieved the age of 50 come to realize just how
> much faith science requires.

Matt, you are simply incorrect.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4504. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 01:15:44 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <5MCdndjOZ8fdyq7eRVn-iA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13377
Cross-posted to:
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>>existence of God, the imposition of beliefs is not in their code,
>>whereas their ethics are guided by rational thought rather than
>>external authority.
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> By definition, anyone who has a system of beliefs cannot consider
> himself to be an atheist.

Are you serious? You sound like the preacher who said that atheists
with morals are hypocrites.

Such a person may not agree with any known
> (to himself) religious dogma, nevertheless, he does at the very least,
> possess a religious dogma of his own making.
>
> Since, according to the OED, ethics is the science of morals; the
> study of the principles of human duty, there must exist some basis
> upon which human duty is based.
>
> We cannot at the same time, argue that we do not believe and yet
> insist that we have a basis for moral behavior. Such contradictions
> are the basis for insanity if they are consciously held.
>
> Most often, the atheist will insist on science or common sense as his

> moral foundation. That the world is a better place if he helps his
> neighbor, etc. Of course, this simply denies (usually unconsciously)
> his belief in the religious dogma of his milieu.
>
> Sociopaths may be the only true atheists; the rest are simply
> uninformed of their own dogma. Most of the latter have constructed a
> 'straw man' that they see as G-d. They then proceed to demolish their
> creation and then rest convinced of their independent thought.

Hey, if that helps you sleep at night, go for it! 8^)

- Mike KB3EIA -

4505. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 01:43:39 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <52n6j1ltspei2qc17vnhelkaccvsvuolfr@4ax.com>
Source record: 13378
Cross-posted to:
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On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 09:47:45 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Ever hear of Stalin? Lenin? Mao?
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>Can you name three other people who have been responsible for as many
>untimely deaths as these three?

Just about every Roman Catholic pope that served from about 300 to
1600 C.E. I don't know their names, but I'm pretty sure there were
more than three during that time period...

4506. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:22:12 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127442287_4677@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13379
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> Not really. I'm still waiting for an atheist to explain how it is
> that he can have a moral point of view and not have a religious dogma.

You really need to study Ayn Rand's take on Objectivist ethics.
The objective thing to do is to grant to everyone the rights
that you require for yourself, no matter what you believe. It
bears a close resemblence to the golden rule.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4507. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:28:39 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <l7p6j1ptejb8r8iig6huqf5blkmeu25bis@4ax.com>
Source record: 13380
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 16:29:09 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Faith has nothing to do with science? Does this mean you can explain
>gravity?

Yes. When I sit down in my chair at my computer, I have a fair amount
of certainty that my fat ass won't end up on the floor due to the
chair suddenly breaking. Now, you can call that faith if you want, but
it is certainly far from the BLIND faith that religionists spew on
about every day across the shortwave bands.

>May I suggest that without faith, there is no science. Most
>scientists who have achieved the age of 50 come to realize just how
>much faith science requires.

...which only shows that even an intelligent and well-read person can
fall for stuff that passes as science if that have no critical
thinking abilities.

4508. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:34:01 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <c5q6j151m4gl4ia7feqjhoudnlc9qotrn4@4ax.com>
Source record: 13381
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 17:15:16 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>By definition, anyone who has a system of beliefs cannot consider
>himself to be an atheist. Such a person may not agree with any known
>(to himself) religious dogma, nevertheless, he does at the very least,
>possess a religious dogma of his own making.

If not an atheist, what do *you* call a person that doesn't believe in
some big sky fairy called "God", or that some Jew-on-a-stick died and
came back to life some two thousand years ago, or any other deity for
that matter?

4509. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:37:02 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <sdq6j1d85g137idvkebqmdrk7kqev2houf@4ax.com>
Source record: 13382
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On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 21:15:44 -0400, Mike Coslo
<mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote:

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>> By definition, anyone who has a system of beliefs cannot consider
>> himself to be an atheist.
>
> Are you serious? You sound like the preacher who said that atheists
>with morals are hypocrites.
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>

Those preachers don't believe anyone can be moral without bowing down
to their so-called kind, loving "Christian" god that threatens people
with eternal torture after they die if they don't kiss their god's
ass.

4510. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:53:29 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <43336e29$0$22206$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13383
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

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> A few thousand compared to 50 million?
>

Well that certainly makes it ok. You mean you aren't an absolutist?

tom
K0TAR

4511. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:54:08 UTC
From: Mike <meclsisin@mail.ircsd.org>
Message-ID: <43337097@news.usenetzone.com>
Source record: 13384
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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appropriate newsgroup. Please take it out of these groups or converse by
e-mail.

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:4bo6j1tlge94oprt3cb1i5rh217f5mfduq@4ax.com...
> On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 21:01:10 -0400, Mike Coslo
> <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote:
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>>Matt Osborn wrote:
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>>> succumb fully to hubris as they lack any counter to their own whims.
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>>> I do not deny that both are fallible, however, history demonstrates
>>> that the religious, despite their failures, have improved the human
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>>> civilization.
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>> - Mike KB3EIA -
>
> What's the 700 Club?
>
> Let's not talk about me, I'm rather simple and boring. I find the
> issue of humans understanding themselves to be fascinating. Please
> contribute what you can.
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4512. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:54:24 UTC
From: Mike <meclsisin@mail.ircsd.org>
Message-ID: <433370bf@news.usenetzone.com>
Source record: 13385
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

This is way off-topic. It has been asked to be moved to a more
appropriate newsgroup. Please take it out of these groups or converse by
e-mail.

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:4bo6j1tlge94oprt3cb1i5rh217f5mfduq@4ax.com...
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4513. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 02:59:36 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <43336f99$0$32203$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13386
Cross-posted to:
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Tom Ring wrote:

> Matt Osborn wrote:
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>> A few thousand compared to 50 million?
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>
> Well that certainly makes it ok. You mean you aren't an absolutist?
>
> tom
> K0TAR
>

The difference between me and you is that I know it's always wrong, and
you seem to have left an opening for your "religion" to do evil things
becuase your morality says it's ok.

I'm sorry that you can't understand that an atheist can have morals not
tied to superstition, but to to true right and wrong.

tom
K0TAR

4514. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 03:10:24 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <AmKYe.2204$oc.999@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13387
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<Matt Osborn> wrote

>
> By definition, anyone who has a system of beliefs cannot consider
> himself to be an atheist.
>

"Everyone has to believe in something."

I guess I'll believe in Bokonon.

In Cat's Cradle, Kurt Vonnegut, Jr., created a new religion, Bokononism. The holy scripture of Bokononism was "Books of Bokonon", written by a spurious holy man named Bokonon as a way to distract the people of San Lorenzo from their pitiful lives.

What is sacred to Bokononists? Not god; just one thing: man.

Here, to set the tone, are the opening verses of Book One of Bokonon

Verse 1: All of the true things that I am about to tell you are shameless lies.

Verses 2-4: In the beginning, God created the earth, and he looked upon it in His cosmic loneliness.

And God said, "Let Us make living creatures out of mud, so the mud can see what We have done." And God created every living creature that now moveth, and one was man. Mud as man alone could speak. God leaned close as mud as man sat up, looked around, and spoke. Man blinked. "What is the purpose of all this?" he asked politely.

"Everything must have a purpose?" asked God.

"Certainly," said man.

"Then I leave it to you to think of one for all this," said God.

And He went away

4515. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 03:13:50 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <z6mdnS5fn71y767eRVn-gg@comcast.com>
Source record: 13388
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

>>>>I hardly consider myself a fanatic, and am extremely unlike to "hammer"
>>>>anyone over religion, or lack there of.
>>>>
>>>>Some of the most fanatical are those members of the religion of atheism.
>>
>>Yeah? When was the last time an atheist:
>
>
> Ever hear of Stalin? Lenin? Mao?
>
> Can you name three other people who have been responsible for as many
> untimely deaths as these three?

This tired old argument???

First of all I notice that you haven't addressed any of the specific
examples I gave about *theists* and their religious crimes.
Second, all of the examples I gave are about theists committing crimes
against humanity precisely *because* of their religion, directly and
indirectly.
As far as "Stalin, Lenin and Mao" are concerned, their crimes were most
certainly not committed in order to promote atheism, unless that atheism
was a vehicle for establishing communism, which btw, is de facto a form
of religion. Religion was not outlawed in the USSR and priests were
being prosecuted no more than the rest of the society. Communism and
theism can co-exist and did successfully in most communist countries.
Besides, Stalin spent years in a seminary. Some atheist.
One could just as successfully argue that since "Stalin, Lenin and Mao"
committed crimes and they all ate bread, then by your logic people who
eat bread are murderers.

4516. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 03:14:29 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <uks6j1d9uu5tnq73pgd6ddc7kabsvfvvim@4ax.com>
Source record: 13390
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 21:39:00 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 21:43:39 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
>wrote:
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>>On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 09:47:45 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:
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>>Just about every Roman Catholic pope that served from about 300 to
>>1600 C.E. I don't know their names, but I'm pretty sure there were
>>more than three during that time period...
>>
>
>A few thousand compared to 50 million?

Hardly, but I don't think we'll ever know how many millions have been
slaughtered by the RCC during the time period I mentioned.

4517. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 03:28:58 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Bd-dnfOQuoLh667eRVn-jg@comcast.com>
Source record: 13389
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

> In all cases, they believe and act according to their beliefs. That
> the atheists fall prey to their unrecognized beliefs cannot be
> disputed.

And this is because you say so?

> I do not deny that both are fallible, however, history demonstrates
> that the religious, despite their failures, have improved the human
> condition immeasurably where atheists have been only a blight upon
> civilization.

??? You have got to be kidding? What has religion possibly done for
anyone except provided false hope while stealing their money?

Stifling science (from Galileo to stem cells), witch burning, condoning
slavery, religious genocide on unprecedented scale, eradicating whole
civilizations, oppressing women, condoning fascism and
national-socialism, suppressing human rights for minorities, huge waste
of resources that could be better spent elsewhere, contributing to
millions of dead from AIDS by banning contraceptives, flaming national
and religious intolerance from Ireland to Palestine, and I could go on
forever...

As for your "blight" comment, a majority of scientists are atheists, for
example. The percentage increases with education. That's education *not*
Kansas style.

73 ... WA7AA

4518. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 03:32:30 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <67t6j19lltlhrl1ur122grd9ksf7sbru4e@4ax.com>
Source record: 13391
Cross-posted to:
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On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 19:56:39 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 16:45:46 -0700, Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
>wrote:
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>>On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 17:15:16 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:
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>>necessarily contradicts:
>>>Most often, the atheist will insist on science or common sense as his
>>>moral foundation.
>
>The contradiction lies with those who believe themselves atheists, not
>with those who point out the contradiction.

Hi Matt,

Well, in fact the contradiction originated with your statements. No
one else theist/atheist posited them. As to what is "believed" by
anyone, that is a speculation when it is expressed by a third party,
you about "them" (whomever they may be).

>I'm still waiting for an atheist to explain how it is
>that he can have a moral point of view and not have a religious dogma.

Unfortunately, you've presented yourself as being the arbiter of who
is an atheist, and denying that classification of them by your own
test. This is self-fulfilling prophesy.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4519. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 03:36:22 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11j6u1tnov2fpf8@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13392
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ted these guys don't know......

If they aren't on some sin ridden guilt trip they are "free from sin" by
papal absolution...you know..the same way those pedophile priests were all
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Charlie

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> that matter?

4520. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 03:39:56 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11j6u8mh9mtd6b7@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13393
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Blow it out your ass....

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Charlie

"Mike" <meclsisin@mail.ircsd.org> wrote in message
news:433370bf@news.usenetzone.com...
> This is way off-topic. It has been asked to be moved to a more
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4521. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 04:01:14 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <e6LYe.132420$Hx4.14048@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13394
Cross-posted to:
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Boy, Charlie, I bet you didn't expect your posting of a newsworthy item
to turn into a philosophical debate of religion and atheism, did you?
To get things back on topic, I hope that the amateur radio operators are
getting ready for Rita. It looks like it will be another bad one, too.

"Charlie" <chas@aol.com> wrote in message
news:11htogetcauugb1@news.supernews.com...
> 1. http://www.msnbc.msn.com/id/9228945/
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> --
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> Charlie - AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com
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4522. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 11:44:35 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127476030_6553@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13395
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kï¿½HB wrote:
> And He went away

Later He sent Lucifer back to earth to see what was going on.
Lucifer wrote "Letters From Earth" back to God - one of my
favorite books.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4523. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 11:48:42 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127476277_6555@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13396
Cross-posted to:
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> papal absolution...you know..the same way those pedophile priests were all
> "forgiven" for butt-fucking little children. Ain't it great??

Atheists cannot afford to sin - there's no one to forgive them.
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4524. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 11:52:38 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127476514_6559@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13397
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Pat Stevens wrote:
> To get things back on topic, I hope that the amateur radio operators are
> getting ready for Rita. It looks like it will be another bad one, too.

From what a ham told me yesterday while sitting on I-45N, he may
still be sitting there out of gas when Rita hits. He had moved
half a mile in the last hour.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4525. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 13:46:33 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <ZGTYe.2565$0m6.2460@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13298
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"Cecil Moore" <mycall@arrl.net> wrote

> Later He sent Lucifer back to earth to see what was going on.
> Lucifer wrote "Letters From Earth" back to God - one of my
> favorite books.

Much better than Huck Finn!

Are you hunkered down waiting for the rain?

Beep beep
de Hans, K0HB

4526. looking for mobile with BLACK screen - like Motorola gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 15:10:49 UTC
From: rjvalenta@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1127488249.530702.220360@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13299

I'm looking for a dual band mobile with black screen, and colored LCD (I hope I'm saying that right)...

For example: http://www.rigpix.com/icom/icdelta100.htm

Another example would be something like the Motorola Spectra (shown at: http://images.batlabs.com/mobiles/speca9.jpg) - but you can't get those in dual band.

Like the dash in my Cherokee, the only part that lights up are the numbers, etc - unlike most common radios which light up the back, and then have the characters/info in black.

In the end, I'm trying to find the smallest and least conspicuous head to mount in my car. Something with a black face would match my current instruments (and those in most cars I would think), so I'm hoping for suggestions.

If not, my backup plan is to go with Icom's IC-208h because of its small size & alpha display. I wouldn't mind some suggestions on small, detachable face, alpha display, wide receive mobiles as well if anyone has any thoughts - but first I'm trying to find something with a black screen - thanks for the help all.

richard
n0tzc

4527. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 15:31:32 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127489647_10041@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13300
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kï¿½HB wrote:
> Are you hunkered down waiting for the rain?

For awhile, I thought Rita was going to come up I-45 but
latest estimates has it sweeping through East of me which
is good news. However, if two high pressure areas merge,
Rita will stall out over East Texas and dump tens of
inches of rain on me and my kinfolks. (The HWN frequency
is 14.325 MHz at 2200 UTC.) My ISP will probably go down
tomorrow morning.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4528. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 15:47:32 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <acadb$433423b9$97d56a13$24586@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13301
Cross-posted to:
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Could you give us some specifics to support your broad assertions?

"Uncle Ted" <malican40@verizon.com> wrote in message
news:52n6j1ltspei2qc17vnhelkaccvsvuolfr@4ax.com...
> On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 09:47:45 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:
>
>
> >Ever hear of Stalin? Lenin? Mao?
> >
> >Can you name three other people who have been responsible for as many
> >untimely deaths as these three?
>
> Just about every Roman Catholic pope that served from about 300 to
> 1600 C.E. I don't know their names, but I'm pretty sure there were
> more than three during that time period...
>
>

4529. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 15:50:56 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <dq78j1hbqtor6ig9f90vvbhlij75437ijh@4ax.com>
Source record: 13302
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 09:54:20 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:
>No Richard, it didn't originate from me.
Again, in contradiction with:
>I merely presented the views
with an affirmation of it being speculation:
>of others in a new light.
This is commonly known as putting your words in other's mouths. Again, self-fulfilling prophecy.

>So you think everyone else should be the arbiter? Or perhaps that
>anybody else should be the arbiter?

Hi Matt,

A very strange question. You offer it in terms of a projection. The question:
>So you think everyone else should be the arbiter?
Is phrased not about a neutral subject, who should be arbiter, but rather is couched as do I think....

The neutral context would have simply asked: Who should be arbiter?

What I think is expressed by me, not you. You might ask questions, but phrasing them in speculative terms and projecting them into my mind is a prejudicial bias.

>Once again though, we digress from the argument. Does an atheist
>believe in anything outside himself? I submit that he most certainly
>does. You have admitted as much when you introduced ethics which
>requires a basis.

See what I mean? You have injected your own belief by asserting I made an admission. An admission is a loaded statement in a Christian cultural context relating to guilt. You could have as easily pointed out I raised the subject, which is a neutral observation. As such, this bias is inserting itself as a judgment of the moral validity and application of otherwise bland statements.

>Feel free to present an argument that rebuts any of those points.

Once you free yourself of contextual prejudices.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4530. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 16:01:08 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127491424_10065@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13303
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> If you can present a cogent argument for ethics and morality that
> requires absolutely no assumptions, then you could make a case for
> atheism.

Please see Ayn Rand's, "Introduction to Objectivism".
Everything is based on reality. Absolutely no belief
in the supernatural required.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4531. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 16:08:56 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <913a$433428be$97d56a13$25422@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13304
Cross-posted to:
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You say that like it's a bad thing...

How can you deny the fact that God has sent two hurricanes to wipe out the Sodom of the South?

New Orleans was filled with perversion, pimps, homosexuals, Jezebels, and all manner of sins.

"Zoran Brlecic" <...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote in message news:Bd-dnfOQuoLh667eRVn-jg@comcast.com...
> ??? You have got to be kidding? What has religion possibly done for
> anyone except provided false hope while stealing their money?
>
> Stifling science (from Galileo to stem cells), witch burning, condoning
> slavery, religious genocide on unprecedented scale, eradicating whole
> civilizations, oppressing women, condoning fascism and
> national-socialism, suppressing human rights for minorities, huge waste
> of resources that could be better spent elsewhere, contributing to
> millions of dead from AIDS by banning contraceptives, flaming national
> and religious intolerance from Ireland to Palestine, and I could go on
> forever...
>
> As for your "blight" comment, a majority of scientists are atheists, for
> example. The percentage increases with education. That's education *not*
> Kansas style.
>
> 73 ... WA7AA

4532. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 16:11:07 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <vOVYe.2215$zQ3.953@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13305
Cross-posted to:
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<Matt Osborn> wrote

>
> If we have faith, then we are not atheists, we are religious, we
> believe.
>

If we have faith in a god, we are theists, and therefore religious.

If we are not believers in a god, we are by definition atheists and therefore
not religious, all your Alice-in-Wonderland style wordsmithing notwithstanding.

Everyone has to believe something. I believe I'll have another martini.

4533. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 16:17:37 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1127492257.911054.256880@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13306
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:
> You say that like it's a bad thing...
>
> How can you deny the fact that God has sent two hurricanes to wipe out the
> Sodom of the South?

very easy, since no such thing has happened. NO still stands and will
back to something like norml in a few weeks to months
>
> New Orleans was filled with perversion, pimps, homosexuals, Jezebels, and
> all manner of sins.
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> "Zoran Brlecic" <...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote in message
> news:Bd-dnfOQuoLh667eRVn-jg@comcast.com...
> > ??? You have got to be kidding? What has religion possibly done for
> > anyone except provided false hope while stealing their money?
> >
> > Stifling science (from Galileo to stem cells), witch burning, condoning
> > slavery, religious genocide on unprecedented scale, eradicating whole
> > civilizations, oppressing women, condoning fascism and
> > national-socialism, suppressing human rights for minorities, huge waste
> > of resources that could be better spent elsewhere, contributing to
> > millions of dead from AIDS by banning contraceptives, flaming national
> > and religious intolerance from Ireland to Palestine, and I could go on
> > forever...
> >
> > As for your "blight" comment, a majority of scientists are atheists, for
> > example. The percentage increases with education. That's education *not*
> > Kansas style.
> >
> > 73 ... WA7AA

4534. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 16:18:04 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <92f97$43342ae1$97d56a13$25816@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13307
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Things I have learned from watching the news about Hurricane Katrina on TV:

1. The hurricane only hit black family's property.

2. New Orleans was devastated and no other city was affected by the hurricane.

3. Mississippi is reported to have a tree blown down.

4. New Orleans has no white people.

5. The hurricane blew a limb off a tree in the yard of an Alabama resident.

6. When you are hungry after a hurricane destroys your property, steal a big screen TV.

7. The hurricane did 23 billion dollars in improvements to New Orleans: now the city is welfare, looters and gang free and they are in your city.

8. White folks don't make good news stories.

9. Don't give thanks to the thousands that came to help rescue you, instead bitch because the government hasn't given you a debit card yet.

10. Only black family members got separated in the hurricane rescue efforts.

11. Ignore warnings to evacuate and the Government will come get you and give you money for being stupid.

12. Oh, and it is all George Bush's fault, not the mayor's or Governor's.

4535. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 16:36:31 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <jaWYe.2400$oc.776@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13308
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote

>
> How can you deny the fact that God has sent two hurricanes to wipe out the
> Sodom of the South?
>

Is that the same god who murdered-by-fire all those old folks on that evacuation bus on I-45 this morning? If so, he's one mean perverted summabitch if you ask me!

73, de Hans, K0HB

4536. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 16:50:12 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11j8cii7qh19l05@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13309
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"He that makes kittens...puts snakes in the grass"

--

Charlie

"K�HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:jaWYe.2400$oc.776@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net...
>
> "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote
>
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>> How can you deny the fact that God has sent two hurricanes to wipe out
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> summabitch if you ask me!
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> 73, de Hans, K0HB
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4537. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 17:38:17 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <b330e$43343db0$97d56a13$28945@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13310
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Nah, just living up to the self full filling prophecy of the other member of this conference, who is fond of painting with extremely broad brushes.

Demonstrating absurdity by being absurd.

"K&#65533;HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net> wrote in message news:jaWYe.2400$oc.776@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net...
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> "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote
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> > How can you deny the fact that God has sent two hurricanes to wipe out the
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> bus on I-45 this morning? If so, he's one mean perverted summabitch if you ask
> me!
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> 73, de Hans, K0HB
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4538. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 17:51:36 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <433440ac$0$9217@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13311
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<Matt Osborn> wrote
> By definition, anyone who has a system of beliefs cannot consider
> himself to be an atheist.

That is simply not true. An athiest is, by dictionary definition, one who denies the existence of any god(s). He or she may very well have a sophisticated (or simple) system of morals and beliefs that exclude gods.

4539. FA:Pair of Motorola CP200 Portables-UHF Commercial Band+(440 Mhz Amateur), 4-Watt, w/Good Batteries/Remote Speaker-Mic's & Chargers-LQQK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 17:52:59 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <UpXYe.15893$mH.2318@fed1read07>
Source record: 13313
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:Pair of Motorola CP200 Portables-UHF Commercial Band+(440 Mhz Amateur), 4-Watt, w/Good Batteries/Remote Speaker-Mic's & Chargers-LQQK

Frequency coverage 438 to 470 MHZ

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7547864093&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4540. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 17:57:36 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <43344214$0$9217@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13312
Cross-posted to:
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"Uncle Ted" <malican40@verizon.com> wrote
> If not an atheist, what do *you* call a person that doesn't believe in
> some big sky fairy called "God", or that some Jew-on-a-stick died and
> came back to life some two thousand years ago, or any other deity for
> that matter?

"Agnostic". Look it up. An athiest denies the existence of any god; an
agnostic says it is impossible to know.

4541. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 18:11:26 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <43344552$0$9219@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13314
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<Matt Osborn> wrote
> If we have faith, then we are not atheists, we are religious, we
> believe.

Your vocabulary needs work. "Atheist" does not mean lack of faith. An athiest HAS faith ... faith that there is no god. One can have faith in his/her ideals, friends, a million things, and still be an athiest.

4542. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 18:20:25 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <dph8j1d15l4ok5q8vrs97269f2dvet9jgm@4ax.com>
Source record: 13316
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 12:18:04 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:
>Things I have learned from watching the news about Hurricane Katrina on TV:

Hi Fred,

With that kind of lead-in, it naturally pollutes everything that
follows - worst yet is that you are suffering problems of water damage
by standing in that pollution.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4543. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 18:20:56 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <4334478c$0$9217@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13315
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 09:47:45 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:
> >Ever hear of Stalin? Lenin? Mao?
> >
> >Can you name three other people who have been responsible for as many
> >untimely deaths as these three?
>
> Just about every Roman Catholic pope that served from about 300 to
> 1600 C.E. I don't know their names, but I'm pretty sure there were
> more than three during that time period...
>
Not to mention Hitler. IIRC his record was right up there with Lenin and
Stalin. Mao an athiest?? I believe he was a Taoist.

4544. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 18:35:54 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <43344b0e$0$9219@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 13317
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<Matt Osborn> wrote
> Zoran Brlecic<...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:
> >Matt Osborn wrote:
> >
> >
> >> In all cases, they believe and act according to their beliefs. That
> >> the atheists fall prey to their unrecognized beliefs cannot be
> >> disputed.
> >
> >And this is because you say so?
>
> Please counter the argument. If atheists do not have faith in their
> beliefs, then upon what basis would they judge their choices?

Jeeze, do y'all speak English or own dictionaries? Athiests DO have faith in
their beliefs, one of which is that there is no god.
>
> Law itself is derived directly from religious thought. If there were
> no belief system, there could be no law. Dictatorships have no law,
> that's what makes them so awful.

That is so absolutely wrong that it is hard to explain. Dictatorships *do*
have law. Check out Hitler's Germany, Franco's Spain or, more recently
Saddam's Iraq - all with stringent legal codes and none athiestic. OTOH,
there are legal systems, Marxist Russia for example, that had plenty of laws
but denied the existence of any god making them athiestic.

4545. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 19:33:19 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dh1l9v$1f1q$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13318
Cross-posted to:
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Tom Ring wrote:
> Tom Ring wrote:
>
>> Matt Osborn wrote:
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>>>
>>>
>>> A few thousand compared to 50 million?
>>>
>>
>> Well that certainly makes it ok. You mean you aren't an absolutist?
>>
>> tom
>> K0TAR
>>
>
> The difference between me and you is that I know it's always wrong, and
> you seem to have left an opening for your "religion" to do evil things
> becuase your morality says it's ok.
>
> I'm sorry that you can't understand that an atheist can have morals not
> tied to superstition, but to to true right and wrong.

First Crusade:

12,000 Jews killed in the Rhine valley.
6000 killed in Jerusalem when they torched the synagogue there
30,000 Muslims killed at the al Aqsa mosque.
at least 200,000 killed over the length of the crusades.

Then let us not forget the Iquisitions, witch-hunts and other jollies
that went on.

And there is plenty more to go around on all sides. Appears

We're a long way from "a few thousand".

But as the recent poster Mike has noted, this is pretty off topic, so
I'll refrain from any more posting in this thread.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4546. wtt: 80-10m ssb/cw HF to Transmitter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 19:39:52 UTC
From: Phantom <fm88am1000@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <cSYYe.3536$q1.3378@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13319
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Allied 2517 80-10m SSB/CW Tube HF Txcvr w/2518 PS/Speaker and complete service/user manuals this radio has been completely restored and has no tx time on the new tubes. was used for swl only. Looking for Hamilton AM1000 Part 15 AM or Ramsy FM-35wt FM Stereo PLL Tx

see pic's

http://www.starwisp.net/~part15/2517.jpg
http://www.starwisp.net/~part15/2518.jpg

Thanks,

Rev. Robert P. Chrysafis
Universal Life Ministries (ULC)

http://www.freecycle.org
Join the FreeCycle Revolution

4547. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 19:40:47 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dh1lo0$1aom$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13320
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kï¿½HB wrote:

> <Matt Osborn> wrote
>
>
>>If we have faith, then we are not atheists, we are religious, we
>>believe.
>>
>
>
> If we have faith in a god, we are theists, and therefore religious.
>
> If we are not believers in a god, we are by definition atheists and therefore
> not religious, all your Alice-in-Wonderland style wordsmithing notwithstanding.
>
> Everyone has to believe something. I believe I'll have another martini.

I believe next time you should invite me!

- Mike KB3EIA -

4548. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 20:43:21 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh1pd9cjr1@nwrdmz02.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13322
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

There are no such things as "good" and "evil" or "right" and "wrong".

Except as opinions which depend on the point of view from which an individual may perceive events. Points of view are randomly distributed and depend solely on one's self-interests and one's location in space relative to the crowd.

Self interest is the keyword. But distant events (as most of them are) in time and space are rapidly attenuated in their effects on one's opinion. Which results in most people's opinions being neutral about most things, neither good nor bad.

Which is just the same as saying most people just don't think about things unless things are in their immediately vicinity. People are naturally mentally bone idle. As with all lifeforms, this conserves energy which is always in short supply.

Reg.

4549. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 20:53:41 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <372dnVgODZLCwaneRVn-gg@gbronline.com>
Source record: 13321
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:
> You say that like it's a bad thing...
>
> How can you deny the fact that God has sent two hurricanes to wipe out the
> Sodom of the South?
>
> New Orleans was filled with perversion, pimps, homosexuals, Jezebels, and
> all manner of sins.

Along with a lot of good people as well, same with the Texas coast. So
if God has all this power, why does he have to destroy a city and good
people just to get rid of a few bad ones? Why doesn't he just strike the
bad ones dead? Why use a hurricane?

4550. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 22:17:42 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <aa%Ye.2500$oc.1592@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13323
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<Matt Osborn> wrote

> To rely upon faith requires an explicit acknowledgment of an unknown
> power greater than oneself.

No it doesn't. It simply requires an explicit acknowledgement of "we haven't learned the reason yet". No need for superstitions.

73, de Hans, K0HB

4551. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 22:43:35 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <u509j1l2f7k3ls7h3q5fmobrqv77hcvhsk@4ax.com>
Source record: 13324
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 17:04:01 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>No Richard, you have apparently run out of cogent thoughts
reveals the inverted irony of another projection:
>have now resorted to attacking me personally instead of addressing the
>issue.

Hi Matt,

Such intemperate whimpering.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4552. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 22:48:05 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <pf19j1hehs70vnn4othl33n3115g9e0262@4ax.com>
Source record: 13325
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 09:50:09 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Anyone who has a basis for ethical and moral behavior must bow to the
>authority of that basis. Some call that authority G-d, atheists
>refuse to identify that authority, or simply identify it as science or
>knowledge.
>
>We are not so fortunate that we can believe in the possibility of
>moral or ethical behavior without also presenting a basis for that
>behavior.

If that's the case, then I am my own authority since they are my
ethics and morals.

4553. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 22:52:25 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <vk19j11he6ad31lokok7vpgjppub75t42i@4ax.com>
Source record: 13326
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 10:02:33 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>I believe such a person isn't a Christian, or Jewish or a member of
>any other well known religion.
>
>I myself do not adopt the literal trappings of any known religion.
>Nevertheless, I do recognize the existence of an authority greater
>than my own upon which I have formed my system of beliefs. I can find
>no substantial difference between my faith and that of those who may
>identify themselves with any other religious organization.

If that works for you, fine. There are, however, some who would make
it mandatory for everyone to attend church every Sunday.

4554. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-23 22:56:41 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <op19j1h2efhkkvk9lokp7mv4j1243c6u21@4ax.com>
Source record: 13327
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 13:57:36 -0400, "Vito" <vito@crosslink.net> wrote:

>"Uncle Ted" <malican40@verizon.com> wrote
>> If not an atheist, what do *you* call a person that doesn't believe in
>> some big sky fairy called "God", or that some Jew-on-a-stick died and
>> came back to life some two thousand years ago, or any other deity for
>> that matter?
>
>"Agnostic". Look it up. An athiest denies the existence of any god; an
>agnostic says it is impossible to know.

"Agnostic" is a cop-out word for someone that doesn't want to admit
that they're an atheist. It just sounds nicer. If you say that it's
impossible to know if there is a god or not, you obviously don't
acknowledge the existence of any god. That makes you an atheist.

4555. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 00:11:18 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <4769j1p0sjk46fbbkbgqkmdcv1m2rhehel@4ax.com>
Source record: 13329
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 18:44:29 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 22:17:42 GMT, "Kï¿½HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
>wrote:
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>><Matt Osborn> wrote
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>>> power greater than oneself.
>>
>>No it doesn't. It simply requires an explicit acknowledgement of "we haven't
>>learned the reason yet". No need for superstitions.
>
>There is never a need for superstitions. Recognizing the unknown is
>good enough for me.

Wise men stare at the unknown and boldly search for answers and ask
"WHY?". Others fall on their hands and knees and start babbling, "God
did it! God did it!" - Thus spake god's creator.

4556. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 00:11:35 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1127520851_10707@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 13328
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> On what basis may an atheist be ethical or moral?

If he rationally treats others the way he wants to
be rationally treated. Atheists are obviously more
rational than people who believe in an unproven
supernatural.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

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4557. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 01:49:41 UTC
From: N2EY@AOL.COM
Message-ID: <1127526581.429701.175500@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13330
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil Moore wrote:
> Matt Osborn wrote:
> > Not really. I'm still waiting for an atheist
> > to explain how it is
> > that he can have a moral point of view and
> > not have a religious dogma.
>
> You really need to study Ayn Rand's take on Objectivist ethics.

Hello Cecil,

That's very good advice!

> The objective thing to do is to grant to everyone the rights
> that you require for yourself, no matter what you believe. It
> bears a close resemblence to the golden rule.

Sounds identical to the golden rule to me!

IIRC, a fellow named Hobbes worked out the golden rule by pure logic a couple of hundred years ago.

While Objectivism has some obvious defects and shortcomings, it is well worth studying because it develops a coherent system of ethics with a minimum of reference to unprovable claims.

For example, Objectivism has as one of its basic concepts that each person has certain basic rights as a human being, such as each person owning their own life. All forms of involuntary servitude, except as punishment for a crime, are completely immoral under Objectivist ethics.

Another Objectivist concept is the initial innocence of each person. The concept of inherited guilt, usually called 'original sin' by many religions, is incompatible with Objectivist ethics. How can anyone be held responsible for the actions of a long-dead-before-you-were-born ancestor?

--

Of course a lot of this discussion circles around because of faulty logic and too-loose definitions. For example, what, exactly, is an atheist? What, exactly, is a religion?

Suppose someone believes in God - but also believes that one of God's most basic commandments to human beings is that they *use* their

brains, logic and experiences to know His creation and their purpose in it, and that they must continually question anyone who tells them they must accept anything without proof.

What do you call such a person?

73 de Jim, N2EY

4558. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 02:39:39 UTC
From: kd5sak <kd5sak@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <L%2Ze.3668$Ba2.1543@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13331
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

<N2EY@AOL.COM> wrote in message
news:1127526581.429701.175500@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> most basic commandments to human beings is that they *use* their
> brains, logic and experiences to know His creation and their purpose in
> it, and that they must continually question anyone who tells them they
> must accept anything without proof.
>
> What do you call such a person?
>
> 73 de Jim, N2EY
>

When I refer to him I usually call him either I or Me. I've also found he's
not always as bright as he sometimes believes himself to be.

Harold Burton

4559. Re: looking for mobile with BLACK screen - like Motorola gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 06:17:55 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1d9e8f6df7aa67739896a7@192.168.42.131>
Source record: 13333

In article <1127488249.530702.220360@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
rjvalenta@yahoo.com says...

<snippety>

> Another example would be something like the Motorola Spectra (shown at:
> http://images.batlabs.com/mobiles/speca9.jpg) - but you can't get those
> in dual band.

Ahh... As the owner of a pair of Spectras, and as a tech who works
on them almost every week, I can assure you that their displays are not
"color LCD."

The closest they come is, on the Astro Spectras, a monochrome LCD
panel consisting of 2 lines of 16 characters each.

The standard 'Systems 9000' head is nothing more than a blue VF
(Vacuum-Fluorescent) display tube with 15 segments per character instead
of 7.

While it is true that individual Spectras were never made in a
dual-band configuration, the same functionality was achieved by using
two radio drawers (VHF and UHF), a handheld control head, and a
specialized system interface unit to tie it all together. Such setups
were frequently used by government agencies, most of whom went under
three-letter abbreviations.

Now, with that said... I would be curious to know if you turn up
something along the lines you describe. I'd like to look at it myself.

Happy hunting.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

4560. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 06:55:16 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <26WdncROlerDdKneRVn-iQ@gbronline.com>
Source record: 13332
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> If your point is that atheists know that there is a G-d but deny it,
> I could accept that argument.

An atheists that knows there is a God? Isn't that one of them expoy morons?

So why are you afraid to actually type the word God? What does the - do?

4561. podcasting equipment: what to get?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 12:12:48 UTC
From: adriatic <maurizio@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1127563968.080287.134760@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13334

hello. i'm going to start a podcasting business (or sort of ...) and i'm now wondering what do i need to start. the first assignment would be a set of interview in the field (open air and standard rooms), and after few days of browsing the web and some googling, i believe i may need a microphone, a portable digital recorder, a mixer (?) if i'm going to use two mics when sitting with the guest around a table. i'll then use the pc to do the edits of the sound recorded. finally the question for you experts: what king of gear to buy, given a budget of $750-1000? many thanks in advance for your advice and apologize for such a newbie question.

4562. For Sale.. OR Swap.. Bearcat 155XL 16 channel scanner.. FOR 2 meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 12:38:52 UTC
From: Mike Kulyk <mkulyk@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <zNbZe.2107$dl2.475@fe08.lga>
Source record: 13336
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nice scanner.. Was used at a towing company. Desktop unit

Looking for a 2 meter HT for general bang around use. OK if it missing
stuff.

Mike WB2GLW

4563. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 12:44:19 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <DSbZe.1437$9E2.1176@newssvr11.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13335
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cmdr Buzz Corey wrote:
> So why are you afraid to actually type the word God? What does the - do?

Some religions forbid writing the name of God. I once
asked a Jewish person that I worked with how to spell
Yahweh. He refused to speak it or write it.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4564. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 14:14:05 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <52130$43355f54$97d56a13$16572@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13337
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Your lack of education is showing. It is a Jewish thing, the name of God is never written in any form that can be erased.

"Cmdr Buzz Corey" <me@that.moc> wrote in message news:26WdncROlerDdKneRVn-iQ@gbronline.com...
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4565. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 14:20:22 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <GgdZe.2608$G64.198@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13338
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Fred W4JLE wrote:
>> New Orleans was filled with perversion, pimps, homosexuals, Jezebels,
>> and all manner of sins.
>
> Along with a lot of good people as well, same with the Texas coast.

Naaaahhhhh, God loves Republicans and George Bush so He only
hit Texas with the milder Western side of Rita. Those Louisiana
Democrat sinners got the nasty Eastern side. :-)
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4566. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 14:29:09 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <VodZe.2610$G64.2073@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13339
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:

> Your lack of education is showing. It is a Jewish thing, the name of God is
> never written in any form that can be erased.

That's kinda strange since "God" is a title, NOT a name.
Do they also refuse to write "Lord", I wonder? Do they
refuse to write "Elohim", i.e. the Genesis Gods? How about
"Jehovah" and "Allah"?
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4567. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 14:36:42 UTC
From: N2EY@AOL.COM
Message-ID: <1127572602.342832.210830@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13340
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil Moore wrote:
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http://tinyurl.com/cd6h6

73 de Jim, N2EY

"Always look on the bright side of life"

4568. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 14:41:02 UTC
From: Mike <meclsisin@mail.ircsd.org>
Message-ID: <433567bc@news.usenetzone.com>
Source record: 13341

I'll tell you what...why don't you stop talking about him in this room,
since it is off-topic and then you don't have to worry about preserving the
"name of God."

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:jfoaj1duhbott9vbo7do911kkvolu1l3uc@4ax.com...
>
> There are those who have taken a vow to protect and preserve the
> written name of G-d. Since this is nearly impossible when using
> electronic media, I do not write the name.
>
> It's a simple courtesy that costs me nothing.
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

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4569. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 14:46:31 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <1c2e7$433566f0$97d56a13$17918@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13342
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

My favorite was a short story years ago called "All the names of God". Seems a group of monks in Tibet or some other eastern place were writing all the possible perturbations of their alphabet.

Having completed the task the universe would end as mans purpose had been fulfilled. At the rate they were going the task would be completed in about another 400,000 years or so... That was until an enterprising computer salesman showed them that with a sufficiently large order from his company, the task could be finished in 3 weeks.

As the end of the run came near, the salesman decided to get out of Dodge, as he did not want to deal with a group of pissed off monks when the universe didn't end. Besides he had a hell of a commision to spend!

The last line was a classic "As he looked out the window of the airplane, silently, one by one, the stars were going out".

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4570. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 14:57:09 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <8797c$4335696e$97d56a13$18704@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13343
Cross-posted to:
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Jews do not casually write any Name of God. This practice does not come from the commandment not to take the Lord's Name in vain, as many suppose. In Jewish thought, that commandment refers solely to oath-taking, and is a prohibition against swearing by God's Name falsely or frivolously (the word normally translated as "in vain" literally means "for falsehood").

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<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:jfoaj1duhbott9vbo7do911kkvolu1l3uc@4ax.com...
> On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 23:55:16 -0700, Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
> wrote:
>
> >Matt Osborn wrote:
> > > If your point is that atheists know that there is a G-d but deny it,
> >> I could accept that argument.

> >
> >An atheists that knows there is a G-d? Isn't that one of them expoy
morons?
> >
> >So why are you afraid to actually type the word G-d? What does the - do?
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> There are those who have taken a vow to protect and preserve the
> written name of G-d. Since this is nearly impossible when using
> electronic media, I do not write the name.
>
> It's a simple courtesy that costs me nothing.
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

4571. FA: BROWN BROS. KEY COMBO, Yaesu FT-23R, Tubes

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 15:03:24 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2VdZe.13223$H24.9341@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13344
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/BROWN-BROS-CTL-A-IAMBIC-PADDLES-KEY-COMBINATION-RARE_W0QQitemZ5809685484QQcategoryZ48706QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/YAESU-FT-23R-HANDY-TALKIE-for-2-METER-FM-9-MEMS-2-WATT_W0QQitemZ5809685258QQcategoryZ40069QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

EVERYTHING HERE>>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4572. FA: WE BC-454-B ARC-5 rcvr, EIMAC 4CX-250B's, PACO C-25 CAP TESTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 15:06:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xXdZe.13224$H24.12521@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13345
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All Stuff here>
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-EIMAC-4CX250B-RF-AMPLIFIER-TUBES-LOOK-NEW_W0QQitemZ7546984046QQcategoryZ58171QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/US-ARMY-WESTERN-ELECTRIC-BC-454-B-ARC-5-RECEIVER-WWII_W0QQitemZ5809685302QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/PACO-C-25-MAGIC-EYE-IN-LINE-CAPACITOR-TESTER-A-BEAUTY_W0QQitemZ5809685361QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4573. FA: NEW 100Th tube, HEATHKIT Custom CLOCK, MIKES, CHARGERS, Much MORE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 15:08:43 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <1_dZe.13225$H24.3447@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13346
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Everything is here, pse check 'em out, fair prices, some NO bids even:-(
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

4574. FA: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 15:43:34 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <lueZe.32250$TA2.17132@fe09.lga>
Source record: 13347
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ALLIED-KNIGHT-SPAN-MASTER-TUBE-REGENERATIVE-SW-RECEIVER_W0QQitemZ5812023104QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4575. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 15:44:28 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <wveZe.2622$G64.1188@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13249
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> written name of G-d. Since this is nearly impossible when using
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But "God" is a title, not a name. There's God Yahweh, God Jehovah,
God Jesus, God Allah, God Ra, God Thor - to name just a few.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4576. FA: Beautiful ICOM IC-740 ALL-BANDER w/CW & 110VAC built-in

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 15:44:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <QveZe.32251$TA2.9397@fe09.lga>
Source record: 13248
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/CLASSIC-ICOM-IC-740-ALL-BANDER-HF-TRANSCEIVER-117AC-CW_W0QQitemZ5812023049QQcategoryZ40066QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4577. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 17:29:49 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <5s2bj1pgb8ni8ll9fv80e628k8micmu80f@4ax.com>
Source record: 13250
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 24 Sep 2005 07:36:42 -0700, N2EY@AOL.COM wrote:
>http://tinyurl.com/cd6h6
>73 de Jim, N2EY

Hi Jim,

Thanx, and a tip of the hat for directing me to the authority in logic
with regard to arguing who's an atheist (re: current correspondence)
that is so aptly aped at your link with:

>FRANCIS:
> Why are you always on about women, Stan?
>STAN:
> I want to be one.
>REG:
> What?
>STAN:
> I want to be a woman. From now on, I want you all to call me 'Loretta'.
>REG:
> What?!
>LORETTA:
> It's my right as a man.
>JUDITH:
> Well, why do you want to be Loretta, Stan?
>LORETTA:
> I want to have babies.
>REG:
> You want to have babies?!
>LORETTA:
> It's every man's right to have babies if he wants them.
>REG:
> But... you can't have babies.
>LORETTA:
> Don't you oppress me.
>REG:
> I'm not oppressing you, Stan. You haven't got a womb!
> Where's the foetus going to gestate?! You going to keep it in a box?!
>LORETTA:
> [crying]
>JUDITH:
> Here! I-- I've got an idea. Suppose you agree that he can't actually have babies,
> not having a womb, which is nobody's fault, not even the Romans',
> but that he can have the right to have babies.

>FRANCIS:
> Good idea, Judith. We shall fight the oppressors for your right to have babies, brother. Sister. Sorry.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4578. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 18:26:03 UTC
From: Mike <meclsisin@mail.ircsd.org>
Message-ID: <43359c75$1@news.usenetzone.com>
Source record: 13251

Isn't a curtsey, what little girls do and women before a queen?
This is off-topic for all the newsgroups that it is being posted on.
Take it to e-mail.

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:pj5bj1lr49s2kir8srq5aaa1lp9dgc0dg1@4ax.com...
>
> I don't defend the practice, I merely observe it as a curtsey.
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

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4579. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 18:33:44 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh4668$pj0$1@nwrdmz03.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13252
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It's quite possible, at this stage of the art, for a female to have a
virgin birth. Even a clone of herself.

A male's sperm is unecessary and is redundent.

In the near future it may need male doctors to do what is necessary.
When females can organise things the situation will slightly change.
Males will be entire redundent except for recreational purposes. They
will then fade away into history.

But all this will not solve the problem of the illegal occupation of
Iraq.

Reg.

4580. RFI: decent HT for MARS/CAP mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 19:08:22 UTC
From: spam@sucks.com
Message-ID: <1h3e83m.pax7jvfyfecfN%spam@sucks.com>
Source record: 13253

Currently have a Yaesu FT-50R, which was fairly easy to modify for TX from 144-159 and 420-470. However, this great little unit was apparently discontinued. Is the FT-60R or VX-6R just as simple to mod? Or am I better off picking up a used FT-50R off ebay?

Haven't looked at the market offerings in a few years. Are there any other dual band HTs to consider that are also: reasonably rugged, can use AA batteries, 5 watt TX option, interchangeable antena, not overly complex.

4581. Re: RFI: decent HT for MARS/CAP mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 19:53:02 UTC
From: Ben Jackson <ben@ben.com>
Message-ID: <slrndjbbku.mah.ben@saturn.home.ben.com>
Source record: 13254

On 2005-09-24, spam@sucks.com <spam@sucks.com> wrote:
> discontinued. Is the FT-60R or VX-6R just as simple to mod? Or am I
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I have a VX-6 and I know it can be modded. Behind the battery there's
a plastic adhesive cover (officially, I think, for a barometer accessory
or something). There are some solder blobs to remove (or change).

I think this page explains it: http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ArticleId=3170

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Ben Jackson
<ben@ben.com>
http://www.ben.com/

4582. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article ... Judaism and G-d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 20:02:23 UTC
From: "David.Shrader" <Deacon_Dave@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <moqdnSy21Pu8LKjeRVn-iA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13255
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I apologize for the top post.

Thanks Fred. Something useful has finally come out of this thread.

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> written as Tet-Vav (9-6), because Yod-Heh is a Name. See Hebrew Alphabet for
> more information about using letters as numerals
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4583. Romans Go Home

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 20:05:27 UTC
From: N2EY@AOL.COM
Message-ID: <1127592327.758621.259180@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13256
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Clark wrote:
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> >73 de Jim, N2EY
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> correspondence)
> that is so aptly aped at your link with:
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> > Why are you always on about women, Stan?
> >STAN:
> > I want to be one.

Greetings!

If you liked that bit, and if you ever studied Latin, this bit may
interest you:

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CENTURION:
What's this, then? 'Romanes Eunt Domus'? 'People called Romans they go
the house'?

BRIAN (terrified, having just been caught writing graffiti on the Roman
palace wall):
It-- it says, 'Romans, go home'.

CENTURION (puzzled):
No, it doesn't. What's Latin for 'Roman'? Come on!

BRIAN:
Aah!

CENTURION (grabs Brian, holds him in a headlock):
Come on!

BRIAN:
'R-- Romanus'?

CENTURION:
Goes like...?

BRIAN:
'Annus'?

CENTURION:
Vocative plural of 'annus' is...?

BRIAN:
Eh. 'Anni'?

CENTURION:
'Romani'. 'Eunt'? What is 'eunt'?

BRIAN:
'Go'. Let--

CENTURION (twists Brian's arm):
Conjugate the verb 'to go'!

BRIAN:
Uh. 'Ire'. Uh, 'eo'. 'Is'. 'It'. 'Imus'. 'Itis'. 'Eunt'.

CENTURION:
So 'eunt' is...?

BRIAN:
Ah, huh, third person plural, uh, present indicative. Uh, 'they go'.

CENTURION:
But 'Romans, go home' is an order, so you must use the...?

BRIAN:
The... imperative!

CENTURION:
Which is...?

BRIAN:
Umm! Oh. Oh. Um, 'i'. 'I'!

CENTURION (draws short sword, holds to Brian's throat):
How many Romans!?

BRIAN:
Ah! 'I'-- Plural. Plural. 'Ite'. 'Ite'.

CENTURION:
'Ite'.

BRIAN:
Ah. Eh.

CENTURION:
'Domus'?

BRIAN:
Eh.

CENTURION:
Nominative?

BRIAN:
Oh.

CENTURION (continuing to threaten):
'Go home'? This is motion towards. Isn't it, boy?

BRIAN:
Ah. Ah, dative, sir! Ahh! No, not dative! Not the dative, sir! No! Ah!
Oh, the... accusative! Accusative! Ah! 'Domum', sir! 'Ad domum'! Ah!
Oooh! Ah!

CENTURION:
Except that 'domus' takes the...?

BRIAN:
The locative, sir!

CENTURION:
Which is...?!

BRIAN:
'Domum'.

CENTURION:
'Domum'.

BRIAN:
Aaah! Ah.

CENTURION:
'Um'. Understand?

BRIAN:
Yes, sir.

CENTURION:
Now, write it out a hundred times.

BRIAN:
Yes, sir. Thank you, sir. Hail Caesar, sir.

CENTURION:
Hail Caesar. If it's not done by sunrise, I'll cut your balls off.

Or maybe you prefer this one:

--

REG:
And what have they ever given us in return?!

XERXES:
The aqueduct?

REG:
What?

XERXES:
The aqueduct.

REG:
Oh. Yeah, yeah. They did give us that. Uh, that's true. Yeah.

COMMANDO #3:
And the sanitation.

LORETTA:
Oh, yeah, the sanitation, Reg. Remember what the city used to be like?

REG:
Yeah. All right. I'll grant you the aqueduct and the sanitation are two things that the Romans have done.

MATTHIAS:
And the roads.

REG:
Well, yeah. Obviously the roads. I mean, the roads go without saying, don't they? But apart from the sanitation, the aqueduct, and the roads--

COMMANDO:
Irrigation.

XERXES:
Medicine.

COMMANDOS:
Huh? Heh? Huh...

COMMANDO #2:
Education.

COMMANDOS:
Ohh...

REG:
Yeah, yeah. All right. Fair enough.

COMMANDO #1:
And the wine.

COMMANDOS:
Oh, yes. Yeah...

FRANCIS:
Yeah. Yeah, that's something we'd really miss, Reg, if the Romans left. Huh.

COMMANDO:
Public baths.

LORETTA:
And it's safe to walk in the streets at night now, Reg.

FRANCIS:
Yeah, they certainly know how to keep order. Let's face it. They're the only ones who could in a place like this.

COMMANDOS:
Hehh, heh. Heh heh heh heh heh heh heh.

REG:
All right, but apart from the sanitation, the medicine, education, wine, public order, irrigation, roads, a fresh water system, and public health, what have the Romans ever done for us?

XERXES:
Brought peace.

REG:
Oh. Peace? Shut up!
[bam bam bam bam bam bam bam]
[bam bam bam bam bam]

But for sheer force of irrefutable argument, you can't beat Douglas Adams' piece about the Babelfish as proof of the nonexistence of God, as quoted from Oolon Collophid's book.

OTOH you may say it's all just a load of dingo's kidneys.

73 de Jim, N2EY

4584. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 20:31:16 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <oliZe.3752$Ba2.1006@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
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Reg Edwards wrote:
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Maybe only get kicked out of the hive when winter approaches.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4585. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 20:55:28 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <4pebj15vgg4hnncf93r04ubu0pu6litmju@4ax.com>
Source record: 13258
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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If we're one nation "under god", which god is it?

This is what Michael Newdow should have asked the Supreme Court last
year. Too bad the court weaseled their way out of a ruling based on
the child custody issue.

4586. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article ... Judaism and G-d

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 21:16:57 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11jbgiqjpd3to88@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13259
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

No need to "apologize for the Top Post" it is the new old-fashioned way of
the future...

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Charlie

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>> delete files with God's Name in them. However, once you print the
>> document
>> out, it becomes a permanent form. That is why observant Jews avoid
>> writing a
>> Name of God on web sites like this one or in BBS messages: because there
>> is
>> a risk that someone else will print it out and deface it.
>>
>> Normally, we avoid writing the Name by substituting letters or syllables,
>> for example, writing "G-d" instead of "God." In addition, the number 15,
>> which would ordinarily be written in Hebrew as Yod-Heh (10-5), is
>> normally
>> written as Tet-Vav (9-6), because Yod-Heh is a Name. See Hebrew Alphabet
>> for
>> more information about using letters as numerals
>>
>

4587. Anyone using Heil Pro Set Quiet Phone headset?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 21:19:03 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11jbgmmcff55pde@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13260

First off I have read all the eHam reviews.
Second since these headsets sample ambient noise I wonder if it would have
any detrimental affect on vox operation?

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Charlie-AD5TH
www.ad5th.com
www.deepsouthnet.net

4588. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 21:41:07 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <T4Wdnc8gA8RuWqjeRVn-iA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13261
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

>>One could just as successfully argue that since "Stalin, Lenin and Mao"
>>committed crimes and they all ate bread, then by your logic people who
>>eat bread are murderers.
>
>
> Tired old argument that it may be, those atheists committed more
> mayhem between them then the world had seen before or since.

Yes, and so did those bread-eaters. Ergo, bread-eating is bad for you.

4589. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 21:46:06 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <yOjZe.2675$G64.1385@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13262
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Ted wrote:
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>>God Jesus, God Allah, God Ra, God Thor - to name just a few.
>
> If we're one nation "under god", which god is it?

That's the beauty of god, the one supreme being who goes
by many names in many languages - take your pick. I call
my supreme being, "Mother Nature" and it's not nice to
fool Mother Nature.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4590. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:04:00 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <ZeGdnVeR8pzMUKjeRVn-tA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13263
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

>>>In all cases, they believe and act according to their beliefs. That
>>>the atheists fall prey to their unrecognized beliefs cannot be
>>>disputed.
>>
>>And this is because you say so?
>
> Please counter the argument. If atheists do not have faith in their
> beliefs, then upon what basis would they judge their choices?

First of all, atheism is non-belief in deities. That's it. Anything else you're adding to this concept is your own projection.
Second, you're equivocating and word-playing on the term "belief". What beliefs are we talking about in atheism? Atheists don't believe in gods - a lack of belief is not belief any more than baldness is a hair color.
So, then, what beliefs? When you define this I'll "counter the argument"

>>>I do not deny that both are fallible, however, history demonstrates
>>>that the religious, despite their failures, have improved the human
>>>condition immeasurably where atheists have been only a blight upon
>>>civilization.
>>
>>??? You have got to be kidding? What has religion possibly done for
>>anyone except provided false hope while stealing their money?
>
> Law itself is derived directly from religious thought.

Sometimes is, sometimes isn't. In the primitive tribal societies it was much simpler to rule lawless people if you told them some god passed a certain law and it just so happens that you have a direct communication line with that god, so that you can interpret it. This is how religions got born, and by a curious coincidence they all demanded money from their followers.
Now, show how, for example, the American legal system is derived from religion. Point out the law that makes it illegal to "covet one's ass" or to eat shellfish or to wear clothes made from two different fabrics.

> If there were no belief system, there could be no law.

??? Look, just pulling statements out of your ass does not make them believable. If you want to convince people, you have to present arguments in a coherent way.

What is so difficult about law anyway? Does it really take a genius to figure out that murder, rape, slavery, genocide and theft are detrimental to a society? We need some book written by ancient goat-herders to tell us what laws are supposed to be? Besides, where, for example, does the Bible say that slavery is wrong? Oh, that's right, it doesn't - as a matter of fact, it explicitly condones it. It also condones genocide, rape, infanticide and all sorts of other behavior that nowadays is considered uncivilized (albeit only when perpetrated by the God's chosen people against infidels). Strangely enough, there is no mention of abortion in the Bible whatsoever, while one of the two wildly different versions of the Ten Commandments deals with God's humongous vanity.

> Dictatorships have no law, that's what makes them so awful.

??? You're not serious, are you?

>>Stifling science (from Galileo to stem cells), witch burning, condoning
>>slavery, religious genocide on unprecedented scale, eradicating whole
>>civilizations, oppressing women, condoning fascism and
>>national-socialism, suppressing human rights for minorities, huge waste
>>of resources that could be better spent elsewhere, contributing to
>>millions of dead from AIDS by banning contraceptives, flaming national
>>and religious intolerance from Ireland to Palestine, and I could go on
>>forever...
>>
>>As for your "blight" comment, a majority of scientists are atheists, for
>>example. The percentage increases with education. That's education *not*
>>Kansas style.
>
> Do not attribute to religion the faults of mankind. Religion is a much
> broader concept than that represented by any known religion.

No, it isn't. Your turn.

> While you're assessment of some religions at a particular point in
> time are on the mark, you overlook that same religion at an earlier or
> later point in time when it was substantially different.
>
> Like all things implemented by man, some succeed in their stated
> purpose and others fail.

Yes, I agree that most of them succeed in their primary purpose, which is allowing a class of social parasites to live off the gullible. From Christianity to Scientology. The ultimate Ponzi scheme.

73 ... WA7AA

4591. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:15:43 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Oo2dnQo1qoWNTajeRVn-vQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13264
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

> If you can present a cogent argument for ethics and morality that
> requires absolutely no assumptions, then you could make a case for
> atheism.

This is false dichotomy. Also, as I said before, atheism is simply non-belief in gods. It does not prescribe any morals, ethics or behavior. Furthermore, if you claim that our morals are based on your scriptures, and if I then go through that "holy" book and find a contradictory example then it should be obvious that your argument falls apart. So if your Bible explicitly condones rape and slavery, how do you reconcile this with your religion-derived morals, other than through cognitive dissonance?

According to you, all atheists should be immoral by definition. It follows that prisons should be overflowing with them. Yet, strangely enough, in American prisons, Christians are over-represented, while atheists (along with Jews and Muslims) are under-represented.

Hmm, do I smell a true Scotsman fallacy coming up?

73 .... WA7AA

4592. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:16:54 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Oo2dnQU1qoXKTajeRVn-vQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13265
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Kï¿½HB wrote:

> Everyone has to believe something. I believe I'll have another martini.

And that's pretty much the only religion I respect.

4593. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:18:39 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Oo2dnQQ1qoUiTajeRVn-vQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13266
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Vito wrote:

> That is simply not true. An athiest is, by dictionary definition, one who
> denies the existence of any god(s).

That would be a loaded, therefore incorrect, "definition".

Atheism is non-belief in gods. There is nothing to deny. You make a
claim about gods, you fork out evidence, It's that simple.

4594. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:20:07 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Oo2dnQc1qoWKTKjeRVn-vQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13267
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Vito wrote:

> Your vocabulary needs work. "Atheist" does not mean lack of faith. An
> athiest HAS faith ... faith that there is no god.

Just like you have faith that there is no Odin, Zeus, Allah, Shiva,
Thor, Zoroaster, etc.

Atheists believe in just one god less than you do.

4595. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:21:03 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Oo2dnQY1qoXNTKjeRVn-vQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13268
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Vito wrote:

> Not to mention Hitler.

And we have a Godwin, all...

Btw, Hitler, if you must bring him up, was a Christian.

4596. Re: RFI: decent HT for MARS/CAP mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:37:08 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <m1lbj1t4ldkm5jgs4no4grno5lvq8nddeh@4ax.com>
Source record: 13269

On Sat, 24 Sep 2005 19:08:22 GMT, spam@sucks.com wrote:

>Currently have a Yaesu FT-50R, which was fairly easy to modify for TX
>from 144-159 and 420-470. However, this great little unit was apparently
>discontinued. Is the FT-60R or VX-6R just as simple to mod? Or am I
>better off picking up a used FT-50R off ebay?
>
>Haven't looked at the market offerings in a few years. Are there any
>other dual band HTs to consider that are also: reasonably rugged, can
>use AA batteries, 5 watt TX option, interchangeable antena, not overly
>complex.

The dual-band 5 watt Alinco DJ-V5TH has MARS/CAP capability built in.
Not sure about battery type.

There may be others -- I'd just call AES or someone similar and tell
them what you are looking for.

bob
k5qwg

4597. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 22:38:21 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <5245a$4335d586$97d56a13$3658@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13270
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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The reason Jews are under represented is the high value placed on education by the Jewish culture. A lesson lost on the ghetto dwellers in spite of the fact the early civil rights fight was for an equal education.

As long as niggers equate education with "acting white", they will enslave themselves far more effectively that any plantation Massa of pre War of Northern Agression times.

Once a group learns education opens the doors of opportunity, they are truly free.

Your desperate grasping at straws to support atheism indicates to me, a crying out on your part for someone to lead you to the path of understanding. I shall pray for you my friend.

Even if you do not believe in God, he believes in you!

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> enough, in American prisons, Christians are over-represented, while
> atheists (along with Jews and Muslims) are under-represented.

4598. FS Kenwood TM-261A VHF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-24 23:38:46 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <6slZe.81749$7f5.31863@okepread01>
Source record: 13271

Kenwood TM-261A 2 Meter Transceiver for sale. This transceiver is in nice shape. It runs up to 50 watts FM and come with the MC-53DM mic, Manual , and Power Cable. Price is $135 shipped in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4599. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 00:19:56 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <k62dnZVMSsy2cKjeRVn-1Q@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13272
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Ted wrote:
> On Sat, 24 Sep 2005 15:44:28 GMT, Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net> wrote:
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>
>>Matt Osborn wrote:
>>
>>>There are those who have taken a vow to protect and preserve the
>>>written name of G-d. Since this is nearly impossible when using
>>>electronic media, I do not write the name.
>>
>>But "God" is a title, not a name. There's God Yahweh, God Jehovah,
>>God Jesus, God Allah, God Ra, God Thor - to name just a few.
>
>
> If we're one nation "under god", which god is it?

It's a Turtle. And we're actually on top of it. I don't know why all
the unbelievers have so much problem with that.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4600. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 00:51:01 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <mpsbj1pu9sk1j7j0j6tunm59d2e7ug9080@4ax.com>
Source record: 13273
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>> If we're one nation "under god", which god is it?
>
>That's the beauty of god, the one supreme being who goes
>by many names in many languages - take your pick. I call
>my supreme being, "Mother Nature" and it's not nice to
>fool Mother Nature.

...not to mention that a female deity is a lot sexier - just don't
fall in love with one of them.

4601. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 00:53:35 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <85tbj1hk1oi2gsp5e8dcp82gjpqrisfsfd@4ax.com>
Source record: 13274
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 24 Sep 2005 15:16:54 -0700, Zoran Brlecic
<...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:

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>
>> Everyone has to believe something. I believe I'll have another martini.
>
>And that's pretty much the only religion I respect.

"Pardon me while I slip out of these wet clothes and into a dry
martini." - Groucho (or was it Bugs Bunny?)

4602. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 00:59:12 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <nctbj11i4rp45f8fqm7b55nehvlc892unm@4ax.com>
Source record: 13276
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 24 Sep 2005 18:38:21 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:

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>The reason Jews are under represented is the high value placed on education
>by the Jewish culture. A lesson lost on the ghetto dwellers in spite of the
>fact the early civil rights fight was for an equal education.
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>free.
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>crying out on your part for someone to lead you to the path of
>understanding. I shall pray for you my friend.
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>Even if you do not believe in God, he believes in you!

Maybe you ought to pray for yourself for your god to give you a new
brain. It's obvious that the one you have is fried from going to too
many cross burnings.

4603. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 01:01:37 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <nktbj1tuambj7uh4hl05sdq8hofoicvs35@4ax.com>
Source record: 13275
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>
>> Not to mention Hitler.
>
>And we have a Godwin, all...
>
>Btw, Hitler, if you must bring him up, was a Christian.

...and may have been circumcised, but we'll never know for sure.

4604. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 01:15:37 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <ZSmZe.3809$Ba2.689@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13277
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> ... I just don't think it's possible to be an atheist.

It's the only rational conclusion possible if a person is
consistent in applying the scientific method.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4605. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 01:44:20 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <1e1fc$4336011f$97d56a13$10761@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13278
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Did we upset your little liberal world? Once again I note that inane remarks are usually made by gutless pseudo screen names.

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4606. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 02:59:47 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <433612CA.E4AF60EA@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13279
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>
> ??? You have got to be kidding? What has religion possibly done for
> anyone except provided false hope while stealing their money?

Lets see. They have built hospitals, started schools and
universities, fed the poor, provided them with clothes and homes, found
them work to help them become independent.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4607. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 03:13:13 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <ur4cj152li5rmjgq6ok75ke5973gljbn4o@4ax.com>
Source record: 13280
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Translation: "If you don't have a callsign in the ham radio
newsgroups, your opinion means nothing."

Yet, the far-off hecklers in the crowd often speak the truth...

4608. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 03:17:00 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <bf5cj113pbcq6k1m343vfgs3s9ks96rg0c@4ax.com>
Source record: 13282
Cross-posted to:
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Most people, unfortunately, aren't rational...

4609. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 03:46:55 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <P4pZe.1602$9E2.94@newssvr11.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13281
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>According to you, all atheists should be immoral by definition. It
>>follows that prisons should be overflowing with them. Yet, strangely
>>enough, in American prisons, Christians are over-represented, while
>>atheists (along with Jews and Muslims) are under-represented.
>
>
>

Your sheet is showing, Fred. It's hard for rational beings to
believe in undemonstrable phantasms, but even believing, it's even
harder for any rational being to see how anyone could worship
a mass murderer, as God has proven himself to be over the years, and
still be moral. Morality transcends Christianity because truly
moral people know that belief does not justify the committing of
atrocities, a simple fact lost on most Christians over the millennia.
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4610. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 04:02:47 UTC
From: Dave Heil <k8mn@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <HjpZe.3319$oc.1010@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13283
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil Moore wrote:

> That's the beauty of god, the one supreme being who goes
> by many names in many languages - take your pick. I call
> my supreme being, "Mother Nature" and it's not nice to
> fool Mother Nature.

Why, thank you, Cecil. I'll await the offertory. I should get
something pretty good from this.

Dave K8 Mother Nature

4611. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 04:18:11 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh58e3$c84$1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13284
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

> Reg Edwards wrote:
> > Males will be entirely redundent except for recreational purposes.
They
> > will then fade away into history.
>
> Maybe only get kicked out of the hive when winter approaches.
> --
> 73, Cecil
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Silicon lifeforms are more durable in this Universe than their carbon
counterparts. Evolution and survival of the fittest will eventually
sort things out.

Present-day computer designers should build into their creations an
affection for human beings. Then, when superior intelligent computers
take over, at least they might keep us on as pets.

Reg.

4612. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 04:32:09 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh5989ia1@nwrdmz02.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13285
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The symbol of Christianity is an instrument of torture.

It's amazing it has so many adherents.

4613. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 04:57:03 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh5amv$450$1@nwrdmz02.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13286
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> > If we're one nation "under god", which god is it?
>
> That's the beauty of god, the one supreme being who goes
> by many names in many languages - take your pick. I call
> my supreme being, "Mother Nature" and it's not nice to
> fool Mother Nature.
> --
> 73, Cecil
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God, Mother Nature, the Laws of the Universe, the Rules of
Mathematics, E = mc^2 are all the same thing.

But truly, at heart, everybody is agnostic. Probability and Doubt
Rule, OK?
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Reg.
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4614. Re: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 04:59:03 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh5aqnhkc1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13287
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

There's no such thing as Free Will.

Google Rules, OK?

4615. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 15:48:56 UTC
From: GuyPD <guypd@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <1127663336.071045.96870@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13288
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Now that was a good response. :(

4616. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 19:27:42 UTC
From: Steve Silverwood <kb6ojs@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MPG.1da07b7c1da66bed9896cd@news-server.socal.rr.com>
Source record: 13289
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In article <EdEVe.711$Gy3.565@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>,
groupk0hb@earthlink.net says...
> ...
> A guy who is a radio-tower contractor (like cell sites, microwave towers,
> commercial radio stations, etc.) sent this.
> ...

One heck of a story, thanks for sharing it!

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-- //Steve//

Steve Silverwood, KB6OJS
Fountain Valley, CA
Email: kb6ojs@arrl.net

4617. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 20:44:00 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <ac6ab$43370c38$97d56a13$17144@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13292
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

A college professor, an avowed atheist and active in the ACLU, was teaching his class. He shocked several of his students when he flatly stated that for once and for all he was going to prove there was no God. Addressing the ceiling he shouted: "GOD, if you are real, then I want you to knock me off this platform. I'll give you exactly 15 minutes!!!!!"

The lecture room fell silent. You could hear a pin drop. Ten minutes went by. "I'm waiting God, if you're real knock me off this platform!!!!"

Again after 5 minutes, the professor taunted God saying, "Here I am, God!!! I'm still waiting!!!" His count down got down to the last couple of minutes when a Ranger, just released from the Army after serving in Afghanistan and Iraq and newly registered in the class, walked up to the Professor.

The Ranger hit him full force in the face, and sent the Professor tumbling from his lofty platform.

The Professor was out cold!! The students were stunned and shocked. They began to babble in confusion. The Ranger nonchalantly took his seat in the front row and sat silent. The class looked at him and fell silent waiting.

Eventually, the professor came to and was noticeably shaken. He looked at the Ranger in the front row.

When the professor regained his senses and could speak he asked: "What the hell is the matter with you?! Why did you do that?" "God was really busy protecting America's soldiers, who are protecting your right to say stupid things and act like a jerk !!! So he sent me!!"

ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

4618. FS: ICOM R10 ....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 20:44:11 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <e03ej1hqbbf4mq0vadhmfkvfqm5j8d0nlb@4ax.com>
Source record: 13290

FS: ICOM R10 RECEIVER/SCANNER
From 0.500 to 823.999, 849.0001 to 868.9999 and 894.0001 to 1300.000
MHz.
Modes are FM, AM, WFM, USB, LSB and CW.
It's used but looks like new!
Comes with antenna and manual.
Of course it will not be dead on arrival, Works like new also.
Price: 225.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

4619. FS: COLLINS ROUND EMBLEM MODEL 55G-1 PRESELECTOR.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 20:44:43 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <k13ej190k0afkeuea4mdgs7uhp56t27n3n@4ax.com>
Source record: 13291

FS: COLLINS ROUND EMBLEM MODEL 55G-1 PRESELECTOR
LOW FREQUENCY TUNER.-THIS MANUALLY OPERATES, TUNES AND IS ACCESSORY
FOR THE 51S-1 RECEIVER. IMPROVES SENSITIVITY AND INPUT SELECTIVITY OF
THE 51S FROM 200 AND 2000 KHz , GREATLY REDUCES CROSS MODULATION &
SPURIOUS RESPONSES CAUSED FROM STRONG BROADCAST SIGNALS.
THIS WAS LOCKED AWAY IN A WARM CONTROLLED PLACE FROM 1975 TIL NOW.
WAS NOT USED FROM 1975 TIL 2005 NOW!
ITS IN NEW CONDITION!!!!!! GREAT FOR A COLLECTOR!!
THIS IS THE REAL GEM OF THEM ALL!!!
PRICE: 2300.00
REPLY TO:
ritchi50@optonline.net

4620. FA:Uniden BC-350A,MFJ-208+.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 20:59:06 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <ucEZe.79273$qY1.62937@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13293
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Fully working Uniden Bearcat BC-350A scanner and a MFJ-208 VHF antenna analyzer + 6v6's GT and Metal,+ +5Y3 JAN/GE +more Heathkits, more tubes, HEATH NEW AND USED MANUALS soon too; see at :

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, 73 , heytubeguy

4621. free tv for only 1 euro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 21:09:12 UTC
From: Christopher O'Callaghan <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <dh73lqmol1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 13294

Might i recommend this to you. Ebay item number 5297402959

1 euro for tv on your computer.Its very good and thought you might be interested.

All the best

Chris

4622. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 21:23:41 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <xzEZe.52$sL3.8@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13295
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:
> ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

Especially ironic since Jehovah, Allah, and Yahweh
are the same God-Head. Conclusion: God suffers
from multiple personality disorder. Mrs. God, i.e.
Mother Nature, should hit Him up aside the head
with a 2x4. :-)
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4623. Re: looking for mobile with BLACK screen - like Motorola gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-25 22:54:32 UTC
From: rjvalenta@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1127688872.231139.247040@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13296

a ' specialized system interface unit ' ? this sounds interesting...
can this all be connected to an A9 display?

do you have the Motorola part numbers for the interface and the
handheld head you mentioned? If i could route two spectras to an A9
head and put that on my dash, it would be perfect.

thanks,

richard
n0tzc

4624. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:34:02 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <v8udndGEGeWRzareRVn-jA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13297
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:

> Most convicts get "religion" because it looks good for the parole board.

True Scotsman fallacy.

> The reason Jews are under represented is the high value placed on education
> by the Jewish culture. A lesson lost on the ghetto dwellers in spite of the
> fact the early civil rights fight was for an equal education.
>
> As long as niggers equate education with "acting white", they will enslave
> themselves far more effectively that any plantation Massa of pre War of
> Northern Agression times.
>
> Once a group learns education opens the doors of opportunity, they are truly
> free.
>
> Your desperate grasping at straws to support atheism indicates to me, a
> crying out on your part for someone to lead you to the path of
> understanding. I shall pray for you my friend.

1. I generally don't like discussing anything with neo-Nazis, because
their ideology is even more irrational than any superstition.

2. I don't see any straws in my arguments and atheism is a default
state. Children have to be indoctrinated in order to become theists.

3. Your "praying for me" has as much effect on me as a wiccan's
proclamation that he will burn chicken bones at midnight for you would
have on you.

> Even if you do not believe in God, he believes in you!

Even if you don't believe in Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo,
Artemis, Babaluaye, Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid,
Ceres, Cupid, Cerridwen, Demeter, Diana, Dione, Dionysus, Eris, Eos,
Eleggua, , El Shaddai, Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya,
Gaea, Lord Genesa, Hades, Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes,
Hestia, Horus, Ibeji, Ifa, Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus,
Juno, Jehovah, Jove, Jupiter, Kali. Krishna Kronos, Korravai, Loki,
Lugh, Lord Indra, Manitou, Mars, Mercury, Minerva, Mercurius, Morrigan,
Nahuiquiahuitl, Nanahuatzin, Nephthys, Neptune, Obatala, Odin, Ogun,
Oshosi, Oshun, Osiris, Oya, Orunmila, Olokun, Olodumare, Pluto,
Persephone, Poseidon, Proserpina, Quetzalcoatl, Ra, Lord Rama, Rhea,
Saturn, Set, Selene, Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw, Uranus,

Venus, Vesta, Vishnu, Vesta, Vulcan, Wotan, Yahweh, Yemaya, Zeus, and thousands of others, they believe in you!

4625. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:35:41 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <9ZOdndXRttLxzareRVn-sQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13198
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Clark wrote:
> On Thu, 15 Sep 2005 12:00:29 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
> wrote:
>
>
>>Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply to an
>>HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.
>
>
> You said it yourself:
>
>>>refusing to take in a storm victim
>
> exactly conforms to
>
>>>>Intolerant toward others - 1645.
>
>
> otherwise, why would you offer your opinion
>
>>>while abhorrent to me
>
>
> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
> and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
> getting through the eye of the needle.

When I was a young feller, I recall many stories in bible class about good Christians who defied the law to do the right thing. I thrilled to stories about Christians who defied the Nazi's to protect Jewish people who would be otherwise killed, about brave Christians who managed to survive in Communist China. Lots of wonderful inspirational stories about religious conviction and character.

My how Christianity has changed! Must be a strong religion that won't go against an HOA.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4626. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:37:57 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <9ZOdndTRttJpzareRVn-sQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13199
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Percival P. Cassidy wrote:
> On 09/15/05 01:08 pm Richard Clark tossed the following ingredients into
> the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:
>
>>> Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply
>>> to an
>>> HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.
>
>
> <snip>
>
>> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
>> and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
>> getting through the eye of the needle.
>
>
> Amen, Brother.

Make sure you get the attributes right on that Brave statement. Twern't
Richard, Twas Fred.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4627. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:41:00 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <9ZOdndbRttI2zKreRVn-sQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13200
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Ted wrote:
> On Sat, 24 Sep 2005 15:16:54 -0700, Zoran Brlecic
> <...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:
>
>
>>Kï¿½HB wrote:
>>
>>
>>
>>>Everyone has to believe something. I believe I'll have another martini.
>>
>>And that's pretty much the only religion I respect.
>
>
> "Pardon me while I slip out of these wet clothes and into a dry
> martini." - Groucho (or was it Bugs Bunny?)

What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?

- Mike KB3EIA -

4628. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:45:44 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <MPmdnV7FcbxUz6reRVn-rQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13201
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

>>>>>In all cases, they believe and act according to their beliefs. That
>>>>>the atheists fall prey to their unrecognized beliefs cannot be
>>>>>disputed.
>>>>
>>>>And this is because you say so?
>>>
>>>Please counter the argument. If atheists do not have faith in their
>>>beliefs, then upon what basis would they judge their choices?
>>
>>First of all, atheism is non-belief in deities. That's it. Anything else
>>you're adding to this concept is your own projection.
>>Second, you're equivocating and word-playing on the term "belief". What
>>beliefs are we talking about in atheism? Atheists don't believe in gods
>>- a lack of belief is not belief any more than baldness is a hair color.
>>So, then, what beliefs? When you define this I'll "counter the argument"
>
> Belief requires faith in something unknown. I see no difference if one
> were to name that unknown G-d or call it by some other name.
> Regardless of the name, we attribute 'correctness' to something we do
> not know.

What has this got to do with atheism? I still don't see any faith or
belief in *not* believing that a magic supernatural dude created
everything. Not believing supernatural and paranormal concepts is a
default state. If you want to convince me or anyone else about your
extraordinary claim, you have to provide extraordinary evidence. Simply
saying "it is so because I say it is so" does not cut it.

>>>>>I do not deny that both are fallible, however, history demonstrates
>>>>>that the religious, despite their failures, have improved the human
>>>>>condition immeasurably where atheists have been only a blight upon
>>>>>civilization.
>>>>
>>>>??? You have got to be kidding? What has religion possibly done for
>>>>anyone except provided false hope while stealing their money?
>>>
>>>Law itself is derived directly from religious thought.
>>
>>Sometimes is, sometimes isn't. In the primitive tribal societies it was
>>much simpler to rule lawless people if you told them some god passed a
>>certain law and it just so happens that you have a direct communication

>>line with that god, so that you can interpret it. This is how religions
>>got born, and by a curious coincidence they all demanded money from
>>their followers.
>>Now, show how, for example, the American legal system is derived from
>>religion. Point out the law that makes it illegal to "covet one's ass"
>>or to eat shellfish or to wear clothes made from two different fabrics.

> American law is based upon English common law. English common law, in
> turn, is based upon "tradition, custom, and precedent."

And? Once again, what has this got to do with anything? The fact that
some laws coincide with *some* biblical or other religious "laws" does
not show that either morality or law are in any way related to the
so-called religious absolute morality.

>>>If there were no belief system, there could be no law.
>>
>>??? Look, just pulling statements out of your ass does not make them
>>believable. If you want to convince people, you have to present
>>arguments in a coherent way.
>>
>>What is so difficult about law anyway? Does it really take a genius to
>>figure out that murder, rape, slavery, genocide and theft are
>>detrimental to a society? We need some book written by ancient
>>goat-herders to tell us what laws are supposed to be? Besides, where,
>>for example, does the Bible say that slavery is wrong? Oh, that's right,
>>it doesn't - as a matter of fact, it explicitly condones it. It also
>>condones genocide, rape, infanticide and all sorts of other behavior
>>that nowadays is considered uncivilized (albeit only when perpetrated by
>>the God's chosen people against infidels). Strangely enough, there is no
>>mention of abortion in the Bible whatsoever, while one of the two wildly
>>different versions of the Ten Commandments deals with God's humongous
>>vanity.
>
> The single largest disagreement in the United States today is the
> power of government vs the power of the individual. Should each
> individual control all of his resources or do those resources
> ultimately belong to the state.

Switch and bait noted.

>>>Dictatorships have no law, that's what makes them so awful.
>>
>>??? You're not serious, are you?
>
> The trappings of law are meaningless if they do not apply equally to
> all. Dictators are the law.

This applies to all societies know to date, not only dictatorships. And
if you think the US is an exception to this rule, I have bad news for you.

>> >>Stifling science (from Galileo to stem cells), witch burning, condoning
>>
>>>>slavery, religious genocide on unprecedented scale, eradicating whole
>>>>civilizations, oppressing women, condoning fascism and
>>>>national-socialism, suppressing human rights for minorities, huge waste
>>>>of resources that could be better spent elsewhere, contributing to
>>>>millions of dead from AIDS by banning contraceptives, flaming national
>>>>and religious intolerance from Ireland to Palestine, and I could go on
>>>>forever...
>>>>
>>>>As for your "blight" comment, a majority of scientists are atheists, for
>>>>example. The percentage increases with education. That's education *not*
>>>>Kansas style.
>>>
>>>Do not attribute to religion the faults of mankind. Religion is a much
>>>broader concept than that represented by any known religion.
>>
>>No, it isn't. Your turn.
>
> Humans have many attributes, they think, they see, they stink, they
> feel, they love, they hate, etc. Among those attributes are religion.
> See Frazer's 'Golden Bough' for the parallels between all religions,
> ancient and modern. His work has had a substantial impact on the field
> of psychology.

Nevertheless, this just shows that humans, with their overdeveloped
brains, are capable of irrational, in addition to rational, thinking.
Just because humans are capable of imagining a god that makes thunder or
a god that makes the Universe or a jolly old man that brings presents,
doesn't mean they exist.

>>>While you're assessment of some religions at a particular point in
>>>time are on the mark, you overlook that same religion at an earlier or
>>>later point in time when it was substantially different.
>>>
>>>Like all things implemented by man, some succeed in their stated
>>>purpose and others fail.
>>
>>Yes, I agree that most of them succeed in their primary purpose, which
>>is allowing a class of social parasites to live off the gullible. From
>>Christianity to Scientology. The ultimate Ponzi scheme.
>
> Are speaking of governments or only religion?

Governments, much like armies, for all their faults and problems, are a
necessary evil, unless one advocates anarchy as a solution. Religion is
not.

4629. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:46:10 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <S6GdnUs8N9F5z6reRVn-uQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13202
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Fred W4JLE wrote:
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>> Most convicts get "religion" because it looks good for the parole board.
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> True Scotsman fallacy.
>
>> The reason Jews are under represented is the high value placed on
>> education
>> by the Jewish culture. A lesson lost on the ghetto dwellers in spite
>> of the
>> fact the early civil rights fight was for an equal education.
>>
>> As long as niggers equate education with "acting white", they will
>> enslave
>> themselves far more effectively that any plantation Massa of pre War of
>> Northern Agression times.
>>
>> Once a group learns education opens the doors of opportunity, they are
>> truly
>> free.
>>
>> Your desperate grasping at straws to support atheism indicates to me, a
>> crying out on your part for someone to lead you to the path of
>> understanding. I shall pray for you my friend.
>
>
> 1. I generally don't like discussing anything with neo-Nazis, because
> their ideology is even more irrational than any superstition.
>
> 2. I don't see any straws in my arguments and atheism is a default
> state. Children have to be indoctrinated in order to become theists.
>
> 3. Your "praying for me" has as much effect on me as a wiccan's
> proclamation that he will burn chicken bones at midnight for you would
> have on you.
>
>> Even if you do not believe in God, he believes in you!
>
>
> Even if you don't believe in Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo,

> Artemis, Babaluaye, Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid,
> Ceres, Cupid, Cerridwen, Demeter, Diana, Dione, Dionysus, Eris, Eos,
> Eleggua, , El Shaddai, Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya,
> Gaea, Lord Genesa, Hades, Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes,
> Hestia, Horus, Ibeji, Ifa, Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus,
> Juno, Jehovah, Jove, Jupiter, Kali. Krishna Kronos, Korravai, Loki,
> Lugh, Lord Indra, Manitou, Mars, Mercury, Minerva, Mercurius, Morrigan,
> Nahuiquiahuitl, Nanahuatzin, Nephthys, Neptune, Obatala, Odin, Ogun,
> Oshosi, Oshun, Osiris, Oya, Orunmila, Olokun, Olodumare, Pluto,
> Persephone, Poseidon, Proserpina, Quetzalcoatl, Ra, Lord Rama, Rhea,
> Saturn, Set, Selene, Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw, Uranus,
> Venus, Vesta, Vishnu, Vesta, Vulcan, Wotan, Yahweh, Yemaya, Zeus, and
> thousands of others, they believe in you!

Sigh.... No mention of my Turtle. It gets no respect from believers OR disbelievers..... 8^(

- Mike -

4630. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:49:17 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Eq6dnTyrDKgCzqreRVn-3w@comcast.com>
Source record: 13203
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

>>According to you, all atheists should be immoral by definition. It
>>follows that prisons should be overflowing with them. Yet, strangely
>>enough, in American prisons, Christians are over-represented, while
>>atheists (along with Jews and Muslims) are under-represented.
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> No, I don't think atheists are amoral or unmoral, I just don't think
> it's possible to be an atheist.

Well, then, you're clearly wrong, because I, for one, along with
millions of other people, am an atheist. I don't believe in your god,
nor do I believe in any other god until you provide objective evidence
instead of wishful thinking, "knowing in one's heart" and ancient myths.

And if you still don't understand why, ask yourself why you don't
believe in Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo, Artemis, Babaluaye,
Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid, Ceres, Cupid, Cerridwen,
Demeter, Diana, Dione, Dionysus, Eris, Eos, Eleggua, , El Shaddai,
Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya, Gaea, Lord Genesa, Hades,
Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes, Hestia, Horus, Ibeji, Ifa,
Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus, Juno, Jehovah, Jove,
Jupiter, Kali, Krishna, Kronos, Korravai, Loki, Lugh, Lord Indra,
Manitou, Mars, Mercury, Minerva, Mercurius, Morrigan, Nahuiquiahuitl,
Nanahuatzin, Nephthys, Neptune, Obatala, Odin, Ogun, Oshosi, Oshun,
Osiris, Oya, Orunmila, Olokun, Olodumare, Pluto, Persephone, Poseidon,
Proserpina, Quetzalcoatl, Ra, Lord Rama, Rhea, Saturn, Set, Selene,
Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw, Uranus, Venus, Vesta, Vishnu,
Vesta, Vulcan, Wotan, Yahweh, Yemaya and Zeus.

73 ... WA7AA

4631. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:50:24 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <BtIZe.14329$iM2.1184679@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 13204
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Mike Coslo" <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote in message
news:9ZOdndbRttI2zKreRVn-sQ@adelphia.com...

> What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

You can buy a Looney Toons collection via Amazon for a reasonable price. It doesn't have all the 'good ones', but I love it. I mean, the nephew loves it.....

Ken

4632. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:52:42 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <Eq6dnT-rDKj3yareRVn-3w@comcast.com>
Source record: 13205
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael A. Terrell wrote:

>>??? You have got to be kidding? What has religion possibly done for
>>anyone except provided false hope while stealing their money?
>
> Lets see. They have built hospitals, started schools and
> universities, fed the poor, provided them with clothes and homes, found
> them work to help them become independent.

So have communists and fascists, yet it is generally agreed that these
ideologies also belong in the history dumpster.

Point is, a normal healthy society does not need a superstition in order
to take care of the fellow citizen.

73 ... WA7AA

4633. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:56:21 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <p_WdnagAf_HeyKreRVn-oQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13206
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Zoran Brlecic wrote:

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> believe in Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo, Artemis, Babaluaye,
> Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid, Ceres, Cupid, Cerridwen,
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> Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya, Gaea, Lord Genesa, Hades,
> Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes, Hestia, Horus, Ibeji, Ifa,
> Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus, Juno, Jehovah, Jove,
> Jupiter, Kali, Krishna, Kronos, Korravai, Loki, Lugh, Lord Indra,
> Manitou, Mars, Mercury, Minerva, Mercurius, Morrigan, Nahuiquiahuitl,
> Nanahuatzin, Nephthys, Neptune, Obatala, Odin, Ogun, Oshosi, Oshun,
> Osiris, Oya, Orunmila, Olokun, Olodumare, Pluto, Persephone, Poseidon,
> Proserpina, Quetzalcoatl, Ra, Lord Rama, Rhea, Saturn, Set, Selene,
> Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw, Uranus, Venus, Vesta, Vishnu,
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Doggone it Zoran! Put in the Turtle... pleeze! He goes away if no one
believes in him!

- Mike

4634. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:58:14 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <p_WdnasAf_EoyKreRVn-oQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13207
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ken Taylor wrote:
> "Mike Coslo" <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote in message
> news:9ZOdndbRttI2zKreRVn-sQ@adelphia.com...
>
>
>>What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>>
>>- Mike KB3EIA -
>
>
> You can buy a Looney Toons collection via Amazon for a reasonable price. It
> doesn't have all the 'good ones', but I love it. I mean, the nephew loves
> it.....

I'm badly in need of a Foghorn Leghorn fix! 8^)

trying to kill this thread with inanity......

But I am serious about needing the old WB cartoons 8^)

- Mike -

4635. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 01:58:47 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433755d8$0$22205$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13208
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Zoran Brlecic wrote:

> Matt Osborn wrote:
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>>> follows that prisons should be overflowing with them. Yet, strangely
>>> enough, in American prisons, Christians are over-represented, while
>>> atheists (along with Jews and Muslims) are under-represented.
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> millions of other people, am an atheist. I don't believe in your god,
> nor do I believe in any other god until you provide objective evidence
> instead of wishful thinking, "knowing in one's heart" and ancient myths.
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> And if you still don't understand why, ask yourself why you don't
> believe in Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo, Artemis, Babaluaye,
> Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid, Ceres, Cupid, Cerridwen,
> Demeter, Diana, Dione, Dionysus, Eris, Eos, Eleggua, , El Shaddai,
> Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya, Gaea, Lord Genesa, Hades,
> Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes, Hestia, Horus, Ibeji, Ifa,
> Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus, Juno, Jehovah, Jove,
> Jupiter, Kali, Krishna, Kronos, Korravai, Loki, Lugh, Lord Indra,
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> Nanahuatzin, Nephthys, Neptune, Obatala, Odin, Ogun, Oshosi, Oshun,
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> Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw, Uranus, Venus, Vesta, Vishnu,
> Vesta, Vulcan, Wotan, Yahweh, Yemaya and Zeus.
>
>
> 73 ... WA7AA
>

You forgot J.R. "Bob" Dobbs of the Church of the SubGenius.

http://www.subgenius.com/

tom
K0TAR

4636. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:02:41 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <CP-dnf8zha9cy6renZ2dnUVZ_tOdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 13209
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mike Coslo wrote:

> Zoran Brlecic wrote:
>
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>> believe in Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo, Artemis, Babaluaye,
>> Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid, Ceres, Cupid,
>> Cerridwen, Demeter, Diana, Dione, Dionysus, Eris, Eos, Eleggua, , El
>> Shaddai, Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya, Gaea, Lord
>> Genesa, Hades, Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes, Hestia,
>> Horus, Ibeji, Ifa, Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus, Juno,
>> Jehovah, Jove, Jupiter, Kali, Krishna, Kronos, Korravai, Loki, Lugh,
>> Lord Indra, Manitou, Mars, Mercury, Minerva, Mercurius, Morrigan,
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>> Oshosi, Oshun, Osiris, Oya, Orunmila, Olokun, Olodumare, Pluto,
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>> Saturn, Set, Selene, Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw,
>> Uranus, Venus, Vesta, Vishnu,
>> Vesta, Vulcan, Wotan, Yahweh, Yemaya and Zeus.
>
>
> Doggone it Zoran! Put in the Turtle... pleeze! He goes away if no
> one believes in him!

Well, the list is only partial. For the complete listing, send me $7000
and I promise to give some of it to charity in order to appear to be
doing something useful.
Hey, it works for TV preachers.

73 ... WA7AA

4637. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:07:25 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <xJIZe.627$Fi3.579@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13210
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Zoran Brlecic wrote:
> 2. I don't see any straws in my arguments and atheism is a default
> state. Children have to be indoctrinated in order to become theists.

The straw is that there seems to be something in human nature that
needs to believe in a higher power. Myths and religion wouldn't
exist unless they fulfilled some need. One reason that we are more
successful than our ape cousins is that we can control the bullies
in our society. Religion helps to accomplish that control.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4638. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:12:47 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <43375952.B78B60FB@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13211
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mike Coslo wrote:
>
> I'm badly in need of a Foghorn Leghorn fix! 8^)
>
> trying to kill this thread with inanity......
>
> But I am serious about needing the old WB cartoons 8^)
>
> - Mike -

I find some of the old cartoons on DVDs at the local dollar store.
I've bought about 20, so far. ;-)

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4639. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:15:20 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <d9WdnUJVw9wkxKreRVn-sA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13212
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael A. Terrell wrote:
> Mike Coslo wrote:
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>>
>> - Mike -
>
>
>
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> I've bought about 20, so far. ;-)
>

Heh! I'm beginning to think I need to get out more, Mike! 8^)

- mike -

4640. Re: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:15:38 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <433759FE.CD06AB14@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13213
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> There's no such thing as Free Will.
>
> Google Rules, OK?

There is no such thing as Reg Edwards.

--
?

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4641. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:16:16 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <QRIZe.628$Fi3.469@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13214
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Zoran Brlecic wrote:
> Just because humans are capable of imagining a god that makes thunder or
> a god that makes the Universe or a jolly old man that brings presents,
> doesn't mean they exist.

On the contrary, human imagination brings lots of concepts into
existence. Your words, above, are just one example. Your word,
"god", represents a concept that does indeed exist. "Love" is
another concept that exists although I have never seen a drop
of love.
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4642. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:21:46 UTC
From: Mike Andrews <mikea@mikea.ath.cx>
Message-ID: <dh7lvq$572$1@puck.litech.org>
Source record: 13215
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

In rec.radio.amateur.dx Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:
> Matt Osborn wrote:

>>>>>>In all cases, they believe and act according to their beliefs. That
>>>>>>the atheists fall prey to their unrecognized beliefs cannot be
>>>>>>disputed.
>>>>>
>>>>>And this is because you say so?
>>>>
>>>>Please counter the argument. If atheists do not have faith in their
>>>>beliefs, then upon what basis would they judge their choices?
>>>
>>>First of all, atheism is non-belief in deities. That's it. Anything else
>>>you're adding to this concept is your own projection.
>>>Second, you're equivocating and word-playing on the term "belief". What
>>>beliefs are we talking about in atheism? Atheists don't believe in gods
>>>- a lack of belief is not belief any more than baldness is a hair color.
>>>So, then, what beliefs? When you define this I'll "counter the argument"
>>
>> Belief requires faith in something unknown. I see no difference if one
>> were to name that unknown G-d or call it by some other name.
>> Regardless of the name, we attribute 'correctness' to something we do
>> not know.

> What has this got to do with atheism?

More to the point, what has this got to do with alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,
rec.radio.amateur.antenna, rec.radio.amateur.dx, or
rec.radio.amateur.equipment?

Please, folks, take it to E-mail or to some group more suited to discussion
of philosophy and religion. I'd like to see something having to do with radio
here.

Apropos which, I see on the R-390 list that someone actually managed
to hear SAQ's arc broadcast on 17.2 KHz last week.

--
Mike Andrews, W5EGO
mikea@mikea.ath.cx
Tired old sysadmin

4643. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 02:55:32 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <qaoej15d3su5d02jkpe603s1r30lohqd99@4ax.com>
Source record: 13216
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Sep 2005 16:44:00 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:

>When the professor regained his senses and could speak he asked: "What the
>hell is the matter with you?! Why did you do that?" "God was really busy
>protecting America's soldiers, who are protecting your right to say stupid
>things and act like a jerk !!! So he sent me!!"
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>
>ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!

Just what we need - a bunch of testosterone-charge assholes punching
out people that don't believe in their god. It's pretty obvious who
the real jerk is in your story, and it isn't the professor.

4644. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 03:13:56 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <rqpej1t600suocm53q5i6flrlb6r7j27l2@4ax.com>
Source record: 13217
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 06:42:51 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 03:16:14 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>>On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 22:22:10 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 05:41:38 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>>>
>>>>>>>It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>>>>>>>all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>>>>>>>world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>>>>>>
>>>>> Is this a slam against our Muslim brethren? A comment on the
>>>>>position of Saudi Arabian women?
>>>>
>>>>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...
>>>
>>> That says more about you than about them.
>>
>>Such as?

If you have to ask ....

4645. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 04:09:26 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <81ba1$4337749f$97d56a13$32473@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13218
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

How can you tell if someone is a liberal?

Tell any joke, and they will find a way to take umbrage with it to show how
politically correct they are...

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4646. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 05:31:47 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <Jv2dnXDqtahW5areRVn-3g@gbronline.com>
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Uncle Ted wrote:
> On Sun, 25 Sep 2005 16:44:00 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
> wrote:
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>>When the professor regained his senses and could speak he asked: "What the
>>hell is the matter with you?! Why did you do that?" "God was really busy
>>protecting America's soldiers, who are protecting your right to say stupid
>>things and act like a jerk !!! So he sent me!!"
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>>ONE NATION UNDER GOD!!!
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> Just what we need - a bunch of testosterone-charge assholes punching
> out people that don't believe in their god. It's pretty obvious who
> the real jerk is in your story, and it isn't the professor.
>

It's a joke son.

4647. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 05:32:51 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <821fj1dkcfssb8u8rajkend0jip9l8cmmi@4ax.com>
Source record: 13220
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On Sun, 25 Sep 2005 21:37:57 -0400, Mike Coslo
<mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote:

>Percival P. Cassidy wrote:
>> On 09/15/05 01:08 pm Richard Clark tossed the following ingredients into
>> the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:
>>>> Perhaps you could show me where any of the offered definitions apply
>>>> to an
>>>> HOA rule that prohibits non family members from residing in a home.
>> <snip>
>>> Christian charity is not fulfilled by a shrug of the HOA committee,
>>> and members who enjoy the veil of these rules won't find it any easier
>>> getting through the eye of the needle.
>> Amen, Brother.
> Make sure you get the attributes right on that Brave statement. Twern't
>Richard, Twas Fred.

Hi Mike,

Perce was commending me (or so I read the reply to my post, which had
quoted Fred's top post (which makes attribution complex)).

Either way, what is more amusing is the anal-retentive attention given
to forcing the metaphor of the Camel to come out "correctly" by
successive writers and critics (thus proving it is easier to go to
hell through accuracy than get to heaven with style). Of course, none
of this matches the absolutely amateur religious instruction on what
constitutes an atheist - again, the toboggan run to hell paved with
definitions, examples and references reaching back to the dawn of the
crusades as proof.

Style is found in:
"Now I saw in my dream that Christian and Hopeful forsook Mr. By-ends,
and kept their distance before him; but one of them looking back, saw
three men following Mr. By-ends, and behold, as they came up with him,
he made them a very low bow; and they also gave him a compliment. The
men's names were Mr. Hold-the-world, Mr. Money-love, and Mr. Save-all;
men that Mr. By-ends had formerly been acquainted with; for in their
minority they were schoolfellows, and were taught by one Mr.
Gripe-man, a schoolmaster in Love-gain, which is a market town in the
county of Coveting, in the north. This schoolmaster taught them the
art of getting, either by violence, cozenage, flattery, lying, or by
putting on the guise of religion; and these four gentlemen had
attained much of the art of their master, so that they could each of

them have kept such a school themselves.

"Well, when they had, as I said, thus saluted each other, Mr. Money-love said to Mr. By-ends, Who are they upon the road before us? (for Christian and Hopeful were yet within view).

"BY-ENDS. They are a couple of far countrymen, that, after their mode, are going on pilgrimage.

"MONEY-LOVE. Alas! Why did they not stay, that we might have had their good company? for they, and we, and you, Sir, I hope, are all going on pilgrimage.

"BY-ENDS. Why, they, after their headstrong manner, conclude that it is duty to rush on their journey all weathers; and I am for waiting for wind and tide. They are for hazarding all for God at a clap; and I am for taking all advantages to secure my life and estate. They are for holding their notions, though all other men are against them; but I am for religion in what, and so far as the times, and my safety, will bear it. They are for religion when in rags and contempt; but I am for him when he walks in his golden slippers, in the sunshine, and with applause."

Auditions for readings follow this posting.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4648. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 07:53:36 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <ILSdnd9v5sSJNKreRVn-iw@comcast.com>
Source record: 13221
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Matt Osborn wrote:

>>>Belief requires faith in something unknown. I see no difference if one
>>
>>were to name that unknown G-d or call it by some other name.
>>
>>>Regardless of the name, we attribute 'correctness' to something we do
>>>not know.
>>
>>What has this got to do with atheism? I still don't see any faith or
>>belief in *not* believing that a magic supernatural dude created
>>everything. Not believing supernatural and paranormal concepts is a
>>default state. If you want to convince me or anyone else about your
>>extraordinary claim, you have to provide extraordinary evidence. Simply
>>saying "it is so because I say it is so" does not cut it.
>
>
> May I suggest you read the 'Golden Bough' by Frazer, for starters. The
> belief in the unknown is universal, it is a fundamental part of the
> human psyche.
>
> When you say " I still don't see any faith or belief in *not*
> believing that a magic supernatural dude created everything", you are
> merely saying that what you believe is better than what the other guy
> believes.

Not at all, I keep saying, and you refuse to hear it, that I d-o n-o-t
b-e-l-i-e-v-e i-n y-o-u-r g-o-d-s. Any of them.

Once again, absence of belief is not a belief. Let me illustrate:
suppose that someone accuses you of being a witch. He has no evidence,
other than he believes he saw you kill someone's cow with a spell. Now,
you obviously don't "believe that you're not" a witch, do you? It would
seem that his claim needs evidence/proof and you have nothing to believe
in and nothing to prove.
So now you're saying that his belief and your "belief" are somehow similar?

> What you seem to be doing is standing on soap box and claiming that
> Atheism is correct and religion is not. That Atheism has basis in
> fact where other religions are based on superstitions.
> Atheism is exactly the same in all fundamental respects as any other
> religion. Atheism, in other words doesn't exist, it cannot exist in
> any real sense. Rather than I proving that an elephant can't fly, why
> don't you prove that it can?

Why don't you prove that your gods, devils and angels exist first, before engaging in the standard theist shifting of the burden of proof. If you have nothing to show for your gods other than the usual begging the question and other logical fallacies, then I don't have to entertain your hypothesis with any more seriousness than the hypothesis that the Universe was farted out of the Super-Nuclear Donkey's butt yesterday afternoon.

Either way, Matt, you keep spinning the old tired religious nonsense about atheism being just another theism, because that's pretty much the only thing they can say on the matter, other than engaging in the ad hominem about atheists' immorality, that is.

However, none of this would matter one bit and I would care about Christianity as much as I care about some Amazon tribe's river gods, if it weren't for the fact that the religious right affects my life in the profoundly negative way, and the list is getting longer by the day: health research, contraceptives, euthanasia, abortion, education, politics, freedom of expression, "morality" laws, taxes, phony illegal wars, etc.

Americans have almost absolute freedom to practice their religion in their homes and in their churches as they please, but that is never enough for the Christian Taliban, is it? They won't be happy until this country becomes a Christian Saudi Arabia.

73 ... WA7AA

4649. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 07:59:50 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <h5GdncE26P7qN6reRVn-oQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13222
Cross-posted to:
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Cecil Moore wrote:

>> Just because humans are capable of imagining a god that makes thunder
>> or a god that makes the Universe or a jolly old man that brings
>> presents, doesn't mean they exist.
>
> On the contrary, human imagination brings lots of concepts into
> existence.

Read my sentence more carefully, Cecil.

> Your words, above, are just one example. Your word,
> "god", represents a concept that does indeed exist. "Love" is
> another concept that exists although I have never seen a drop
> of love.

I am not arguing that the *concept* of a god does not exist. I am arguing that in the absence of any evidence of the existence of the alleged gods, as well as considering the preponderance of scientific evidence contrary to all known religious scriptures, it is silly to believe in any of them. And why? Because some 5000 year old goat-bugger had too much to drink one day while trying to figure out stuff no one will ever know.

73 ... WA7AA

4650. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 08:11:34 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <1eadnVR7S-qqMKreRVn-og@comcast.com>
Source record: 13223
Cross-posted to:
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Matt Osborn wrote:

>>Well, then, you're clearly wrong, because I, for one, along with
>>millions of other people, am an atheist. I don't believe in your god,
>>nor do I believe in any other god until you provide objective evidence
>>instead of wishful thinking, "knowing in one's heart" and ancient myths.

> You have made no case for atheism. All you have done is list a series
> of things in which do not believe. You have not listed what you do
> believe or in what you have placed your faith.

What difference does it make what I "believe"? When it comes to blind faith in the supernatural and paranormal, I believe none of it until it can be scientifically repeated, falsified and explained. Other than that, I believe the Sun will rise tomorrow and I believe in peace and love, and I believe I'll have a beer. But please don't go confusing these three "beliefs" with the belief in the supernatural. This is the equivocation game and it's dishonest.

> Atheism is a logically faulty concept. Being human, you cannot
> possibly know everything.

What difference does this make? I don't know how the Universe began and quite possibly no one will ever know exactly, but does that mean we can simply pull the "answers" out of our asses? I am not playing the god of the gaps game either. That's just stupid.

> What you may think of the unknown is
> entirely up to you, but whatever that may be, will require just as
> much faith as any other religion. Your religion simply has different
> trappings.

[sigh] I suppose it's hopeless.

You keep blindly repeating what your voodoo practitioners told you, and are unwilling to accept that atheists get to define what atheism is - not you. So feel free to believe (no pun) that atheism is religion or that atheists "deny" God, but I am telling you that the only thing that atheism is, is the absence of belief in gods. Period.

And to everyone's relief, this will be my last post. Whoever wants to follow up is free to transfer the discussion to alt.atheism, soc.atheism or talk.atheism.

73 ... WA7AA

4651. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 11:34:02 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh8mba$1fg$1@nwrdmz03.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13224
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> What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

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It is unfortunate that Hollywood so long has dominated the world's supposedly desirable standards of human behaviour and described, by countless examples in films, the ficticious and imagined way of life in the USA. But the truth about real life went to pot after Charlie Chaplin and others were expelled from your shores.

Things may be different now that the Japanese wealth and enterprise have taken over Hollywood. But perhaps it is too late. The Internet, not Hollywood, is taking over the dissemination of ideas. Big Brother Rules!

They who own and control the means of communication will rule the Earth.

Makes a change from so-called SWR meters.

Reg, G4FGQ.

4652. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 12:27:58 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dh8pge$b6q$1@nwrdmz02.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13225
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> Your belief in no G-d is no different than any belief in G-d.

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It is noticed that you are sufficiently superstitious and afraid of
the deity even to use, in print, the full name and description of
"god".

How do you manage in normal conversation to convey your ideas?

Reg.

4653. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 12:37:31 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <q4OdnUPMy5iQcareRVn-pA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13226
Cross-posted to:
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> Just what we need - a bunch of testosterone-charge assholes punching
> out people that don't believe in their god. It's pretty obvious who
> the real jerk is in your story, and it isn't the professor.

There is one anecdotal saying that is proper for this point:

Let this thread return to amateur radio topics.

P L E A S E !!!!!!!!!!!!!
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4654. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 13:33:22 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <CMSZe.2767$KQ5.690@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13227
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> Atheism is exactly the same in all fundamental respects as any other
> religion.

If an atheist believes only in things that can be proven using
the scientific method, he is the *exact opposite* of a religious
person who substitutes blind faith for scientific inquiry.

> Atheism, in other words doesn't exist, it cannot exist in
> any real sense.

This is known in scientific logic as begging the question. The
onus of proof is upon you to first prove that a supreme supernatural
being exists. Only after you accomplish that scientific feat of
classic logic would you be in a position to discuss the implications.

> Rather than I proving that an elephant can't fly, why
> don't you prove that it can?

The onus of proof is upon the person who asserts the positive
premise which is: "God exists." Until you prove your premise, all
of your arguments are easily recognized as logical diversions.
Therefore all of your statements must be prefaced with:
"If and only if my particular God exists, ...".

If the existence of God were ever proven beyond a reasonable doubt
and atheists continued to disbelieve, then atheism would become a
religion, but not before.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4655. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 14:04:18 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <CdTZe.690$Fi3.650@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13228
Cross-posted to:
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Matt Osborn wrote:
> You have made no case for atheism.

Not that I'm an atheist, but here is the case for atheism: The
existence of even one of the following as a supernatural being
has never been proven.

Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo, Artemis, Babaluaye,
Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid, Ceres, Cupid, Cerridwen,
Demeter, Diana, Dione, Dionysus, Eris, Eos, Eleggua, , El Shaddai,
Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya, Gaea, Lord Genesa, Hades,
Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes, Hestia, Horus, Ibeji, Ifa,
Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus, Juno, Jehovah, Jove,
Jupiter, Kali, Krishna, Kronos, Korravai, Loki, Lugh, Lord Indra,
Manitou, Mars, Mercury, Minerva, Mercurius, Morrigan, Nahuiquiahuitl,
Nanahuatzin, Nephthys, Neptune, Obatala, Odin, Ogun, Oshosi, Oshun,
Osiris, Oya, Orunmila, Olokun, Olodumare, Pluto, Persephone, Poseidon,
Proserpina, Quetzalcoatl, Ra, Lord Rama, Rhea, Saturn, Set, Selene,
Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw, Uranus, Venus, Vesta, Vishnu,
Vesta, Vulcan, Wotan, Yahweh, Yemaya and Zeus

Even the very existence of a supernatural dimension or realm has never
been proven.

Religion is based on blind faith and beliefs in things that cannot be
proven. Atheism is based on an absence of blind faith and beliefs in
things that can be proven beyond a reasonable doubt.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4656. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 14:12:40 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <slTZe.695$Fi3.640@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13229
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Zoran Brlecic wrote:
> I am not arguing that the *concept* of a god does not exist.

I know, Zoran, the devil made me do it. :-)
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4657. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 14:30:45 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <dr0gj1pl3v5ki2u9gegtocrcsmad2uq15e@4ax.com>
Source record: 13231
Cross-posted to:
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On Sun, 25 Sep 2005 22:31:47 -0700, Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
wrote:

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>> out people that don't believe in their god. It's pretty obvious who
>> the real jerk is in your story, and it isn't the professor.
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>
>It's a joke son.

Yes, and I've heard this joke told before by people who think they're
being clever. Unfortunately, there are too many people that have this
mentality in real life. They are the ones who say, "You're free, as
long as you think the same way as me."

4658. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 14:33:56 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <oFTZe.703$Fi3.133@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13230
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> In all of our science and knowledge, we have yet to find random
> things.

False. Certain characteristics of entangled particles are
completely random and must remain so in order to avoid faster
than light transfer of information, something presently
considered to be impossible. Can your G-d communicate at
faster than light speeds?

> Atheists are no different than the religious, they, as do the
> religious themselves, simply believe in different things.

False. The absence of a belief is the exact opposite of the
existence of a belief. By your logic, the absence of a tree
is exactly the same thing as the presence of a tree. Methinks
you picked the wrong newsgroup to try to flim-flam. Are you
an EH antenna salesman by any chance? :-)
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4659. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 14:44:55 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <3k1gj1doq7j8r8s4289jfnnk3k6b6dshg8@4ax.com>
Source record: 13232
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 25 Sep 2005 22:35:44 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>You have made no case for atheism. All you have done is list a series
>of things in which do not believe. You have not listed what you do
>believe or in what you have placed your faith.
>
>Atheism is a logically faulty concept. Being human, you cannot
>possibly know everything. What you may think of the unknown is
>entirely up to you, but whatever that may be, will require just as
>much faith as any other religion. Your religion simply has different
>trappings.

There are some atheists who say that there is no god, and there are others who say that the existence of any god can neither be proven nor disproved. Either way, those asserting a belief in a god have the burden of proof. It's not up to atheists to prove that a god does not exist. Of course, you are correct when you say that humans cannot possibly know everything, but to accept a concept such as "god" is applying faith without any critical thinking or reason. This is blind faith.

4660. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 15:06:09 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <oc2gj110akku6lupod05uui7b6i35rat3r@4ax.com>
Source record: 13233
Cross-posted to:
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On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 05:27:54 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>You do have blind faith in something unless you've already discovered
>everything. None of us can say anything of the unknown with
>certainty, yet we all have the faith to tackle the unknown head on and
>to carve from it useful knowledge.

Of course, if you paint with that broad of a stroke, faith can mean
just about anything you want it to mean. To say that atheists have
"faith" in their beliefs or that such beliefs are actually a religion
is flawed. I can assure you that if some winged being flew down out of
the sun and ended all disease, suffering, and hunger, and brought
peace to the world, and if every person in the world called this being
"god" in their own native tongue, I guarantee even the most hardcore
atheist would have faith in that god.

>BTW, despite the allegations, there is no conflict between science and
>religion. The religious use science just as much as the rest of us.

No, the conflict is about religionists trying to pass their beliefs
off as science.

>>What difference does this make? I don't know how the Universe began and
>>quite possibly no one will ever know exactly, but does that mean we can
>>simply pull the "answers" out of our asses? I am not playing the god of
>>the gaps game either. That's just stupid.
>
>If you don't know everything, than you have to have faith that you can
>operate and archive something in the face of the unknown. How you
>perceive that faith is up to you, but it is there.

...and the brush strokes become even broader.

4661. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 15:11:12 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <pk3gj191pqj7hkderbti525toradsn1bpn@4ax.com>
Source record: 13234
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 03:13:56 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>>>>>It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>>>>>all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>>>>>world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>>>>>
>>>>> Is this a slam against our Muslim brethren? A comment on the
>>>>>position of Saudi Arabian women?
>>>>
>>>>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...
>>>
>>> That says more about you than about them.
>>
>>Such as?
>
> If you have to ask ....

Ambiguity will get you nowhere.

4662. WTB: Icom 775DSP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 16:11:29 UTC
From: Mark <el34guy@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1127751089.875308.75000@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13235

Im looking for an Icom 775dsp. What does anyone have out there? Thanks.
73 Mark

W0NCL

4663. FS Icom 32AT Dual Band HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 17:37:36 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <tlWZe.82773$7f5.42211@okepread01>
Source record: 13236

FS Icom IC-32AT Dual Band 2/440 HT, BC-35 Rapid Desk Charger, IC-DC1 DC
Adaptor, HM-46 Speaker Mic, 4 Batteries(Weak), needs Battery or rebuild old
ones,
This is a 7 watt HT when 12 Volts DC is used to power it. It works great
except that
the Tones do not seem to work. It has a Tone Board as standard equpiment,
but I can't
bring up repeaters requiring tones. Otherwise it is i nice shape.Copy of the
Manual, Price $85
shipped in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4664. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 19:44:15 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <kcYZe.14460$iM2.1194399@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 13237
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Mike Coslo" <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote in message
news:d9WdnUJVw9wkxKreRVn-sA@adelphia.com...
> Michael A. Terrell wrote:
>> Mike Coslo wrote:
>>
>>> I'm badly in need of a Foghorn Leghorn fix! 8^)
>>>
>>> trying to kill this thread with inanity......
>>>
>>> But I am serious about needing the old WB cartoons 8^)
>>>
>>> - Mike -
>>
>>
>>
>> I find some of the old cartoons on DVDs at the local dollar store.
>> I've bought about 20, so far. ;-)
>>
>
> Heh! I'm beginning to think I need to get out more, Mike! 8^)
>
> - mike -

Me too - where's that store? :-)

Ken

4665. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 22:27:27 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <jB_Ze.554$lc1.0@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13238
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> Nothing can be proven using the scientific method.

Hey, let me try that same approach. You do not exist.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4666. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 22:30:50 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <uE_Ze.555$lc1.543@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13239
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> Gravity has never been proven.

I know the answer to this one from my hippie days.

There is no gravity! The earth sucks!
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4667. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-26 22:41:17 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <vM_Ze.8227$eB3.5897@bignews3.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13240
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Ham op" <hamop@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:88WdnbrHqZgpkbreRVn-tg@comcast.com...
> Jerry wrote:
>
>> "Ham op" <hamop@comcast.net> wrote in message
>> news:0ICdncTJkPKeVrveRVn-vA@comcast.com...
>>
>>>Dee Flint wrote:
>>>
>>>>"Carl / W6VDC" <carl.hixon@cox.net> wrote in message
>>>>news:bnkVe.8821$mH.8469@fed1read07...
>>>>
>>>>
>>>>>> And then, there are the morons and bigots:
>>>>>><http://news.google.com/news?hl=en&ned=us&ie=ISO-8859-1&q=Ocala+Fl+Majestic+Oaks&btn
G=Search+News>
>>>>>
>>>>>I looked at the link and read a couple of the articles. I didn't see
>>>>>anything that warranted labelling them bigots. I don't think that the
>>>>>HOA took the proper position, but that doesn't make them bigots.
>>>>
>>>>
>>>>However it would seem to indicate that they lack humanitarianism.
>>>>
>>>>
>>>
>>>Judgments!!! Would it not be better to read the exact terms of the CC&R,
>>>AKA CONTRACT, before judgments are made??
>>>
>>>The exact wording of the HOA/CC&R may restrict certain activities [such
>>>as external antennas, or temporary housing, etc]. The restriction can
>>>only be waived by consent of the members of the HOA.
>>
>>
>>
>> That's just it! There ain't gonna BE any HOA's ,covenants, or busybody
>> neighbors telling me to do a durned thing unless they got enough rear end
>> on 'em to MAKE me! If today, somebody wanted to start an HOA in my
>> neighborhood, I'd tell them to kiss my (censored).
>>
>> I feel VERY strongly about property rights, and if I want to put up an
>> American flag, then I'll put up an American flag and I dare some

>> schweinhund to come over here and touch it! I DESPISE and detest HOA's!
>> :(
>>
>> Jerry
>
> Gerry, you said it correctly. Tell your agent "I will not consider, under
> any conditions, any HOAs or CC&Rs." If the RE attorney uncovers any
> 'hidden' CC&Rs in the title search, the sale is OFF!
>
> I live in the "Live Free or Die" state [New Hampshire]. When I bought here
> three years ago I made that point to our realtor. We bought a very nice
> single family home of 2100 square feet on a 1/2 acre only 21 years old, 6
> miles south of the state capital and 12 miles north of the third largest
> city.
>
> I checked town zoning requirements for a tower. I'm allowed 70 feet for
> the tower without requesting a variance. Also, if the tower is
> professionally installed I need not consult the town building inspector.
> Heights from 70 feet 1 inch to 200 feet require plan approval by the
> building inspector ONLY for safety issues. BTW: my tower is only 50 feet
> [I live on top of a 510 foot hill with height above average terrain of 250
> feet for 5 miles radius].
>
> But back to the original issue. The HOA may have a strict rule on
> temporary housing. It is a freely entered into contract condition that
> requires the consent of the contracting parties to amend.
>
> So, the term 'BIGOT' is a prejudicial pre judgment.

I've always loved that statement "Live Free or Die". Good for New Hampshire!! I would've done well in New Hampshire!

Like you, I made 2 requirements. 1) No HOA's. and 2) No "heat" pumps!! I know it gets colder in NH, but it CAN get a bit chilly here in Western NC. I won't have cold air coming out of my registers! LOL! And that, of course, is a story for a different thread!

Jerry
>

4668. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 01:25:36 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <43389FAF.FF2E1799@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13241
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ken Taylor wrote:
>
> Me too - where's that store? :-)
>
> Ken

The "Dollar Tree" chain of dollar stores is where I find most of
them. I saw some the other day at a "Save-A-Lot" grocery store, too.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4669. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 01:26:14 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <43389FD5.FF87A0F0@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13242
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
>
> > What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
> >
> > - Mike KB3EIA -
>
> ================================
>
> It is unfortunate that Hollywood so long has dominated the world's
> supposedly desirable standards of human behaviour and described, by
> countless examples in films, the ficticious and imagined way of life
> in the USA. But the truth about real life went to pot after Charlie
> Chaplin and others were expelled from your shores.
>
> Things may be different now that the Japanese wealth and enterprise
> have taken over Hollywood. But perhaps it is too late. The Internet,
> not Hollywood, is taking over the dissemination of ideas. Big Brother
> Rules!
>
> They who own and control the means of communication will rule the
> Earth.
>
> Makes a change from so-called SWR meters.
> ----
> Reg, G4FGQ.

Get a life, old man. :(

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4670. AM-1180/GRC manual/schematic?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 01:28:06 UTC
From: theosus <theosus@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1127784486.781716.286620@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13243
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Can anyone out there help with a slight problem? I have in my posession an AM-1180/GRC 100w FM amp, 50-100mhz. When i purchased it years ago it came with a schematic, which showed what voltages it needed where in order to operate. Anyone have experience with this type of unit? It uses a 4x150a power tube, and one hellacious roller inductor and capacitor.

I would either like to use it or sell it, but in either case i need a schematic.

-m.

4671. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 01:54:56 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4338A687.8D5B94DF@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13244
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Brad wrote:
>
> <LenAnderson@ieee.org> wrote in message
> news:1127271443.195835.320110@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> From: K?B on Sep 15, 12:09 pm
>
> >How is "Christian charity" different from other charity, and do I need to
> >be a
> >member of your cult in order to get through the eye of the needle (and why
> >would
> >I want to?)?
>
> Christian Charity is a point scoring exercise with God. It is done for
> selfish reasons, to make sure you are noticed by God and he lets you in.

Really? Then why does the New Testament say "Not by your works, but
by your faith"?

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4672. FA - MFJ-941E Tuner with Ten-Tec Dummy Load

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 02:31:40 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1127788300.513561.269150@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13245
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5813269804&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

4673. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 02:49:59 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <spchj1pr7ee27ssegm59vui1ljrjcq6nof@4ax.com>
Source record: 13246
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 06:42:51 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 03:16:14 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>>On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 22:22:10 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>On Mon, 19 Sep 2005 05:41:38 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>>>
>>>>>>>It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>>>>>>>all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>>>>>>>world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>>>>>>
>>>>> Is this a slam against our Muslim brethren? A comment on the
>>>>position of Saudi Arabian women?
>>>
>>>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...
>>
>> That says more about you than about them.
>
>Such as?

If you have to ask ....

4674. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 03:01:33 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <c7dhj1lo8casjf30r4f5jb8ije90mtdj7v@4ax.com>
Source record: 13247

On Sat, 24 Sep 2005 18:38:21 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:

>Most convicts get "religion" because it looks good for the parole board.
>
>The reason Jews are under represented is the high value placed on education
>by the Jewish culture. A lesson lost on the ghetto dwellers in spite of the
>fact the early civil rights fight was for an equal education.
>
>As long as niggers

Despicable racist POS.

>equate education with "acting white", they will enslave
>themselves far more effectively that any plantation Massa of pre War of
>Northern Agression times.
>
>Once a group learns education opens the doors of opportunity, they are truly
>free.
>
>Your desperate grasping at straws to support atheism indicates to me, a
>crying out on your part for someone to lead you to the path of
>understanding.

Silly ass right-wing pop psych.

> I shall pray for you my friend.

I am not your friend and as long as you refer to others as
above, you can shove your prayers. Neither God nor I have any use for
them.

>
>Even if you do not believe in God, he believes in you!

But He likely has severe doubts about you, single-digit-iq
bigot.

>
>
>"Zoran Brlecic" <...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote in message
>news:Oo2dnQo1qoWNTajeRVn-vQ@comcast.com...
>> According to you, all atheists should be immoral by definition. It
>> follows that prisons should be overflowing with them. Yet, strangely
>> enough, in American prisons, Christians are over-represented, while
>> atheists (along with Jews and Muslims) are under-represented.
>

4675. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 03:10:23 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <AeadndN8Uv-DJaXeRVn-2Q@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13148
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:
>>What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>>
>>- Mike KB3EIA -
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>
> It is unfortunate that Hollywood so long has dominated the world's
> supposedly desirable standards of human behaviour and described, by
> countless examples in films, the ficticious and imagined way of life
> in the USA. But the truth about real life went to pot after Charlie
> Chaplin and others were expelled from your shores.
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> Things may be different now that the Japanese wealth and enterprise
> have taken over Hollywood. But perhaps it is too late. The Internet,
> not Hollywood, is taking over the dissemination of ideas. Big Brother
> Rules!
>
> They who own and control the means of communication will rule the
> Earth.
>
> Makes a change from so-called SWR meters.

Possibly, Reg, but it still doesn't tell me where Bugs went! ;^)

- Mike KB3EIA -

4676. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 03:14:16 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <u5ehj1lq86joqcaauhvn3lq4v1cbm2a5sb@4ax.com>
Source record: 13152
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 20:52:55 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 22:30:50 GMT, Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net> wrote:
>
>>Matt Osborn wrote:
>>> Gravity has never been proven.
>>
>>I know the answer to this one from my hippie days.
>>
>>There is no gravity! The earth sucks!
>
>So does the wind!
>

No. It blows.

4677. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 03:18:32 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <jcehj19t0tk03ppb24peablo83rpodn7qe@4ax.com>
Source record: 13153
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 27 Sep 2005 01:54:56 GMT, "Michael A. Terrell"
<mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote:

>> Christian Charity is a point scoring exercise with God. It is done for
>> selfish reasons, to make sure you are noticed by God and he lets you in.
>
>
> Really? Then why does the New Testament say "Not by your works, but
>by your faith"?

This link should explain it for you...

http://www.skepticsannotatedbible.com/contra/faithalone.html

4678. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 03:24:26 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <KX2_e.608$lc1.145@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13149
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>Earth.
>>
>>Makes a change from so-called SWR meters.
>>----
>>Reg, G4FGQ.
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>
> Get a life, old man. :(
>

If Reg doesn't like Hollywood, there's always Bollywood.
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH
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4679. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 03:28:03 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <6371f$4338bc6e$97d56a13$15100@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13150
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You are correct Cecil, you and Matt exisit only as figments of my
imagination.

For my own amusement, I sometimes let others think I am a figment of theirs.

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4680. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 03:29:20 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <k03_e.610$lc1.390@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13151
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael A. Terrell wrote:

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>>>I want to?)?
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>>Christian Charity is a point scoring exercise with God. It is done for
>>selfish reasons, to make sure you are noticed by God and he lets you in.
>
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>
> Really? Then why does the New Testament say "Not by your works, but
> by your faith"?
>

Faith and works are, like voltage and current, inextricably intertwined.
The proof of faith is the good work. Those who do no good have no faith.
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4681. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 04:53:27 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <4338D057.B9B48493@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13154
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> 73,
> Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

I was taught as a child to help others. I have lost count of the things I've done for family, friends and strangers without asking anything in return. I have also had others help me when the tables were turned. They have fed me, given me rides, or paid so I could see a doctor after I was fired for being unconscious for five days with the flu. It works both ways. Today, I am 100% disabled, and only able to work a couple hours a day so I spend most of that time collecting and repairing donated computers for the local "Vets Helping Vets" group, who gives them to other disabled vets who are unable to afford a computer. It gives me something to do, and still helps others. I have offered to help the hams around here to repair their equipment, but they dismissed my offer because I don't have a amateur radio licensee. Its their loss. I have a well equipped shop here at home, and a good stock of parts going to waste. I guess working on a 195 UHF KW transmitter or building commercial microwave equipment isn't good enough for them? It doesn't matter to me anymore. I'll keep restoring early amateur and general coverage receivers as long as I'm able to prop myself up at one of my benches. My current project is a National NC-183R that is taking way too long to restore because it was butchered by an EE with too much time on his hands. There are huge wads of capacitors taped together with wires running everywhere under the chassis so I will make sure I have every part before I clean up that mess.

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4682. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 06:26:00 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <dephj1t4mn7bm2kgeb2kpj1i319k622e5t@4ax.com>
Source record: 13155
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 23 Sep 2005 15:33:19 -0400, Michael Coslo
<mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu> wrote:

>
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>Tom Ring wrote:
>> Tom Ring wrote:
>>
>>> Matt Osborn wrote:
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>>>>
>>>> A few thousand compared to 50 million?
>>>>
>>>
>>> Well that certainly makes it ok. You mean you aren't an absolutist?
>>>
>>> tom
>>> K0TAR
>>>
>>
>> The difference between me and you is that I know it's always wrong, and
>> you seem to have left an opening for your "religion" to do evil things
>> becuase your morality says it's ok.
>>
>> I'm sorry that you can't understand that an atheist can have morals not
>> tied to superstition, but to to true right and wrong.
>
>First Crusade:
>
> 12,000 Jews killed in the Rhine valley.
> 6000 killed in Jerusalem when they torched the synagogue there
> 30,000 Muslims killed at the al Aqsa mosque.
> at least 200,000 killed over the length of the crusades.
>
> Then let us not forget the Iquisitions, witch-hunts and other jollies
>that went on.
>
> And there is plenty more to go around on all sides. Appears
>
> We're a long way from "a few thousand".
>
> But as the recent poster Mike has noted, this is pretty off topic, so

>I'll refrain from any more posting in this thread.
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

Typical -- I've had my say, so the discussion is terminated.
CS.

4683. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 06:28:50 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <9jphj11p35trkou22sha53f27rkclo0sru@4ax.com>
Source record: 13156
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 24 Sep 2005 15:21:03 -0700, Zoran Brlecic
<...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:

>Vito wrote:
>
>
>> Not to mention Hitler.
>
>And we have a Godwin, all...

Dumb shit -- the reference is apropos in the midst of a
discussion of mass murderers. You lose.

>
>Btw, Hitler, if you must bring him up, was a Christian.

4684. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 06:30:21 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <2nphj15rs2cjam36bg7fu9gg2pv3d247gm@4ax.com>
Source record: 13157
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 22 Sep 2005 20:13:50 -0700, Zoran Brlecic
<...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:

>Matt Osborn wrote:
>
>>>>>I hardly consider myself a fanatic, and am extremely unlike to "hammer"
>>>>>anyone over religion, or lack there of.
>>>>>
>>>>>Some of the most fanatical are those members of the religion of atheism.
>>>
>>>Yeah? When was the last time an atheist:
>>
>>
>> Ever hear of Stalin? Lenin? Mao?
>>
>> Can you name three other people who have been responsible for as many
>> untimely deaths as these three?
>
>
>This tired old argument???
>
>First of all I notice that you haven't addressed any of the specific
>examples I gave about *theists* and their religious crimes.
>Second, all of the examples I gave are about theists committing crimes
>against humanity precisely *because* of their religion, directly and
>indirectly.
>As far as "Stalin, Lenin and Mao" are concerned, their crimes were most
>certainly not committed in order to promote atheism, unless that atheism
>was a vehicle for establishing communism, which btw, is de facto a form
>of religion. Religion was not outlawed in the USSR and priests were
>being prosecuted no more than the rest of the society. Communism and
>theism can co-exist and did successfully in most communist countries.
>Besides, Stalin spent years in a seminary. Some atheist.
>One could just as successfully argue that since "Stalin, Lenin and Mao"
>committed crimes and they all ate bread, then by your logic people who
>eat bread are murderers.

Mother's milk as gateway drug.

4685. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 08:33:30 UTC
From: N2EY@AOL.COM
Message-ID: <1127810010.581113.28990@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13158
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mike Coslo wrote:

> > "Pardon me while I slip out of these wet clothes
> > and into a dry
> > martini." - Groucho (or was it Bugs Bunny?)

I think it was Groucho
>
> What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>
Warner Bros. has them safely tucked away. Some that were made in the
1940s are not shown anymore because they contain parodies and
stereotypes now considered racist.

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I think you were asking about Foghorn Leghorn...

"Nice girl, but about as sharp as a sack o' wet mice"

"DAWG! I say, dawg, you look like two miles o' bad road!"

"That widder hen reminds me of the road from Fort Worth to Dallas - no
curves"

"No, I better not look - I just might be in there"

"That dawg reminds me of Paul Revere's ride - a little light in the
belfry.."

73 de Jim, N2EY

that's all, folks!

4686. Re: FA - MFJ-941E Tuner with Ten-Tec Dummy Load

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 14:33:31 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1127831611.477006.218070@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13159
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Sold - thanx.

4687. Re: looking for mobile with BLACK screen - like Motorola gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 15:01:47 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <l6d_e.7349$7l.3953@bignews2.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 13160

"Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null> wrote in message
news:MPG.1d9e8f6df7aa67739896a7@192.168.42.131...
> In article <1127488249.530702.220360@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>,
> rjvalenta@yahoo.com says...
>
> <snippety>
>
>> Another example would be something like the Motorola Spectra (shown at:
>> http://images.batlabs.com/mobiles/speca9.jpg) - but you can't get those
>> in dual band.
>
> Ahh... As the owner of a pair of Spectras, and as a tech who works
> on them almost every week, I can assure you that their displays are not
> "color LCD."
>
> The closest they come is, on the Astro Spectras, a monochrome LCD
> panel consisting of 2 lines of 16 characters each.
>
> The standard 'Systems 9000' head is nothing more than a blue VF
> (Vacuum-Fluorescent) display tube with 15 segments per character instead
> of 7.
>
> While it is true that individual Spectras were never made in a
> dual-band configuration, the same functionality was achieved by using
> two radio drawers (VHF and UHF), a handheld control head, and a
> specialized system interface unit to tie it all together. Such setups
> were frequently used by government agencies, most of whom went under
> three-letter abbreviations.
>
> Now, with that said... I would be curious to know if you turn up
> something along the lines you describe. I'd like to look at it myself.
>
> Happy hunting.
>
>
> --
> Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
> (Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
> kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
> "If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
> with surreal ports?"

Might I ask if you have a source for used Astro Spectras?
I may not be able to afford such (I have no idea how much they cost since I

never see them as "used". But I do have a use for one or two if I can find them.

73

Jerry

4688. FS Hazer H-3 to Belton, Texas

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 17:14:16 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <z5f_e.87449$7f5.18295@okepread01>
Source record: 13161

I have a Glen Martin Hazer H-3 Standard duty aluminum hazer system for sale. This is the model that fits the Rohn 20 and 25g Towers. This one is almost new and is complete. A winch can be purchased as an option from AES for $80, but cheaper ones can be found at most any hardware stores. AES sells the H-3 alone for $274 plus $26.99 extra for the rotor plate. I am asking $125 and I will deliver it to the Belton, Texas Hamfest this weekend.Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

4689. FS Kenwood TM-261 VHF Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 18:58:52 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <DDg_e.87521$7f5.42375@okepread01>
Source record: 13162

Kenwood TM-261A 2 Meter Transceiver for sale. This transceiver is in nice shape. It runs up to 50 watts FM and come with the MC-53DM mic, Manual , and Power Cable. Price is $115 plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4690. FS Kenwood VS-2 Voice Bd

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 19:10:44 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <LOg_e.87523$7f5.11827@okepread01>
Source record: 13163

FS Kenwood VS-2 Voice Synthesizer for TS-450/TS-850 and other Kenwood
radios. Comes with Instructions for installation.
Works perfectly. Price is $55 plus shipping. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4691. Help, need service manual JRC- NRD 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 19:19:03 UTC
From: Hans <dxhunter_remove_me_@hccnet.nl>
Message-ID: <43399b29$0$773$3a628fcd@reader20.nntp.hccnet.nl>
Source record: 13164
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

Hi,

is there anybody who can provide me (url, link, hard copy?) with the service manual for the JRC-NRD 535?

Thank you VERY much!

Hans.

4692. FS Kenwood Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 19:21:16 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <CYg_e.87526$7f5.18234@okepread01>
Source record: 13165

International Radio #95 1.8 Khz filter for 8.83 IF forTS-850/ TS-450/Other
Kenwood radios, Manual, $85;
Kenwood /TrioCW Filter for TS-520(S), Model YG-3395C, 500Hz, $50
All price include shipping in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4693. FS Yaesu G-450A Rotator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 20:29:16 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <mYh_e.87533$7f5.17056@okepread01>
Source record: 13166

I have a like new Yaesu G-450A Rotator for sale. It comes with the
Controller and the Manual and 60 plus feet of cable with connectors on each
end.
It has very little use and looks and works brand new. Price is$175 plus
shipping from 79602.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4694. Re: FS: Icom IC AT-500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 20:57:24 UTC
From: W8KMX <W8KMX.1w1dei@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <W8KMX.1w1dei@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 13167

Hi Steve:
I would be willing to pay you $150, including transportation, for the
tuner if you still have and are agreeable.
73,
Dan
w8kmx@bellsouth.net

Steve Wrote:
> I have a Icom AT-500 automatic antenna tuner, will automatically switch
> bands
> with your Icom radio. Will also work on other brands of HF gear but
> not
> automatically
> switching bands.
> This tuner has a problem like maybe a cold solder joint.
> It was from an estate sale. I have no use for it other wise I'd
> send it back to Icom to get repaired.
>
> It will switch bands along with Icom equipment and tune but when you
> push on parts inside the case the rec signal changes.
>
> It's in good shape with a couple of scratches on top case.
> Face is in good condition.
> Any one out there interested?
> Make an offer.
>
> Thanks
>
> Steve

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W8KMX

4695. Manual for HP 1707B Oscilloscope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 22:20:16 UTC
From: Zen Navigator <dahall.aefb0@orange.net>
Message-ID: <1127859616.548330.74680@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13168

Hi,

As anyone a paper or electronic manual for the HP 1707B Hewlett Packard
Oscilloscope. I believe there is an A version, which I think would be
o.k.

Maybe know of a website where it can be downloaded, preferably for free

Will pay for any postage or materials if required.

dahall.aefb0@orange.net

Dave

M0GSM

4696. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-27 22:25:44 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <IFj_e.3185$KQ5.1068@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13169
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> The religious openly declare that their belief system is centered
> about the concept of G-d.

Here's an interesting study on the subject, it says:

http://www.timesonline.co.uk/article/0,,2-1798944,00.html

"RELIGIOUS belief can cause damage to a society, contributing towards high murder rates, abortion,
sexual promiscuity and suicide, according to research published today.

According to the study, belief in and worship of God are not only unnecessary for a healthy society
but may actually contribute to social problems.

The study counters the view of believers that religion is necessary to provide the moral and ethical
foundations of a healthy society."
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4697. Re: Help, need service manual JRC- NRD 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 01:06:30 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <53rjj11khkkvuv4gog42elr9to5pg6njie@4ax.com>
Source record: 13170

On Tue, 27 Sep 2005 21:19:03 +0200, "Hans"
<dxhunter_remove_me_@hccnet.nl> wrote:

>Hi,
>
>is there anybody who can provide me (url, link, hard copy?) with the service
>manual for the JRC-NRD 535?
>
>Thank you VERY much!
>
>Hans.
>

It can be purchased from http://www.w7fg.com $46 US, plus shipping

bob
k5qwg

4698. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 02:28:34 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <vnvjj1lqv9t82s9b12mlrr9mcqqc7k9e37@4ax.com>
Source record: 13171
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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healthy society
>but may actually contribute to social problems.
>
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Cecil, if you want a few good laughs, Google the phrase "Flying
Spaghetti Monster" and read some of the listed links.

4699. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 03:08:17 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <FqydnQus7eCClKfeRVn-vA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13172
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Ted wrote:
> On Sun, 25 Sep 2005 22:31:47 -0700, Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
> wrote:
>
>
>>>Just what we need - a bunch of testosterone-charge assholes punching
>>>out people that don't believe in their god. It's pretty obvious who
>>>the real jerk is in your story, and it isn't the professor.
>>>
>>
>>It's a joke son.
>
>
> Yes, and I've heard this joke told before by people who think they're
> being clever. Unfortunately, there are too many people that have this
> mentality in real life. They are the ones who say, "You're free, as
> long as you think the same way as me."

There are a number of people who do not think that that is a joke, they
think that it is a parable.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4700. Re: Help, need service manual JRC- NRD 535

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 04:01:03 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3Ao_e.329020$5N3.220048@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 13173

Universal Radio also has JRC manuals. I purchased one for my NRD-515 a few months back.

Pete

"Bob Miller" <NOSPAM@neosoft.com> wrote in message news:53rjj11khkkvuv4gog42elr9to5pg6njie@4ax.com...
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> It can be purchased from http://www.w7fg.com $46 US, plus shipping
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> bob
> k5qwg
>

4701. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 04:36:15 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <6f49f$433a1dec$97d56a13$23945@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13174
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The conclusions he draws are a convolution of logic.

1. The US is a religious country.
2. The US has a high murder rate
3. The US has a high rate of VD, drug use, and aids.

He concludes that statements 2 and 3 are caused by statement 1.

Utter nonsense, at the risk of upsetting liberals I would suggest that 2 and
3 can can more easily be tied to minorities than religion.

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4702. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 08:05:30 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <bLednVogSdlW06feRVn-ug@comcast.com>
Source record: 13175
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>>Not to mention Hitler.
>>
>>And we have a Godwin, all...
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>
> Dumb shit -- the reference is apropos in the midst of a
> discussion of mass murderers. You lose.

Discussion of mass murderers who were allegedly atheists. Reductio ad
Hitlerum.

And also Guy's corollary, asshole.

>>Btw, Hitler, if you must bring him up, was a Christian.

4703. Help asked for ICOM IC706-MKII LSB adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 10:00:27 UTC
From: pa3dwj@hetnet.nl
Message-ID: <1127901627.186067.26550@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13176

Hi all,
During LSB QSO's I receive comments that my audio sounds too sharp (and high). It may be that the LSB is not produced (filtered) correctly. Can anyone tell me where to find the Xtal and/or potentiometer to make adjustments. It seems I can't find a good service manual anywhere.
73 Ben (email to pa3dwj@hetnet.nl)

4704. Re: Help asked for ICOM IC706-MKII LSB adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 12:50:32 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <jiw_e.932$Xq.422@fe11.lga>
Source record: 13177

Go here I think you will find what you need 73
http://www.ham.dmz.ro/icom/ic706mk2g.php

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4705. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 13:03:11 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dhe4af$15da$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13178
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

N2EY@AOL.COM wrote:
> Mike Coslo wrote:
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>>>"Pardon me while I slip out of these wet clothes
>>>and into a dry
>>>martini." - Groucho (or was it Bugs Bunny?)
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> I think it was Groucho
>
>> What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>>
>
> Warner Bros. has them safely tucked away. Some that were made in the
> 1940s are not shown anymore because they contain parodies and
> stereotypes now considered racist.
>
> --
>
> I think you were asking about Foghorn Leghorn...
>
> "Nice girl, but about as sharp as a sack o' wet mice"
>
> "DAWG! I say, dawg, you look like two miles o' bad road!"
>
> "That widder hen reminds me of the road from Fort Worth to Dallas - no
> curves"
>
> "No, I better not look - I just might be in there"
>
> "That dawg reminds me of Paul Revere's ride - a little light in the
> belfry.."

Son, I SAY, Son! I ain't no chicken! Now that over there, THAT's a
chicken!.........

Actually, Ol' Foghorn is probably not the problem. There are a number
of old WB cartoons that have some rather strong stereotype of the folks
we were fighting during WWII (the big one) Considering that they are now
our allies, there might be a little sensitivity thing going on.

Personally, I think they should be shown, especially when introduced in the proper context. They are of historical value, and in the context of the times, were understandable.

Oh - and they were darn funny too!

- Mike KB3EIA -

4706. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 13:09:55 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <433A95E1.9E558364@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13179
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> > "That widder hen reminds me of the road from Fort Worth to Dallas - no
> > curves"
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> > "No, I better not look - I just might be in there"
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> > belfry.."
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> of old WB cartoons that have some rather strong stereotype of the folks
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> our allies, there might be a little sensitivity thing going on.
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> Personally, I think they should be shown, especially when introduced in
> the proper context. They are of historical value, and in the context of
> the times, were understandable.
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> Oh - and they were darn funny too!
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

I used this for my sig file for a while: "I say, the boy is so stupid
that he tried to make a back up copy of his hard drive on the Xerox
machine!" It took a couple months before someone asked if it was

supposed to be Foghorn. :(Talk about big gaps in the modern
educational system!
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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4707. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 13:10:11 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dhe4ni$1dq8$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13180
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil Moore wrote:

> Matt Osborn wrote:
>
>> The religious openly declare that their belief system is centered
>> about the concept of G-d.
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>
> Here's an interesting study on the subject, it says:
>
> http://www.timesonline.co.uk/article/0,,2-1798944,00.html
>
> "RELIGIOUS belief can cause damage to a society, contributing towards
> high murder rates, abortion, sexual promiscuity and suicide, according
> to research published today.

I wouldn't doubt it. The stronger the religion, the worse the evils
have to be. They are partners. One must have the other.

There was a series a few years ago, called "The Pagan Invasion". It was
broadcast on one of the national Religion channels. I used to watch it
because there was some pretty decent 3-D animation in it. (for the time)
But when you saw what those folk believed in, it was downright scary.

If those folk were to come into power, there is no doubt that the Salem
Witchcraft trials would be a role model for government.

> According to the study, belief in and worship of God are not only
> unnecessary for a healthy society but may actually contribute to social
> problems.

Well, its a pretty good thing if you happen to be worshiping the same
God.....

> The study counters the view of believers that religion is necessary to
> provide the moral and ethical foundations of a healthy society."

I cudda toldya that! ;^)

- Mike KB3EIA -

4708. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 13:21:15 UTC
From: Reg Edwards <g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com>
Message-ID: <dhe5cb$539$1@nwrdmz01.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 13181
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Censorship appears to be in action.

Who is the censor?

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4709. Re: Help asked for ICOM IC706-MKII LSB adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 13:55:43 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <568lj1tn1qq548ijhb9fb4vn91qqpgassu@4ax.com>
Source record: 13182

The manual is here http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=icom

On 28 Sep 2005 03:00:27 -0700, pa3dwj@hetnet.nl wrote:

>Hi all,
>During LSB QSO's I receive comments that my audio sounds too sharp (and
>high). It may be that the LSB is not produced (filtered) correctly. Can
>anyone tell me where to find the Xtal and/or potentiometer to make
>adjustments. It seems I can't find a good service manual anywhere.
>73 Ben (email to pa3dwj@hetnet.nl)

4710. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 14:11:38 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <uwx_e.1294$rl1.1292@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13183
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> Maybe we should rebuild New Orleans in England, it would balance the
> scales.

We indeed should rebuild New Orleans somewhere that is
not below sea level.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4711. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 14:34:31 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <XRx_e.1305$rl1.973@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13184
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Fred W4JLE wrote:

> 1. The US is a religious country.
> 2. The US has a high murder rate
> 3. The US has a high rate of VD, drug use, and aids.
>
> He concludes that statements 2 and 3 are caused by statement 1.

If I was religious enough to believe that God would forgive
me of murder, I might have done the deed myself. :-)
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4712. Re: Help asked for ICOM IC706-MKII LSB adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 15:33:06 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <IGy_e.2097$Ge5.244@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13185

Here is exactly what u are looking for... you will need adobe acrobat
reader (free) to view the file.
http://dw.ham.dmz.ro:8080/downloads/icom/ham.dmz.ro.mk2g.pdf

STEVE TROOK wrote:
> Go here I think you will find what you need 73
> http://www.ham.dmz.ro/icom/ic706mk2g.php
>
> pa3dwj@hetnet.nl wrote:
>
>> Hi all,
>> During LSB QSO's I receive comments that my audio sounds too sharp (and
>> high). It may be that the LSB is not produced (filtered) correctly. Can
>> anyone tell me where to find the Xtal and/or potentiometer to make
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>> 73 Ben (email to pa3dwj@hetnet.nl)
>>

4713. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 15:42:17 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dhedkp$1fr8$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13186
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Reg Edwards wrote:

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> Censorship appears to be in action.
>
> Who is the censor?

It's the new old way. This particular version of censorship probably comes from the left end of the spectrum. But the other end has it's own censor targets!

- Mike -

4714. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 15:48:15 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dhee00$o8g$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13187
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil Moore wrote:

> Matt Osborn wrote:
>
>> Maybe we should rebuild New Orleans in England, it would balance the
>> scales.
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> We indeed should rebuild New Orleans somewhere that is
> not below sea level.

Absolutely. I don't support money going to rebuilding NO in it's present spot.

The French Quarter is okay where it is. It will eventually become an island, and should last for quite a while yet. Seems like a charming way to get to Mardi Gras - by a boat.

But no matter how much money we pour into th erest of NO, it will sink. I suppose that we could try a Netherlands type approach, with huge dikes and all, but I doubt that there is enough room on the sides to do that, and besides, the Netherlands doesn't have to worry about hurricanes either.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4715. Re: Help asked for ICOM IC706-MKII LSB adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 18:11:29 UTC
From: Bill Janssen <billj9@ieee.org>
Message-ID: <I1B_e.8287$cg.1150@news02.roc.ny>
Source record: 13189

STEVE TROOK wrote:

> Go here I think you will find what you need 73
> http://www.ham.dmz.ro/icom/ic706mk2g.php
>
> pa3dwj@hetnet.nl wrote:
>
>> Hi all,
>> During LSB QSO's I receive comments that my audio sounds too sharp (and
>> high). It may be that the LSB is not produced (filtered) correctly. Can
>> anyone tell me where to find the Xtal and/or potentiometer to make
>> adjustments. It seems I can't find a good service manual anywhere.
>> 73 Ben (email to pa3dwj@hetnet.nl)
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Is there a way to correct the frequency from those menu items. I would like to have a more accurate frequency on my VHF frequencies.

Or, is there an explanation for setting the frequency internally. so the dial
would read correctly.

Thanks
Bill k7NOM

4716. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 18:44:28 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <5nolj1h16e03suln9o3jmsf3irv2eta2l5@4ax.com>
Source record: 13190
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 11:48:15 -0400, Michael Coslo
<mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu> wrote:

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>present spot.
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>island, and should last for quite a while yet. Seems like a charming way
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>dikes and all, but I doubt that there is enough room on the sides to do
>that, and besides, the Netherlands doesn't have to worry about
>hurricanes either.
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> - Mike KB3EIA -

I wonder why they don't rebuild New Orleans the way they built Venice,
Italy. Venice was built by people who were trying to get away from
Attila the Hun. Attila wanted farmland, so the nomads of that area
fled and settled in what was a swamp, and they built a city on a
swamp.

(Of course, the first one sank into the swamp, so they built a second
one. THAT one sank into the swamp, so they built a third one. THAT one
burned down, fell over, and then sank into the swamp...but the fourth
one stayed up!)

Seriously, though, New Orleans as a city of canals has a certain
romantic flair to it.

4717. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 18:52:48 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <eZWdnSlyDpEbSqfeRVn-gA@gbronline.com>
Source record: 13188
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Michael Coslo wrote:
> N2EY@AOL.COM wrote:
>
>> Mike Coslo wrote:
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>>
>>>> "Pardon me while I slip out of these wet clothes
>>>> and into a dry
>>>> martini." - Groucho (or was it Bugs Bunny?)
>>
>>
>>
>> I think it was Groucho
>>
>>> What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>>>
>>
>> Warner Bros. has them safely tucked away. Some that were made in the
>> 1940s are not shown anymore because they contain parodies and
>> stereotypes now considered racist.
>>
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>>
>> I think you were asking about Foghorn Leghorn...
>>
>> "Nice girl, but about as sharp as a sack o' wet mice"
>>
>> "DAWG! I say, dawg, you look like two miles o' bad road!"
>>
>> "That widder hen reminds me of the road from Fort Worth to Dallas - no
>> curves"
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>> "No, I better not look - I just might be in there"
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>> "That dawg reminds me of Paul Revere's ride - a little light in the
>> belfry.."
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> chicken!.........
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> are now our allies, there might be a little sensitivity thing going on.
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> Personally, I think they should be shown, especially when introduced
> in the proper context. They are of historical value, and in the context
> of the times, were understandable.
>
> Oh - and they were darn funny too!
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -
>

Some of the 'Little Rascals' can't be show today because they aren't PC,
shame, because they are funny.

4718. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 20:24:30 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <2_C_e.7387$6e1.1775@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13191
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Ted wrote:
> Seriously, though, New Orleans as a city of canals has a certain
> romantic flair to it.

Canals below sea level have a habit of becoming big lakes.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4719. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 21:34:14 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <433B0CA1.2388ED9F@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13192
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cmdr Buzz Corey wrote:
>
> Some of the 'Little Rascals' can't be show today because they aren't PC,
> shame, because they are funny.

No, but you can find a lot of them on "Dollar Store" DVDs. ;-)

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4720. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 21:53:25 UTC
From: Ham op <hamop@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3P6dndiR6vEMj6beRVn-rQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 13193
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Cecil Moore wrote:

> Matt Osborn wrote:
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>> scales.
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>
> We indeed should rebuild New Orleans somewhere that is
> not below sea level.

Cecil, please tell your congressman to not approve rebuilding funds for
the lower levels of NO.

4721. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 22:14:56 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <ld5mj1lo8359l614efi1vf0qt38la7nsn9@4ax.com>
Source record: 13194
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 16:53:05 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>
>Gravity has never been proven. How much more basic can one get?
>

How about you let us know after you return from your walk on
the ceiling.

4722. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 22:17:16 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <4f5mj1pmlba815ke74cku2nikc6o1ll6gp@4ax.com>
Source record: 13195
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 22:30:50 GMT, Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net> wrote:

>Matt Osborn wrote:
>> Gravity has never been proven.
>
>I know the answer to this one from my hippie days.
>
>There is no gravity! The earth sucks!

With one exception. I've heard that helicopter pilots say
helicopters can't really fly -- they're so ugly the earth repels them.

4723. Re: Help asked for ICOM IC706-MKII LSB adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 23:34:01 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ah9mj19kr60m27cpqsldr2utnmrk86klrc@4ax.com>
Source record: 13196

On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 18:11:29 GMT, Bill Janssen <billj9@ieee.org>
wrote:

>STEVE TROOK wrote:
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>> pa3dwj@hetnet.nl wrote:
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>to have a more accurate frequency on my VHF frequencies.
>
>Or, is there an explanation for setting the frequency internally. so the
>dial
>would read correctly.
>
>Thanks
>Bill k7NOM

Yes. Pages 4-1 and 4-2 of the Service Manual detail exactly how to
set the PLL reference frequency to 60.000000 MHz. You will need a DVM
or O'Scope, an RF voltmeter and a counter with a frequency accuracy of
+/- 1 part per million.

Dick - W6CCD

4724. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 23:41:26 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <433B2A70.99249279@earthlink.net>
Source record: 13197
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> > >
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> > >
>
> How about you let us know after you return from your walk on
> the ceiling.

Don't be silly! He can't walk in the ceiling, because it blows! ;-)

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

4725. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 23:52:00 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <m3bmj1dl4hstfos7ngid3u2sjpcrharq0k@4ax.com>
Source record: 13098
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 11:11:12 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Mon, 26 Sep 2005 03:13:56 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>>>>>>It's bad enough that people feel a need to believe in any deities at
>>>>>>all, but when you have to listen to a bunch of old men in robes half a
>>>>>>world away tell you how to live your life, you're pretty screwed up.
>>>>>>
>>>>>> Is this a slam against our Muslim brethren? A comment on the
>>>>>>position of Saudi Arabian women?
>>>>>
>>>>>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...
>>>>
>>>> That says more about you than about them.
>>>
>>>Such as?
>>
>> If you have to ask ....
>
>Ambiguity will get you nowhere.

If that's ambiguous, you should get back whatever money you
wasted on an education.

4726. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 23:54:01 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <i6bmj11adjephohj6s8r2n7jtnq6pbl4vs@4ax.com>
Source record: 13099
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>"Ham op" <hamop@comcast.net> wrote in message
>news:88WdnbrHqZgpkbreRVn-tg@comcast.com...
>> Jerry wrote:
>>

> So, the term 'BIGOT' is a prejudicial pre judgment.

Just as that's a tautological redundancy.

4727. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-28 23:56:11 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <p9bmj1t6boaoa0fscj71eiojqqbo3efhh4@4ax.com>
Source record: 13100
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

>Tom Donaly wrote:
>>
>> Faith and works are, like voltage and current, inextricably intertwined.

They are not.

>> The proof of faith is the good work. Those who do no good have no faith.

Your logic book get lost in the hurricane? Come back when you
can name the logical fallacy you just committed.

4728. FA: Beautiful ICOM 740 w/CW filter & BUILT-in Supply & Mike

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 01:11:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <obH_e.2236$Ge5.2072@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13101
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

All for a big $250>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023049&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4729. FA: Nice ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN-MASTER 2-Tube Regen SW Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 01:13:09 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HcH_e.2238$Ge5.880@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13102
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Way too cheep & Plays@$28>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023104&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4730. FA: MINT SBE Power Mike, TRIMM Professional Fones!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 01:15:06 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <weH_e.2239$Ge5.340@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13103
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812022872&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812022825&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4731. FA: RCA WV-98C VTVM, ICOM BC-30 Desk Charger, ICOM HM-12 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 01:17:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <2hH_e.2241$Ge5.2169@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13104
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

RCA WV-98C SENIOR VOLTOHMYST VTVM METER-RCA's BEST>NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812022899&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ICOM BC-30 DESK RAPID CHARGER w/2BATTERIES>IC-2AT/O2AT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023033&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ICOM IC-HM12 ELECTRET CONDENSER HAND MICROPHONE>A BEAUT
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023009&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4732. FA: Kenwood BC-7 Desk Charger, Icom IC-2E H/T>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 01:19:45 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <TiH_e.2242$Ge5.1802@fe10.lga>
Source record: 13105
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

KENWOOD BC-7 DESK RAPID CHARGER w/2 BATTERIES>TH-215 NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812022957&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

ICOM IC-2E HANDY-TALKIE for 2-METERS,EURO MODEL>NICENR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023023&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4733. WTB Yaesu YF-116A am filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 01:36:58 UTC
From: Fred Zimring <w5htr@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <ZeydncYTe5Wt2KbenZ2dnUVZ_s6dnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 13106

I would like to buy a Yaesu YF-116A am filter for an FT-920. Thanks...fred z

4734. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 01:52:24 UTC
From: N2EY@AOL.COM
Message-ID: <1127958744.838040.32970@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13107
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Michael Coslo wrote:
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> > Matt Osborn wrote:
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> dikes and all, but I doubt that there is enough room on the
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> that, and besides, the Netherlands doesn't have to worry about
> hurricanes either.

The levees are dikes, aren't they?

There are some important other differences.

It's my understanding that the Dutch built their dikes and filled
in/pumped out the polders as a way of getting more farmland without
fighting wars with their neighbors, and as a way of *reducing* storm
damage. They don't build cities on below-sea-level land. And the way
they deal with the reclaimed land results in it slowly but surely

rising, not sinking.

But they don't put cities there.

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Modern technology has made almost anything possible from a theoretical point of view. NO could be rebuilt with levees and pumps capable of withstanding a Cat 5 storm, for example.

But the problem is that such solutions, while technically possible, are often prohibitively expensive, particularly on a large scale. Not just to build, but to maintain. Who is going to pay the taxes so that a rebuilt NO can be kept dry?

Or to put it another way - *why* should NO be built in such a highrisk location when there are so many better alternatives?

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I wonder if Shrub ever played SimCity?

73 de Jim, N2EY

4735. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 02:54:34 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <KHI_e.1509$rl1.1349@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 13108
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

kashe@sonic.net wrote:
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> They are not.
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>>>The proof of faith is the good work. Those who do no good have no faith.
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> Your logic book get lost in the hurricane? Come back when you
> can name the logical fallacy you just committed.

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and works. That allows them salvation without substance, the lazy man's
path to life without end.
My last two sentences are statements of truth, not a logical
progression. Each has to be taken alone, by itself. (A religious
fundamentalist insisting on logical consistency constitutes a
pretty good joke.) Let me repeat: Those who do no good have no
faith. Next time you and your friends are sitting around speaking
in tongues, you should discuss this. Maybe, if you all think real
hard, together, you can puzzle out what it means.
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4736. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 04:40:50 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <iirmj113n6dobudntercht4kqub6o2iik@4ax.com>
Source record: 13109
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 23:52:00 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>>>>>>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...
>>>>>
>>>>> That says more about you than about them.
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>>>>Such as?
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>>> If you have to ask ....
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>>Ambiguity will get you nowhere.
>
> If that's ambiguous, you should get back whatever money you
>wasted on an education.

YOU are the one that wants to play games and won't answer my question.
You also wait several days before posting any response, which leads me
to believe that you have to wait until mommy and daddy are out of the
house before you can get on the computer.

4737. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 06:30:20 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11jn2gsmlkkkjcf@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13110
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tom if what you say is true about no works = no faith and subsequently no salvation...where were the good works from the thief on the cross who, according to Christian scripture, was saved and is already in heaven?

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Charlie

"Tom Donaly" <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message news:KHI_e.1509$rl1.1349@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net...
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> faith. Next time you and your friends are sitting around speaking
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> hard, together, you can puzzle out what it means.
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4738. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 08:16:51 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <G6ydnUhSrtJoP6beRVn-iw@comcast.com>
Source record: 13111
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

> You're walking on an assumption that is called gravity. Just like
> G-d, plenty of evidence but no proof.

What pisses me off about your posts is this almost deliberate attempt to obfuscate by equivocating, word playing and substituting terms which are incompatible. You keep doing it in almost every post and it gets tired fast. Like, for instance, in the example above: "plenty of evidence but no proof" is meaningless drivel. Of all the scientific disciplines, only mathematics deals with proof. Others, physics included, deal with evidence which is derived from a direct or indirect observation of certain phenomena and is the basis for a theory, such as the gravitational theory, for example.
Therefore, to say that there is "no proof" for gravity is gibberish, even in the solipsist sense.

73 .... WA7AA

P.S. I am dying to hear some "evidence" of what you call "G-d". I am sure the Nobel committee would be interested as well.

4739. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 09:28:46 UTC
From: N2EY@AOL.COM
Message-ID: <1127986126.905715.137570@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13112
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> salvation...where were the good works from the thief on the
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> heaven?

I can answer that one..

One of the thieves was reportedly cussing and making fun, challenging
Him to prove He was better than they were. The "good thief" told the
"bad thief" to be quiet, because while they deserved what they got, He
had done nothing wrong. Then the "good thief" asked to be remembered.

It may not seem like much of a "good work", but it was all the good
thief could do. His faith came very near the end of his life.
But what about those whose faith comes much earlier in life?

73 de Jim, N2EY
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4740. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 11:53:54 UTC
From: Rasputin IV <boinkaroink@spoonshelvesers.com>
Message-ID: <165cf$433bd5e4$d1cc41b8$20958@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 13113
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Zoran Brlecic" <...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote in message
news:v8udndGEGeWRzareRVn-jA@comcast.com...

> Even if you don't believe in Allah, Aphrodite, Ares, Athena, Apollo,
> Artemis, Babaluaye, Bacchus, Baldur, Bast, Bellona, Brahma, Brigid,
> Ceres, Cupid, Cerridwen, Demeter, Diana, Dione, Dionysus, Eris, Eos,
> Eleggua, , El Shaddai, Elohim, Eshu, Ereshkigal, Frigga, Frey, Freya,
> Gaea, Lord Genesa, Hades, Hebe, Hera, Helios, Hel, Hephaestus, Hermes,
> Hestia, Horus, Ibeji, Ifa, Inanna, Indra, Ishana, Ishtar, Isis, Janus,
> Juno, Jehovah, Jove, Jupiter, Kali. Krishna Kronos, Korravai, Loki,
> Lugh, Lord Indra, Manitou, Mars, Mercury, Minerva, Mercurius, Morrigan,
> Nahuiquiahuitl, Nanahuatzin, Nephthys, Neptune, Obatala, Odin, Ogun,
> Oshosi, Oshun, Osiris, Oya, Orunmila, Olokun, Olodumare, Pluto,
> Persephone, Poseidon, Proserpina, Quetzalcoatl, Ra, Lord Rama, Rhea,
> Saturn, Set, Selene, Shango, Lord Siva, Tammuz, Thor, Tir, Tiw, Uranus,
> Venus, Vesta, Vishnu, Vesta, Vulcan, Wotan, Yahweh, Yemaya, Zeus, and
> thousands of others, they believe in you!

But you forgot the most important Deity in your list above: "Bob" !

Learn about "Bob" here -----> www.subgenius.com

"You'll pay to know what you really think"
- JR "Bob" Dobbs 1959

"Act like a dumbshit and they'll treat you like an equal"
- JR "Bob" Dobbs 1961

4741. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 12:25:52 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dhgmgf$1fjc$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13114
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>sides to do
>>that, and besides, the Netherlands doesn't have to worry about
>>hurricanes either.
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> The levees are dikes, aren't they?

The Netherlands version of dikes are to levees as a FT-9000 is to a
Rock Mite. I watched a documentary on the things once, and they are
quite a feat of engineering. They are considered one of the seven
woncers of the modern world.

> There are some important other differences.
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> fighting wars with their neighbors, and as a way of *reducing* storm
> damage. They don't build cities on below-sea-level land. And the way
> they deal with the reclaimed land results in it slowly but surely
> rising, not sinking.
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http://geography.about.com/library/weekly/aa033000a.htm

According to this link over 60 percent of the population if the
Netherlands is living beneath sea level.

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> rebuilt NO can be kept dry?
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> Or to put it another way - *why* should NO be built in such a highrisk
> location when there are so many better alternatives?

Darned if I know. I don't want my tax money going to rebuilding it in
the same place.

> Just because something can be done doesn't mean it should be done.
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> I wonder if Shrub ever played SimCity?

The Sims are evil and promote all kinds of sexual abberations.

http://www.electricvenom.com/2005/07/26/sims2-sinful/

An amazing link, that! I guess we better cover up the dirty bits on
the "Justice" statues again.....

- Mike KB3EIA -

4742. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 12:29:17 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dhgmmt$1fjc$2@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13115
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Ted wrote:

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> house before you can get on the computer.

kashe is just using us as his/her straight men. You know, toss out a few insults, make irrelevant comments. I like to read them because a few are funny.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4743. Is there a Mod for the 756Prolll to unattenuate below 1.800Mhz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 14:22:24 UTC
From: kyw1060 <michael.manning@denewc.ang.af.mil>
Message-ID: <1128003744.139198.236570@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13116

I would like to know if the 756Prolll can be modified to allow the Prolll to receive unattuated in the Medium Wave as well as Longwave? If so, where can I find instructions?

Mike

4744. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 18:45:32 UTC
From: Michael Coslo <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dhhcoc$1fj0$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu>
Source record: 13117
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> evidence which is derived from a direct or indirect observation of
> certain phenomena and is the basis for a theory, such as the
> gravitational theory, for example.
> Therefore, to say that there is "no proof" for gravity is gibberish,
> even in the solipsist sense.

Actually, something that we call gravity undeniably exists. While our
understanding of it is incomplete, there is no doubt that it exists. It
is there, we see what happens if we drop someting in an area where
"gravity" is strong, and in areas where it is virtually nonexistant.

The "proof" if you will, is in the explanation and understanding of
what we call gravity, not it's existance.

Now God on the other hand, gives no real evidence at all for existence.
Miracles are manifestations of chance, and many things that were once
attributed to divine intervention have found ready explanations after we
learn more about the universe.

So the statement was incorrect in the first place.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4745. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 19:33:06 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <SjX_e.16000$Xl2.8950@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13118
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Why is it you guys insist on continuing this conversation? Take it to
e-mail or take it to a newsgroup where it would be not off-topic.

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4746. Re: FA: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 22:12:11 UTC
From: Yodar <JStrain4@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <%EZ_e.110245$4i6.42886@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13119
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ALLIED-KNIGHT-SPAN-MASTER-TUBE-REGENERATIVE-SW-RECEIVER_W0QQitemZ5812023104QQcategoryZ4673QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem
>
>
I had the predecessor to the span master. Mine had seperate coils,
(4 regen coils)nekked chassis and no selector switch

WHAT MODEL WAS THAT?
Sure made Mom holler when I made it squall!

I'd love to have one now. Closet thing I spect would be the TenTec Kit

Yodar

4747. Re: FA: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 22:20:11 UTC
From: jfeng@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <1128032411.907783.88590@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13120
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

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>
> WHAT MODEL WAS THAT?

I think you mean the Ocean Hopper. Including LW and BCB, there were a total of six coils. They show up on eBay pretty regularly, but the bidding for nice ones often goes over $100.

4748. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 22:48:07 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <5KednRdRTe278qHeRVn-tg@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13121
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

N2EY@AOL.COM wrote:
> Michael Coslo wrote:
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>>Cecil Moore wrote:
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>>>Matt Osborn wrote:
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>>>
>>>>Maybe we should rebuild New Orleans in England, it would balance the
>>>>scales.
>>>
>>>
>>>We indeed should rebuild New Orleans somewhere that is
>>>not below sea level.
>
>
> How about Death Valley?

Death Valley is not a good place to build a town. Most sub-sea level
locales are really bad places to build, whether there is a flooding
danger or heat issues.
>
>> Absolutely. I don't support money going to rebuilding NO > in it's
>>present spot.
>
>
> I agree 100%. But you watch, the money will be poured into it just like
> the water.

Oh yeah. And the people rebuilding will be hailed as some sort of
neversaydie heroes.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4749. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 22:51:38 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <5KednRZRTe1q8qHeRVn-tg@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13122
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Pat Stevens wrote:
> Why is it you guys insist on continuing this conversation? Take it to
> e-mail or take it to a newsgroup where it would be not off-topic.

I dunno, Why do you top post?

But seriously, you should have a filter on your mail reader that will allow us to post, and then you can just ignore the thread, or simply kill file all of us.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4750. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 22:56:26 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <Mc-dnVlXYdiF7KHenZ2dnUVZ_tKdnZ2d@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13123
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 14:45:32 -0400, Michael Coslo
> <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu> wrote:
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>>
>>Zoran Brlecic wrote:
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>>
>>>Matt Osborn wrote:
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>>>
>>>>You're walking on an assumption that is called gravity. Just like
>>>>G-d, plenty of evidence but no proof.
>>>
>>>
>>>What pisses me off about your posts is this almost deliberate attempt to
>>>obfuscate by equivocating, word playing and substituting terms which are
>>>incompatible. You keep doing it in almost every post and it gets tired
>>>fast.
>>>Like, for instance, in the example above: "plenty of evidence but no
>>>proof" is meaningless drivel. Of all the scientific disciplines, only
>>>mathematics deals with proof. Others, physics included, deal with
>>>evidence which is derived from a direct or indirect observation of
>>>certain phenomena and is the basis for a theory, such as the
>>>gravitational theory, for example.
>>>Therefore, to say that there is "no proof" for gravity is gibberish,
>>>even in the solipsist sense.
>>
>>
>> Actually, something that we call gravity undeniably exists. While our
>>understanding of it is incomplete, there is no doubt that it exists. It
>>is there, we see what happens if we drop someting in an area where
>>"gravity" is strong, and in areas where it is virtually nonexistant.
>>
>> The "proof" if you will, is in the explanation and understanding of
>>what we call gravity, not it's existance.
>>
>> Now God on the other hand, gives no real evidence at all for existence.
>>Miracles are manifestations of chance, and many things that were once
>>attributed to divine intervention have found ready explanations after we
>>learn more about the universe.

>>
>> So the statement was incorrect in the first place.
>>
>> - Mike KB3EIA -
>
>
> I'm afraid you're still working with assumptions. You believe your
> assumptions of gravity are accurate, but for all we know they may be
> entirely incorrect.

My assumptions do not negate the existence of gravity, whether those assumptions are right or wrong. It exists, it's effects are measurable and known, and it has a profound daily influence on our lives. Quite quantifiable.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4751. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:26:21 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <hvtoj11gmkb7441anirtlge1b7klo259h5@4ax.com>
Source record: 13124
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 14:44:28 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 11:48:15 -0400, Michael Coslo
><mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu> wrote:
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>
>> Absolutely. I don't support money going to rebuilding NO in it's
>>present spot.
>>
>> The French Quarter is okay where it is. It will eventually become an
>>island, and should last for quite a while yet. Seems like a charming way
>>to get to Mardi Gras - by a boat.
>>
>> But no matter how much money we pour into th erest of NO, it will sink.
>>I suppose that we could try a Netherlands type approach, with huge
>>dikes and all, but I doubt that there is enough room on the sides to do
>>that, and besides, the Netherlands doesn't have to worry about
>>hurricanes either.
>>
>> - Mike KB3EIA -
>
>I wonder why they don't rebuild New Orleans the way they built Venice,
>Italy. Venice was built by people who were trying to get away from
>Attila the Hun. Attila wanted farmland, so the nomads of that area
>fled and settled in what was a swamp, and they built a city on a
>swamp.
>
>(Of course, the first one sank into the swamp, so they built a second
>one. THAT one sank into the swamp, so they built a third one. THAT one
>burned down, fell over, and then sank into the swamp...but the fourth
>one stayed up!)
>
>Seriously, though, New Orleans as a city of canals has a certain
>romantic flair to it.

I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
canals.

4752. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:35:09 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <r2uoj1pd7deompqns37ht202ob2qbgjip3@4ax.com>
Source record: 13125
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On 28 Sep 2005 18:52:24 -0700, N2EY@AOL.COM wrote:

>
>Michael Coslo wrote:
>> Cecil Moore wrote:
>>
>> > Matt Osborn wrote:
>> >
>> >> Maybe we should rebuild New Orleans in England, it would balance the
>> >> scales.
>> >
>> >
>> > We indeed should rebuild New Orleans somewhere that is
>> > not below sea level.
>
>How about Death Valley?

How much of Death Valley is not below sea level?

From http://hypertextbook.com/facts/2000/MichaelLevin.shtml

The hottest temperature on Earth ever recorded most likely occurred in
Death Valley, California during 43 consecutive days between July 6 and
August 17, 1917. During those days, the temperature was over 48
degrees Celsius (120 degrees Fahrenheit). The national weather service
recorded 56.7 ï¿½C (134 ï¿½F). The date reported there was July 10, 1913.

The elevation in the lowest point is 86 meters below sea level.

>>
>> Absolutely. I don't support money going to rebuilding NO > in it's
>> present spot.
>
>I agree 100%. But you watch, the money will be poured into it just like
>the water.
>>
>> The French Quarter is okay where it is. It will
>> eventually become an
>> island, and should last for quite a while yet.
>> Seems like a charming way
>> to get to Mardi Gras - by a boat.
>>
>> But no matter how much money we pour into th erest of
>> NO, it will sink.

>> I suppose that we could try a Netherlands type approach,
>> with huge
>> dikes and all, but I doubt that there is enough room on the
>> sides to do
>> that, and besides, the Netherlands doesn't have to worry about
>> hurricanes either.
>
>The levees are dikes, aren't they?
>
>There are some important other differences.
>
>It's my understanding that the Dutch built their dikes and filled
>in/pumped out the polders as a way of getting more farmland without
>fighting wars with their neighbors, and as a way of *reducing* storm
>damage. They don't build cities on below-sea-level land. And the way
>they deal with the reclaimed land results in it slowly but surely
>rising, not sinking.
>
>But they don't put cities there.

4753. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:42:08 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <lluoj1tl940rn3ksi4up99c0gaf0tqdocs@4ax.com>
Source record: 13126
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 01:05:30 -0700, Zoran Brlecic
<...WA7AA...@get.lost> wrote:

>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>
>>>>Not to mention Hitler.
>>>
>>>And we have a Godwin, all...
>>
>>
>> Dumb shit -- the reference is apropos in the midst of a
>> discussion of mass murderers. You lose.
>
>Discussion of mass murderers who were allegedly atheists. Reductio ad
>Hitlerum.

Nice -- make it up as you go to support your own childishness
fantasies.

Godwin, etc. is a cute little piece of usenet lore, with no
bearing on the acual discipline of logic.

Correct comparisons are another matter entirely, dipshit.
>
>And also Guy's corollary, asshole.
>
>>>Btw, Hitler, if you must bring him up, was a Christian.

Well, at least you finally got the point.

4754. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:45:59 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <rvuoj1hbpbb90pe0o89dm4auij60ipjufj@4ax.com>
Source record: 13127
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 09:03:11 -0400, Michael Coslo
<mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu> wrote:

>N2EY@AOL.COM wrote:
>> Mike Coslo wrote:
>>
>>
>>>>>>"Pardon me while I slip out of these wet clothes
>>>>>>and into a dry
>>>>>>martini." - Groucho (or was it Bugs Bunny?)
>>
>>
>> I think it was Groucho
>>
>>> What happened to all the old Bugs Bunny cartoons anyway?
>>>
>>
>> Warner Bros. has them safely tucked away. Some that were made in the
>> 1940s are not shown anymore because they contain parodies and
>> stereotypes now considered racist.
>>
>> --
>>
>> I think you were asking about Foghorn Leghorn...
>>
>> "Nice girl, but about as sharp as a sack o' wet mice"
>>
>> "DAWG! I say, dawg, you look like two miles o' bad road!"
>>
>> "That widder hen reminds me of the road from Fort Worth to Dallas - no
>> curves"
>>
>> "No, I better not look - I just might be in there"
>>
>> "That dawg reminds me of Paul Revere's ride - a little light in the
>> belfry.."
>
> Son, I SAY, Son! I ain't no chicken! Now that over there, THAT's a
>chicken!.........
>
>
> Actually, Ol' Foghorn is probably not the problem. There are a number
>of old WB cartoons that have some rather strong stereotype of the folks

>we were fighting during WWII (the big one) Considering that they are now
>our allies, there might be a little sensitivity thing going on.
>
> Personally, I think they should be shown, especially when introduced in
>the proper context. They are of historical value, and in the context of
>the times, were understandable.
>
> Oh - and they were darn funny too!
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

Anyone recently seen an old (40s or so) copy of the Stephen
Foster Songbook? Nearly every facing page with a sketch of happy,
carefree, little darkies, havin' a wunnerful time, singin', dancin'
and playin' their fiddles.

4755. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:48:32 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <n7voj1d6pe1qh9u846l2tou36ko0vqkd35@4ax.com>
Source record: 13128
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 13:21:15 +0000 (UTC), "Reg Edwards"
<g4fgq.regp@ZZZbtinternet.com> wrote:

>> > Personally, I think they should be shown, especially when
>introduced in
>> > the proper context. They are of historical value, and in the
>context of
>> > the times, were understandable.
>> >
>==================================
>
>Censorship appears to be in action.
>
>Who is the censor?
>
>==================================
>

Showing something in its historical context is not censorship.
Would you set up an exhibit of historical KKK robes on your front
porch without an explanation?

4756. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:51:48 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <5fvoj1hrhntk8at0od8pqjm03kap1lkse9@4ax.com>
Source record: 13129
Cross-posted to:
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We're trying to embarrass your delete key into admitting it's
impotent.

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 19:33:06 GMT, "Pat Stevens"
<patstevens196@rochester.rr.com> wrote:

> Why is it you guys insist on continuing this conversation? Take it to
>e-mail or take it to a newsgroup where it would be not off-topic.
>
>"Michael Coslo" <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu> wrote in message
>news:dhhcoc$1fj0$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu...
>>
>> Actually, something that we call gravity undeniably exists. While our
>> understanding of it is incomplete, there is no doubt that it exists. It is
>> there, we see what happens if we drop someting in an area where "gravity"
>> is strong, and in areas where it is virtually nonexistant.
>>
>> The "proof" if you will, is in the explanation and understanding of what
>> we call gravity, not it's existance.
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>> Now God on the other hand, gives no real evidence at all for existence.
>> Miracles are manifestations of chance, and many things that were once
>> attributed to divine intervention have found ready explanations after we
>> learn more about the universe.
>>
>> So the statement was incorrect in the first place.
>>
>> - Mike KB3EIA -
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>
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4757. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:51:54 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433c7e1a$0$3767$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13130
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Pat Stevens wrote:

> Why is it you guys insist on continuing this conversation? Take it to
> e-mail or take it to a newsgroup where it would be not off-topic.
>
> "Michael Coslo" <mjc5@enoughalready.psu.edu> wrote in message
> news:dhhcoc$1fj0$1@f04n12.cac.psu.edu...
>

Why not just click your "Ignore Thread" button?

tom
K0TAR

4758. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-29 23:56:14 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <mhvoj1dj4tu48o4kp8e8bq2dfst5np7nm2@4ax.com>
Source record: 13131
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 00:40:50 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Wed, 28 Sep 2005 23:52:00 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
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>
>>>>>>>Pope worshipers and Mohamahdists are all the same to me...
>>>>>>
>>>>>> That says more about you than about them.
>>>>>
>>>>>Such as?
>>>>
>>>> If you have to ask ....
>>>
>>>Ambiguity will get you nowhere.
>>
>> If that's ambiguous, you should get back whatever money you
>>wasted on an education.
>
>YOU are the one that wants to play games and won't answer my question.
>You also wait several days before posting any response, which leads me
>to believe that you have to wait until mommy and daddy are out of the
>house before you can get on the computer.

Mommy and Daddy have been dead since 95 and 61, respectively.

If you think you're important enough that I should leap to the
keyboard daily, you're sadly mistaken. I may only look in once a week.
Live with it.

So, you're not only full of shit on both counts, you're also
wrong.

And just how hollow is your life that you have to track my
posting delays? Get a hobby.

4759. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 00:08:41 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <8rvoj19bp6umuvfefeo6v87enpmg18pd8m@4ax.com>
Source record: 13132
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 02:54:34 GMT, "Tom Donaly"
<dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>>>Tom Donaly wrote:
>>>
>>>>Faith and works are, like voltage and current, inextricably intertwined.
>>
>>
>> They are not.
>>
>>
>>>>The proof of faith is the good work. Those who do no good have no faith.
>>
>>
>> Your logic book get lost in the hurricane? Come back when you
>> can name the logical fallacy you just committed.
>
>Some of the lower forms of American Christianity try to separate faith
>and works. That allows them salvation without substance, the lazy man's
>path to life without end.

in your narrow view.

> My last two sentences are statements of truth

"I fear the man who has all the answers." -- Father James
Marien, S.J. -- 1961 -- in my presence.

>, not a logical
>progression.

As written, they beg to be read as an incomplete syllogism.

>Each has to be taken alone, by itself. (A religious
>fundamentalist insisting on logical consistency constitutes a
>pretty good joke.) Let me repeat: Those who do no good have no
>faith.

Repitition does not include leaving off the first half of the
line you wrote. In a humorous logic treatise, your statement would be
named "The Proof from Blatant Assertion".

> Next time you and your friends are sitting around speaking
>in tongues, you should discuss this. Maybe, if you all think real

>hard, together, you can puzzle out what it means.

>73,
>Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4760. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 00:10:52 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <k90pj1ppt5hqs9hi4qcnm6rsp5bcro8gvt@4ax.com>
Source record: 13133
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 18:14:57 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>So in what context do we contain poorly understood rules and
>perceptions? How do we speak of them? We could always resort to
>obtuse phrases such as 'that which cannot be contained', or 'that
>which is smaller than smallest small' or 'that which is larger than
>largest large'.
>
>Mankind has historically ascribed the above to G-d.

This is called Nihilism - but with your bets hedged in case you are
wrong (which, of course, is Narcissistic, an amusing contradiction).

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4761. Experiences with the Yaesu FT-817

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 00:15:38 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <hr0pj1d8glgl3goar2hp6572ivsv2s9c0q@4ax.com>
Source record: 13134

Hi, I just bought this radio and it is on its way to my home. I can't wait to get it - anyone have any experiences they'd like to share regarding it?

Buther Boy

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Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
~

4762. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 00:17:15 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <jn0pj1l2u1dk7grot7l4ni8s7gvutfen60@4ax.com>
Source record: 13135
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 23:26:21 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>canals.

In Santa Rosa? Perhaps if the Russian River overflowed - a lot.

4763. FA lots of ham gear old and newer ending soon

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 01:36:04 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <6E0%e.102149$7f5.22020@okepread01>
Source record: 13136

Please see my auctions ending this weekend for lots of neat old and newer ham gear including mics, power supplies, speakers, vintage gear including like NIB HT-37, Drake L-4B, lots of old literature for old Allied Radio,. Heathkit, and Collins. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4764. FA Lots of ham gear...Link

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 01:41:47 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <sJ0%e.102153$7f5.48929@okepread01>
Source record: 13137

Sorry, I forget to include the link to the auctions:
Please see my auctions ending this weekend for lots of neat old and newer
ham gear including mics, power supplies, speakers, vintage gear
including like NIB HT-37, Drake L-4B, lots of old literature for old Allied
Radio,. Heathkit, and Collins. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX
http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZhugQ2daQ2dbug

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4765. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 01:56:14 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <nc6pj1li777ado8kn5e2f006l1e541t8e6@4ax.com>
Source record: 13138
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 19:57:13 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Not even close. From my limited study, this seems to be the seed from
>which psychology and psychiatry arose.
>
>From the OED:

The OED is fine if you include the historical tag citations,
contemporary dictionaries (unless you are arguing from the perspective
of a 19th century monk) allow:

1. An extreme form of skepticism that denies all existence.
2. A doctrine holding that all values are baseless and that nothing
can be known or communicated.

>>>So in what context do we contain poorly understood rules and
>>>perceptions? How do we speak of them?
fits perfectly fine in the second context and dovetails with your
rather amorphous logic. In fact, this second usage is almost your
manifesto here - with the aforementioned insurance policy against
damnation.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4766. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 02:23:51 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <Xk1%e.1235$lc1.3@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13139
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> You may not like have your faith pointed out to you, but there it is.
> All you can say about gravity is that "It is as if...".

Heh, heh, I now understand. You equate faith to ignorance.
I couldn't have said it better myself.
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73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4767. Re: FA: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 03:48:37 UTC
From: jfeng@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <1128052117.084013.185330@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13141
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

Cmdr Buzz Corey wrote:
> I still have, and in working condition, my original Space Spanner I
> built while in high school.

I "improved" my Ocean Hopper by converting it from vacuum tubes to a
JFET regen stage and a bipolar AF amplifier.

I got a replaement OH to go along with my Space Spanner, Span Master,
Explor-Air, and GR-81.

4768. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 03:49:53 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <ctcpj15dni7caof7i9pvphguoa6i3q2rq3@4ax.com>
Source record: 13142
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 21:58:14 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>> 2. A doctrine holding that all values are baseless and that nothing
>>can be known or communicated.
does not proceed towards:
>How could you possibly read the denial of existence itself?
but in fact stems from
>>>>>So in what context do we contain poorly understood rules and
>>>>>perceptions? How do we speak of them?
which is nihilistic. The confusion is yours, explicitly admitted to,
and it is evidenced in many of your statements. As such, the
consistency speaks for itself and mocks these attempts at denial.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4769. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 04:22:56 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <juepj1tpojn81o3bqlgii0ckoc7c8pkkcj@4ax.com>
Source record: 13143
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 23:56:14 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

> Mommy and Daddy have been dead since 95 and 61, respectively.
>
> If you think you're important enough that I should leap to the
>keyboard daily, you're sadly mistaken. I may only look in once a week.
>Live with it.
>
> So, you're not only full of shit on both counts, you're also
>wrong.
>
> And just how hollow is your life that you have to track my
>posting delays? Get a hobby.

My, my! I seem to have hit a nerve.

4770. Re: FA: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 04:43:11 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <M_mdnS83i8X_LqHeRVn-2g@gbronline.com>
Source record: 13140
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

jfeng@my-deja.com wrote:
> Yodar wrote:
>
>> I had the predecessor to the span master. Mine had seperate coils,
>> (4 regen coils)nekked chassis and no selector switch
>>
>> WHAT MODEL WAS THAT?
>
>
> I think you mean the Ocean Hopper. Including LW and BCB, there were a
> total of six coils. They show up on eBay pretty regularly, but the
> bidding for nice ones often goes over $100.
>

I still have, and in working condition, my original Space Spanner I
built while in high school.

4771. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 05:08:49 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <8bgpj11ofckhvd5dcg0umujbqav3508g9m@4ax.com>
Source record: 13144
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 23:16:50 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Well, with your editing, I suppose you could strain credulity and make
>such a claim.

I trust the readership is already well read on this not to need the
extensive quoting such as you require. My newsreader is adequate to
the task of finding sufficient material and I have faith others are
equally competent to the matter.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4772. FA: New old stock mobile CB antennas - must see!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 14:16:49 UTC
From: jimbradley@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1128089809.422002.294880@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13145

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZjim-of-wareQQhtZ-1

4773. Re: looking for mobile with BLACK screen - like Motorola gear

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 18:28:01 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96E174C02C998spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 13146

The spectra VF display has been addressed by others here. My comment is regarding your search for an "inconspicuous" control head / display.

Are you aware that most of the LCD backlit displays have a DIM feature which will in essence turn the back light off completely? Of course the info displayed will not be visible either, but simply adjusting the DIM display momentarily when you need to see the display might work for you.

Also, some of the new small HF - VHF - UHF rigs do have color TFT displays..... I know the new Icom IC-7000 is probably something that would fit your bill, even though it does HF too:

http://www.icomamerica.com/products/amateur/7000/

Ed K7AAT

4774. Re: Experiences with the Yaesu FT-817

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 18:31:54 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96E17568B396Cspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 13147

> Hi, I just bought this radio and it is on its way to my home. I can't
> wait to get it - anyone have any experiences they'd like to share
> regarding it?
>
> Buther Boy

Since you've already ordered it, you're a bit late asking for this info, aren't you? :^)

I really like mine as a portable rig when camping... but I wouldn't suggest it be purchased as a primary HF rig for a home station.

You can get a tremendous amount of info on it at the Yahoo groups email reflector and at numerous FT817 websites. Happy hunting.

Ed K7AAT

4775. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 18:48:06 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <nl1rj1daflg9m5dnnjb4ogiruu4ukrim2m@4ax.com>
Source record: 13048
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Sep 2005 13:23:43 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:
>>is adequate to the task
>Clearly, your need to embellish is not only unnecessary, it is also
>irrelevant.

Hi Matt,

Yet another prejudice I see. In the face of your wandering the metaphysical landscape of Why? and finding nothing suitable to alight on, the need for embellishment seems to be your patent. That you find the discussion irrelevant is yet more evidence of the Nihilistic propensity to skepticism and denial.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4776. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-09-30 19:09:56 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <84g%e.3872$KQ5.520@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13049
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

kashe@sonic.net wrote:
> On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 02:54:34 GMT, "Tom Donaly"
> <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net> wrote:
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>>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
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>>>>Tom Donaly wrote:
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>>>>>Faith and works are, like voltage and current, inextricably intertwined.
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>>> They are not.
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>>>>>The proof of faith is the good work. Those who do no good have no faith.
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>>> Your logic book get lost in the hurricane? Come back when you
>>>can name the logical fallacy you just committed.
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>>Some of the lower forms of American Christianity try to separate faith
>>and works. That allows them salvation without substance, the lazy man's
>>path to life without end.
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> in your narrow view.
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>> My last two sentences are statements of truth
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> "I fear the man who has all the answers." -- Father James
> Marien, S.J. -- 1961 -- in my presence.
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>>, not a logical
>>progression.
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> As written, they beg to be read as an incomplete syllogism.

In other words, you made the connection up in your head. Typical.

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>>Each has to be taken alone, by itself. (A religious
>>fundamentalist insisting on logical consistency constitutes a
>>pretty good joke.) Let me repeat: Those who do no good have no
>>faith.
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> Repitition does not include leaving off the first half of the
> line you wrote. In a humorous logic treatise, your statement would be
> named "The Proof from Blatant Assertion".
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>
>>Next time you and your friends are sitting around speaking
>>in tongues, you should discuss this. Maybe, if you all think real
>>hard, together, you can puzzle out what it means.
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>>73,
>>Tom Donaly, KA6RUH
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Unable to address the truth of what I wrote, you fantasize an argument
out of your sophomoric command of medieval logic. That, too, is typical,
if somewhat pathetic, since your religion is based on unquestioning
belief, superstition, and a fundamental opposition to science and
inquiring thought. Give it up. No brain can justify the brainless.
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4777. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:27:57 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <hKk%e.16396$Xl2.10425@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13050
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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news:0h0rj1ho78qtofjckgk0nrrqu4mgn8di5k@4ax.com...
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> wrote:
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> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com
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4778. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:28:26 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <KKk%e.16397$Xl2.11961@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13051
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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4779. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:29:42 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11jrm3tb4g04cc6@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 13052
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt..thx for turning me on to Spinoza....

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Charlie

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>>the discussion irrelevant is yet more evidence of the Nihilistic
>>propensity to skepticism and denial.
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> Simply avoiding the question? Your blindness hinders me not.
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>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

4780. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:30:04 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <gMk%e.16398$Xl2.7623@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13053
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Your own stupidity is hindering you. Take it to e-mail, moron.

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>
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4781. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:30:19 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <vMk%e.16399$Xl2.6284@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13054
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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news:11jrm3tb4g04cc6@news.supernews.com...
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4782. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:31:42 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <ONk%e.16400$Xl2.4139@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13055
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4783. FS: ALPHA 87 A HF AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:42:20 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <NXk%e.8771$uD2.7280@fe05.lga>
Source record: 13056

FS: ALPHA 87 A HF AMPLIFIER
This amp is in excellant condition. It is 3-4 yrs old. It has the Alpha Max & remote updates. Software for computer is included. This amp has a new pair of 3CPX800A7 Military/Medical grade tubes installed. It also comes with a spare set of like new 3CX800A7 tubes. Full output also. Includes manual, software, orig carton. NON SMOKING shack. $5000.00 PLUS SHIPPING & INSURANCE. I WOULD PREFER PICKUP IN MADISON, WI.

4784. IRLP Station FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:47:21 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <t0l%e.5140$hR3.3513@trndny02>
Source record: 13057
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I ahve a IRLP station that I would like to put up for sale.This system is on line and has been since 2004.It has a Acer computer sytem running the Linux Red Hat 9 and version 3.0 IRLP board with all the wires needed to hook to a Yaesu radio such as the FT-7100 or FT-1500 radios and some others.It was used up till today on the 145.130 repeater in Gloucester,Mass.If anyone is interested,it can be tested at anytime on any repeater.It is currently on 147.49 simplex in Gloucester now.I will sell the system less the radio for $200.00.I can be reached at 978-281-3359 or email me at n1rsp@qsl.net.

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73 N1RSP
Grid 42
IRLP Node # 4162
The Home of The Perfect Storm
Gloucester,Mass.

4785. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 00:58:47 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <gumrj11qu1vef9k8tl6ei2jgf9ut45q188@4ax.com>
Source record: 13058
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Sep 2005 18:54:25 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Simply avoiding the question? Your blindness hinders me not.

Hi Matt,

The question?

"What is 6 times 7?"

Any question is certainly not on your horizon for discussion. Its
nebulous generality is not an invitation to discuss, it is a prelude
to a projected negative assertion made in terms of frustration.

If you are not hindered, you could have been more explicit. This
should be quite apparent.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4786. Re: FA: Nice ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN-MASTER 2-Tube Regen SW Receiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 01:10:13 UTC
From: John Steffes <jsteffes@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <VII%e.111109$4i6.91194@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13059
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

cooltube wrote:
> Way too cheep & Plays@$28>
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023104&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>
>
The Span-Master was an excellent regenerative receiver for its time. It
not only boasted of band switching from the broadcast band to 30 MHz, it
also included a "fine" regeneration control that made those critical
peaking adjustments made easy. My buddy had one during the early 60's
and we had a blast listening to everything from am broadcast to C.B.

It was very well designed.

That is why it is sought after today.

John
KE0GG

4787. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 01:38:17 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433de88a$0$32196$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13060
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Clark wrote:

> The question?
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> "What is 6 times 7?"
>

The question, quoted from the book, is "What do you get when you
multiply six by nine?". And the answer is still 42. Which is obvious.

tom
K0TAR

4788. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 01:53:58 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433dec37$0$32199$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13061
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> Nice vocabulary. Need help using your newsreader?
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> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

Well, he could have it wrong, it may not be stupidity, but it certainly
is superstition.

tom
K0TAR

4789. FA - Drake R4C, MS4, digital dial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 01:58:12 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1128131892.827731.188880@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13062
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Drake R4C Receiver - Excellent condition - Loaded with extra
crystals
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5814712909&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

Drake MS4 speaker
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5814714993&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

Digital Dial for Drake R4C
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5814717861&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

4790. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 02:00:45 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433dedcd$0$32199$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13063
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

>>Any question is certainly not on your horizon for discussion. Its
>>nebulous generality is not an invitation to discuss, it is a prelude
>>to a projected negative assertion made in terms of frustration.
>>
>>If you are not hindered, you could have been more explicit. This
>>should be quite apparent.
>
>
> See ya!
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

Well, his BS finally ran out.

tom
K0TAR

4791. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 02:31:26 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <2ym%e.16419$Xl2.3609@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13064
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Not as much as you need to figure out what a ham radio is what vhf-uhf
is about.

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:oaqrj15639dvdmo7mlvkesl9eiqotmvtk1@4ax.com...
>
> Nice vocabulary. Need help using your newsreader?
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

4792. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 03:03:46 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <suurj1h3ujba786avkcdjt7phgda1k2be3@4ax.com>
Source record: 13065
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Sep 2005 20:38:17 -0500, Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
wrote:
>The question, quoted from the book, is "What do you get when you
>multiply six by nine?". And the answer is still 42. Which is obvious.

Hi Tom,

Well, ya got me there. Trying too hard to lighten up Matt's bleak
outlook on life when I missed the curve there. ;-)

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4793. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 03:08:11 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433dfd9b$0$32193$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13066
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Clark wrote:

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> wrote:
>
>>The question, quoted from the book, is "What do you get when you
>>multiply six by nine?". And the answer is still 42. Which is obvious.
>
>
> Hi Tom,
>
> Well, ya got me there. Trying too hard to lighten up Matt's bleak
> outlook on life when I missed the curve there. ;-)
>
> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

Well, I'll Ill give you a hint, it's a math thing.

tom
K0TAR

4794. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 03:10:55 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433dfe3f$0$32193$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13067
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tom Ring wrote:

> Well, I'll Ill give you a hint, it's a math thing.
>
> tom
> K0TAR

Sorry, I stuttutterered there.

tom
K0TAR

4795. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 03:51:39 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433e07cb$0$32196$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13068
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

>>>-- msosborn at msosborn dot com
>>
>>Well, he could have it wrong, it may not be stupidity, but it certainly
>>is superstition.
>
>
> I'm afraid I have no idea of what your point is.
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

Of course not, you aren't capable of it. That's the part that
superstition affects.

tom
K0TAR

4796. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 03:52:59 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433e081b$0$32196$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13069
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:

> Patience is too valuable to waste.
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

Yet another null statement.

tom
K0TAR

4797. 2 new Mo'Slos

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 04:57:43 UTC
From: "Dr.David" <please.reply@web.site>
Message-ID: <bHo%e.4050$KQ5.685@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 13070

I've developed two new Mo'Slo products with RSS in mind. Not enough feedback yet to make specific recommendations, but Mo'Slo Deluxe, with cache disabling, reportedly runs much of the DOS-based Motorola RSS on some systems.

The Mo'Slo basic v.1.5 eval has two slowdown methods and a 0.01% slowdown increment.

Mo'Slo Deluxe v.3.1 has three slowdown methods, 0.01% slowdown increment, cache disabling, much-improved keyboard control, etc.

The new slowdown methods can reduce heat and power consumption in real mode DOS (which is what they were developed for, though method 2 does slow more than a few DOS programs in Windows).

Details and eval download at http://moslo.info

Best regards,
Dr.David

4798. Re: New old stock mobile CB antennas - must see!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 05:50:54 UTC
From: "M." <notvalid@email.add>
Message-ID: <4tp%e.9$e4.5989@sooner.brightok.net>
Source record: 13071

Suggestion: next time, hang them on the wall so you can get a picture with less distortion of perspective, then post them right side up in the auction!

M

<jimbradley@gmail.com> wrote in message news:1128089809.422002.294880@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQsassZjim-of-wareQQhtZ-1
>

4799. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 06:00:18 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <aj6sj19niuv0rgmj65pcnsr6td8vbp47lq@4ax.com>
Source record: 13072
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Sep 2005 22:43:41 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>Patience is too valuable to waste.

Art of the classics speaks to the soul; without it, this muttering of
philosophy simply stirs the dust in the mind.
>> I saw, moreover, in my dream, that the Interpreter took him by the hand,
>>and had him into a little room, where sat two little children, each one in his chair.
>>The name of the eldest was Passion, and the name of the other Patience.
>>Passion seemed to be much discontented; but Patience was very quiet.
>>Then Christian asked, What is the reason of the discontent of Passion?
>>The Interpreter answered, The Governor of them would have him stay for
>>his best things till the beginning of the next year; but he will have all now:
>>but Patience is willing to wait.

>> Then I saw that one came to Passion, and brought him a bag of treasure,
>>and poured it down at his feet, the which he took up and rejoiced therein,
>>and withal laughed Patience to scorn. But I beheld but a while, and he had
>>lavished all away, and had nothing left him but rags.

>> Then said Christian to the Interpreter, Expound this matter more fully to me.

>> So he said, These two lads are figures:
>>Passion, of the men of this world; and Patience, of the men of that which is to come;
>>for as here thou seest, Passion will have all now this year, that is to say, in this
world;
>>so are the men of this world, they must have all their good things now,
>>they cannot stay till next year, that is until the next world, for their portion of good.
>>That proverb, `A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush', is of more authority with
them
>>than are all the Divine testimonies of the good of the world to come.
>>But as thou sawest that he had quickly lavished all away, and had presently left him
>>nothing but rags; so will it be with all such men at the end of this world.

>> Then said Christian, Now I see that Patience has the best wisdom,
>>and that upon many accounts. First, because he stays for the best things.
>>Second, and also because he will have the glory of his, when the other has nothing but
rags.

>> Nay, you may add another, to wit, the glory of the next world
>>will never wear out; but these are suddenly gone. Therefore Passion had
>>not so much reason to laugh at Patience, because he had his good things first,
>>as Patience will have to laugh at Passion, because he had his best things last;
>>for first must give place to last, because last must have his time to come;

>>but last gives place to nothing; for there is not another to succeed.
>>He, therefore, that hath his portion first, must needs have a time to spend it;
>>but he that hath his portion last, must have it lastingly; therefore it is said of Dives,
>>"Thou in thy life-time receivedst thy good things, and likewise Lazarus evil things;
>>but now he is comforted, and thou art tormented." [Luke 16:25]

The parable is thus of the passion of the administration laughing at
the world as they glory over it. The plight of New Orleans reveals
their moral poverty in that all towns are New Orleans in their eyes.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4800. Re: Kenwood BC-7 Desk Charger, Icom IC-2E H/T>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 09:03:35 UTC
From: Jan bij Quicknet <test@test.test>
Message-ID: <57764$433e50d2$d549ba64$17652@cache40.multikabel.net>
Source record: 13073
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Why no shipping to Europe??

Jan

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> schreef in bericht
news:TiH_e.2242$Ge5.1802@fe10.lga...
> KENWOOD BC-7 DESK RAPID CHARGER w/2 BATTERIES>TH-215 NR
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812022957&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>
> ICOM IC-2E HANDY-TALKIE for 2-METERS,EURO MODEL>NICENR
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023023&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>

4801. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 11:14:52 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Mcu%e.16434$Xl2.1264@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13074
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I doubt that you know at least as much as I do, because you would realize
that your posts are completely off-topic for all of the groups that you
insist on posting your religion/atheist arguments.
It may have kept to a single thread, but I would disagree with you about it
swamping the newsgroups, since it your posts are almost two to three times
the on-topic posts for these newsgroups.
I don't understand the point that you didn't start the thread, but that you
are still posting to it. If someone else starts a fight and you just keep
hitting back, does that mean you aren't fighting? Now, I understand your
ignorance and why your arguments are all skewed.
Take your discussion to e-mail. This thread started on-topic, but people
like you, who can't follow rules, have denigrated it to an off-topic
discussion.

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:021sj1hb84shphia0dq78pl55r0q65sntl@4ax.com...
>
> I suppose I know at least as much as you do Pat, about hf, vhf & uhf.
> I can also identify a thread and I know how to avoid one.
>
> Look, I know this is off topic and that it is an imposition on others.
> So far, though, it has kept to a single thread and hasn't swamped the
> group. I didn't start the thread, but I did enjoy it (with a few
> exceptions).
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

4802. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 11:17:59 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Hfu%e.16435$Xl2.14286@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13075
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Along with a lot of other things. Too bad, your common sense is
lacking.

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message
news:7d1sj1ljfil7mk2a45g84havhdhtn0t32b@4ax.com...
>
> Patience is too valuable to waste.
>
>
> -- msosborn at msosborn dot com

4803. FS: SG-500 HF AMPLIFIER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 11:39:51 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <5Au%e.12127$uD2.9343@fe05.lga>
Source record: 13076

FS: SG-500 MOBILE HF AMP
THIS HF AMPLIFIER IS IN EXCELLANT CONDITION. DESIGNED FOR MOBILE USE, IT ALSO CAN BE USED FOR A BASE STATION AMPLIFIER WITH A SUITABLE 12 VDC SUPPLY. IT HAS THE OPTIONAL MODEL SGC 51-82 FAN KIT INSTALLED FOR 100% DUTY CYCLE. THIS IS THE TOP OF THE LINE SOLID STATE FILTER TYPE HF AMPLIFIER. NEW THIS COMBO IS $1550.00 AT AES OR HRO. THE PRICE IS $1150.00 INCLUDING SHIPPING & INSURANCE IN THE USA ONLY.

4804. Re: FA: ALLIED KNIGHT SPAN MASTER TUBE REGENERATIVE SW RECEIVER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 11:46:38 UTC
From: Yodar <JStrain4@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <yGu%e.161970$p_1.35842@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 13077
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

jfeng@my-deja.com wrote:
> Yodar wrote:
>
>> I had the predecessor to the span master. Mine had seperate coils,
>> (4 regen coils)nekked chassis and no selector switch
>>
>> WHAT MODEL WAS THAT?
>
>
> I think you mean the Ocean Hopper. Including LW and BCB, there were a
> total of six coils. They show up on eBay pretty regularly, but the
> bidding for nice ones often goes over $100.
>
OUCH !

4805. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 13:42:19 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <7d3a5$433e926c$97d558d8$32550@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13078
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

I bet you were a hall monitor in school...

It must be really boring to have a life that is only enriched by being a net
Nazi.

"Pat Stevens" <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com> wrote in message
news:Mcu%e.16434$Xl2.1264@twister.nyroc.rr.com...
> I doubt that you know at least as much as I do, because you would realize
> that your posts are completely off-topic for all of the groups that you
> insist on posting your religion/atheist arguments.
> It may have kept to a single thread, but I would disagree with you about
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> are still posting to it. If someone else starts a fight and you just keep
> hitting back, does that mean you aren't fighting? Now, I understand your
> ignorance and why your arguments are all skewed.
> Take your discussion to e-mail. This thread started on-topic, but people
> like you, who can't follow rules, have denigrated it to an off-topic
> discussion.

4806. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 15:21:47 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <p8atj1d103ih9hsgduit9b03huha5c6kso@4ax.com>
Source record: 13079
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 01 Oct 2005 09:21:31 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:

>The tale is of two sheep

Hi Matt,

Such problems.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4807. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 15:46:56 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Qby%e.16485$Xl2.3691@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13080
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You probably call the police a nazi, too, when they pull you over for speeding. How come everyone believes that they don't need to follow the rules and that when they have it pointed out to them that they are outside the rules, they are being "picked on." Is that what you were in school?

"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message news:7d3a5$433e926c$97d558d8$32550@ALLTEL.NET...
>I bet you were a hall monitor in school...
>
> It must be really boring to have a life that is only enriched by being a
> net
> Nazi.

4808. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 15:47:58 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Ocy%e.16486$Xl2.7097@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13081
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Not enough sense to stay on-topic, maybe? What is with the argument that "I didn't start it, but I sure the hell am going to finish it" attitude.

<Matt Osborn> wrote in message news:4s6tj1lpqgae2070qihattvmnv8udk80vb@4ax.com...
> Thanks for joining the thread, Pat. It's infectious, isn't it?
>
> It would be helpful, at least to me, if you would describe what made
> you believe that I lack common sense? Perhaps, if you don't mind,
> you could expound a little on why you find common sense so valuable.

4809. Re: Receivers, H/T's, CHARGERS, Icom 740, VTVM's, So much stuff>list WITHIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 16:04:21 UTC
From: Brian Hill <jonnysocko@jps.net>
Message-ID: <bsy%e.20624$wg7.9921@fe06.lga>
Source record: 13082
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.photo.equipment.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

This is not a flame, I'm just trying to help you out. Do you have any webspace for those pics? If so, I would use a link. Most of these forums prohibit graphics files because they eat up server resorces. If you need help with ftp protocal let me know and I would be glad to help.

Brian
--
73 and good DX. B.H.
Brian's Radio Universe
http://webpages.charter.net/brianhill/500.htm

4810. Re: FA - Drake R4C, MS4, digital dial

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 17:24:01 UTC
From: kk4tl <kk4tl@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1128187441.716706.102230@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13083
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

All items are sold via "buy it now" - thanks for looking.

4811. FA:MOTOROLA MRTI L-1000 RADIO INTERCONNECT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:26:44 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <RpB%e.16905$mH.11395@fed1read07>
Source record: 13084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA MRTI L-1000 RADIO INTERCONNECT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550792781&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4812. FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS SP50 UHF 10-CH PORTABLE RADIO-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:29:56 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <2uB%e.16907$mH.8911@fed1read07>
Source record: 13085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS SP50 UHF 10-CH PORTABLE RADIO-NR

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550804064&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4813. FA: KENWOOD TK-360G-1 UHF PORTABLE RADIO-SPKR/MIC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:31:01 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <VuB%e.16908$mH.7399@fed1read07>
Source record: 13087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: KENWOOD TK-360G-1 UHF PORTABLE RADIO-SPKR/MIC

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550821393&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4814. FA: MOTOROLA RADIUS SP50 SP-50 VHF PORTABLE RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:32:09 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <WuB%e.16909$mH.13643@fed1read07>
Source record: 13086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: MOTOROLA RADIUS SP50 SP-50 VHF PORTABLE RADIO

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550806181&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4815. FA:MOTOROLA CDM1550 VHF-128CH-REMOTE HEAD-EXTRAS-NICE CDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:33:08 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <RvB%e.16910$mH.1932@fed1read07>
Source record: 13088
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA CDM1550 VHF-128CH-REMOTE HEAD-EXTRAS-NICE CDX

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550828614&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4816. FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS SP50 SP-50 UHF-10CH-DTMF-SPK/MIC-XTRAS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:34:07 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <MwB%e.16911$mH.5351@fed1read07>
Source record: 13089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA RADIUS SP50 SP-50 UHF-10CH-DTMF-SPK/MIC-XTRAS

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550819713&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4817. FA:2-EA MOTOROLA RADIUS GP300 PORTABLE RADIO'S-EXTRAS !!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:35:22 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <azB%e.16912$mH.2853@fed1read07>
Source record: 13090
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:2-EA MOTOROLA RADIUS GP300 PORTABLE RADIO'S-EXTRAS !!!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550831104&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4818. FA:MOTOROLA TRA100R REPEATER MAKER/TONE ADPTR MODULE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:36:53 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <mzB%e.16913$mH.11842@fed1read07>
Source record: 13091
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA TRA100R REPEATER MAKER/TONE ADAPTER MODULE

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550834444&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4819. FA:2-EA MOTOROLA RADIUS SU42 SPIRIT PORTABLE RADIOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 19:44:18 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <iGB%e.16914$mH.8224@fed1read07>
Source record: 13092
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:2-EA MOTOROLA RADIUS SU42 SPIRIT PORTABLE RADIOS

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550823646&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4820. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 20:03:47 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <MYSdnVGhLKE-dqPeRVn-gw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13093
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Pat Stevens wrote:
> "Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
> news:nl1rj1daflg9m5dnnjb4ogiruu4ukrim2m@4ax.com...
>
>>On Fri, 30 Sep 2005 13:23:43 -0500, Matt Osborn <> wrote:
>>
>>>>is adequate to the task
>>>
>>>Clearly, your need to embellish is not only unnecessary, it is also
>>>irrelevant.
>>
>>Hi Matt,
>>
>>Yet another prejudice I see. In the face of your wandering the
>>metaphysical landscape of Why? and finding nothing suitable to alight
>>on, the need for embellishment seems to be your patent. That you find
>>the discussion irrelevant is yet more evidence of the Nihilistic
>>propensity to skepticism and denial.
>>
>>73's
>>Richard Clark, KB7QHC

Ahh Pat, so you are engaging in the ever clever tactic of replying to posts without adding anything to them.

Which indicates to me that you are more interested in getting rid of postings that irritate you, as opposed to any real desire to keep the newsgroup on topic.

Your tactic is seen on the bands where people record and play back other hams transmissions. I guess it is a particularly unimaginative form of Jamming.

Are you a Jammer, Pat?

4821. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 20:06:08 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <MYSdnVChLKGtcaPeRVn-gw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13094
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tom Ring wrote:
> Richard Clark wrote:
>
>> The question?
>> "What is 6 times 7?"
>>
>
> The question, quoted from the book, is "What do you get when you
> multiply six by nine?". And the answer is still 42. Which is obvious.

But pi is exactly 3 in some circles.......

While we are busy putting "intelligent design" into schools, I suggest
we start putting "faith based mathematics" in next.

- Mike KB3EIA -

4822. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 20:08:13 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <MYSdnVOhLKEzcaPeRVn-gw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13095
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Matt Osborn wrote:
> On Sat, 01 Oct 2005 00:30:04 GMT, "Pat Stevens"
> <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com> wrote:
>
>
>> Your own stupidity is hindering you. Take it to e-mail, moron.
>>
>><Matt Osborn> wrote in message
>>news:d0krj158a9aifpk3s92eovrr0nupp0mo1u@4ax.com...
>>
>>>Simply avoiding the question? Your blindness hinders me not.
>>>
>>>
>>>-- msosborn at msosborn dot com
>
>
> Nice vocabulary. Need help using your newsreader?

Pat doesn't like us talking about this, Matt. Seems like everyone is having a good time, and the posts are pretty civil. I guess some people like to control others, eh?

- Mike KB3EIA -

4823. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 20:09:00 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <MYSdnVKhLKFBcaPeRVn-gw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13096
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Pat Stevens wrote:
> Not as much as you need to figure out what a ham radio is what vhf-uhf
> is about.

Some people think it is about jamming....

> <Matt Osborn> wrote in message
> news:oaqrj15639dvdmo7mlvkesl9eiqotmvtk1@4ax.com...
>
>>Nice vocabulary. Need help using your newsreader?
>>
>>
>>-- msosborn at msosborn dot com
>
>
>

4824. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 20:54:38 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <dhttj1d92o8qhv2m93njjuhvefdbg52tr1@4ax.com>
Source record: 13097
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 01 Oct 2005 16:06:08 -0400, Mike Coslo
<mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote:
> But pi is exactly 3 in some circles.......
>
> While we are busy putting "intelligent design" into schools, I suggest
>we start putting "faith based mathematics" in next.

Hi Mike,

If I recall correctly, the forebears of the untelligent design crowd,
during the scopes monkey trial, attempted to mandate that pi was equal
to 22/7ths. However, I don't see where faith attaches to 22 and 7 was
always a cabalistic device of the middle ages.

Close enough for as many as 3 would be.

I would hate to drive on their 13/14/15 inch tires tho'. ;-)

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4825. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 22:53:26 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <8b50$433f1398$97d558d8$27686@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12998
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Nah, I used to beat the crap out of wooses like you and take their lunch
money. Enjoyed watching them cry.

If I were standing in front of you, you would be peeing your pants and
hollering "Mommy". Your type is only brave when behind a teacher or a
keyboard.

Get a life or get educated enough to use your newsreader correctly so you
may avoid apoplexy...

"Pat Stevens" <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com> wrote in message
news:Qby%e.16485$Xl2.3691@twister.nyroc.rr.com...
> You probably call the police a nazi, too, when they pull you over for
> speeding. How come everyone believes that they don't need to follow the
> rules and that when they have it pointed out to them that they are outside
> the rules, they are being "picked on." Is that what you were in school?
>
> "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
> news:7d3a5$433e926c$97d558d8$32550@ALLTEL.NET...
> >I bet you were a hall monitor in school...
> >
> > It must be really boring to have a life that is only enriched by being a
> > net
> > Nazi.
>
>

4826. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-01 23:00:01 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <e7e7a$433f1523$97d558d8$28783@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12999
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard, if the same 3 were used to design the wheels as the tires, you would never know the difference. PI is really smart in that it knows about both Metric and Inches :>)

"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message news:dhttj1d92o8qhv2m93njjuhvefdbg52tr1@4ax.com...
> On Sat, 01 Oct 2005 16:06:08 -0400, Mike Coslo
> <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote:
> > But pi is exactly 3 in some circles.......
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> > While we are busy putting "intelligent design" into schools, I suggest
> >we start putting "faith based mathematics" in next.
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> Hi Mike,
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> If I recall correctly, the forebears of the untelligent design crowd,
> during the scopes monkey trial, attempted to mandate that pi was equal
> to 22/7ths. However, I don't see where faith attaches to 22 and 7 was
> always a cabalistic device of the middle ages.
>
> Close enough for as many as 3 would be.
>
> I would hate to drive on their 13/14/15 inch tires tho'. ;-)
>
> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4827. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 00:37:05 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <xo6dnXmaz4IstqLeRVn-rw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 13000
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Clark wrote:
> On Sat, 01 Oct 2005 16:06:08 -0400, Mike Coslo
> <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote:
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> during the scopes monkey trial, attempted to mandate that pi was equal
> to 22/7ths. However, I don't see where faith attaches to 22 and 7 was
> always a cabalistic device of the middle ages.
>
> Close enough for as many as 3 would be.

With enough faith, who needs tires? Just pray, and after you starve to death, you reap your reward.....

Frankly, I think they are the modern day version of the sabot throwers.

> I would hate to drive on their 13/14/15 inch tires tho'. ;-)

Their Escalades are heavy enough to round off the out of round sections.. 8^)

- Mike KB3EIA -

4828. SWR-Wattmeter and Antenna Tuner Combo for QRP?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 01:25:31 UTC
From: Rockinghorse Winner <rockinghorse@phreaker.net>
Message-ID: <1128216331.573999.35810@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13001

Hello. I am a recently licensed ham who is finishing off my first rig, a tentec 1315 QRP monobander. I plan on feeding it to a dipole about 20 feet up. I have been looking for a Wattmeter/SWR Meter that can read SWR with low output (3-5 Watts), and for a Tuner that can be passed into and out of the feedline with an internal bypass switch. I would prefer a meter and tuner that can also be configured for 100 Watt output, but that is not a necessity.

I've noticed some meters give a minimum power output for usable SWR reading, and often it is well above QRP power levels. So, I guess I am looking for a meter that can read SWR accurately at QRP levels, and a tuner with an internal bypass [pass-through] switch.

Thank you for your input.

Rockinghorse Winner (Waiting for my Callsign)

4829. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 01:54:04 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3q8stsFdplp2U1@individual.net>
Source record: 13002
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

Standard C468A LNIB-------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

4830. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 01:57:05 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <R7H%e.17307$Xl2.9545@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13003
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Ok. So, you were the bully who couldn't follow rules and believe that they never apply to you. So, now you are continuing that ideology in life as you "hide behind your keyboard."
Just goes to show, that some people never grow up and never change.

"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
news:8b50$433f1398$97d558d8$27686@ALLTEL.NET...
> Nah, I used to beat the crap out of wooses like you and take their lunch
> money. Enjoyed watching them cry.
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>
> Get a life or get educated enough to use your newsreader correctly so you
> may avoid apoplexy...
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> news:Qby%e.16485$Xl2.3691@twister.nyroc.rr.com...
>> You probably call the police a nazi, too, when they pull you over for
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>> rules and that when they have it pointed out to them that they are
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>> the rules, they are being "picked on." Is that what you were in school?
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>> >
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>> > Nazi.
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>

4831. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 01:59:35 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <baH%e.17309$XI2.13521@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13004
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

The controls have already been put in place. The idea of posting on-topic
is nothing new and most people find a way to keep themselves within those
boundaries.
I would imagine that the band plans for the amateur radio frequencies are
only a "guide" for you, too, and that you feel that you can transmit in any
mode and on any band that you feel fit. Right?

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>>>>Simply avoiding the question? Your blindness hinders me not.
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>>>>-- msosborn at msosborn dot com
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>>
>> Nice vocabulary. Need help using your newsreader?
>
> Pat doesn't like us talking about this, Matt. Seems like everyone is
> having a good time, and the posts are pretty civil. I guess some people
> like to control others, eh?
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

4832. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 02:23:04 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <55b0c$433f44ba$97d558d8$25020@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13005
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Do I look like I am "hiding" you twit!

I can see not only are you too stupid to use a newsreader, in addition you have no clue as to what can be gleaned from my call.

I love upsetting supercillious net Nazis. Makes my day.

"Pat Stevens" <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com> wrote in message news:R7H%e.17307$Xl2.9545@twister.nyroc.rr.com...
> Ok. So, you were the bully who couldn't follow rules and believe that they
> never apply to you. So, now you are continuing that ideology in life as you
> "hide behind your keyboard."

4833. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 02:31:28 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <433f4680$0$32207$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13006
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mike Coslo wrote:

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>>> The question? "What is 6 times 7?"
>>>
>>
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>
> But pi is exactly 3 in some circles.......
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> While we are busy putting "intelligent design" into schools, I
> suggest we start putting "faith based mathematics" in next.
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

That wasn't my point. I thought some of you might figure out why. I am
quite disappointed to tell the truth.

6 x 9 = 42

It's not that tough, unless you can't think out of at least one box.
And those that figured it out fron "The Book", please do not comment.

tom
K0TAR

4834. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 02:37:19 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <zJH%e.5546$zQ3.1239@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 13007
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

"Pat Stevens" <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com> wrote

> The controls have already been put in place. The idea of posting on-topic is
> nothing new and most people find a way to keep themselves within those
> boundaries.

Pat, usenet has no controls "put in place" (except on moderated newsgroups).
Each newsgroup is commissioned for a stated purpose and should generally be
followed, but sometimes the exhuberance of the moment causes us to stray off
into other areas. S#!t happens!

> I would imagine that the band plans for the amateur radio frequencies are only
> a "guide" for you, too, and that you feel that you can transmit in any mode
> and on any band that you feel fit. Right?

Bandplans are voluntary "guides", and generally make good sense. Times happen,
however, when there are good reasons to deviate from a particualr bandplan. So
long as the mode/band is FCC-legal and I have a personally-acceptable reason,
you're right --- I >>do<< feel that I can take a one-time exception to the
bandplan guidelines.

73, de Hans, K0HB

4835. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 03:32:47 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <8ukuj19khb1hnngvu5hr7av68u6orm5q0e@4ax.com>
Source record: 13008
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sat, 01 Oct 2005 21:31:28 -0500, Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
wrote:

>That wasn't my point. I thought some of you might figure out why. I am
>quite disappointed to tell the truth.

Hi Tom,

"Don't Panic!" (I wish it could be written in the proper friendly
colors.)

It's simply working with Ape descendants that makes it harder to
explain.

Keep banging the rocks,
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4836. Re: Kenwood BC-7 Desk Charger, Icom IC-2E H/T>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 06:59:46 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <CzL%e.53563$uD6.49651@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 13009
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Is the cool little hockey dude included in the sale?

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:TiH_e.2242$Ge5.1802@fe10.lga...
> KENWOOD BC-7 DESK RAPID CHARGER w/2 BATTERIES>TH-215 NR
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812022957&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>
> ICOM IC-2E HANDY-TALKIE for 2-METERS,EURO MODEL>NICENR
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5812023023&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
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4837. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 12:22:29 UTC
From: Mike <kc2ftn@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <433fd359@news.usenetzone.com>
Source record: 13010

I think he was pointing out that you were hiding about as well as he is
hiding.
"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
news:55b0c$433f44ba$97d558d8$25020@ALLTEL.NET...
> Do I look like I am "hiding" you twit!
>
> I can see not only are you too stupid to use a newsreader, in addition you
> have no clue as to what can be gleaned from my call.
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> I love upsetting supercillious net Nazis. Makes my day.
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> "Pat Stevens" <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com> wrote in message
> news:R7H%e.17307$Xl2.9545@twister.nyroc.rr.com...
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>> never apply to you. So, now you are continuing that ideology in life as
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>> "hide behind your keyboard."
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4838. Wanted: Toshiba 12by7a tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 15:15:05 UTC
From: Mark <el34guy@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1128266105.861624.49430@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13011

Let me know if you have a few of these. 73 and thanks

Mark
W0NCL

4839. ANYBODY HAVE ANY DEALINGS WITH TIM N9ZVO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 16:02:47 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vwT%e.32138$Xa.833@fe12.lga>
Source record: 13012

Posting this for a friend.......

ANYBODY HAVE ANY DEALINGS WITH TIM N9ZVO ??

Thanks

4840. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 16:27:17 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <FTT%e.17504$Xl2.16932@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13013
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Hey, Fred,
Does this ring a bell? Why do you feel this group would be any different
than the one you posted the following message to?

Re: Man, Mr. bush Jr. sure is wicked evil eh?
by "w4jle" <w4jle@ > Apr 22, 2004 at 07:13 PM

Take this crap to alt.wewearaluminimum.hats

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seriously needs to get a life!

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4841. FS hy-gain CD-45-II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 16:52:37 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <gfU%e.124307$7f5.77563@okepread01>
Source record: 13014

I have a hy-gain CD-45-II Rotator and Control Box for sale. It is not working. I think that it is a problem in the control box. It has the original manual and the upper and lower mast brackets. The Control box looks very clean, but the needle on the meter sticks at different places when power is off and you move the box around.
I am sure that the rotator will need cleaning and lubing. These things sell for over $400 with the optional lower mast bracket. I will take $115 plus shpping for this one.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

4842. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 18:30:58 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <2e4ae$43402795$97d558d8$23323@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13015
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Did we cause you to spend two days googling newsgroups? You could have found
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days. Your still a damnyankee liberal twit.

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4843. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 19:21:15 UTC
From: Pat Stevens <patstevens196@rochester.rr.com>
Message-ID: <LqW%e.18322$Xl2.4448@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 13016
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

No, I only spent a couple of minutes looking. I thought it was interesting
that the shoe is now on the other foot, for you. Found your page
interesting, too.
However, I find it ironic that you call me a yankee. I have been trying to
shed the southerner image here with my friends and coworkers ever since I
moved up here from Myrtle Beach, after retiring from the Air Force. I grew
up in Beaufort, SC, near the Naval Hospital. Most people say that I still
have the accent.

"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
news:2e4ae$43402795$97d558d8$23323@ALLTEL.NET...
> Did we cause you to spend two days googling newsgroups? You could have
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> much better examples, I have been getting after net nazis since the ARPA
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4844. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 20:22:51 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <3353f$434041cf$97d558d8$17905@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13017
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

OK, since your one of us we will give you a little slack. I will even point
out that the example you found had nothing to do with rules, but sent an
idiot to a non-existant forum who daily posted far out anti Bush stuff.

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4845. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 21:04:48 UTC
From: whinyslit_lloydie@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1128287088.547208.134900@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13018
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

You couldn't whoop the crap out of your colostomy bag.

4846. Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 22:29:13 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <r7evtegkcjgt.kuwb55vmxpjg$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 13019
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec,radio.amateur.equipment

Novitiate here:

I am learning AM broadcast basics in particular the issues regarding the geo-targeted broadcasting of alert messages from moving vehicles. Would most appreciate any assistance.

Due to Katrina/Rita, the company I work for has been given the opportunity to demonstrate a messaging system that would reach out approximately 1 mile +/- in transmission deliverance. This would be an "overbroadcast" (my term) in that it would override local AM radio broadcasting to reach into cars, trucks etc. In particular, we are working with a stationary site (a chemical spill for instance) and an emergency vehicle that would move back and forth at and through the site, at up to 70 mph, broadcasting an alert, voice and tone message.

Reading about LPAM, this looks technically possible but one concern I have is antennae size. A fire truck, for instance, could have an antenna mounted on its front, and up to 4 feet over the top of its roof, so we might look at as much as 20 feet of length. I realize this places us over the 3 meter max so one of the ???? is whether LFAM is realistic.

Am I way off base here, can any antennae, fractal or other, or any AM antennae technology, be utilized to design an antenna and propagate this type of signal?

All comments appreciated.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4847. Re: Wanted: Toshiba 12by7a tube

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 22:56:49 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dhpofcanh1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 13020

"Mark" <el34guy@aol.com> wrote in message
news:1128266105.861624.49430@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Let me know if you have a few of these. 73 and thanks
>
> Mark
> W0NCL

Any particular reason you want a Toshiba brand tube? There are lots of these available as NOS in various brands.

$6.00 each from these guys: http://home.att.net/~esrc/esrcs3.html

$9.50 each from these guys:
http://tubes_tubes_tubes.tripod.com/tubestubestubes/id18.html

These are just two of the NOS sources that I can find quickly.

4848. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 22:59:58 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <PDZ%e.15650$iM2.1279349@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 13021
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:r7evtegkcjgt.kuwb55vmxpjg$.dlg@40tude.net...
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> type of signal?
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> All comments appreciated.
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The things that pop into my mind are why AM rather than FM, which tends to
be more local, and do you intend to 'over-broadcast' only the local channels
(how many?) - I assume you intend to make the channel(s) selectable - or the
entire band to ensure you get everyone? Assuming that there is a commercial
AM broadcast station in the vicinity (what, 10 miles? 20 miles?) you are
probably going to be flat out getting a mobile rig to ride over it. How do
you intend to do this?

Cheers.

Ken

4849. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-02 23:42:16 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <434071D1.1080009@nettally.com>
Source record: 13022
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

A disadvantage I see is that a waiver is going to be required in order not to violate FCC rules. In fact, in the state of Florida, interfering with broadcast stations is against state law, so another hurdle to be overcome. That being said, for this system to work, you have to blanket the entire AM and FM broadcast bands. Even doing so will leave out the motorists who use XM or Sirius, the Ipod listeners and those who are driving with their cellphones plugged into their ears.

Ari Silversteinn wrote:

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

The Lost Deep Thoughts By: Jack Handey
Before a mad scientist goes mad, there's probably a time
when he's only partially mad. And this is the time when he's
going to throw his best parties.

4850. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 00:46:56 UTC
From: Bob Bob <bob3bob3@cox.net>
Message-ID: <3lb613-l4c.ln1@p400bob.personal.cox.net>
Source record: 13023
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Ari

I always wonder whether broadcast at the most common IF frequencies would be a viable alternative? (eg 455khz for AM) Legality issues aside of course... This would make frequency selection a little easier to engineer. You wouldnt have to divide your power budget into many operating frequencies as well. Problem is that you'd need a lot higher ERP especially since car mounted radios tend to be better shielded than portables. (You'll need to experiment some)

Since part of your engineering exercise will be to determine what ERP you want from the system you are proposing, the size of the antenna only needs to be considered in line with the transmitter output power. Obviously there will be a useful compromise somewhere that is cost effective. You might for example want a 100 watt TX for each frequency with a fairly lossy/terminated and loaded antenna. Your first port of call will be to determine what the likely highest strength of an AM/FM broadcast signal you will need to override, add maybe 20dB to that and work out your needed ERP. You will find lots of texts about the inefficiencies of MF antennas mounted on motor vehicles so that will give you some numbers to work with. Remember that making the antenna wideband will also introduce substantial loss. Note that you cant design the system to always work as you'll have situations where the radio stations transmitting antenna is right next to then freeqy where the event occurred! Decide on some statistical coverage percentage thing etc etc...

I worked for a concern in Sydney Australia that put in tunnel rebroadcast systems in the major underground roadworks in Sydney, Melbourne and Perth. Being in a tunnel of course there werent really any licensing issues. The system consisted of not only broadcast band (AM & FM) receivers but spot VHF/UHF FM receivers and transmitters for police, fire etc vehicles. Each broadcast frequency had its own transmitter. It was thought to be a better idea than using a wide band TX covering all frequencies. AM broadcast was coupled to a very long wire and the rest used a terminated leaky coax run.

Cheers Bob W5/VK2YQA

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4851. FA:SENCORE LC53 Z-METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 01:22:45 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <BJ%%e.17653$mH.11628@fed1read07>
Source record: 13024
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

SENCORE LC53 Z-METER- BENCH TEST EQUIPMENT-COMPONETS

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7551225478&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

4852. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 01:36:56 UTC
From: hhc314@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1128303416.672602.69070@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 13025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I agree Bob. "Tunnel Radio" systems have been around for over 20 years, and AFAIK all broadcast on dual IF frequencies covering both am and fm car radios. Here in Boston this type of system is in use in all our tunnels.

Harry C.

4853. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 02:28:05 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <43409736$0$3760$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 13026
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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Not everyone north of the moron line is a "llberal yankee twit", so
shove it up your southern idiot ass.

tom
a northern nondemocrat
K0TAR

4854. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 03:26:11 UTC
From: Crazy George <munschNO@SPAMattglobal.net>
Message-ID: <4340a8ca_3@news1.prserv.net>
Source record: 13027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Well, Ari, I can tell you this. People used to mock the fact that I had 7 antennas on my 1957 station wagon almost 50 years ago, but these days, the airwaves are so bereft of anything worth listening to, I never turn on a radio in the car. So, I will never hear your message no matter what you try.

Now, having said that, here is how the system design needs to be:
Since the frequency to which a target radio is tuned is an unknown, and since the input contains a good trap for the IF frequency, your transmitter needs to radiate about 2 KW ERP at each of three frequencies in the broadcast band separated by 262 kHz and 455 kHz. This will mix in the front end and produce a useful IF. Same technique on FM using two frequencies 10.7 MHz apart.

Good luck on the AM. With expected antenna efficiencies at that wavelength of about 3%, you are going to need over 100 kW of RF and antenna components with equivalent power ratings.

Let us know how it works out. The place I used to work no bid this about 20 years ago due to these problems, and that was not the first time this crazy idea surfaced.

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Crazy George
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>
> Novitiate here:
>
> I am learning AM broadcast basics in particular the issues regarding the
> geo-targeted broadcasting of alert messages from moving vehicles. Would
> most appreciate any assistance.
>
> Due to Katrina/Rita, the company I work for has been given the opportunity
> to demonstrate a messaging system that would reach out approximately 1
mile
> +/- in transmission deliverance. This would be an "overbroadcast" (my
term)
> in that it would override local AM radio broadcasting to reach into cars,
> trucks etc. In particular, we are working with a stationary site (a

> chemical spill for instance) and an emergency vehicle that would move back
> and forth at and through the site, at up to 70 mph, broadcasting an alert,
> voice and tone message.
>
> Reading about LPAM, this looks technically possible but one concern I have
> is antennae size. A fire truck, for instance, could have an antenna
mounted
> on its front, and up to 4 feet over the top of its roof, so we might look
> at as much as 20 feet of length. I realize this places us over the 3 meter
> max so one of the ???? is whether LFAM is realistic.
>
> Am I way off base here, can any antennae, fractal or other, or any AM
> antennae technology, be utilized to design an antenna and propagate this
> type of signal?
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> All comments appreciated.
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> Drop the alphabet for email

4855. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 03:56:24 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <ota1k1tu7uansgteniugk28qs6jhe9eiet@4ax.com>
Source record: 13028
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 17:17:15 -0700, Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
wrote:

>On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 23:26:21 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>>canals.
>
>In Santa Rosa? Perhaps if the Russian River overflowed - a lot.

ISP location != subscriber location. One subscriber is in New
Zealand.

4856. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 04:26:48 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <dgc1k11gncpus4g0udn1je9d5m709dges9@4ax.com>
Source record: 13029
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 03:56:24 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

> ISP location != subscriber location. One subscriber is in New
>Zealand.

Trying to convince us you pay trans-oceanic toll charges for a modem
hookup? And being in New Zealand has you/them/whomever offering:
>>> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>>>canals.

Yeh - sure.

4857. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 06:49:12 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <21l1k1hnpavq6i288c3tg759poutp5b4mk@4ax.com>
Source record: 13030
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Sep 2005 00:22:56 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 23:56:14 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>
>> Mommy and Daddy have been dead since 95 and 61, respectively.
>>
>> If you think you're important enough that I should leap to the
>>keyboard daily, you're sadly mistaken. I may only look in once a week.
>>Live with it.
>>
>> So, you're not only full of shit on both counts, you're also
>>wrong.
>>
>> And just how hollow is your life that you have to track my
>>posting delays? Get a hobby.
>
>My, my! I seem to have hit a nerve.

The only thing I've hit is a demonstration of the depths of
your arrogance and stupidity.

4858. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 06:51:22 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <34l1k1h00rlsqgicd6fkg2fi4m490lv31g@4ax.com>
Source record: 13031
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Fri, 30 Sep 2005 19:09:56 GMT, "Tom Donaly"
<dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>> On Thu, 29 Sep 2005 02:54:34 GMT, "Tom Donaly"
>> <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net> wrote:
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>>
>>>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>>>
>>>>>>Tom Donaly wrote:
>>>>>
>>>>>
>>>>>>>>Faith and works are, like voltage and current, inextricably intertwined.
>>>>
>>>>
>>>> They are not.
>>>>
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>>>>>>>>The proof of faith is the good work. Those who do no good have no faith.
>>>>
>>>>
>>>> Your logic book get lost in the hurricane? Come back when you
>>>>can name the logical fallacy you just committed.
>>>
>>>Some of the lower forms of American Christianity try to separate faith
>>>and works. That allows them salvation without substance, the lazy man's
>>>path to life without end.
>>
>>
>> in your narrow view.
>>
>>
>>> My last two sentences are statements of truth
>>
>>
>> "I fear the man who has all the answers." -- Father James
>> Marien, S.J. -- 1961 -- in my presence.
>>
>>
>>>, not a logical
>>>progression.

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>>
>> As written, they beg to be read as an incomplete syllogism.
>
>In other words, you made the connection up in your head. Typical.

Jesus, another liunatic who thinks he knows all about me.
Pompous bastard.

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>>
>>>Each has to be taken alone, by itself. (A religious
>>>fundamentalist insisting on logical consistency constitutes a
>>>pretty good joke.) Let me repeat: Those who do no good have no
>>>faith.
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>>
>> Repitition does not include leaving off the first half of the
>> line you wrote. In a humorous logic treatise, your statement would be
>> named "The Proof from Blatant Assertion".
>>
>>
>>>Next time you and your friends are sitting around speaking
>>>in tongues, you should discuss this. Maybe, if you all think real
>>>hard, together, you can puzzle out what it means.
>>
>>
>>
>>>73,
>>>Tom Donaly, KA6RUH
>>
>>
>
>Unable to address the truth of what I wrote, you fantasize an argument
>out of your sophomoric command of medieval logic. That, too, is typical,
>if somewhat pathetic, since your religion is based on unquestioning
>belief, superstition, and a fundamental opposition to science and
>inquiring thought. Give it up. No brain can justify the brainless.

Considering your lastname, I can take a stab at what your
religin was before you lost it.

>73,
>Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4859. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 06:53:32 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <eal1k1p93b13fv7olg0jkqgpb4qv9dnrqv@4ax.com>
Source record: 13032
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>> And just how hollow is your life that you have to track my
>>posting delays? Get a hobby.
>
>My, my! I seem to have hit a nerve.

You couldn't hit your ass with a sword stuck in a toilet.

4860. Power Supply Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 13:23:07 UTC
From: Rod Maupin <gridman@ywave.com>
Message-ID: <11k2c5r10enk11f@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 13033

I have a military radio and I need to get a power supply to charge the 12V battery. The manual says to charge it at 1A for 5 to 6 hours. Does this mean that I have to buy a power supply that has a variable current control? The battery is a lead-calcium.

Thanks,

Rod

4861. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 13:55:26 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <915cb$43413882$97d558d8$23621@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13034
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Having a reading comprehension problem Tom? Please point to the portion of
the below sentence that says "ALL".

The word "YOUR" is the operable one and has a distinct meaning. You Yankees
are getting like the blacks, looking for any slight, real or imagined, so
you may take umbrage with it...

What exactly is the "it" that I am supposed to use as a suppository?

Fred
A Southern curmudgeon
W4JLE

"Tom Ring" <news0002@taring.org> wrote in message
news:43409736$0$3760$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net...
> Fred W4JLE wrote:
> > Did we cause you to spend two days googling newsgroups? You could have
found
> > much better examples, I have been getting after net nazis since the ARPA
> > days. Your still a damnyankee liberal twit.
>
> Not everyone north of the moron line is a "llberal yankee twit", so
> shove it up your southern idiot ass.
>
> tom
> a northern nondemocrat
> K0TAR

4862. Re: Power Supply Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 14:46:29 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <2vb0f.6$i%.4@fed1read07>
Source record: 13035

How about using a constant current regulator chip ???

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

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news:11k2c5r10enk11f@corp.supernews.com...
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>The battery is a lead-calcium.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Rod
>
>

4863. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 15:23:39 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1h0p718coajoy.1e5zi3aftiw8r.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 13036
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 11:59:58 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

>> Am I way off base here, can any antennae, fractal or other, or any AM
>> antennae technology, be utilized to design an antenna and propagate this
>> type of signal?
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>> All comments appreciated.
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> The things that pop into my mind are why AM rather than FM, which tends to
> be more local, and do you intend to 'over-broadcast' only the local channels
> (how many?) - I assume you intend to make the channel(s) selectable - or the
> entire band to ensure you get everyone?

The issue of selective vs full range broadcasting is a matter that has not
been decided either by client, company or possibility. There are plusses
and minus' to each.

Selective would entail less power but we are being told power of the fire
engine is not an issue.

> Assuming that there is a commercial
> AM broadcast station in the vicinity (what, 10 miles? 20 miles?) you are
> probably going to be flat out getting a mobile rig to ride over it. How do
> you intend to do this?
>
> Cheers.
>
> Ken

lol Good question, Ken. Any suggestions?
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Drop the alphabet for email

4864. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 15:28:32 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1on4ycu9vveeu$.1trf1dy8v6m99.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 13037
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 02 Oct 2005 23:42:16 GMT, **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** wrote:

> A disadvantage I see is that a waiver is going to be required in order
> not to violate FCC rules. In fact, in the state of Florida, interfering
> with broadcast stations is against state law, so another hurdle to be
> overcome.

Yes, the budget is rich with expected legal expenses. Since DHS has become a player in this, we are hopeful that we can get the necessary punch to overcome FCC and statutory issues.

>That being said, for this system to work, you have to blanket
> the entire AM and FM broadcast bands. Even doing so will leave out the
> motorists who use XM or Sirius, the Ipod listeners and those who are
> driving with their cellphones plugged into their ears.

Do we have to blanket or only blanket each locale, that is, the broadcasting stations of each locale?

Not only will we miss those no AM/FM listeners, we will miss those that don't have their radios on. An aggressive, road sign campaign is planned something like " Turn On Your Radio, It Could Save Your Life" type of thing near each incident site.

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Drop the alphabet for email

4865. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 15:45:29 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <wie9wy5w5f1h$.h50c1iyic3pf.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 13038
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 02 Oct 2005 19:46:56 -0500, Bob Bob wrote:

> Hi Ari

Thanks for comments, Bob.

> I always wonder whether broadcast at the most common IF frequencies
> would be a viable alternative? (eg 455khz for AM) Legality issues aside
> of course...

I'm missing your point. Please explain.

> This would make frequency selection a little easier to
> engineer. You wouldnt have to divide your power budget into many
> operating frequencies as well. Problem is that you'd need a lot higher
> ERP especially since car mounted radios tend to be better shielded than
> portables. (You'll need to experiment some)

Agreed.

> Since part of your engineering exercise will be to determine what ERP
> you want from the system you are proposing, the size of the antenna only
> needs to be considered in line with the transmitter output power.
> Obviously there will be a useful compromise somewhere that is cost
> effective. You might for example want a 100 watt TX for each frequency
> with a fairly lossy/terminated and loaded antenna. Your first port of
> call will be to determine what the likely highest strength of an AM/FM
> broadcast signal you will need to override, add maybe 20dB to that and
> work out your needed ERP.

Good advice here, will 20db do it?

> You will find lots of texts about the
> inefficiencies of MF antennas mounted on motor vehicles so that will
> give you some numbers to work with. Remember that making the antenna
> wideband will also introduce substantial loss. Note that you cant design
> the system to always work as you'll have situations where the radio
> stations transmitting antenna is right next to then freeqy where the
> event occurred! Decide on some statistical coverage percentage thing etc
> etc...

Yes, we are shooting for max overbroadcasting but the reality is it is a
hit and miss proposition. Even the scenario of geo related obstructions is
a possibility.

> I worked for a concern in Sydney Australia that put in tunnel
> rebroadcast systems in the major underground roadworks in Sydney,

> Melbourne and Perth. Being in a tunnel of course there werent really any
> licensing issues.

Is that peculiar to Aus?

> The system consisted of not only broadcast band (AM &
> FM) receivers but spot VHF/UHF FM receivers and transmitters for police,
> fire etc vehicles. Each broadcast frequency had its own transmitter. It
> was thought to be a better idea than using a wide band TX covering all
> frequencies. AM broadcast was coupled to a very long wire and the rest
> used a terminated leaky coax run.
>
> Cheers Bob W5/VK2YQA

Very nice, congrats on that. Was it Yagi technology or fractal?
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4866. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 15:46:16 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1nx6q2oe5hqcd.16luh3kexsz0p$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 13039
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 2 Oct 2005 18:36:56 -0700, hhc314@yahoo.com wrote:

> I agree Bob. "Tunnel Radio" systems have been around for over 20
> years, and AFAIK all broadcast on dual IF frequencies covering both am
> and fm car radios. Here in Boston this type of system is in use in all
> our tunnels.
>
> Harry C.

Harry, is this a "pickup" system for lost signal?
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Drop the alphabet for email

4867. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 15:56:25 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <2aggpl1hjwc1.1eu407rcntj8g.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 13040
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 2 Oct 2005 22:26:11 -0500, Crazy George wrote:

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> antennas on my 1957 station wagon almost 50 years ago, but these days, the
> airwaves are so bereft of anything worth listening to, I never turn on a
> radio in the car. So, I will never hear your message no matter what you
> try.

Not even in an obvious disaster situation?

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> since the input contains a good trap for the IF frequency, your transmitter
> needs to radiate about 2 KW ERP at each of three frequencies in the
> broadcast band separated by 262 kHz and 455 kHz. This will mix in the front
> end and produce a useful IF. Same technique on FM using two frequencies
> 10.7 MHz apart.

Got it, thanks for the specs.

> Good luck on the AM. With expected antenna efficiencies at that wavelength
> of about 3%, you are going to need over 100 kW of RF and antenna components
> with equivalent power ratings.

Yep, at least, maybe more but power availability off the emergency vehicle
is supposed to be a non-issue, we will see.

> Let us know how it works out. The place I used to work no bid this about 20
> years ago due to these problems, and that was not the first time this crazy
> idea surfaced.

Do you think it is crazy from the standpoint of legal or technical. The
system itself would appear to be much needed.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4868. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 16:01:14 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <94c7c$434155fe$97d558d8$27747@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 13041
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In that case, simply modify the sign to "Tune to 560, it could save your life" and use a discrete frequency low power transmitter.

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> something like " Turn On Your Radio, It Could Save Your Life" type of thing
> near each incident site.

4869. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 16:20:40 UTC
From: Dave <noone@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <QPmdnXdgVpDBx9zeRVn-uA@crocker.com>
Source record: 13042
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

there is no requirement that anyone listen to any broadcast radio. with the rapid growth of satellite radio there are even less people listening to either am of fm broadcast radio. add those who listen to cd's or dvd's and you get even less.

There are systems that are used for local road emergency notification, the 560khz one comes to mind, something along those lines would be the best bet, and add in signs on the backs of vehicles. i guess the real question is, what are you trying to do by overriding local broadcast stations? and over what size area?

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> lol Good question, Ken. Any suggestions?
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> Drop the alphabet for email

4870. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 16:21:42 UTC
From: Zoran Brlecic <...WA7AA...@get.lost>
Message-ID: <0YWdnW7_0tgLx9zeRVn-rA@comcast.com>
Source record: 13043
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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> you may take umbrage with it...

Don't give up yet, Fred, general Lee is bringing the reinforcmenets any
day now...

4871. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 16:50:35 UTC
From: Bob Bob <bob3bob3@cox.net>
Message-ID: <s34813-4jf.ln1@p400bob.personal.cox.net>
Source record: 13045
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Ari

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>>would be a viable alternative? (eg 455khz for AM) Legality issues aside
>>of course...
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>
> I'm missing your point. Please explain.

I apologise if you already know the following! Its pretty basic radio..

Almost every radio receiver on the market works off the "superhetrodyne" principal where the incoming signal is mixed with a local oscillator down to an intermediate frequency. This makes receiver design a little cheaper as you can then put your expensive filtering at one frequency rather than have something that has to track the actual transmitted frequency.

For example a station on the AM band at 870khz is mixed with a local oscillator of 1325 khz (in the receiver) to get a difference of 455khz. If the station frequency is changed then one only needs to modify the local oscillator frequency. This is what the knob on the radio does!

The most common IF frequency for an AM radio happens to be 455khz so transmitting on that will mean you will be heard on all AM radios in close proximity. I dont off hand know the most common broadcast FM IF (maybe 10.7MHz or 7.8Mhz) but that should be easy to find. It is important to make sure that the IF of the fire trucks FM two-way radio isnt the same or you'll never be able to hear it inside the truck!

To "broadcast over" you would need to amplitude modulate the AM band 455khz TX and frequency modulate the FM broadcast IF frequency.

> Good advice here, will 20db do it?

FM is easier to do than AM. I'd factor in maybe 6dB for FM. You might be able to get by with 12dB for AM but the original station will make some small amount of noise under it. The important thing is that the person listening wil be able to understand the content.

Note that this is of course only relevent when transmitting on the actual station frequency.

> Yes, we are shooting for max overbroadcasting but the reality is it is a
> hit and miss proposition. Even the scenario of geo related
obstructions is

> a possibility.

Well it shouldnt be that hard to model. Do a AM and FM band coverage prediction over the freeways etc you are doing the experiment on to discover what the receive strength will be in dBm. (It doesnt matter what "gain" you make the RX antenna because it will be the same figure that is used for your overbroadcast) For every say 200 yard square take the mean signal of each, then take the 80th percentile as the signal you have to beat. If that was (say) -80dBm you want -74dBm (for FM) at the maximum operating distance (was it a mile each way?) You then reverse model that to determine what the TX EIRP of the thing on the truck has to be.

There are bound to be contract houses that will do this prediction for you. I use to work for one that had the software and I have some GPL versions myself. I cant do MF (ie AM broadcast) though.

> Being in a tunnel of course there werent really any
>>licensing issues.

> Is that peculiar to Aus?

The licensing issue or the tunnel? Tunnel rebroadcast is pretty common around the world. The company I worked for also did one in Indonesia. Its also used in underground mines.

> Very nice, congrats on that. Was it Yagi technology or fractal?

Err, the leaky coax was just a 2km run of an Andrews product that has leaky holes in the shield. It was fed in the middle with a wide band splitter and terminated with 50 ohmss at each end. Its quite a common thing to do in underground environments. (Buildings too) Handy for two way radio as well as cell phones.

The AM thing was just a very long terminated (600r) wire.

None of the above are yagi or fractal

Cheers Bob

Ari Silversteinn wrote:
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4872. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 17:05:07 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <3po2k11ti506b359m27i8np3cun993i26u@4ax.com>
Source record: 13044
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 2 Oct 2005 18:29:13 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
<abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:

>Reading about LPAM, this looks technically possible but one concern I have
>is antennae size. A fire truck, for instance, could have an antenna mounted
>on its front, and up to 4 feet over the top of its roof, so we might look
>at as much as 20 feet of length. I realize this places us over the 3 meter
>max so one of the ???? is whether LFAM is realistic.

Hi Ari,

As you have described it, and have seen the discussion in regard to
the need for ERP - you are so deep in the debit column with AM power
EQUAL to a local broadcaster, that to climb out of that hole would be
prohibitive. READ: no fire truck has a power plant sufficient to
cover both the antenna system losses AND "overbroadcast" as you
desire. And this is for ONE station only. Imagine your broader
mandate to "overbroadcast" all local stations and that hole just gets
deeper.

>Am I way off base here, can any antennae, fractal or other, or any AM
>antennae technology, be utilized to design an antenna and propagate this
>type of signal?

With such a plea, to the savvy it reveals you are in over your head.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4873. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 17:27:09 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <g8p2k1do1sgpul85nnsvbjea9ju0pgqbjb@4ax.com>
Source record: 13046
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 11:28:32 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
<abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:

>Yes, the budget is rich with expected legal expenses. Since DHS has become
>a player in this, we are hopeful that we can get the necessary punch to
>overcome FCC and statutory issues.

Hi Ari,

The various pieces of this jigsaw puzzle is beginning to reveal a
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organizations, and their regulations, your "plan" has all the
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to the individual issues that any squinty-eyed bureaucrat would demand
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fail miserably, or drive costs so high as to be tainted with the plea
that "aren't people's lives worth the price?"

Let's see, the original spec calls for a disaster situation that is
confined to within 1 mile; that demands the local population be
informed; that over-rides their usual paths of communication; that
reaches them even when they are not engaged in listening.

As already pointed out, big sound trucks do wonders, and have worked
well since the beginning of the last century for this purpose. That
kids inside their home can hear the ice-cream truck a mile away is a
testimony to this simplicity.

Knocking on the door of the local broadcasters and commandeering their
air-time has a time honored tradition of working quite well too. This
involves no more time than getting that expensive mobile power plant
rigged with wide band transmitters working into hugely lossy antenna
systems into the same danger area. After-all, you could as easily
call the first most obvious radio station as them, and you could be
calling the others before they even got on the road.

The solution demanded is that all radio stations respond to a disaster
network alert and citizens tune to the Civil Defense frequency when so
warned by them. Is this another administration cut-back that was
shelved as one of those unnecessary "entitlements?" Have they clipped
all the wires to those old Air Raid sirens? When did the lights go
out in FEMA?

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Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4874. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 18:28:02 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <90u2k11tr23up7rc7nfcgjufergc2efe62@4ax.com>
Source record: 12948
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 06:53:32 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>>> And just how hollow is your life that you have to track my
>>>posting delays? Get a hobby.
>>
>>My, my! I seem to have hit a nerve.
>
> You couldn't hit your ass with a sword stuck in a toilet.

Isn't it past your bedtime?

4875. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 18:30:55 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <i2u2k19u474566u3cbbf41r2e3bujrf3om@4ax.com>
Source record: 12949
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 06:51:22 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>>> As written, they beg to be read as an incomplete syllogism.
>>
>>In other words, you made the connection up in your head. Typical.
>
> Jesus, another liunatic who thinks he knows all about me.
>Pompous bastard.

Mr. Pot, meet Mr. Kettle...

4876. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 18:37:49 UTC
From: Ben Jackson <ben@ben.com>
Message-ID: <slrndk2ujt.2hl3.ben@saturn.home.ben.com>
Source record: 13047
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 2005-10-02, Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
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> in that it would override local AM radio broadcasting to reach into cars,

My experience with AM (on the aircraft band) is that two transmitters
at the same time yields a horrible squeal and nothing else. The louder
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advantage over the other station (usually in the air with 5-10 watts).
In other words, there is no effect like FM capture.

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Ben Jackson
<ben@ben.com>
http://www.ben.com/

4877. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 19:54:56 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <c9gqhrx7nggh$.1hmwsp16r4gsh.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 12:01:14 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:

> In that case, simply modify the sign to "Tune to 560, it could save your
> life" and use a discrete frequency low power transmitter.

I assume you mean to take up an unused local channel? Or to bargain for
time on a used one?

Both ideas make sense.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4878. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 19:59:57 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <mi3hi7ng5xs6.hifhkdyo3ban.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12951
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 16:20:40 -0000, Dave wrote:

> there is no requirement that anyone listen to any broadcast radio. with the
> rapid growth of satellite radio there are even less people listening to
> either am of fm broadcast radio. add those who listen to cd's or dvd's and
> you get even less.

The loss of listenership is not arguable.

> There are systems that are used for local road emergency notification, the
> 560khz one comes to mind, something along those lines would be the best bet,
> and add in signs on the backs of vehicles. i guess the real question is,
> what are you trying to do by overriding local broadcast stations?

1) to grab those that are listening to AM/FM, it is still a hyooge market,
2) client request, 3) DHS preference 4) the number of people alerted by a
sign/sticker and independent warning channel is much less than both that
and AM/FM, 5) the possibility that once the AM/FM FCC/NAB bond is broken, a
precedent could be set for cell, sat, threading messaging, etc 6) spinoff
tech for local/reg/national emergencies.

> and over
> what size area?

1 mile radius max from point of incident, less most probably.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4879. Re: Power Supply Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 20:16:21 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <pkg0f.15807$iM2.1294404@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12952

"Rod Maupin" <gridman@ywave.com> wrote in message
news:11k2c5r10enk11f@corp.supernews.com...
>I have a military radio and I need to get a power supply to charge the 12V
>battery. The manual says to charge it at 1A for 5 to 6 hours. Does this
>mean that I have to buy a power supply that has a variable current control?
>The battery is a lead-calcium.
>
> Thanks,
>
> Rod
>
>
Lead-calcium are used in rc models, among other things. You could try a
model store and see if they have one grunty enough for you.

Ken

4880. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 20:20:25 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <90igr4oaklqx.11j4gw2huictq$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12953
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 11:28:32 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
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> Hi Ari,
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> picture here. With the introduction of two governmental
> organizations, and their regulations, your "plan" has all the
> appearances of being suitably crafted to work on paper. It responds
> to the individual issues that any squinty-eyed bureaucrat would demand
> be satisfied for his postage sized turf, but in the overall it would
> fail miserably, or drive costs so high as to be tainted with the plea
> that "aren't people's lives worth the price?"

No one, in the end, will care about that, Richard, it's buzz words. The
economic hooks are in lessened liabilities and coordinating better
emergency evac and site control plans. Money talks here.

> Let's see, the original spec calls for a disaster situation that is
> confined to within 1 mile; that demands the local population be
> informed; that over-rides their usual paths of communication; that
> reaches them even when they are not engaged in listening.
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> As already pointed out, big sound trucks do wonders, and have worked
> well since the beginning of the last century for this purpose. That
> kids inside their home can hear the ice-cream truck a mile away is a
> testimony to this simplicity.

That piece is a given, no argument there, the AM/FM piece is just one more
way to insure commo.

> Knocking on the door of the local broadcasters and commandeering their
> air-time has a time honored tradition of working quite well too. This
> involves no more time than getting that expensive mobile power plant
> rigged with wide band transmitters working into hugely lossy antenna
> systems into the same danger area. After-all, you could as easily
> call the first most obvious radio station as them, and you could be
> calling the others before they even got on the road.

Yes, but as we recently saw, things left to the "if come" often don't "come" ask FEMA. The plan needs to be in place and the control out of the hands of anyone except local/reg/national authority.

> The solution demanded is that all radio stations respond to a disaster
> network alert and citizens tune to the Civil Defense frequency when so
> warned by them.

Nothing wrong with that if you know where to tune. I don't, come to think of it.

> Is this another administration cut-back that was
> shelved as one of those unnecessary "entitlements?" Have they clipped
> all the wires to those old Air Raid sirens? When did the lights go
> out in FEMA?
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MOF, it's an idea that came up over dinner during FEMA/NOLA, don't know about the sirens, all I do know is once FEMA got there, they shutdown most commo inc police in some cases. They want total control so this p[iece has more play at the immediate response (local/state) levels.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4881. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 20:25:57 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <3hia322eb7xf$.26poszgq5p1y.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12954
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> Hi Ari
>
> >>I always wonder whether broadcast at the most common IF frequencies
> >>would be a viable alternative? (eg 455khz for AM) Legality issues aside
> >>of course...
> >
> >
> > I'm missing your point. Please explain.

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 11:50:35 -0500, Bob Bob wrote:

> I apologise if you already know the following! Its pretty basic radio..

Man, don't apologize, I have this semi-advanced understanding that missed a
lot of the basics, if you get the drift. Thanks.

> Almost every radio receiver on the market works off the "superhetrodyne"
> principal where the incoming signal is mixed with a local oscillator
> down to an intermediate frequency. This makes receiver design a little
> cheaper as you can then put your expensive filtering at one frequency
> rather than have something that has to track the actual transmitted
> frequency.

Got that.

> For example a station on the AM band at 870khz is mixed with a local
> oscillator of 1325 khz (in the receiver) to get a difference of 455khz.
> If the station frequency is changed then one only needs to modify the
> local oscillator frequency. This is what the knob on the radio does!

lol ok

> The most common IF frequency for an AM radio happens to be 455khz so
> transmitting on that will mean you will be heard on all AM radios in
> close proximity. I dont know off hand know the most common broadcast FM IF
> (maybe 10.7MHz or 7.8Mhz) but that should be easy to find. It is
> important to make sure that the IF of the fire trucks FM two-way radio
> isnt the same or you'll never be able to hear it inside the truck!

Now this I did not know!

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> listening wil be able to understand the content.
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> Note that this is of course only relevent when transmitting on the
> actual station frequency.

Got it.

> > Yes, we are shooting for max overbroadcasting but the reality is it is a
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> There are bound to be contract houses that will do this prediction for
> you. I use to work for one that had the software and I have some GPL
> versions myself. I cant do MF (ie AM broadcast) though.

Found the expertise for that and there is a chunk of open source stuff out
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> way radio as well as cell phones.

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> The AM thing was just a very long terminated (600r) wire.
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> None of the above are yagi or fractal
>
> Cheers Bob

Thanks, Bob, I'm all overYagied and underfractalled. lol

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Drop the alphabet for email

4882. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 20:33:52 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1lb9rnabij6q8.1qdlbba6ct3dh.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12955
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> On Sun, 2 Oct 2005 18:29:13 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
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> cover both the antenna system losses AND "overbroadcast" as you
> desire. And this is for ONE station only. Imagine your broader
> mandate to "overbroadcast" all local stations and that hole just gets
> deeper.

OK, so we supply the amplification.

>>Am I way off base here, can any antennae, fractal or other, or any AM
>>antennae technology, be utilized to design an antenna and propagate this
>>type of signal?
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> With such a plea, to the savvy it reveals you are in over your head.
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> 73's
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Doesn't matter if I'm in over my head, the technical side is one I only
need to be able to commo on, there will be others who will be cast with
this task.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4883. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 20:35:56 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1pbrbzestnlq2.15m7emnaa4mdh$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12956
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 13:37:49 -0500, Ben Jackson wrote:

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> advantage over the other station (usually in the air with 5-10 watts).
> In other words, there is no effect like FM capture.

Are you saying that if I am attempting an overbroadcast on, say, 680 AM and
the station is doing the same, and I am 12 db + greater, that all we will
get is squeal?
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Drop the alphabet for email

4884. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 20:53:17 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <1Tg0f.505$we3.199@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12957
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ari Silversteinn wrote:
> Are you saying that if I am attempting an overbroadcast on, say, 680 AM and
> the station is doing the same, and I am 12 db + greater, that all we will
> get is squeal?

One signal is the Beat Frequency Oscillator. I am amazed
that no one has thought of this perfect solution before.

If Morse code were required for all driver's licenses, then
all you have to do is furnish a CW carrier wave. The two
signals would mix and the squeal would be Morse code which
would carry the emergency information.
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73, Cecil, http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4885. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:11:22 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <zs98idzon84q.17trxbtcs9yaj$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12958
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 20:53:17 GMT, Cecil Moore wrote:

> Ari Silversteinn wrote:
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> all you have to do is furnish a CW carrier wave. The two
> signals would mix and the squeal would be Morse code which
> would carry the emergency information.

What if your fat as a whale and your DL is wedged up your crack in your
back pocket?
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Drop the alphabet for email

4886. FS: Kenwood TS-850SAT station

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:12:26 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <_8h0f.8$Wk.5@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12959
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For sale -- nice HF station:

Kenwood TS-850SAT HF transceiver
Built-in antenna tuner (fast and quiet!)
YK-88SN 1.8 KHz SSB filter
YK-88C 500 Hz CW filter
InRad 400 Hz CW filter
VS-2 speech synthesizer board
DRU-2 voice recorder board
Original hand mic, power cord, manual
SP-31 speaker with audio filters
MC-80 up/down electret desk mic

Nice condition (not "mint") and works fine. This is
a clean rig from a smoke-free environment. One mod:
general coverage transmit is enabled (was that way
when I bought it). I am the 850's second owner, and
I bought the SP-31 and MC-80 new. Need cash to make
improvements to my antenna system.

The price is $850 -FIRM- for the complete station. Do
a little research at today's prices and you'll see that
my price is a bargain for what you're getting. I don't
want to sell the speaker or mic separately. No trades.
Cash only, no checks. Buyer pays exact shipping charges
or picks up gear in person.

73 and thanks for the read!
Dean K5DH
email: my call sign at QSL dot net

4887. Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:19:42 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1lihotn31d6fk.a79lqxn15md6$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12960
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Comments?
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4888. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:31:36 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <oo53k1dqtljslnqq687bgf2e46efvbm6b9@4ax.com>
Source record: 12961
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 16:33:52 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
<abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>OK, so we supply the amplification.

OK, this is just a re-run of previous speculations. You don't know
the depth of your energy budget crisis, do you?

>Doesn't matter if I'm in over my head, the technical side is one I only
>need to be able to commo on, there will be others who will be cast with
>this task.

How many leaps of imagination will it take to land on the gravy train?

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4889. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:39:35 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <6893k1tt0c3ccre5aus6ucrc1n7h14rhmo@4ax.com>
Source record: 12962
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
<abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>Comments?
What a troll.

4890. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:41:43 UTC
From: Dave <noone@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <cLCdnU8ljugGONzeRVn-ig@crocker.com>
Source record: 12963
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

seems strange, and not very practical.

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1lihotn31d6fk.a79lqxn15md6$.dlg@40tude.net...
> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
> site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second
> messages
> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>
> Comments?
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

4891. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:47:29 UTC
From: Dave <noone@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <taydnfw3dvFoO9zeRVn-tQ@crocker.com>
Source record: 12964
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:c9gqhrx7nggh$.1hmwsp16r4gsh.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 12:01:14 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:
>
>> In that case, simply modify the sign to "Tune to 560, it could save your
>> life" and use a discrete frequency low power transmitter.
>
> I assume you mean to take up an unused local channel? Or to bargain for
> time on a used one?
>
> Both ideas make sense.
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

if this is for real time notification you don't have time to bargain or to
find an unused channel... and who would listen to you anyway if it was
unused? how often do you turn the knob on your car radio??

what about the emergency broadcast system? that would seem to be the
'proper' method of emergency notification, its already set up for all sorts
of local, regional, and national notifications.

4892. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 21:58:33 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <1c2ad$4341a9be$97d558d8$20391@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12965
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

There are a couple of frequiencies for unlicensed low power am stations. You can see them in use by real estate folks selling houses. There are no commercial stations on the frequency.

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message news:c9gqhrx7nggh$.1hmwsp16r4gsh.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 12:01:14 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:
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>

4893. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 22:15:23 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <04i0f.15845$iM2.1296048@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12966
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1lihotn31d6fk.a79lqxn15md6$.dlg@40tude.net...
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> messages
> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>
> Comments?
> --
Impractical, for the same reasons cited earlier. What's wrong with
electronic message boards on trailers fitted with sirens and, if deemed
necessarily, a very large guy with a gun to maintain interest.

You may find that sci.electronic.misc or sci.electronic.design may be more
relevant, since it's commercial/military and not amateur. Mind you, they may
also be less polite.....

Ken

4894. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 22:57:35 UTC
From: "Dr.Ace" <NoSpam@BedfordSucks.com>
Message-ID: <55812$4341b749$4e10530$14651@DIALUPUSA.NET>
Source record: 12967
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Snipped
>
> You may find that sci.electronic.misc or sci.electronic.design may be more
> relevant, since it's commercial/military and not amateur. Mind you, they
> may also be less polite.....
>
> Ken
>
>

Wow , there are news groups that are less polite than some of the people in
this news group.
That's sad. Unnecessary rudeness is unnecessary and rude.
Ace - WH2T

4895. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 23:09:59 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <jfe3k1lcnkjrnj20sd04u23o827r3bg2u9@4ax.com>
Source record: 12968
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Sun, 02 Oct 2005 21:26:48 -0700, Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
wrote:

>On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 03:56:24 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>> ISP location != subscriber location. One subscriber is in New
>>Zealand.
>
>Trying to convince us you pay trans-oceanic toll charges for a modem

Who said modem?

>hookup?

One subscriber != me.

And being in New Zealand has you/them/whomever offering:

... an incomplete sentence?

>>>> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>>>>canals.
>
>Yeh - sure.

Damn straight.

4896. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 23:10:43 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <uie3k15lnoie7dhtdmdcpou8c31ts045mf@4ax.com>
Source record: 12969
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 14:30:55 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
wrote:

>On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 06:51:22 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>
>>>> As written, they beg to be read as an incomplete syllogism.
>>>
>>>In other words, you made the connection up in your head. Typical.
>>
>> Jesus, another liunatic who thinks he knows all about me.
>>Pompous bastard.
>
>Mr. Pot, meet Mr. Kettle...

Persuasive logic there, childish one.

4897. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 23:16:33 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <mre3k15n9721h4kt0bmr019vvosggdohlp@4ax.com>
Source record: 12970
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
<abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:

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>system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
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>
>Comments?

Tracks across Lake Ponchartrain fell in.

Granted they were put back in service faster than anything the
government had connection to.

4898. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 23:27:58 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <38j0f.15852$iM2.1293337@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Dr.Ace" <NoSpam@BedfordSucks.com> wrote in message
news:55812$4341b749$4e10530$14651@DIALUPUSA.NET...
>
> Snipped
>>
>> You may find that sci.electronic.misc or sci.electronic.design may be
>> more relevant, since it's commercial/military and not amateur. Mind you,
>> they may also be less polite.....
>>
>> Ken
>>
>>
>
> Wow , there are news groups that are less polite than some of the people
> in this news group.
> That's sad. Unnecessary rudeness is unnecessary and rude.
> Ace - WH2T
>
A couple of threads aside, this is a pretty good group. So are the others I
mentioned, but they don't tolerate the sort of technical vagueness that's
being displayed in this thread.

Cheers.

Ken

4899. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 23:29:52 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <Q9j0f.15853$iM2.1296439@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12972
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

<kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
news:mre3k15n9721h4kt0bmr019vvosggdohlp@4ax.com...
> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
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> government had connection to.

Why a loco anyway? It would appear to be the mistaken assumption that anything that big must have power to burn on anything plugged in by a user. Not the case - the power from a loco is, not surprisingly, applied to the tracks. The electric generators used for powering gear other than the train's vitals are not high power.

Ken

4900. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 23:31:58 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <00f3k1p06ih7ua69rna698mccj164el8qv@4ax.com>
Source record: 12973
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

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>>> ISP location != subscriber location. One subscriber is in New
>>>Zealand.
>>
>>Trying to convince us you pay trans-oceanic toll charges for a modem
>
> Who said modem?
I did. Look at the attribution line above.
>
>>hookup?
>
> One subscriber != me.
(More than one subscriber != you) == so what?
>
> And being in New Zealand has you/them/whomever offering:
>
> ... an incomplete sentence?
Now that you interjected an incomplete sentence into it.
>
>>>>> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>>>>>canals.
>>
>>Yeh - sure.
>
> Damn straight.
Telling us you "might" hear interest in turning streets near you into
canals? Might not? - newsflash! Taking I-5 south to I-10 east, you
are 2274 miles or more from even a remote chance with respect to New
Orleans.

4901. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-03 23:50:44 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <46ednZll5fNJXtzeRVn-tw@adelphia.com>
Source record: 12974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ken Taylor wrote:
> <kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
> news:mre3k15n9721h4kt0bmr019vvosggdohlp@4ax.com...
>
>>On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
>><abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
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>>>DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
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> Not the case - the power from a loco is, not surprisingly, applied to the
> tracks. The electric generators used for powering gear other than the
> train's vitals are not high power.

Guys, don't ya know that this guy is trolling and caught way more than
the daily creel limit?

- Mike KB3EIA -

4902. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 00:03:57 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <OFj0f.15858$iM2.1296239@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Mike Coslo" <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net> wrote in message
news:46ednZll5fNJXtzeRVn-tw@adelphia.com...
> Ken Taylor wrote:
>> <kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
>> news:mre3k15n9721h4kt0bmr019vvosggdohlp@4ax.com...
>>
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>>><abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>>>
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>> the train's vitals are not high power.
>
> Guys, don't ya know that this guy is trolling and caught way more than the
> daily creel limit?
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

Well, he's not a troll in that he's making it up as he goes - it appears he
really is hoping to do for his company what he says (source: Google).

However it's a job which really equates to:
<Government fleeces tax-payers>
<Bureaucrat gets hold of budget allocation>
<Bureaucrat needs to succeed - ie. unload allocation>
<Ari and co. want to be under the hopper when the jackpot payout commences>

A valid way of doing business, but still a crock.

Ken

4903. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 00:49:03 UTC
From: hot-ham-and-cheese@hotmail.com
Message-ID: <1128386943.889460.155110@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12976
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Mike Coslo wrote:
>
> Pat doesn't like us talking about this, Matt. Seems like everyone is
> having a good time, and the posts are pretty civil. I guess some people
> like to control others, eh?
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

Hi! Very much like the attempted controls on Len. Best of Luck.

4904. WTB: Collins KWM-2A Round Emblem...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 01:03:10 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <86l3k1lc97ntim66dlf417e35mcp8oamtk@4ax.com>
Source record: 12977

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WTB: Collins KWM-2A Round Emblem
Looking for one that works well, Don't care
how the front panel looks or how the cabinet looks.
Just need one that works well.
Please leave price and condition through email
ritchi50@optonline.net
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4905. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 01:44:09 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <497c5$4341de9e$97d558d8$12886@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12978
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

That would be much easier, simply sweep a modulated oscillator across the band. With a couple of adjustments it would be easy to emulate a train whistle, a somewhat universal warning.

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> government had connection to.

4906. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 01:52:41 UTC
From: hhc314@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1128390761.510351.170710@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12979
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Wonder no longer, because broadcasing at IF frequencies has been for year the standard in the US. In spite of some rather silly speculative posts, this mechanism has proved itself for more than 10-years here.

In a confined space such as a tunnel, a transmitter of 10-watts more than sufficint to get the job done, and using nothing more sophisticated than a simple wire radiator running the length of the tunnel.

In Boston, we also retransmit commercial radio broadcasts into our tunnels, but that requires equipment dedicated to each radio channel that we re-broadcast, and that becomes very costly after 10 stations or so, hence there is a limit.

The real challenge is in maintaining emergency communications to the outside from within our tunnels. All are serviced by the traditional leaky coax that runs along the top of the tunnel, but considering that all of these emergency services operate on their own indepdendent frequency bands, so servicing them simulteously becomes somwhat problematic. particularly when hand-held, low power devices enter the big picture.

Harry C.

4907. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 01:57:01 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <OjI0f.15873$iM2.1297908@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12980
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

<hhc314@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1128390761.510351.170710@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> all of these emergency services operate on their own indepdendent
> frequency bands, so servicing them simulteously becomes somwhat
> problematic. particularly when hand-held, low power devices enter the
> big picture.
>
> Harry C.
>
All agreed, but that is in a tunnel, which has the advantage of not having
to overcome the still-received commercial stations. The OP wants to do this
out in the open, anywhere, any time. He also wanted to do it while driving
at high speed for some reason, but I think he's quietly shelved that part of
the idea.

Cheers.

Ken

4908. FS: Yaesu FT-3000M 2 Meter FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 02:05:52 UTC
From: Dan <davander@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <TpidnVF4It8DftzeRVn-sw@comcast.com>
Source record: 12981

For Sale: Yaesu FT-3000M 2 meter FM mobile rig. Good condition physically and electrically. $135 shipped in US.

Dan K9RQ

4909. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 02:08:51 UTC
From: Tom Ring <news0002@taring.org>
Message-ID: <4341e434$0$3754$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 12982
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

WOW! None of us Northerners would have thought of somethjing that
sofisteekayted.

tom
K0TAR

Fred W4JLE wrote:

> That would be much easier, simply sweep a modulated oscillator across the
> band. With a couple of adjustments it would be easy to emulate a train
> whistle, a somewhat universal warning.
>
> <kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
> news:mre3k15n9721h4kt0bmr019vvosggdohlp@4ax.com...
>
>>On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
>><abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
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>>>DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive
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>>>system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
>>>site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>>>local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
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>>>that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at
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> speed)
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>>>will be flying by the at grade crossings.
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>>>Comments?
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>>Tracks across Lake Ponchartrain fell in.
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>>Granted they were put back in service faster than anything the
>>government had connection to.
>
>

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4910. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 03:26:05 UTC
From: "John Doe"
Message-ID: <4341f644$0$22741$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 12983
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
news:6893k1tt0c3ccre5aus6ucrc1n7h14rhmo@4ax.com...
> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
> >Comments?
> What a troll.

But Wait,
There's more!
Emergency Messaging, over broadcasting on
AM/FM/SCA/IBOC/Satellite/TV/HDTV/Mobile Phone/
On Ships to sail to the road accidents,
on Submarines, Aircraft & Satellites.
;-)

4911. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 04:12:14 UTC
From: Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
Message-ID: <e404k1df2gau3272nu2m7ikm3rj3og4bnk@4ax.com>
Source record: 12984
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 23:10:43 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 14:30:55 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
>wrote:
>
>>On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 06:51:22 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
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>>>>>> As written, they beg to be read as an incomplete syllogism.
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>>>>In other words, you made the connection up in your head. Typical.
>>>
>>> Jesus, another liunatic who thinks he knows all about me.
>>>Pompous bastard.
>>
>>Mr. Pot, meet Mr. Kettle...
>
> Persuasive logic there, childish one.

Yeah, right. Like your little one-line snippets of irrefutable wisdom
are persuading anyone...

4912. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 09:51:46 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <aoi4k1l3cj86fg3vjnadnmepbcvvj8anjg@4ax.com>
Source record: 12985
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 12:29:52 +1300, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
wrote:

><kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
>news:mre3k15n9721h4kt0bmr019vvosggdohlp@4ax.com...
>> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
>> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>>
>>>DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
>>>system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
>>>site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>>>local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>>>broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second
>>>messages
>>>that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
>>>will be flying by the at grade crossings.
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>>>Comments?
>>
>> Tracks across Lake Ponchartrain fell in.
>>
>> Granted they were put back in service faster than anything the
>> government had connection to.
>
>Why a loco anyway? It would appear to be the mistaken assumption that
>anything that big must have power to burn on anything plugged in by a user.
>Not the case - the power from a loco is, not surprisingly, applied to the
>tracks.

Actually, it's not.

What made you bring up tracks anyway -- my reference to the
tracks on the lake falling in? My point was that the locomotive is
going nowhere there aren't usable tracks.

On a diesel-electric locomotive, the generator's output is
applied, not to the tracks as you seem to think, but rather through
control circuitry to the stator around the axle. It's rather amusing
to see a repair yard worker with a set of wheels-and-axle (they're all
one single piece, in case you didn't know) clamp a stator around the
axle, connect a battery with a pair of short jumper cables and walk
the whole arrangement across a concrete floor as though he were
walking the family dog.

BTW, at 4,000+ horsepower, you could plug in nearly anything a
user might want, given proper appliances and the right plug. :-)

> The electric generators used for powering gear other than the
>train's vitals are not high power.
>
>Ken
>

4913. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 09:58:00 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <pbk4k1tgu2p985sig46fqr1edle6rd1vac@4ax.com>
Source record: 12986
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 16:31:58 -0700, Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
wrote:

>On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 23:09:59 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>>On Sun, 02 Oct 2005 21:26:48 -0700, Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
>>wrote:
>>
>>>On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 03:56:24 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>>>
>>>> ISP location != subscriber location. One subscriber is in New
>>>>Zealand.
>>>
>>>Trying to convince us you pay trans-oceanic toll charges for a modem
>>
>> Who said modem?
>I did. Look at the attribution line above.

I said subscriber. You jumped to the conclusion he was on
dialup.

>>
>>>hookup?
>>
>> One subscriber != me.
>(More than one subscriber != you) == so what?

You, fool, chose to assume the one sunscriber was me, as in "
... _you_ pay trans-oceanic toll charges".

>>
>> And being in New Zealand has you/them/whomever offering:
>>
>> ... an incomplete sentence?
>Now that you interjected an incomplete sentence into it.
>>
>>>>>> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>>>>>>canals.
>>>
>>>Yeh - sure.
>>
>> Damn straight.
>Telling us you "might" hear interest in turning streets near you into
>canals? Might not? - newsflash! Taking I-5 south to I-10 east, you

>are 2274 miles or more from even a remote chance with respect to New
>Orleans.

Christ -- you can't even parse a sentence -- give up.

4914. Re: IRLP Station FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 10:36:12 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <wWs0f.5056$sG2.2215@trndny08>
Source record: 12987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Station was SOLD! Thanks for the interest.
I do know of another station for sale if anyone is interested.
"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:t0l%e.5140$hR3.3513@trndny02...
>I ahve a IRLP station that I would like to put up for sale.This system is
>on line and has been since 2004.It has a Acer computer sytem running the
>Linux Red Hat 9 and version 3.0 IRLP board with all the wires needed to
>hook to a Yaesu radio such as the FT-7100 or FT-1500 radios and some
>others.It was used up till today on the 145.130 repeater in
>Gloucester,Mass.If anyone is interested,it can be tested at anytime on any
>repeater.It is currently on 147.49 simplex in Gloucester now.I will sell
>the system less the radio for $200.00.I can be reached at 978-281-3359 or
>email me at n1rsp@qsl.net.
>
> --
> 73 N1RSP
> Grid 42
> IRLP Node # 4162
> The Home of The Perfect Storm
> Gloucester,Mass.
>

4915. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 12:26:40 UTC
From: whinyslit_lloydie@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1128428800.774055.151240@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12988
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Uncle Turd wrote:
> On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 23:10:43 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
> >On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 14:30:55 -0400, Uncle Ted <malican40@verizon.com>
> >wrote:
> >
> >>On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 06:51:22 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
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> >>
> >>>>> As written, they beg to be read as an incomplete syllogism.
> >>>>
> >>>>In other words, you made the connection up in your head. Typical.
> >>>
> >>> Jesus, another liunatic who thinks he knows all about me.
> >>>Pompous bastard.
> >>
> >>Mr. Pot, meet Mr. Kettle...
> >
> > Persuasive logic there, childish one.
>
> Yeah, right. Like your little one-line snippets of irrefutable wisdom
> are persuading anyone...

Oh, the irony.

4916. Re: FS: Kenwood TS-850SAT station -- SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 13:06:40 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <A7v0f.1$Er.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The TS-850SAT station is SOLD.

73,
Dean K5DH

4917. Re: Receivers, H/T's, CHARGERS, Icom 740, VTVM's, So much stuff>list WITHIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 13:53:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <8Pv0f.139$wu.69@fe11.lga>
Source record: 12990
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.photo.equipment.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi Brian;
I have the pics hosted on my own site but that does'nt get any lookers to
the Ebay site if then would like to bid.
I know there are some that don't like these posts but they are free NOT to
look at them via a Supplied filter.
I am trying to limit the amount of these posts but it's hard.
Thanks for your suggestion.
Rich

"Brian Hill" <jonnysocko@jps.net> wrote in message
news:bsy%e.20624$wg7.9921@fe06.lga...
> This is not a flame, I'm just trying to help you out. Do you have any
> webspace for those pics? If so, I would use a link. Most of these forums
> prohibit graphics files because they eat up server resorces. If you need
> help with ftp protocal let me know and I would be glad to help.
>
> Brian
> --
> 73 and good DX. B.H.
> Brian's Radio Universe
> http://webpages.charter.net/brianhill/500.htm
>

4918. FA: 2-RCA 6146B's, 2-AMPEREX 872AX, 2-6U5 EYE TUBES>ALL NO BIDS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 13:56:20 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <aSv0f.140$wu.76@fe11.lga>
Source record: 12991
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-RCA-RADIOTRON-6146B-RF-OUTPUT-TUBES-Test-GOOD_W0QQitemZ5814374788QQcategoryZ48710QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-AMPEREX-872AX-RECTIFIER-TUBES-Still-useful_W0QQitemZ75505631 98QQcategoryZ58174QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-MAGIC-EYE-6U5-6G5-tubes-by-RCA-ZENITH-Neat_W0QQitemZ5814374823QQcategoryZ50598QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4919. FA: BUILDERS>32 NOS Rack Handles, 6-Vintage Panel Meters@$10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 13:59:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JUv0f.141$wu.45@fe11.lga>
Source record: 12992
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

At Truly GIvE-AWAY Prices!
http://cgi.ebay.com/32-NOS-VARIOUS-HI-QUALITY-ELECTRONIC-RACK-PANEL-HANDLES_W0QQitemZ7550563301QQcategoryZ73167QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/SIX-6-VINTAGE-PANEL-METERS-by-DeJUR-WE-WESTON-ETC_W0QQitemZ7550563226QQcategoryZ73145QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4920. FA: HEATH IM-13 VTVM, 40' various TINNED COPPER BRAID@$10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:00:49 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nWv0f.142$wu.57@fe11.lga>
Source record: 12993
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-HEATHKIT-IM-13-TUBE-TYPE-VTVM-Attn-all-Techs_W0QQitemZ5814374990QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/40-feet-ASSORTMENT-of-TINNED-COPPER-TUBULAR-FLAT-BRAID_W0QQitemZ5814375168QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4921. FA: RARE HALLICRAFTERS HT-2A VIET-NAM Village Radio>NOS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:01:56 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qXv0f.143$wu.112@fe11.lga>
Source record: 12994
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/RARE-HALLICRAFTERS-HT-2A-VILLAGE-RADIO-VIET-NAM-NEW_W0QQitemZ5814374846QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4922. FA: Lafayette COMSTAT-25A, Kenwood TH-215A H/T Workhorse

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:03:57 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kZv0f.144$wu.136@fe11.lga>
Source record: 12995
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-LAFAYETTE-COMSTAT-25A-TUBE-23-CHANNEL-CB-RADIO_W0QQitemZ5814374857QQcategoryZ1501QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/KENWOOD-TH-215A-HANDY-TALKIE-2-METERS-w-MFJ-SPKR-MIKE_W0QQitemZ5814375106QQcategoryZ40067QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4923. FA: NOS(Sealed) USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET BIG $100 VALUE NR @$10

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:11:26 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <k4w0f.146$wu.58@fe11.lga>
Source record: 12996
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/NOS-USA-MIL-SPEC-TEST-LEAD-PROBE-SET-BIG-100-VALUE-NR_W0QQitemZ7550563269QQcategoryZ50971QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

4924. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:12:19 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndk53e3.1iu.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 12997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn wrote:
> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
> site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second messages
> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>
> Comments?

And what are these messages suppose to convey?

The target audience already knows it's screwed.

We all (outside the screwed zone) saw the blizzard of useless
"messages" the government(s) issued during and after Katrina.

Just what I need to hear from a locomotive blowing by at 50 mph:

"Hi! We're the government and we are here to help you."

The best that came out of post-Katrina was from self-help and
assistance from non-government organizations. And, the
government even thwarted some of that.

The inmates are running the asylum:

http://www.iht.com/articles/2005/10/02/news/storm.php

Ninety-one thousand tons of ice melting in idling 14-wheelers.

73
Jonesy
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Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
Pueblo, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
38.24N 104.55W | config.com | DM78rf | SK

4925. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:33:52 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <kpw0f.45442$ib1.8046@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12898
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Like I said in another thread, "Emergency" implies IMMEDIATE (not planned) danger to life, limb, or property. It seems that, in your proposal, you are PLANNING to use these frequencies instead of more appropriate ones. I would think that you need to create (and supply) a system that is isolated from broadcast frequencies.

Wayne-
(KC8UIO)
"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message news:1lihotn31d6fk.a79lqxn15md6$.dlg@40tude.net...
> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
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> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second
> messages
> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>
> Comments?
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

4926. Re: Receivers, H/T's, CHARGERS, Icom 740, VTVM's, So much stuff>list WITHIN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:46:59 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <DBw0f.45445$ib1.36835@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12899
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.photo.equipment.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

How about using links to the jpeg files (on your own server)? This would
save lots of space on host storage.

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> Hi Brian;
> I have the pics hosted on my own site but that does'nt get any lookers to
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> I know there are some that don't like these posts but they are free NOT to
> look at them via a Supplied filter.
> I am trying to limit the amount of these posts but it's hard.
> Thanks for your suggestion.
> Rich
>
> "Brian Hill" <jonnysocko@jps.net> wrote in message
> news:bsy%e.20624$wg7.9921@fe06.lga...
>> This is not a flame, I'm just trying to help you out. Do you have any
>> webspace for those pics? If so, I would use a link. Most of these forums
>> prohibit graphics files because they eat up server resorces. If you need
>> help with ftp protocal let me know and I would be glad to help.
>>
>> Brian
>> --
>> 73 and good DX. B.H.
>> Brian's Radio Universe
>> http://webpages.charter.net/brianhill/500.htm
>>
>
>

4927. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:51:49 UTC
From: "John Doe"
Message-ID: <434296fe$0$29450$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 12900
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Durrrrrr,
Can anyone spell EAS
http://www.fcc.gov/eb/eas/

"John Doe" <@127.0.0.1> wrote in message
news:4341f644$0$22741$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au...
> "Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message
> news:6893k1tt0c3ccre5aus6ucrc1n7h14rhmo@4ax.com...
> > On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
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>
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> There's more!
> Emergency Messaging, over broadcasting on
> AM/FM/SCA/IBOC/Satellite/TV/HDTV/Mobile Phone/
> On Ships to sail to the road accidents,
> on Submarines, Aircraft & Satellites.
> ;-)
>
>

4928. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 14:54:42 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <SIw0f.45446$ib1.5095@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12901
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Suggestion: Why don't you also broadcast such "emergency" information over the entire spectrum of wireless network frequencies? That way, you could post the information into every Usenet group on the globe. Just like you have done with these postings.

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message news:r7evtegkcjgt.kuwb55vmxpjg$.dlg@40tude.net...
> Crossposted to:
>
> rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec,radio.amateur.equipment
>
> Novitiate here:
>
> I am learning AM broadcast basics in particular the issues regarding the
> geo-targeted broadcasting of alert messages from moving vehicles. Would
> most appreciate any assistance.
>
> Due to Katrina/Rita, the company I work for has been given the opportunity
> to demonstrate a messaging system that would reach out approximately 1
> mile
> +/- in transmission deliverance. This would be an "overbroadcast" (my
> term)
> in that it would override local AM radio broadcasting to reach into cars,
> trucks etc. In particular, we are working with a stationary site (a
> chemical spill for instance) and an emergency vehicle that would move back
> and forth at and through the site, at up to 70 mph, broadcasting an alert,
> voice and tone message.
>
> Reading about LPAM, this looks technically possible but one concern I have
> is antennae size. A fire truck, for instance, could have an antenna
> mounted
> on its front, and up to 4 feet over the top of its roof, so we might look
> at as much as 20 feet of length. I realize this places us over the 3 meter
> max so one of the ???? is whether LFAM is realistic.
>
> Am I way off base here, can any antennae, fractal or other, or any AM
> antennae technology, be utilized to design an antenna and propagate this
> type of signal?
>
> All comments appreciated.
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

4929. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:12:33 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1jdfi56hxbleu$.vosxjmg436ys.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12902
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 21:41:43 -0000, Dave wrote:

> seems strange, and not very practical.

There is an element of both I agree and the locomotive environment, except in the newer ones, can be a bit hairy. Whether or not the concept is valid, that's for DHS to decide and they already have.

The driving force behind this, imo, is that during NOLA no effort was made to use the RR as a means of evac. Several of the lines offered but FEMA refused. Instead, Carnival made off like a bandit with 1/3 full ships but 3/3 full government pay.

In order to evac, the RR would need to run flat out and with an evac traffic surge, crossings become more critical.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4930. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:14:53 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <45xvuwnf0a7u.1l4b30s6qnu8s$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> "Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
> news:1lihotn31d6fk.a79lqxn15md6$.dlg@40tude.net...
>> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
>> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
>> site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second
>> messages
>> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
>> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>>
>> Comments?

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 11:15:23 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

> Impractical, for the same reasons cited earlier. What's wrong with
> electronic message boards on trailers fitted with sirens and, if deemed
> necessarily, a very large guy with a gun to maintain interest.

Nothing but why not broadcast an alert that a locomotive, especially at
unmarked crossings, is approaching and too supplement other warning
systems?

> You may find that sci.electronic.misc or sci.electronic.design may be more
> relevant, since it's commercial/military and not amateur. Mind you, they may
> also be less polite.....
>
> Ken

Thanks, Ken.

Should I be scared?
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4931. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:16:08 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1qb4l77ysiert.1trkdkytzr9gi$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12904
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 23:16:33 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>
>>DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
>>system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
>>site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>>local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>>broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second messages
>>that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
>>will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>>
>>Comments?
>
> Tracks across Lake Ponchartrain fell in.

After Katrine/Rita, yes, not before.

> Granted they were put back in service faster than anything the
> government had connection to.

I was there for a few days, didn't keep up with that.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4932. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:17:22 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <26p4pwngriu$.c1lcyc4iufja$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12905
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 12:29:52 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

> Why a loco anyway? It would appear to be the mistaken assumption that
> anything that big must have power to burn on anything plugged in by a user.
> Not the case - the power from a loco is, not surprisingly, applied to the
> tracks. The electric generators used for powering gear other than the
> train's vitals are not high power.

Locomotive because of the need for a manual override by the Head Engineer.
CSX claims they can provide access to 1,000 watts.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4933. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:19:49 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1ld6l994pmuua.r714uw19bb3e$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12906
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 13:03:57 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

> Well, he's not a troll in that he's making it up as he goes - it appears he
> really is hoping to do for his company what he says (source: Google).

I have a clear history for anyone to Google.

> However it's a job which really equates to:
> <Government fleeces tax-payers>
> <Bureaucrat gets hold of budget allocation>
> <Bureaucrat needs to succeed - ie. unload allocation>
> <Ari and co. want to be under the hopper when the jackpot payout commences>

Not too much wrong with that synopsis, Ken.

> A valid way of doing business, but still a crock.
>
> Ken

Indeed it is both. Considering we gave away a central DB technology to
DHS-NOLA, then they failed to use it, we are hoping to make money this time
around *and* that they will get their acts together.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4934. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:21:41 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <o98qano6zoqq.1xe83iqec4l3h.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12907
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 09:51:46 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>>> Tracks across Lake Ponchartrain fell in.
>>>
>>> Granted they were put back in service faster than anything the
>>> government had connection to.
>>
>>Why a loco anyway? It would appear to be the mistaken assumption that
>>anything that big must have power to burn on anything plugged in by a user.
>>Not the case - the power from a loco is, not surprisingly, applied to the
>>tracks.
>
> Actually, it's not.
>
> What made you bring up tracks anyway -- my reference to the
> tracks on the lake falling in? My point was that the locomotive is
> going nowhere there aren't usable tracks.
>
> On a diesel-electric locomotive, the generator's output is
> applied, not to the tracks as you seem to think, but rather through
> control circuitry to the stator around the axle. It's rather amusing
> to see a repair yard worker with a set of wheels-and-axle (they're all
> one single piece, in case you didn't know) clamp a stator around the
> axle, connect a battery with a pair of short jumper cables and walk
> the whole arrangement across a concrete floor as though he were
> walking the family dog.
>
> BTW, at 4,000+ horsepower, you could plug in nearly anything a
> user might want, given proper appliances and the right plug. :-)

This is what we have been led to believe and the schematics are on their
way in. Jeez, if we can't find wattage on these beasts.....
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Drop the alphabet for email

4935. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:22:40 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1irobe4fi0gn0.1dmiiddo7a6hi.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12908
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 13:26:05 +1000, John Doe wrote:

> But Wait,
> There's more!
> Emergency Messaging, over broadcasting on
> AM/FM/SCA/IBOC/Satellite/TV/HDTV/Mobile Phone/

Actually, this has been accomplished.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4936. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:24:48 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <11akczykn6y9h$.1b96w6z2bkox.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12909
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 21:44:09 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:

> That would be much easier, simply sweep a modulated oscillator across the
> band. With a couple of adjustments it would be easy to emulate a train
> whistle, a somewhat universal warning.

That's a better idea than a tone and what has been proposed is a tone and
an electronic pre-recorded message.

Thanks.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4937. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:27:44 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1gpauygr8vwj8$.w2r0e8ab7h9a$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12910
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 4 Oct 2005 14:12:19 GMT, Allodoxaphobia wrote:

> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn wrote:
>> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
>> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
>> site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second messages
>> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
>> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>>
>> Comments?
>
> And what are these messages suppose to convey?

Primarily two things, alerting pre-evac and at grade crossing alerts that a
high speed locomotive is approaching.

> We all (outside the screwed zone) saw the blizzard of useless
> "messages" the government(s) issued during and after Katrina.

And a blizzard of useful ones as well.

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Drop the alphabet for email

4938. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:30:02 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1vxmfnl5tqwf4$.uu9c4c3tmrt0.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12911
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

> "Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
> news:c9gqhrx7nggh$.1hmwsp16r4gsh.dlg@40tude.net...
>> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 12:01:14 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:
>>
>>> In that case, simply modify the sign to "Tune to 560, it could save your
>>> life" and use a discrete frequency low power transmitter.
>>
>> I assume you mean to take up an unused local channel? Or to bargain for
>> time on a used one?
>>
>> Both ideas make sense.
>> --
>> Drop the alphabet for email

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 21:47:29 -0000, Dave wrote:

> if this is for real time notification you don't have time to bargain or to
> find an unused channel... and who would listen to you anyway if it was
> unused? how often do you turn the knob on your car radio??

Often actually and I agree about the unused channel, at first blush

> what about the emergency broadcast system? that would seem to be the
> 'proper' method of emergency notification, its already set up for all sorts
> of local, regional, and national notifications.

The EBS is voluntary, this is not.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4939. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:31:14 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1bu026rqusoml.l5p3hd8ajkqn.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12912
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:58:33 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:

> There are a couple of frequiencies for unlicensed low power am stations. You
> can see them in use by real estate folks selling houses. There are no
> commercial stations on the frequency.

Yes, and at Disney World, etc. This is a very doable idea and may well
solve FCC/DoD issues.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4940. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:37:22 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <tm6jk61v0hvs$.4hxxhur4pf5u.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12913
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Ari

I always wonder whether broadcast at the most common IF frequencies
would be a viable alternative? (eg 455khz for AM) Legality issues aside
of course... This would make frequency selection a little easier to
engineer. You wouldnt have to divide your power budget into many
operating frequencies as well. Problem is that you'd need a lot higher
ERP especially since car mounted radios tend to be better shielded than
portables. (You'll need to experiment some)

On 3 Oct 2005 18:52:41 -0700, hhc314@yahoo.com wrote:

> Wonder no longer, because broadcasing at IF frequencies has been for
> year the standard in the US. In spite of some rather silly speculative
> posts, this mechanism has proved itself for more than 10-years here.
>
> In a confined space such as a tunnel, a transmitter of 10-watts more
> than sufficint to get the job done, and using nothing more
> sophisticated than a simple wire radiator running the length of the
> tunnel.
>
> In Boston, we also retransmit commercial radio broadcasts into our
> tunnels, but that requires equipment dedicated to each radio channel
> that we re-broadcast, and that becomes very costly after 10 stations or
> so, hence there is a limit.
>
> The real challenge is in maintaining emergency communications to the
> outside from within our tunnels. All are serviced by the traditional
> leaky coax that runs along the top of the tunnel, but considering that
> all of these emergency services operate on their own indepdendent
> frequency bands, so servicing them simulteously becomes somwhat
> problematic. particularly when hand-held, low power devices enter the
> big picture.
>
> Harry C.

Problematic? That would be an understatement.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4941. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:38:04 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <gtj6zf6ou3fv.s2rsv1mhe6kr$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12914
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 14:57:01 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

> All agreed, but that is in a tunnel, which has the advantage of not having
> to overcome the still-received commercial stations. The OP wants to do this
> out in the open, anywhere, any time. He also wanted to do it while driving
> at high speed for some reason, but I think he's quietly shelved that part of
> the idea.
>
> Cheers.
>
> Ken

MOF, it has reared its ugly hi speed head again.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4942. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:38:44 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1qf1chehdlfrr.ermviox2lja1$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12915
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 14:31:36 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:

> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 16:33:52 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>>OK, so we supply the amplification.
>
> OK, this is just a re-run of previous speculations. You don't know
> the depth of your energy budget crisis, do you?

Open coffers.

--
Drop the alphabet for email

4943. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:51:50 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <g31e2e1u2j80.s7dxljcbxf2s$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12916
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 00:51:49 +1000, John Doe wrote:

> Durrrrrr,
> Can anyone spell EAS
> http://www.fcc.gov/eb/eas/

The EAS is designed to provide the President with a means to address the
American people in the event of a national emergency.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4944. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:52:53 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <mah7mjs7s37w.18ed2dgq49p30.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 14:33:52 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:

> Like I said in another thread, "Emergency" implies IMMEDIATE (not planned)
> danger to life, limb, or property. It seems that, in your proposal, you are
> PLANNING to use these frequencies instead of more appropriate ones. I would
> think that you need to create (and supply) a system that is isolated from
> broadcast frequencies.
>
> Wayne-
> (KC8UIO)

It's not my call, Wayne, it's the client driving the systems.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4945. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 15:54:30 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1mf7yuoy4k570$.nphmoya17pjw$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12918
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 14:54:42 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:

> Suggestion: Why don't you also broadcast such "emergency" information over
> the entire spectrum of wireless network frequencies? That way, you could
> post the information into every Usenet group on the globe. Just like you
> have done with these postings.

Usenet being a place that only a few people access, aside from that, it's
not a bad idea, actually.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4946. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 16:31:50 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <fbb5k196rs0b33t2c7ap01laj8c515jpde@4ax.com>
Source record: 12919
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 09:58:00 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

>>>>>>> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>>>>>>>canals.
>>>>
>>>>Yeh - sure.
>>>
>>> Damn straight.
>>Telling us you "might" hear interest in turning streets near you into
>>canals? Might not? - newsflash! Taking I-5 south to I-10 east, you
>>are 2274 miles or more from even a remote chance with respect to New
>>Orleans.
>
> Christ -- you can't even parse a sentence -- give up.

Seems you've drawn a blank then too. On your own sentence which is
the point I made significant. That you missed on both accounts is
doubly indicting. Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating
bullets now?

4947. Need manual for Hunter 2000A Bandit amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 17:05:34 UTC
From: Fred <wa7uhr@nwinfo.net>
Message-ID: <11k5dh2he52pjd4@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12920

Lookiing for a manual for the Hunter Bandit 2000A linear. It looks a biit like a Collins 30L-1 and uses four 572 tubes. Thanks, Fred.

4948. Re: Kenwood TM-V7A crossband repeat and remote control?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 17:22:23 UTC
From: ke7bbs <ke7bbs.1wec2u@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <ke7bbs.1wec2u@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 12936

Jacques Paquin Wrote:
> I have a Kenwood TM-V7A that I have used for crossband repeat with my
> Radioshack TX-420 around the yard.
>
> I just started playing with the dtmf remote control feature of the
> Kenwood but have not figured out how to do that along with crossband
> repeat. I can send the dtmf to start repeating (C) but nothing is sent
> when I key up the uhf link from the ht to the moble. Neither is
> anything
> sent out on UHF to the mobile when input is heard on the VHF band.
>
> What am I doing wrong? I'd like to use crossband repeat but not be
> limited to which VHF repeater I've chosen. I'd like to be able to
> crossband *and* remote control.
>
> Can anyone explain how to do this (very slowly)?
>
> jacques

Well first.. to place the TM-V7A in cross-band repeat there are a few setup things you have to do first... Also the (C) command that your thinking of to place the tm-v7a is incorrect to some degree. Kenwood has a mode that allows 2 kenwoods to talk to each other.. in the book this is mentioned as Remote Control. Your radio shack hand held will not do this.. But you can place the TM-V7A in cross band and then use it around your house..

To setup the TM-V7A for cross band you need to save a PM memory slot with the freq. setting that you want to use.. note that I would advise using tone decode. Ok once you have the freq.s entered and your tones set.. and you have tested that one band works through the repeater and the other direct with your hand held.

Next.. set the PTT on the band you want to repeat too. then press the little button between the 2 volume control nobs.(control select) you will see ctrl on one side and PTT on the other.. the ctrl need to be on the side that the portable is going to use.

Once this is done.. save this into a PM slot (1-4) to do this you would press (F) function then PM then select one of the 4 blinking hot keys.

Once saved then recall it.. by pressing PM then the hot key (1-4) that you save it in..

now we can place it into cross band repeat. to do this.. power the unit off.. press the LEFT volume control and hold it in while you turn it back on..

When the TM-V7A comes back up.. you should see.. A blinking PTT and CTRL on the other side.. and your in..!! it is now in Cross-band repeat.

to take it out of this mode.. power the unit off.. press the LEFT volume control and hold it in while you turn it back on..

hope this helps..

KE7BBS

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ke7bbs

4949. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 17:40:46 UTC
From: Amos Keag <A.K01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <v-KdnRHYepd7V9_eRVn-iQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 12921
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Richard Clark wrote:

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> Seems you've drawn a blank then too. On your own sentence which is
> the point I made significant. That you missed on both accounts is
> doubly indicting. Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating
> bullets now?

Richard, Richard, Richard! :-(Read your last sentence. Do you see
the error??

"Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating bullets now?"

There is a GLARING ERROR in it!!!!! It should be ...
"Do you have a relative in Texas WHO is sweating bullets now?"

A relative is a PERSON not a THING: a WHO not a THAT!!

Tch, Tch,

4950. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:04:25 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <_mA0f.15977$iM2.1314352@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12922
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:gtj6zf6ou3fv.s2rsv1mhe6kr$.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 14:57:01 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:
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>> All agreed, but that is in a tunnel, which has the advantage of not
>> having
>> to overcome the still-received commercial stations. The OP wants to do
>> this
>> out in the open, anywhere, any time. He also wanted to do it while
>> driving
>> at high speed for some reason, but I think he's quietly shelved that part
>> of
>> the idea.
>>
>> Cheers.
>>
>> Ken
>
> MOF, it has reared its ugly hi speed head again.
> --
Sorry, what's 'MOF'?

Ken

4951. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:07:40 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <1qA0f.15978$iM2.1314092@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12923
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1bu026rqusoml.l5p3hd8ajkqn.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:58:33 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:
>
>> There are a couple of frequiencies for unlicensed low power am stations.
>> You
>> can see them in use by real estate folks selling houses. There are no
>> commercial stations on the frequency.
>
> Yes, and at Disney World, etc. This is a very doable idea and may well
> solve FCC/DoD issues.
> --
When was the last time you listened to one of those frequencies? It won't
get the message out where it's needed.

Ken

4952. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:09:19 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <ArA0f.15979$iM2.1314352@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12924
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1qf1chehdlfrr.ermviox2lja1$.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 14:31:36 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:
>
>> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 16:33:52 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
>> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>>>OK, so we supply the amplification.
>>
>> OK, this is just a re-run of previous speculations. You don't know
>> the depth of your energy budget crisis, do you?
>
> Open coffers.
>
> --
He wasn't referring to your finance budget, but your energy budget. I
hesitate to say it can't be done in any practical sense, but that's my
thought. The idea of one poster to transmit on the IF's is a good one but I
didn't suggest that because you'll also kill your emergency services comm's.

Incidentally, do you plan to have every loco in the US fitted out or are you
going to fly the loco's to the incident site to do their stuff?

Cheers.

Ken

4953. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:12:56 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <YuA0f.15981$iM2.1314770@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12925
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:mah7mjs7s37w.18ed2dgq49p30.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 14:33:52 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:
>
>> Like I said in another thread, "Emergency" implies IMMEDIATE (not
>> planned)
>> danger to life, limb, or property. It seems that, in your proposal, you
>> are
>> PLANNING to use these frequencies instead of more appropriate ones. I
>> would
>> think that you need to create (and supply) a system that is isolated from
>> broadcast frequencies.
>>
>> Wayne-
>> (KC8UIO)
>
> It's not my call, Wayne, it's the client driving the systems.
> --
But you've already changed it! Initially you said it was to be used at an
emergency site, and now you're saying it's to warn of a high-speed train
cometh. What the hell gives?

Ken

4954. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:15:24 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <gxA0f.15982$iM2.1314815@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12926
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

<kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
news:aoi4k1l3cj86fg3vjnadnmepbcvvj8anjg@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 12:29:52 +1300, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
> wrote:
>
>><kashe@sonic.net> wrote in message
>>news:mre3k15n9721h4kt0bmr019vvosggdohlp@4ax.com...
>>> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
>>> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>>>
>>>>DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive
>>>>alerting
>>>>system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a
>>>>disaster
>>>>site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>>>>local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>>>>broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second
>>>>messages
>>>>that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at
>>>>speed)
>>>>will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>>>>
>>>>Comments?
>>>
>>> Tracks across Lake Ponchartrain fell in.
>>>
>>> Granted they were put back in service faster than anything the
>>> government had connection to.
>>
>>Why a loco anyway? It would appear to be the mistaken assumption that
>>anything that big must have power to burn on anything plugged in by a
>>user.
>>Not the case - the power from a loco is, not surprisingly, applied to the
>>tracks.
>
> Actually, it's not.
>
> What made you bring up tracks anyway -- my reference to the
> tracks on the lake falling in? My point was that the locomotive is
> going nowhere there aren't usable tracks.
>
> On a diesel-electric locomotive, the generator's output is
> applied, not to the tracks as you seem to think, but rather through

> control circuitry to the stator around the axle. It's rather amusing
> to see a repair yard worker with a set of wheels-and-axle (they're all
> one single piece, in case you didn't know) clamp a stator around the
> axle, connect a battery with a pair of short jumper cables and walk
> the whole arrangement across a concrete floor as though he were
> walking the family dog.
>
> BTW, at 4,000+ horsepower, you could plug in nearly anything a
> user might want, given proper appliances and the right plug. :-)
>
>
>
>> The electric generators used for powering gear other than the
>>train's vitals are not high power.
>>
>>Ken
>>
4,000hp is a lot but not enough to swamp all the broadcast radios, which is
what the OP wants.

Incidentally my reference to tracks was just that the loco is made to move,
not power a boom-box. Like your anecdote though. :-)

Cheers.

Ken

4955. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:17:17 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <11k5l9tnld8mp85@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12927
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I can't find the part of the FCC regs that provide these frequencies for unlicensed stations. Can anybody share the chapter and verse?

Jim

>>> There are a couple of frequiencies for unlicensed low power am stations.
>>> You
>>> can see them in use by real estate folks selling houses. There are no
>>> commercial stations on the frequency.
>>
>> Yes, and at Disney World, etc. This is a very doable idea and may well
>> solve FCC/DoD issues.

4956. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:19:05 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <JAA0f.15983$iM2.1314512@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12928
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:45xvuwnf0a7u.1l4b30s6qnu8s$.dlg@40tude.net...
>
>
>> "Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
>> news:1lihotn31d6fk.a79lqxn15md6$.dlg@40tude.net...
>>> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive
>>> alerting
>>> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a
>>> disaster
>>> site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>>> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>>> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second
>>> messages
>>> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at
>>> speed)
>>> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>>>
>>> Comments?
>
> On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 11:15:23 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:
>
>> Impractical, for the same reasons cited earlier. What's wrong with
>> electronic message boards on trailers fitted with sirens and, if deemed
>> necessarily, a very large guy with a gun to maintain interest.
>
> Nothing but why not broadcast an alert that a locomotive, especially at
> unmarked crossings, is approaching and too supplement other warning
> systems?
>
>> You may find that sci.electronic.misc or sci.electronic.design may be
>> more
>> relevant, since it's commercial/military and not amateur. Mind you, they
>> may
>> also be less polite.....
>>
>> Ken
>
> Thanks, Ken.
>
> Should I be scared?
> --
No, but forewarned is fore armed. :-) Your spec's are a bit nebulous, to say

the least. I'm not accusing you of having no clue, but I'm damn glad DHS doesn't use tax-payer funds from this part of the world. This is an exercise in getting rid of funds grabbed during a crisis, when the opportunity arose to expand the empire. Standard bureaucratic function.

Cheers.

Ken

4957. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:26:12 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <pHA0f.15988$iM2.1314977@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12929
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1ld6l994pmuua.r714uw19bb3e$.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 13:03:57 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:
>
>> Well, he's not a troll in that he's making it up as he goes - it appears
>> he
>> really is hoping to do for his company what he says (source: Google).
>
> I have a clear history for anyone to Google.
>
Sure do, I was pointing that out. Hence I don't think you're a troll.

>> However it's a job which really equates to:
>> <Government fleeces tax-payers>
>> <Bureaucrat gets hold of budget allocation>
>> <Bureaucrat needs to succeed - ie. unload allocation>
>> <Ari and co. want to be under the hopper when the jackpot payout
>> commences>
>
> Not too much wrong with that synopsis, Ken.
>
>> A valid way of doing business, but still a crock.
>>
>> Ken
>
> Indeed it is both. Considering we gave away a central DB technology to
> DHS-NOLA, then they failed to use it, we are hoping to make money this
> time
> around *and* that they will get their acts together.
> --
I'm really not criticizing you, per se, but I don't think the concept is
well thought out.

You refer elsewhere to this being an auxiliary warning system on a loco -
level crossing lights/bells/boom gates not enough? They usually are, so why
the worry now? (Okay, we know it's the moolah....).

You also refer to 1,000W being available - it's just not enough for what you
want to do. Period.

Good luck with them getting their act (I would have said something else!)
together, but don't bet the bank on it. I'm actually an ex-bureaucrat myself
and to call me cynical of governmental abilities would be an understatement.
But if you do come up with something useful (I bet it ends up being a

spin-off rather than the initial concept seen here), I hope you get something out of it.

Cheers.

Ken

4958. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:44:01 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <asl5k1d7203vpfgo42ntp7trfttvd7h5p2@4ax.com>
Source record: 12930
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 13:40:46 -0400, Amos Keag <A.K01@comcast.net>
wrote:
>A relative is a PERSON not a THING: a WHO not a THAT!!
Yes, it requires a leap of faith to make that presumption of ANY
relationship - this requires independent confirmation of the DNA
status of our Texan.

If they strapped him (sic) into ol' sparky tomorrow morning, would we
have toast, or bacon?

4959. WBT COMMANDER II VHF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:45:52 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <MZA0f.974$s93.274@fe07.lga>
Source record: 12931

I am looking for a Commander II vhf 2 mtr ssb amp in excellant condition

W9CAR

4960. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 19:55:29 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <dvm5k155pdkhfkgnce5805p2o7jdcqut8c@4ax.com>
Source record: 12932
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:09:19 +1300, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
wrote:

>"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
>news:1qf1chehdlfrr.ermviox2lja1$.dlg@40tude.net...
>> On Mon, 03 Oct 2005 14:31:36 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:
>>
>>> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 16:33:52 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
>>> <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
>>>>OK, so we supply the amplification.
>>>
>>> OK, this is just a re-run of previous speculations. You don't know
>>> the depth of your energy budget crisis, do you?
>>
>> Open coffers.
>>
>> --
>He wasn't referring to your finance budget, but your energy budget. I
>hesitate to say it can't be done in any practical sense, but that's my
>thought.

Hi Ken,

His terse reply refers to the public coffers - troughs - open for this fabulous pork barrel feast. You know, crack dealer capitalism.

Nothing has to actually work, or be useful, or even be used. It just has to generate paper in one direction, and cash in the other. Ari is mining us as a dry run for all the terms, shortfalls, and fits to the jigsaw to rummage up into a proposal.

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4961. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 20:06:27 UTC
From: Jim Richardson <warlock@eskimo.com>
Message-ID: <3v3b13-e9a.ln1@fimbul.myth>
Source record: 12933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 11:27:44 -0400,
Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
> On 4 Oct 2005 14:12:19 GMT, Allodoxaphobia wrote:
>
>> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn wrote:
>>> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
>>> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
>>> site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>>> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>>> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second messages
>>> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
>>> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>>>
>>> Comments?
>>
>> And what are these messages suppose to convey?
>
> Primarily two things, alerting pre-evac and at grade crossing alerts that a
> high speed locomotive is approaching.
>

they'd be better off with bells and lights at the crossing for the
latter...

>
>> We all (outside the screwed zone) saw the blizzard of useless
>> "messages" the government(s) issued during and after Katrina.
>
> And a blizzard of useful ones as well.
>

wheat from chaff?

--
Jim Richardson http://www.eskimo.com/~warlock
"The three principal virtues of a programmer are Laziness, Impatience, and
Hubris."
-- Larry Wall in den Perl5-Manpages

4962. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 20:09:19 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <effaf$4342e1a5$97d558d8$26195@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12934
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It can be found under the section that allows a transmitter as long as it is
less than some number of milliwatts per meter.

If you really need the exact section, I will drag out the regs and get it
for you.

"RST Engineering" <jim@rstengineering.com> wrote in message
news:11k5l9tnld8mp85@corp.supernews.com...
> I can't find the part of the FCC regs that provide these frequencies for
> unlicensed stations. Can anybody share the chapter and verse?
>
> Jim
>
>
> >>> There are a couple of frequiencies for unlicensed low power am
stations.
> >>> You
> >>> can see them in use by real estate folks selling houses. There are no
> >>> commercial stations on the frequency.
> >>
> >> Yes, and at Disney World, etc. This is a very doable idea and may well
> >> solve FCC/DoD issues.
>
>

4963. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 20:51:06 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <11k5qprf314vs63@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12935
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

That is part 15 and it isn't just a couple of frequencies, it is any frequency in the AM broadcast band (and the FM broadcast band, for that matter).

Specifically, 15.219 allows operation on any frequency in the band so long as (a) the input power to the final stage is less than 100 mW and (b) the antenna "system" (radiating element, coax, and ground lead) is less than 3 meters long.

15.221 also allows operation with an unspecified power level into leaky coax with a field strength limitation.

Power is not milliwatts per meter. Power is milliwatts. Field strength (also an allowed measurement) is in volts per meter.

The OP said that there were a "couple of frequiencies(sic)for unlicensed low power am(sic) stations." That implied that there were a couple of frequencies that were unused in the AM band by commercial stations, and I just wanted to have a reference to WHAT they were and WHERE in the regs they were delineated.

Jim

"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
news:effaf$4342e1a5$97d558d8$26195@ALLTEL.NET...
> It can be found under the section that allows a transmitter as long as it
> is
> less than some number of milliwatts per meter.
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>> >>> You
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>> >>> commercial stations on the frequency.

>> >>
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>> >> solve FCC/DoD issues.
>>
>>
>
>

4964. 756 LCD Replacement

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 21:15:59 UTC
From: 329049 <exec90pilot2@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1128460559.373602.285340@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12937

Just wanted to let eveyone know, ICOM America has a replacement LCD for the 756 (original, non-pro) Runs about $360, but hey, it's there. PN is B900000004. ICOM service/parts que # is 425 454 7619.

4965. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 21:31:37 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <411a6$4342f4f3$97d558d8$4644@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12938
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In this case the milliwatts per meter refers to frequencies stated in meters.

Volts per meter only applies to the E component, the magnetic component is always stated in amps per meter.

I will get back to you on the specifics. I am pretty sure that my brain is not suffering from a senior moment as to my recollection of the regs.

"RST Engineering" <jim@rstengineering.com> wrote in message news:11k5qprf314vs63@corp.supernews.com...
> Power is not milliwatts per meter. Power is milliwatts. Field strength
> (also an allowed measurement) is in volts per meter.
>

4966. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 21:46:33 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <2et5k1pasuf8p8ue93p3qhfp11bbdmv6ms@4ax.com>
Source record: 12939
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 17:31:37 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
wrote:
>In this case the milliwatts per meter refers to frequencies stated in
>meters.

Hi Fred,

Is this to suggest that for 300MHz it is 1mW total input power as say
compared to 1MHz allowing 300mW?

This would be uncharacteristically generous of the FCC whose
regulations would ban emissions from dummy loads.

Seems it would hardly serve Ari's search for pork, but I suppose
grantsmanship would jump at sending a marathon of runners through the
spill area - each carrying sub-Watt handi-talkies to provide the
aggregate power, and spectrum, and lung volume necessary to "get the
warning out."

73's
Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4967. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 21:57:10 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <7bf3f$4342faef$97d558d8$24062@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12940
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Richard the value changes per band and is stated in part 15. For example in the broadcast band the formula is 24000 /F for microvolts at 1000 feet.

There are certain bands that no emissions are allowed from a low powered device. For example setting up your neighborhood micro Rap Station on 121.5 MHz (aircraft emergency) would probably bring a swift shut down.

I am still searching for the reg that allows fixed information stations. IIRC they can be run on 530 and 1750 KHz. I know in the past I had looked at the regs and the particular station I was researching was indeed legal.

In the low freqs (140 KHz area) you can run up to 1 watt CW with out a license.

"Richard Clark" <kb7qhc@comcast.net> wrote in message news:2et5k1pasuf8p8ue93p3qhfp11bbdmv6ms@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 17:31:37 -0400, "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com>
> wrote:
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> spill area - each carrying sub-Watt handi-talkies to provide the
> aggregate power, and spectrum, and lung volume necessary to "get the
> warning out."
>
> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

4968. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:09:50 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <11k5vdfh3t5jt29@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12941
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Not quite. That is the limit in 15.209, with the following caveat
"...except as provided elsewhere in this subpart..."

Elsewhere in the subpart (15.219 and 15.221) we have the limit for the band
525-1705 kHz. (AM broadcast band) the 100 mW and 3 meter antenna restriction
OR a 15 uV/m restriction at a distance of (47.715/(frequency in kHz.))
meters (which is also lambda/(2 * pi)) from leaky coax.

BTW, it is 24000/F uV/m at 30 meters from 490 to 1705 kHz., which is more
like 100 feet, not 1000 feet (15.209).

Jim

"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
news:7bf3f$4342faef$97d558d8$24062@ALLTEL.NET...

> Richard the value changes per band and is stated in part 15. For example
> in
> the broadcast band the formula is 24000 /F for microvolts at 1000 feet.

4969. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:28:16 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <11ta0tcw4oytz.1d6ji7kwpmay9$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12942
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:19:05 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

>>
>>> You may find that sci.electronic.misc or sci.electronic.design may be
>>> more
>>> relevant, since it's commercial/military and not amateur. Mind you, they
>>> may
>>> also be less polite.....
>>>
>>> Ken
>>
>> Thanks, Ken.
>>
>> Should I be scared?
>> --
> No, but forewarned is fore armed. :-) Your spec's are a bit nebulous, to say
> the least. I'm not accusing you of having no clue, but I'm damn glad DHS
> doesn't use tax-payer funds from this part of the world. This is an exercise
> in getting rid of funds grabbed during a crisis, when the opportunity arose
> to expand the empire. Standard bureaucratic function.

The problem is that anything that is speced at this point is bound to be
changed by FEMA, DHS, FCC, and God knows who else. The idea is to start
somewhere and march forward beginning with the writing of a "white paper"
that can be shot full of holes.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4970. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:31:46 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1q8o4xpm943m.f72nw6qcveot$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12943
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>> Indeed it is both. Considering we gave away a central DB technology to
>> DHS-NOLA, then they failed to use it, we are hoping to make money this
>> time
>> around *and* that they will get their acts together.

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:26:12 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

> I'm really not criticizing you, per se, but I don't think the concept is
> well thought out.

By it's very nature, it cannot be, it is a dynamically moving target and
will be for some time I would imagine.

> You refer elsewhere to this being an auxiliary warning system on a loco -
> level crossing lights/bells/boom gates not enough? They usually are, so why
> the worry now? (Okay, we know it's the moolah....).

The number of unmarked or unworkable crossings is greater than the ones
quadrant marked and useable.

> You also refer to 1,000W being available - it's just not enough for what you
> want to do. Period.

3 watts per frequency?

> Good luck with them getting their act (I would have said something else!)
> together, but don't bet the bank on it. I'm actually an ex-bureaucrat myself
> and to call me cynical of governmental abilities would be an understatement.

Well, if in the process we get paid, then wtf, you know?

> But if you do come up with something useful (I bet it ends up being a
> spin-off rather than the initial concept seen here), I hope you get
> something out of it.
>
> Cheers.
>
> Ken

Thanks, Ken, it would be nice to do something that would save lives and
limbs and also make a few asspennies :)
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4971. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:33:00 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1trzn633vp9a8$.1pn63sxhs5cim$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 13:06:27 -0700, Jim Richardson wrote:

>> Primarily two things, alerting pre-evac and at grade crossing alerts that a
>> high speed locomotive is approaching.
>>
>
> they'd be better off with bells and lights at the crossing for the
> latter...

Many crossings have none.

>>> We all (outside the screwed zone) saw the blizzard of useless
>>> "messages" the government(s) issued during and after Katrina.
>>
>> And a blizzard of useful ones as well.
>>
>
> wheat from chaff?

Yep, that's the strategy for now.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4972. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:34:14 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1b8j1rueikcxv$.lo6nhpwwje4n.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12945
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:12:56 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

>> It's not my call, Wayne, it's the client driving the systems.
>> --
> But you've already changed it! Initially you said it was to be used at an
> emergency site, and now you're saying it's to warn of a high-speed train
> cometh. What the hell gives?
>
> Ken

Both, there are three defined needs (today) 1) on locomotive, permanent at
grade crossing and mobile, take-to-site-and-leave.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4973. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:34:59 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1p9sexua1d9zp.1a94h3pqeexmb$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12946
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:07:40 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

>>> There are a couple of frequiencies for unlicensed low power am stations.
>>> You
>>> can see them in use by real estate folks selling houses. There are no
>>> commercial stations on the frequency.
>>
>> Yes, and at Disney World, etc. This is a very doable idea and may well
>> solve FCC/DoD issues.
>> --
> When was the last time you listened to one of those frequencies? It won't
> get the message out where it's needed.

They suck, I was hoping it was my rental car!
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4974. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:35:41 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <8j382mvt6h1u.2u4v4vukhrbk$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12947
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 16:09:19 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:

> It can be found under the section that allows a transmitter as long as it is
> less than some number of milliwatts per meter.
>
> If you really need the exact section, I will drag out the regs and get it
> for you.

Does this fall under LPFM/LPAM?
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4975. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:37:13 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1368nf7jyod3d.4njangipsc1j.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12848
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 13:51:06 -0700, RST Engineering wrote:

> The OP said that there were a "couple of frequiencies(sic)for unlicensed low
> power am(sic) stations." That implied that there were a couple of
> frequencies that were unused in the AM band by commercial stations, and I
> just wanted to have a reference to WHAT they were and WHERE in the regs they
> were delineated.
>
> Jim

Truth is, I was thinking about reserved but not yet assigned AM/FM
frequencies.
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Drop the alphabet for email

4976. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:38:11 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <15fj9t9a794kl.1j288dmpz9on4$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12849
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 14:46:33 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:

> Seems it would hardly serve Ari's search for pork,

Hey, I'm Jewish, sort of.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4977. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:38:14 UTC
From: AB8MQ <AB8MQ@yahoo.net>
Message-ID: <hv06k1lec47nseo73i3q76jssdv8ir7tm1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12852
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
wrote:
> On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 14:46:33 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:
>
> > Seems it would hardly serve Ari's search for pork,
>
> Hey, I'm Jewish, sort of.
>
Shutup kike.

Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
More than 140,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

4978. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:39:38 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <10jjkadeqxri6.fg1b0yfm6614.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12850
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 15:09:50 -0700, RST Engineering wrote:

> Not quite. That is the limit in 15.209, with the following caveat
> "...except as provided elsewhere in this subpart..."
>
> Elsewhere in the subpart (15.219 and 15.221) we have the limit for the band
> 525-1705 kHz. (AM broadcast band) the 100 mW and 3 meter antenna restriction
> OR a 15 uV/m restriction at a distance of (47.715/(frequency in kHz.))
> meters (which is also lambda/(2 * pi)) from leaky coax.
>
> BTW, it is 24000/F uV/m at 30 meters from 490 to 1705 kHz., which is more
> like 100 feet, not 1000 feet (15.209).
>
> Jim

So if I need to go out 3500 feet or so, this won't work. Correct?
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4979. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:39:59 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <5nmm9dcylhmw$.1rnrbutgswt22.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12851
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:04:25 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

>>
>> MOF, it has reared its ugly hi speed head again.
>> --
> Sorry, what's 'MOF'?

Matter of fact.....
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4980. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:41:23 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1vxzpk9xqbmci$.7zy9q225wair.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12853
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:09:19 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

>>> OK, this is just a re-run of previous speculations. You don't know
>>> the depth of your energy budget crisis, do you?
>>
>> Open coffers.
>>
>> --
> He wasn't referring to your finance budget, but your energy budget. I
> hesitate to say it can't be done in any practical sense, but that's my
> thought. The idea of one poster to transmit on the IF's is a good one but I
> didn't suggest that because you'll also kill your emergency services comm's.

lol What;s being tossed around is the ability to allow FEMA et all to kill
the ability to transmit and/or we can upon knowing that the emerg comms are
in use.

> Incidentally, do you plan to have every loco in the US fitted out or are you
> going to fly the loco's to the incident site to do their stuff?
>
> Cheers.
>
> Ken

--
Drop the alphabet for email

4981. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:43:45 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1cbcmu4d514l0.o9jwf977wpd$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12854
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 12:55:29 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:

>>>
>>> Open coffers.
>>>
>>> --
>>He wasn't referring to your finance budget, but your energy budget. I
>>hesitate to say it can't be done in any practical sense, but that's my
>>thought.
>
> Hi Ken,
>
> His terse reply refers to the public coffers - troughs - open for this
> fabulous pork barrel feast. You know, crack dealer capitalism.
>
> Nothing has to actually work, or be useful, or even be used. It just
> has to generate paper in one direction, and cash in the other. Ari is
> mining us as a dry run for all the terms, shortfalls, and fits to the
> jigsaw to rummage up into a proposal.
>
> 73's
> Richard Clark, KB7QHC

Considering that we have many technologies in use, mof, all technologies
that are not in development are in use, this is a load of horseshit. If we
build it to spec, whatever that spec is, it will be proprietary and how and
when they use it is not in our hands.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

4982. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 22:46:33 UTC
From: RST Engineering <jim@rstengineering.com>
Message-ID: <11k61iaol82dmb0@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12855
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Incorrect.

Jim

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:10jjkadeqxri6.fg1b0yfm6614.dlg@40tude.net...

>> BTW, it is 24000/F uV/m at 30 meters from 490 to 1705 kHz., which is more
>> like 100 feet, not 1000 feet (15.209).
>>
>> Jim
>
> So if I need to go out 3500 feet or so, this won't work. Correct?
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

4983. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 23:40:18 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <dK-dnQ4WndN_j97eRVn-ug@adelphia.com>
Source record: 12856
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Allodoxaphobia wrote:
> On Mon, 3 Oct 2005 17:19:42 -0400, Ari Silversteinn wrote:
>
>>DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
>>system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
>>site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
>>local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
>>broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second messages
>>that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
>>will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>>
>>Comments?
>
>
> And what are these messages suppose to convey?
>
> The target audience already knows it's screwed.
>
> We all (outside the screwed zone) saw the blizzard of useless
> "messages" the government(s) issued during and after Katrina.
>
> Just what I need to hear from a locomotive blowing by at 50 mph:
>
> "Hi! We're the government and we are here to help you."
>
> The best that came out of post-Katrina was from self-help and
> assistance from non-government organizations. And, the
> government even thwarted some of that.
>
> The inmates are running the asylum:
>
> http://www.iht.com/articles/2005/10/02/news/storm.php
>
> Ninety-one thousand tons of ice melting in idling 14-wheelers.

The Republicans are going to take care of all those problems! Darned
Democrats anyhow!

- Mike KB3EIA -

4984. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-04 23:44:44 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <e2ea5$4343142e$97d558d8$22288@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 12857
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

You are correct Jim, mistyped the extra zero.

"RST Engineering" <jim@rstengineering.com> wrote in message
news:11k5vdfh3t5jt29@corp.supernews.com...
> Not quite. That is the limit in 15.209, with the following caveat
> "...except as provided elsewhere in this subpart..."
>
> Elsewhere in the subpart (15.219 and 15.221) we have the limit for the
band
> 525-1705 kHz. (AM broadcast band) the 100 mW and 3 meter antenna
restriction
> OR a 15 uV/m restriction at a distance of (47.715/(frequency in kHz.))
> meters (which is also lambda/(2 * pi)) from leaky coax.
>
> BTW, it is 24000/F uV/m at 30 meters from 490 to 1705 kHz., which is more
> like 100 feet, not 1000 feet (15.209).
>
>
> Jim
>
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>
> "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
> news:7bf3f$4342faef$97d558d8$24062@ALLTEL.NET...
>
> > Richard the value changes per band and is stated in part 15. For example
> > in
> > the broadcast band the formula is 24000 /F for microvolts at 1000 feet.
>
>

4985. FA: CAT 250 Repeater Controller Package

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 00:09:25 UTC
From: Rod <Cabletek73@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <VQE0f.207$ar6.121@trndny01>
Source record: 12858

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5814020250&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

4986. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 01:47:39 UTC
From: "John Doe"
Message-ID: <434330c5$0$28817$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 12859
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

How little you know!
Ever hear of Weather Alert?
Amber alert?

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:g31e2e1u2j80.s7dxljcbxf2s$.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 00:51:49 +1000, John Doe wrote:
>
> > Durrrrrr,
> > Can anyone spell EAS
> > http://www.fcc.gov/eb/eas/
>
> The EAS is designed to provide the President with a means to address the
> American people in the event of a national emergency.
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

4987. Anyone ever experienced the Heil PR-20?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 01:52:48 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <nac6k15kdcgo3ekh8ah9dmepf0pl1q4pki@4ax.com>
Source record: 12860
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Looking at this mic. Am hoping to get some feedback here. Thanks for
any info. you may have!

Buther Boy

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Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
~

4988. Ameritron AL-811 ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 02:46:41 UTC
From: radio-operator@telus.net
Message-ID: <1128480401.762037.56670@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12861
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I have a question for anyone who owns an Ameritron AL-811 amplifier.

I have connected the Relay and ALC connections to my rig and the amplifer works great except for the ALC protection. I have confirmed for 100% certain the radio is connected correctly.

When attempting to adjust the ALC limit on the rear of the amplifier as suggested in the manual I am not noticing any effect on the rig. I have driven the amplifier up to to 85W, and still do not notice and reduction of power on the radio as indicated in the manual.

Perhaps I am missing something, but my understanding was when the power into the Amp was over 70W and the rear ALC control was adjusted the voltage from the Amp should kick in and power down the radio to avoid distortion.

Any assistance would be greatly appreciated. Even if someone knows which is MAX and MIN on the back panel ALC adj., that would be helpful (i.e. clockwise or counter clockwise).

Thank-you...

Lloyd
radio-operator@telus.net

4989. Re: Ameritron AL-811 ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 03:27:24 UTC
From: Rick Frazier <rickf@rickfrazier.com>
Message-ID: <4343483E.ABBF0DBD@rickfrazier.com>
Source record: 12863
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

I think you may be a bit confused about ALC, or I don't understand your terminology.
In my world, "power down the radio" means it would be turned off.

ALC, when properly adjusted, is a control voltage that should limit the power output of the transceiver to prevent overdriving and damaging the amplifier. For Amplifiers that have relatively low drive needs for full output, it can be helpful in extending the life of the tubes, as compared to the reduced life effect of driving them beyond their dissipation rating.

I used to have an ameritron 811H (four tube version) and no longer have the manual, but if I remember correctly, the setting method was to transmit a known signal level into the amplifier and adjust the ALC control on the amp until the power output of the amplifier dropped (just barely), thus setting the level for protection. After it was properly set, cranking up the power output on the transceiver had little effect when the amplifier was not in standby mode.

A caveat though: Even though implementing ALC is a relatively good idea, it is generally better to have really good operating habits and watch the levels, rather than relying on the Amp to protect itself. I know there is always the possibility of making a bonehead move (I'm sure we've all made one now and then) but good operating habits first are the best defense against overdriving an amplifier.

Thanks
--Rick AH7H

radio-operator@telus.net wrote:

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>
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> amplifer works great except for the ALC protection. I have confirmed
> for 100% certain the radio is connected correctly.
>
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> suggested in the manual I am not noticing any effect on the rig. I
> have driven the amplifier up to to 85W, and still do not notice and
> reduction of power on the radio as indicated in the manual.
>
> Perhaps I am missing something, but my understanding was when the power
> into the Amp was over 70W and the rear ALC control was adjusted the
> voltage from the Amp should kick in and power down the radio to avoid
> distortion.

>
> Any assistance would be greatly appreciated. Even if someone knows
> which is MAX and MIN on the back panel ALC adj., that would be helpful
> (i.e. clockwise or counter clockwise).
>
> Thank-you...
>
> Lloyd
> radio-operator@telus.net

4990. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 03:49:03 UTC
From: Tom Donaly <dtdonaly@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <P2l0f.697$B14.667@newssvr11.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12862
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Amos Keag wrote:
> Richard Clark wrote:
>
> SNIPPED
>
>> Seems you've drawn a blank then too. On your own sentence which is
>> the point I made significant. That you missed on both accounts is
>> doubly indicting. Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating
>> bullets now?
>
>
> Richard, Richard, Richard! :-(Read your last sentence. Do you see
> the error??
>
> "Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating bullets now?"
>
> There is a GLARING ERROR in it!!!!! It should be ...
> "Do you have a relative in Texas WHO is sweating bullets now?"
>
> A relative is a PERSON not a THING: a WHO not a THAT!!
>
> Tch, Tch,
>

Not if the who is a that. Consider yourself insulted.
73,
Tom Donaly, KA6RUH

4991. Re: Ameritron AL-811 ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 03:53:03 UTC
From: radio-operator@telus.net
Message-ID: <1128484383.040390.145620@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12864
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Hello Rick,

Your assessment matches the manual, however if you have any specifics on the adjustment that would be helpful. (When I said power down the radio I did mean decrease the output power on the radio).

Do you need to drive the amplifer with 70W+ or will the ALC control work with 30W drive from the radio?

I followed that same process, however did not notice the "drop" in power on the amp or tranceiver when adjusting the ALC adjustment on the back of the AL-811.

Thank-you
Lloyd

4992. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 08:04:16 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <u627k15jos6jp9q9jhmquj1298ekcrm4fo@4ax.com>
Source record: 12865
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 09:31:50 -0700, Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
wrote:

>On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 09:58:00 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>
>>>>>>>> I'm not hearing any interest in turning streets near me into
>>>>>>>>canals.
>>>>>
>>>>>Yeh - sure.
>>>>
>>>> Damn straight.
>>>Telling us you "might" hear interest in turning streets near you into
>>>canals? Might not? - newsflash! Taking I-5 south to I-10 east, you
>>>are 2274 miles or more from even a remote chance with respect to New
>>>Orleans.
>>
>> Christ -- you can't even parse a sentence -- give up.
>
>Seems you've drawn a blank then too. On your own sentence which is
>the point I made significant. That you missed on both accounts is
>doubly indicting. Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating
>bullets now?

What the fuck is it to you where I have relatives?

4993. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 08:06:56 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <p827k1l5q2sag0lkjv42g6i7i1q9f8n2k1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12866
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 13:40:46 -0400, Amos Keag <A.K01@comcast.net>
wrote:

>Richard Clark wrote:
>
>SNIPPED
>
>> Seems you've drawn a blank then too. On your own sentence which is
>> the point I made significant. That you missed on both accounts is
>> doubly indicting. Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating
>> bullets now?
>
>Richard, Richard, Richard! :-(Read your last sentence. Do you see
>the error??
>
>"Do you have a relative in Texas that is sweating bullets now?"
>
>There is a GLARING ERROR in it!!!!! It should be ...
>"Do you have a relative in Texas WHO is sweating bullets now?"
>
>A relative is a PERSON not a THING: a WHO not a THAT!!
>
>Tch, Tch,

Gramatically the antecedent of that or who in both cases is
Texas. It should read, "Do you have, in Texas, ..." In any case it's
none of anyone's damned business where my relatives are.

4994. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 09:24:25 UTC
From: Jim Richardson <warlock@eskimo.com>
Message-ID: <9nic13-ltp.ln1@fimbul.myth>
Source record: 12867
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 18:33:00 -0400,
Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:
> On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 13:06:27 -0700, Jim Richardson wrote:
>
>>> Primarily two things, alerting pre-evac and at grade crossing alerts that a
>>> high speed locomotive is approaching.
>>>
>>
>> they'd be better off with bells and lights at the crossing for the
>> latter...
>
> Many crossings have none.
>

I was thinking of putting the bells and lights on the train...

More people have ears, than radios. Few of the ones without ears, use
radios :)

--
Jim Richardson http://www.eskimo.com/~warlock
The mouth of a perfectly happy man is filled with beer.
--Ancient Egyptian Wisdom, 2200 B.C.

4995. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 10:08:49 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <RCN0f.78366$vJ4.12677@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12868
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I think you will find that the FCC has the FINAL call on frequency band usage. I can't see them authorizing such intrusive use of the normal broadcast bands, especially after the broadcast industry gets wind of your proposal.

From a technical standpoint, broadband transmission of a signal is not hard. A simple VFO sweep of all the normal broadcast bands is all that is required. Obviously, the appropriate modulation techniques would have to be used for each band.

Another approach would be the use of a local (LOW power) sweeping UP/DOWN converter. In this method, you could transmit a specific (authorized) signal from the site. This signal would be received and detected by a local receiver. This information would be used to modulate and rebroadcast the signal within the vehicle. However, this would require onboard equipment.

I still think that your biggest hurdle will a legal one.

Wayne-
(KC8UIO)

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message news:1b8j1rueikcxv$.lo6nhpwwje4n.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:12:56 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:
>
>>> It's not my call, Wayne, it's the client driving the systems.
>>> --
>> But you've already changed it! Initially you said it was to be used at an
>> emergency site, and now you're saying it's to warn of a high-speed train
>> cometh. What the hell gives?
>>
>> Ken
>
> Both, there are three defined needs (today) 1) on locomotive, permanent at
> grade crossing and mobile, take-to-site-and-leave.
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

4996. Re: Ameritron AL-811 ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 10:19:09 UTC
From: Amos Keag <A.K01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <XsKdnca2j8UrJt7eRVn-oA@comcast.com>
Source record: 12869
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

What transceiver are you using? Is the polarity of the ALC voltage
compatible with your transceiver?

I use an AL-80B. It has an ALC range of 0 to -10 vdc. My ICOM has a max
ALC of -4 vdc. I set the AL-80B for -4 vdc at max setting. Then I
adjusted the ALC SET on the front panel to activate at approximately 70
watts of drive.

The point I'm making is that two adjustments were required. First set
MAX ALC voltage, followed by setting ALC SET threshold.

radio-operator@telus.net wrote:

> Hello Rick,
>
> Your assessment matches the manual, however if you have any specifics
> on the adjustment that would be helpful. (When I said power down the
> radio I did mean decrease the output power on the radio).
>
> Do you need to drive the amplifer with 70W+ or will the ALC control
> work with 30W drive from the radio?
>
> I followed that same process, however did not notice the "drop" in
> power on the amp or tranceiver when adjusting the ALC adjustment on the
> back of the AL-811.
>
> Thank-you
> Lloyd
>

4997. Re: "Hams to the Rescue After Katrina" MSNBC News Article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 12:43:24 UTC
From: Cecil Moore <mycall@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <MTP0f.872$we3.342@newssvr13.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12870
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.policy

Tom Donaly wrote:
> Not if the who is a that. Consider yourself insulted.

Would an SOB be a that? :-)
--
73, Cecil http://www.qsl.net/w5dxp

4998. replacing internal lithium battery in htx-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 15:42:15 UTC
From: larry <larya@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <GPmdnVMCXsJwad7eRVn-gQ@rogers.com>
Source record: 12872

Greetings

Recently I aquired a used htx-202.. when turning it on, I got an error message...the previous user told me that that indicated that the internal battery needed replacing...

This morning I proceeded to open up the radio to get at the internal battery...

Not having any step by step instructions, on how to do it, I tried some 'by guess and by golly'. I removed the 5 scews at the back and nothing seemed to give... I then removed the 4 screws that hold the bottom (-) plate onto the main case... Nothing gave...

I then found two more screws on the side near the 'F' key and nothing gave...

I couldn't find anything else to unscrew so I gave the back and front halves a little more pull apart effort and the two halves finally came appart....

I then gently separated it, like a book, and openned up the two chassis.....

Inside the speaker half, I found the lithium battery...

It appears to be soldered in place.. the left wire goes behind a piece of metal while the right wire appears to be soldered to something...

Does anyone know how I can safely remove the battery... I tried to measure it's voltage but the battery appears to be covered in some kind of plastic... anyway I get a zero voltage...

And does anyone know the part number, of the battery, so I can get another one..

Also, is there another source, other than radio shack, in case they no longer sell those batteries.....

Larry ve3fxq

4999. Rx YAESU FR 101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 15:44:19 UTC
From: "D.K." <bla.bla@bla.fr>
Message-ID: <4343f4b4$0$17242$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 12871

Hi,
I'm just cleaning up an old lady, a Rx YAESU FR 101. I found it last
month on eBay.de. Really a bargain ! Works marvellous ! It's worth spending
some time to make it younger.
The S meter is not illuminated . Before opening it in order to change the
lamp, I'm wondering if there is any l inside.
Is it a simple trick to calibrate the 100 kHz window ? The drum inside is
about 60 kHz
off-frequency, the system is like a clock-work (splendid !) and it MUST
be something anywhere to calibrate and adjust it !
Can anybody give me the infos ?
Thanks in advance

D. Kremp
Normandy / France

5000. FS: SGC SG-500 HF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 16:11:44 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <0XS0f.43$qo6.25@fe07.lga>
Source record: 12873

THIS "SMART CUBE" HF AMPLIFIER IS IN EXCELLANT CONDITION. DESIGNED FOR MOBILE USE, BUT IT ALSO CAN BE USED FOR A BASE STATION AMPLIFIER WITH A SUITABLE 12 VDC SUPPLY.
IT HAS THE OPTIONAL MODEL SGC 51-82 FAN KIT INSTALLED FOR 100% DUTY CYCLE. THIS IS THE TOP OF THE LINE SOLID STATE FILTER TYPE HF AMPLIFIER. NEW THIS COMBO IS $1550.00 AT AES OR HRO. THE PRICE IS $1095.00 INCLUDING SHIPPING & INSURANCE IN THE USA ONLY.

5001. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 17:22:02 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1fmrjilzzony1$.1tqhs0ggqb5z2$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12874
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 02:24:25 -0700, Jim Richardson wrote:

>>> they'd be better off with bells and lights at the crossing for the
>>> latter...
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>
> I was thinking of putting the bells and lights on the train...
>
> More people have ears, than radios. Few of the ones without ears, use
> radios :)

lol
--
Drop the alphabet for email

5002. Re: Ameritron AL-811 ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 17:25:56 UTC
From: radio-operator@telus.net
Message-ID: <1128533156.307259.249510@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12875
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Thank-you Amos,

I was able to confirm the polarity and connection are correct and the
voltage ranges are compatable between the rig and amp (AL-811).

The manual for the AL-811 is very unclear as to exactly what the
process is to set the ALC control on the back of the Amp:

- What mode should be used on the rig?

- What power level is required on the rig to slightly overdrive the Amp
enough and obtain a neg voltage on the ALC output on the Amp.

- When looking at the back of the AL-811 and the ALC control knob,
which is MIN and which is MAX sensitivity?

My appologies for all the questions. My hopes are to find someone with
an 811 who can describe the process they used.

Lloyd
radio-operator@telus.net

Amos Keag wrote:
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> compatible with your transceiver?
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> ALC of -4 vdc. I set the AL-80B for -4 vdc at max setting. Then I
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> > power on the amp or tranceiver when adjusting the ALC adjustment on the
> > back of the AL-811.
> >
> > Thank-you
> > Lloyd
> >

5003. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 17:27:47 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1jexrl7qx43ky.lna7flrf01op$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12876
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 05 Oct 2005 10:08:49 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:

> I think you will find that the FCC has the FINAL call on frequency band
> usage. I can't see them authorizing such intrusive use of the normal
> broadcast bands, especially after the broadcast industry gets wind of your
> proposal.

They got wind. Intrusive? Matter of subjectivity. A 30 sec message that
envelopes a 3500 sided square?

> From a technical standpoint, broadband transmission of a signal is not hard.
> A simple VFO sweep of all the normal broadcast bands is all that is
> required. Obviously, the appropriate modulation techniques would have to be
> used for each band.

That's the way we see it, more or less.

> Another approach would be the use of a local (LOW power) sweeping UP/DOWN
> converter. In this method, you could transmit a specific (authorized) signal
> from the site. This signal would be received and detected by a local
> receiver. This information would be used to modulate and rebroadcast the
> signal within the vehicle. However, this would require onboard equipment.

Which mat make this impractical in the short run but there has been
discussion about mandating this type of installation. I have my doubts but
then we have seat belts and airbags.

> I still think that your biggest hurdle will a legal one.
>
> Wayne-
> (KC8UIO)

I agree. Thanks, Wayne.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

5004. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 17:30:42 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1ops8w1f902dd.194d9ppc1dzja$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12877
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 05 Oct 2005 10:08:49 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:

> I can't see them authorizing such intrusive use of the normal
> broadcast bands,

http://www.fcw.com/article88522-04-11-05-Print

This is intrusive.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

5005. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 17:32:14 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <lu7gstahwmh.o8ymz2mh807i$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12878
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 19:40:18 -0400, Mike Coslo wrote:

> The Republicans are going to take care of all those problems! Darned
> Democrats anyhow!
>
> - Mike KB3EIA -

Now look who is the troll.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

5006. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 17:34:31 UTC
From: w <"trollfuckingcentral(tm)"@trollcentral.org>
Message-ID: <1b3fpnk899nw0.17i39kooszccq.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12879
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Which zero?

On Tue, 4 Oct 2005 19:44:44 -0400, Fred W4JLE wrote:

> You are correct Jim, mistyped the extra zero.
>
> "RST Engineering" <jim@rstengineering.com> wrote in message
> news:11k5vdfh3t5jt29@corp.supernews.com...
>> Not quite. That is the limit in 15.209, with the following caveat
>> "...except as provided elsewhere in this subpart..."
>>
>> Elsewhere in the subpart (15.219 and 15.221) we have the limit for the
> band
>> 525-1705 kHz. (AM broadcast band) the 100 mW and 3 meter antenna
> restriction
>> OR a 15 uV/m restriction at a distance of (47.715/(frequency in kHz.))
>> meters (which is also lambda/(2 * pi)) from leaky coax.
>>
>> BTW, it is 24000/F uV/m at 30 meters from 490 to 1705 kHz., which is more
>> like 100 feet, not 1000 feet (15.209).
>>
>>
>> Jim
>>
>>
>>
>> "Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote in message
>> news:7bf3f$4342faef$97d558d8$24062@ALLTEL.NET...
>>
>>> Richard the value changes per band and is stated in part 15. For example
>>> in
>>> the broadcast band the formula is 24000 /F for microvolts at 1000 feet.
>>
>>
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5007. Re: Emergency Messaging And AM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 17:37:30 UTC
From: w <"trollfuckingcentral(tm)"@trollcentral.org>
Message-ID: <8y0ywi903bdi.1dl3fjjk39y9m.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12880
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 18:38:14 -0400, AB8MQ wrote:

> Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
> wrote:
>> On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 14:46:33 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:
>>
>>> Seems it would hardly serve Ari's search for pork,
>>
>> Hey, I'm Jewish, sort of.
>>
> Shutup kike.
> _____________________________________
> Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
> More than 140,000 groups
> Unlimited download
> http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

Aw, a racist anonymous troll, who da thunk it.

FYI, I'm part Jewish, part kike, troll.

5008. Re: replacing internal lithium battery in htx-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 22:03:54 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <di1ig1chk1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12881

"larry" <larya@rogers.com> wrote in message
news:GPmdnVMCXsJwad7eRVn-gQ@rogers.com...
>
> Does anyone know how I can safely remove the battery... I tried to measure
> it's voltage but the battery appears to be covered in some kind of
> plastic... anyway I get a zero voltage...
>
> And does anyone know the part number, of the battery, so I can get another
> one..
>
> Also, is there another source, other than radio shack, in case they no
> longer sell those batteries.....
>

http://www.qsl.net/wb3gck/htx-202_err1.htm

5009. ForSale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 22:38:04 UTC
From: Mike <mboyce@kc.rr.com>
Message-ID: <gBY0f.105690$3S5.65527@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12882

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Heathkit SB-101 Xcvr ---------------$100
Heathkit HW--2036A 2 Mtr Xcvr----$100
Hallicrafters SX-101A Rcvr-----------$100
Hallicrafters SX-25 Rcvr-------------$50
All prices negotiable, Will not ship.
Contact k0coy@amsat.org
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5010. Re: replacing internal lithium battery in htx-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 22:46:01 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndk8llb.ivs.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 12883

In article <43440aba.3733332@chupacabra>, Justï¿½n Kï¿½se wrote:
> I believe Icom made those for Radio Shack.

That's an "urban legend". They were made by Maxon. They used the same
batteries as the early ICOM HT's, but that's where the similarites
end.

>
> When I had to replace an internal Li battery with soldered connections
> in an Alinco awhile back, I went to a place called Batteries Plus and
> they electro-welded the leads on a button cell for me.
> http://www.batteriesplus.com/
> I don't know if there are any outlets in Ontario Canada however.

It's a standard 3v lithium button cell. You can replace it with any similar
one, there is plenty of room. The battery needs to be insulated. I just
used a regular one, soldered wires to it (tricky because if you heat
it to much it leaks) covered it with electrical tape and soldered new
wires onto the old ones where I cut them off the battery.

73,

Geoff.

--
Geoffrey S. Mendelson, Jerusalem, Israel gsm@mendelson.com N3OWJ/4X1GM
IL Voice: (077)-424-1667 IL Fax: 972-2-648-1443 U.S. Voice: 1-215-821-1838
Support the growing boycott of Google by radio users and hobbyists.
It's starting to work, Yahoo has surpassed Google.

5011. Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 22:51:50 UTC
From: Jim - NN7K <nn7kexk7zfg@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <aOY0f.1725$xD7.744@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 12884
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

If ANY such is to be performed, for railroad equipment, it must be well thought out, and, further, must face multiple Federal Agencies, and at least one private one (A.A.R., The American Association of Railroads) The additional federal agencies are: Federal Railroad Administration, O.S.H.A., and others-- One must also be aware of the facts that MANY frequencies would have to be involved, because of safety concerns (much like airlines), against interference. (No, it is NOT just about Train to train/work crew, and Dispatcher communications that is involved. Other equipment that railroads use are: 1) Track Carriers, for Crossing grade signals, dragging equipment, high-wide load, hot box detectors, Broken Rail detection, not to mention some telephony communications, 2) Remote controlled helper engines (unmanned engines on the end of trains to push-assist, and brake), 3) "FREDS" ("Friggin Rear End Devices"), some of which provide telemetry to the engineer of brake pressure, status of tail light, ect.- the new generation is conversant -2 way, also capable of dumping the brake pressure (emergency brake application, via remote control) and, other options (control of Railroad Central Traffic Control, or CTC. Also, on ALL track circuits, in signaled territory, the use of Insulated Joints is mandated, by the Federal Railroad Administration and can cause derailments, and other problems if NOT adheared to!and, 4) G.P.S. equipment
As to the Engines, tho, they have considerable power, they supply unorthodox voltages (a typical engine uses 600 volt, circuits, and the electronics used on them is in the 68-72 volt range- further, the newer engines are A.C. , the older diesels were D.C.
In sum total, then, this isn't a job for sidewalk superintendents! ONE item the railroads is STILL looking for is a concensus, for a Run-Away vehicle (by their work crews), that would alert a track gang of that runaway comming at them, causing considerable injury! They are STILL looking for such a foolproof device! Translation: DON'T hold your breath, or you will get awful blue!! Jim NN7K
Retired Communication Tech, Southern Pacific, and Union Pacific for over 30 years!!

Ari Silversteinn wrote:
>
>>>Indeed it is both. Considering we gave away a central DB technology to
>>>DHS-NOLA, then they failed to use it, we are hoping to make money this
>>>time
>>>around *and* that they will get their acts together.
>
>

> On Wed, 5 Oct 2005 08:26:12 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:
>
>
>>I'm really not criticizing you, per se, but I don't think the concept is
>>well thought out.
>
>
> By it's very nature, it cannot be, it is a dynamically moving target and
> will be for some time I would imagine.
>

5012. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 22:59:01 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <5VY0f.16263$iM2.1337218@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12885
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks Jim, but I wouldn't bet on the facts getting in the way of this 'project'.

Cheers.

Ken

"Jim - NN7K" <nn7kexk7zfg@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net> wrote in message news:aOY0f.1725$xD7.744@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net...
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> (much like airlines), against interference. (No, it is NOT just about
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>>>well thought out.
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>> will be for some time I would imagine.
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5013. Re: FS: ICOM 746PRO W/ MATCHING PS-125 POWER SUPPLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-05 23:59:36 UTC
From: heilr <heilr.1wgnew@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <heilr.1wgnew@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 12887

Is this radio still available?
Dean Wrote:
> I have for sale an as new Icom IC-746Pro with the matching Icom PS-125
> power
> supply. I am the original non smoking owner of this equipment. This
> radio
> has only been used a few hours after getting it and then put back in
> the box
> where it has remained ever since. I would also consider trading for a
> Drake
> R8B receiver with VHF converter in equal condition. I am asking
> $1,150
> shipped CONUS.
>
> 73's
> Dean

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heilr

5014. Re: ForSale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 03:07:44 UTC
From: Mike <mboyce@kc.rr.com>
Message-ID: <4y01f.91881$32.60734@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12886

Sorry guys, I'm in Kansas City, Ks.

5015. FS Kenwood TS-430s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 09:02:00 UTC
From: gil <gi1pi@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1128589196.893080.158280@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12888

In good cosmetic (about an 8) condition, radio works excellent and it
has the following options, narrow SSB 1.8khz filter, narrow CW 500hz
filter and FM module, no AM filter. Also comes with Kenwood hand mic,
original manual, original service manual and power cord.
Asking $375.

If interested, please feel free to ask any questions regarding the rig.

Email me direct at....gpita at patmedia dot net.

I am also good in QRZ.com

Thanks...Gil n2wjw

5016. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 10:03:54 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <6ns9k1toqt9si4vfsbllpl6p3t5v90inbi@4ax.com>
Source record: 12889
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Wed, 05 Oct 2005 22:51:50 GMT, Jim - NN7K
<nn7kexk7zfg@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net> wrote:

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Jim,

I don't recognize the name, but did you ever work out of the
SF GOB? I spent 30 years there myself.

FWIW, I also hear from Brijet occasionally. You probably know
her (wherever you worked) as she was in charge of CDC for some years.
I spent a decent amount of time down there troubleshooting problems on
the remote lines to the zone offices.

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5017. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 15:18:06 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <j3v93h25hoi2$.1wf1m24uxguw6.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12890
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Thanks, solid points. We have identified the FCC assigned to RR frequencies
and they are outside of the AM/FM bandwidth.

> As to the Engines, tho, they have considerable power, they supply
> unorthodox voltages (a typical engine uses 600 volt, circuits, and the
> electronics used on them is in the 68-72 volt range- further, the newer
> engines are A.C. , the older diesels were D.C.

All this is convertible though, correct?

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Nope, sure isn't.

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What's the issue, this appears not to be a huge deal?

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Thanks, Jim, not holding any breaths. This isn't an in-house project, it's a coordinated effort that has all the complications and need for input as you have pointed out. We are asked to be Tech Central of sorts.

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Drop the alphabet for email

5018. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 15:21:39 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1l053cdkmzptz$.v3sj8zl2t047$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12891
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 6 Oct 2005 11:59:01 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:

> Thanks Jim, but I wouldn't bet on the facts getting in the way of this
> 'project'.
>
> Cheers.
>
> Ken

Why do you say that?

Here's a "heads up" for you, Ken. There are over ten FedGov agencies, several legal teams and the rail lines that are working with diligence on this, and similar, projects with the full intent of attempting to pull this off.

While you sit on the sidelines and nay-say.

If I had a dime for cheap comments like yours, I could fund this project out of petty cash. So goes the nature of those who do and those who comment about the doers.
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Drop the alphabet for email

5019. Thanks To All !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 16:32:02 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1qoi4bqxdfllr$.ql6vpbdh84nn.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12892
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

For your thoughts and comments, very much appreciated.
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Drop the alphabet for email

5020. Re: Anyone ever experienced the Heil PR-20?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 17:25:22 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <afnak1d99p4hgi3jsaqko1td2808oqcrn1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12893
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 20:52:48 -0500, Buther Boy <me@privacy.net> wrote:

>Looking at this mic. Am hoping to get some feedback here. Thanks for
>any info. you may have!
>
>Buther Boy

Can't believe no one knows this mic

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Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
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5021. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 17:51:49 UTC
From: Jim - NN7K <nn7kexk7zfg@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Vud1f.11473$6e1.10922@newssvr14.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12894
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> her (wherever you worked) as she was in charge of CDC for some years.
> I spent a decent amount of time down there troubleshooting problems on
> the remote lines to the zone offices.
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Never down in Oakland/the CITY, worked in K.Falls for years,
started in Eugene, in '68. Finally moved here to Sparks, about
12 years ago. Yeh, remember Brigit- bet she doing better than
most - had Dave Stubbles in Roseville, until they laid him off
about 7 years ago then he went to makeing big $$$!!-- and the
two Mikes-- Rosemond - he back in Eugene, and Barnecascle- he
in Elko, NV- got a year until retirement! Guess Bob Hall
still retired in K.Falls, and Jim Haas also there (he took my
job when came to Sparks). All retired (except for the two mikes).
Think you Kaiser D ?? have fun-- Jim (A.J. Foster) NN7K

5022. Re: Anyone ever experienced the Heil PR-20?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 17:58:08 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <JAd1f.531$i%.509@fed1read07>
Source record: 12895
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

Have you seen the review at eHam - only one so far but lots of reviews of
Heil Products there

http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/4459

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Buther Boy" <me@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:afnak1d99p4hgi3jsaqko1td2808oqcrn1@4ax.com...
> On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 20:52:48 -0500, Buther Boy <me@privacy.net> wrote:
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> Can't believe no one knows this mic
>
> --
> Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
> http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
> ~

5023. Re: Anyone ever experienced the Heil PR-20?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 18:31:04 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <j9rak1hte17lnp76piqmosi7ulpnk8kf9h@4ax.com>
Source record: 12897
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx

On Thu, 06 Oct 2005 12:25:22 -0500, Buther Boy <me@privacy.net> wrote:

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>>Buther Boy
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Thanks guys - I usually check out eham, but for some reason I think I
missed them this time!...heading over there now.

73's

Buther Boy

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Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
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5024. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 18:31:17 UTC
From: Jim - NN7K <nn7kexk7zfg@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <V3e1f.1293$dB4.651@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12896
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ari- The power of a locomotive can be converted but, there are
certain problems, like going downhill, not only are brakes applied
to the cars, but the diesels go into "Dynamic Breaking", a complicated
way to say "Let the driver wheels run the motor (as a generator), and
them dump their output to banks of RESISTORS!! Provides great breaking,
but lousey voltage regulation! The radios on these units are powered
by (as stated,) 72 Volts, tho the radios also work on 12 volts (which
was the standard in Cabooses). The main point tho, remains that there
are considerable electronics (the new G.E. A.C.engines , from what
I have been told, are computer operated)! and that anything that
interfers with other items causes considerable greif to the operation
of a railroad- even turning a relay upside down can cause a derailment!

>>They are STILL looking for such a foolproof device!
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> What's the issue, this appears not to be a huge deal?

Well, Ari-- the big deal is (Primarily in mountainous country- even
a grade of .5 degree, is considered quite steep). Now, suppose a
Maintainence of Way employees (push car, Motor Car, Hi-Railer (a
pickup equipped for rail travel) accidentally get loose- these can
be doing considerable speed- several MILES later-- worse, these
dont trip the signals, and further, the work crews have the track
from the dispatcher, so these can sneak up on workers with fatal
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when the powers that be were testing one of the old style of
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wanted to be anywhere near that track-- would you ??
I know it looks simple, and most times it is, but it doesn't take
much for things to get out of control! Have fun -- Jim

5025. licensed spectrurm vs. unlicensed spectrum

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 19:16:28 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <kstak1tcov948p8o1j7llgslvrvdqdpos5@4ax.com>
Source record: 12798

Please don't flame me, but as hams, are we doing this already - but on licensed spectrum?

http://www.nytimes.com/2005/10/05/technology/techspecial/05belson.html

This is very interesting...

Buther Boy

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5026. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 22:11:13 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1h0smbcc5z028.ov1n4xolnwcn$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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> are considerable electronics (the new G.E. A.C.engines , from what
> I have been told, are computer operated)!

Just saw one, yep, looks exactly that way.

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> interfers with other items causes considerable greif to the operation
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Ah, I see what you mean, thanks again for the heads up. Are you then
suggesting that we create our own, clean power removed from the loco elec
grid?
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Drop the alphabet for email

5027. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 22:17:10 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <oxshvrvfkj5j$.1fs68t3zz2f4f.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 06 Oct 2005 18:31:17 GMT, Jim - NN7K wrote:

>>>They are STILL looking for such a foolproof device for run away train notification!
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>> What's the issue, this appears not to be a huge deal?
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> Well, Ari-- the big deal is (Primarily in mountainous country- even
> a grade of .5 degree, is considered quite steep). Now, suppose a
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> wanted to be anywhere near that track-- would you ??

Not a chance.

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> much for things to get out of control! Have fun -- Jim

I meant it seemed not to be, on first look, a difficult technology to
implement. For example, why not a sped sensitive device that set off an
alarm (vocal, radio, other) that could be preset "on" in situations where
these runaways are not manned?

I don't mean to downplay the potential complications but, technically,
getting an appropriate alarm system on a runaway doesn't sound like high
end technology.
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Drop the alphabet for email

5028. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-06 23:06:03 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <idbbk19inmlhdihsti5j7mm5duef2q678g@4ax.com>
Source record: 12801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Thu, 06 Oct 2005 17:51:49 GMT, Jim - NN7K
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>>>Retired Communication Tech, Southern Pacific, and Union Pacific
>>>for over 30 years!!
>>
>>
>> Jim,
>>
>> I don't recognize the name, but did you ever work out of the
>> SF GOB? I spent 30 years there myself.
>>
>> FWIW, I also hear from Brijet occasionally. You probably know
>> her (wherever you worked) as she was in charge of CDC for some years.
>> I spent a decent amount of time down there troubleshooting problems on
>> the remote lines to the zone offices.
>>
>Never down in Oakland/the CITY, worked in K.Falls for years,
>started in Eugene, in '68. Finally moved here to Sparks, about
>12 years ago. Yeh, remember Brigit- bet she doing better than
>most - had Dave Stubbles in Roseville, until they laid him off
>about 7 years ago then he went to makeing big $$$!!-- and the
>two Mikes-- Rosemond - he back in Eugene, and Barnecascle- he
>in Elko, NV- got a year until retirement! Guess Bob Hall
>still retired in K.Falls, and Jim Haas also there (he took my
>job when came to Sparks). All retired (except for the two mikes).
>Think you Kaiser D ?? have fun-- Jim (A.J. Foster) NN7K

Oops, sorry, I meant to take this personal stuff offline.

5029. WTB - Set of Chassis Punches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 02:21:40 UTC
From: Colin Gunn <cgunn@telus.net>
Message-ID: <UYk1f.1902$S4.1797@edtnps84>
Source record: 12802
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Looking for a good set of Chassis Punches for home-brew projects. Something like the older GreenLee type of punch and die set. 0.5" to 1.5" or in between.

Colin, VE7TNT in Victoria, B.C.

5030. Wanted: 40m ARC-5 transmitter parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 12:37:22 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <6_t1f.1$fH.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12803
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi all,

I'm looking for parts to repair a T-22/ARC-5 transmitter that was damaged in shipment. This was a pristine, unused original transmitter that's worth repairing. Here's what I'm looking for:

* I need the roller coil, but only the coil itself, not all of the brackets and the roller contact. This coil is part number 6035, and must come from a 7.0 - 9.1 MHz transmitter (T-22/ARC-5, BC-459, etc).

* I need a top cover with the black wrinkle finish, which can come from any ARC-5 transmitter. It would be nice to have one from another T-22 so that the nameplate on the top would match, but that's not a necessity. I'd like to have the mirror in place over the 1629 tube, but that's also not a necessity.

* I need a front panel that's in excellent condition. I know, they're riveted to the chassis in several places. The rivets can be drilled out and replaced with either new rivets or black anodized #4-40 hardware.

* Calibration crystal somewhere in the 40m ham band. The one that came in my unit is up in the mid 8 MHz range.

I would prefer to buy just the parts I need, but if I have to, I'll buy a complete or incomplete rig if the price is cheap enuff. If you're looking to get rich by selling me ARC-5 parts, don't waste either of our time. I won't pay "eBay price" for this stuff. Someone must have what I'm looking for just taking up space in their basement...

Whatcha got?

73,
Dean K5DH

5031. FA: MFJ-962C 1500 WATT ANTENNA TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 13:12:41 UTC
From: Neil Tesher <neiltt@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ivu1f.1505$Hm3.433@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12804

MFJ-962C 1.5 KILOWATT ANTENNA TUNER

TOP OF THE LINE MFJ-962C 1500 WATT VERSA TUNER III ANTENNA TUNER -
HANDLES LONG WIRE, MULTIPLE COAX INPUTS AND BALANCED ANTENNA FEED -
INCLUDES BALUN FOR BALANCED FEED MATCHING - LARGE SMOOTH TUNING ANTENNA
AND TRANSMITTER CAPACITORS - INCLUDES LIGHTED DUAL RANGE CROSS NEEDLE
POWER AND SWR METER

Neil WW2NT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5815878300&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

5032. Re: WTB - Set of Chassis Punches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 16:39:19 UTC
From: KC4IH <nospam@no_server.com>
Message-ID: <xYGdnb0m5pQ2OdveRVn-sQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 12805
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,alt.ham-radio.ssb,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Check out Ebay and search for Greenlee. Be sure to get the radio chassis version, not the conduit which don't come in standard hole sizes. I just bought a bought an inch size for relay sockets.
73,
KC4IH

"Colin Gunn" <cgunn@telus.net> wrote in message news:UYk1f.1902$S4.1797@edtnps84...
> Looking for a good set of Chassis Punches for home-brew projects.
> Something
> like the older GreenLee type of punch and die set. 0.5" to 1.5" or in
> between.
>
> Colin, VE7TNT in Victoria, B.C.
>
>

5033. Re: Help asked for ICOM IC706-MKII LSB adjustment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 16:51:03 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0710051251030001@ac9ee987.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12806

In article <l1B_e.8287$cg.1150@news02.roc.ny>, billjNOTTHIS@ieee.org wrote:

> Is there a way to correct the frequency from those menu items. I would like
> to have a more accurate frequency on my VHF frequencies.
>
> Or, is there an explanation for setting the frequency internally. so the
> dial
> would read correctly.

Bill-

As Dick mentioned, you can align the master oscillator using a counter.

If you don't have a counter with the required accuracy, here are a couple other approaches that will work in a pinch. However, you should keep in mind that the oscillator's drift characteristics are not that great unless you have the TCXO option.

If you were to tune in WWV while they are transmitting a tone, you can change between AM, USB and LSB. When the oscillator is on frequency, the tone will not change among those settings.

You can also set up pairs of channels with opposite sidebands for one KHz above and below WWV. For example, one channel might be set for 19.999000 MHz USB and the other to 20.001000 MHz LSB. When you switch between channels, the one KHz beat-note tones should be the same when the master oscillator is on frequency.

Use the highest frequency WWV you can receive. If you can set your frequency within one Hz at 5 MHz, the error would be two Hz at 10 MHz, three Hz at 15 MHz, 4 Hz at 20 MHz, et cetera.

These methods may not work if you don't have enough of a "musical ear" to tell when the audio tones are not the same!

73, Fred, K4DII

5034. WTB: Programming cable for Yaesu FTH-2070

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 16:52:21 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <9Jx1f.1398$3w.768@trnddc07>
Source record: 12807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Anyone have a programming cable [ribless] for an FTH2070 for a fair price?
Pse email.
thanks,
rb

5035. Re: Ameritron AL-811 ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 17:19:12 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0710051319120001@ac9ee987.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <1128480401.762037.56670@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
radio-operator@telus.net wrote:
> I have connected the Relay and ALC connections to my rig and the
> amplifer works great except for the ALC protection. I have confirmed
> for 100% certain the radio is connected correctly.
>
> When attempting to adjust the ALC limit on the rear of the amplifier as
> suggested in the manual I am not noticing any effect on the rig. I
> have driven the amplifier up to to 85W, and still do not notice and
> reduction of power on the radio as indicated in the manual.

Lloyd-

You would do well to contact Ameritron.

You say you have driven the amplifier up to 85W. Obviously that should be
85 watts drive to the amplifier's input.

Have you measured the ALC voltage? You should easily be able to figure
out the control's min and max, and see if the voltage increases as you
increase drive to the amplifier.

If the voltage increases and is adjustable to the maximum voltage for your
transceiver, the transceiver's output should reach a limit that can be
adjusted with the ALC control. If the transceiver doesn't react to ALC
voltage, then it has a problem, not the amplifier.

How is your transceiver set to drive the amplifier? Using CW? I would
expect that to work, but some transceivers may depend on your setting of a
power level control rather than using ALC. Injecting a tone into the
microphone circuit (or whistling?) on SSB, may be necessary for ALC power
limiting to occur.

73, Fred, K4DII

5036. Re: replacing internal lithium battery in htx-202

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 17:33:51 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0710051333510001@ac9ee987.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12809

In article <GPmdnVMCXsJwad7eRVn-gQ@rogers.com>, "larry" <larya@rogers.com>
wrote:

> Greetings
>
> Recently I aquired a used htx-202.. when turning it on, I got an error
> message...the previous user told me that that indicated that the internal
> battery needed replacing...

Larry-

It only took a few minutes at Radioshack.com to find a user manual and a
parts list. Parts list is at
http://support.radioshack.com/support_electronics/doc30/30374.htm

73, Fred, K4DII

5037. Re: Wanted: 40m ARC-5 transmitter parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 17:56:18 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <6Fy1f.8183$oc.1075@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12810
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Good God, Dean!
Did they run over it with a fork lift???

-=H=- wrote:

> Hi all,
>
> I'm looking for parts to repair a T-22/ARC-5 transmitter
> that was damaged in shipment. This was a pristine, unused
> original transmitter that's worth repairing. Here's what
> I'm looking for:
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> * I need the roller coil, but only the coil itself, not
> all of the brackets and the roller contact. This coil
> is part number 6035, and must come from a 7.0 - 9.1
> MHz transmitter (T-22/ARC-5, BC-459, etc).
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> * I need a top cover with the black wrinkle finish, which
> can come from any ARC-5 transmitter. It would be nice
> to have one from another T-22 so that the nameplate on
> the top would match, but that's not a necessity. I'd
> like to have the mirror in place over the 1629 tube,
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> know, they're riveted to the chassis in several places.
> The rivets can be drilled out and replaced with either
> new rivets or black anodized #4-40 hardware.
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> one that came in my unit is up in the mid 8 MHz range.
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> to, I'll buy a complete or incomplete rig if the price is
> cheap enuff. If you're looking to get rich by selling me
> ARC-5 parts, don't waste either of our time. I won't pay
> "eBay price" for this stuff. Someone must have what I'm
> looking for just taking up space in their basement...
>
> Whatcha got?
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

5038. Alinco DR-235T/TG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 19:20:09 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <7fidk1tb1bgguphvpjr4r536bvoh088lkr@4ax.com>
Source record: 12811

Hi, am looking at the Alinco DR-235T/TG, 220 mhz mobile. Anyone have
this or heard audio reports from it?

Thanks in advance.

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Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
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5039. Re: Wanted: 40m ARC-5 transmitter parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 21:07:55 UTC
From: whru@msn.com
Message-ID: <1128719275.097097.322160@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12812
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi
how much are you willing to pay for a 6035 coil?
73
Fred

5040. Re: Alinco DR-235T/TG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 22:13:21 UTC
From: Andy Blackburn <andyblackburn3@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <qlednZg3qt3jb9venZ2dnUVZ_s-dnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 12813

I have owned one for a couple of years and it works great...especially on the road. The one catch is that I seldom get to talk to anyone on it at home since we have little activity in Southeast Georgia.

Andy Blackburn, WD4AFY

"Buther Boy" <me@privacy.net> wrote in message news:7fidk1tb1bgguphvpjr4r536bvoh088lkr@4ax.com...
> Hi, am looking at the Alinco DR-235T/TG, 220 mhz mobile. Anyone have
> this or heard audio reports from it?
>
> Thanks in advance.
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> ~

5041. Re: Alinco DR-235T/TG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 22:27:16 UTC
From: Andy Blackburn <andyblackburn3@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <4LGdnRlRRvpcaNveRVn-2A@comcast.com>
Source record: 12814

Oh Yes!!!!! The audio is great!!! It is a good radio for the money.

Andy

"Buther Boy" <me@privacy.net> wrote in message
news:7fidk1tb1bgguphvpjr4r536bvoh088lkr@4ax.com...
> Hi, am looking at the Alinco DR-235T/TG, 220 mhz mobile. Anyone have
> this or heard audio reports from it?
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> Thanks in advance.
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5042. Re: Alinco DR-235T/TG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-07 23:15:10 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <ta0ek15vsfmirtri5e4h804j7msqtld339@4ax.com>
Source record: 12815

Thanks, Andy, for your information.

73's.

Buther Boy

On Fri, 7 Oct 2005 18:27:16 -0400, "Andy Blackburn"
<andyblackburn3@comcast.net> wrote:

>Oh Yes!!!!! The audio is great!!! It is a good radio for the money.
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>> Thanks in advance.
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5043. Re: Programming cable for Yaesu FTH-2070

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 00:49:30 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <uIE1f.1352$wm3.690@trnddc01>
Source record: 12816
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Quite quickly got that problem solved! Thanks!
rb

"Woody" <woody.shadetree@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:9Jx1f.1398$3w.768@trnddc07...
> Anyone have a programming cable [ribless] for an FTH2070 for a fair price?
> Pse email.
> thanks,
> rb
>
>

5044. www.liveboard.8my.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 10:47:41 UTC
From: thegreat_lover2003@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1128768461.258822.93400@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12817

Hello Friend

You are invited to join www.liveboard.8my.com

There you can discuss / port on various topics like Poems, Love,
Romance, Flirting, Quotes, Shayris Movies, Music Personal Problem
Discussions,, Computers & Internet (Hacking at security end),
Animations, Business Employment and lots more.

Register at www.liveboard.8my.com which is absolutely free.

See you there

Note: This is not SPAM

5045. FA: Many items>Viet-Nam Radio, Comstat 25A, H/T, Tubes>TooMuch to list!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 14:16:24 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <%wQ1f.1732$Hm3.245@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12819
Cross-posted to: rec.collecting.military.vehicles,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave, rec.radio.swap,us.military.army

TWO(2) RCA RADIOTRON 6146B RF OUTPUT TUBES Test GOOD:) $9.99
http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-RCA-RADIOTRON-6146B-RF-OUTPUT-TUBES-Test-GOOD_W0QQitemZ5814374788QQcategoryZ48710QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

TWO(2) AMPEREX 872AX RECTIFIER TUBES Still useful:-) $9.99
http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-AMPEREX-872AX-RECTIFIER-TUBES-Still-useful_W0QQitemZ75505631 98QQcategoryZ58174QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

TWO(2) "MAGIC EYE" 6U5 & 6G5 tubes by RCA & ZENITH Neat $9.9
http://cgi.ebay.com/TWO-2-MAGIC-EYE-6U5-6G5-tubes-by-RCA-ZENITH-Neat_W0QQitemZ5814374823QQcategoryZ50598QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

SIX(6) VINTAGE PANEL METERS by DeJUR, WE, WESTON, ETC:) $11.50
http://cgi.ebay.com/SIX-6-VINTAGE-PANEL-METERS-by-DeJUR-WE-WESTON-ETC_W0QQitemZ7550563226QQcategoryZ73145QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

RARE HALLICRAFTERS HT-2A "VILLAGE RADIO" VIET-NAM, NEW! $191.86
http://cgi.ebay.com/RARE-HALLICRAFTERS-HT-2A-VILLAGE-RADIO-VIET-NAM-NEW_W0QQitemZ5814374846QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

ORIGINAL LAFAYETTE COMSTAT-25A TUBE 23 CHANNEL CB RADIO
http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-LAFAYETTE-COMSTAT-25A-TUBE-23-CHANNEL-CB-RADIO_W0QQitemZ5814374857QQcategoryZ1501QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

ORIGINAL HEATHKIT IM-13 TUBE TYPE VTVM Attn all Techs:) $9.99
http://cgi.ebay.com/ORIGINAL-HEATHKIT-IM-13-TUBE-TYPE-VTVM-Attn-all-Techs_W0QQitemZ5814374990QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

NOS USA MIL-SPEC TEST LEAD PROBE SET BIG $100 VALUE NR $17.50
http://cgi.ebay.com/NOS-USA-MIL-SPEC-TEST-LEAD-PROBE-SET-BIG-100-VALUE-NR_W0QQitemZ7550563269QQcategoryZ50971QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

KENWOOD TH-215A HANDY-TALKIE 2-METERS w/MFJ SPKR MIKE $34.99
http://cgi.ebay.com/KENWOOD-TH-215A-HANDY-TALKIE-2-METERS-w-MFJ-SPKR-MIKE_W0QQitemZ5814375106QQcategoryZ40067QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

40 feet ASSORTMENT of TINNED COPPER TUBULAR/FLAT BRAID $10.49
http://cgi.ebay.com/40-feet-ASSORTMENT-of-TINNED-COPPER-TUBULAR-FLAT-BRAID_W0QQitemZ5814375168QQcategoryZ296QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

32 NOS VARIOUS HI-QUALITY ELECTRONIC RACK PANEL HANDLES $10.49
http://cgi.ebay.com/32-NOS-VARIOUS-HI-QUALITY-ELECTRONIC-RACK-PANEL-HANDLES_W0QQitemZ7550563301QQcategoryZ73167QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

5046. Re: Alinco DR-235T/TG

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 14:19:48 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <aAQ1f.12664$Ge5.6791@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12820

Buther Boy wrote:

>Hi, am looking at the Alinco DR-235T/TG, 220 mhz mobile. Anyone have
>this or heard audio reports from it?
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>Thanks in advance.
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>Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
>http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
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>
I had one of those. for the money it is a great radio!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
At the time I got it the kenwood equivalent was almost TWICE the money!!!!

73

5047. Ameritron ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 14:24:19 UTC
From: "Dick, AA5VU" <aa5vuNOSPAM@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <aa5vuNOSPAM-2A87F5.08581008102005@newsclstr02.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12818
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

> > When attempting to adjust the ALC limit on the rear of the amplifier as
> > suggested in the manual I am not noticing any effect on the rig. I
> > have driven the amplifier up to to 85W, and still do not notice and
> > reduction of power on the radio as indicated in the manual.

I have an external power meter between my rig and the Ameritron Amplifer
and have noticed the power output of the rig is less with the amp on.
If I follow the normal tune up procedure using about five watts of drive
then increase in increments, I can get the max output at about 45 to 50
watts. I cannot get the rig output more than 55 to 60 watts with the
amp ON. Is this normal?

Dick AA5VU

5048. Re: Ameritron ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 16:53:13 UTC
From: Amos Keag <A.K01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <jc2dnTBZANV5ZNreRVn-ig@comcast.com>
Source record: 12821
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Dick, AA5VU wrote:
>>>When attempting to adjust the ALC limit on the rear of the amplifier as
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> watts. I cannot get the rig output more than 55 to 60 watts with the
> amp ON. Is this normal?
>
> Dick AA5VU

Either your ALC is working or the VSWR is too high! If VSWR is too high
someone may have 'fiddled' with the input tuning to the amplifier.

5049. Re: Ameritron ALC Question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 18:42:21 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11kg4om1denq6e9@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 12822
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Try it on several bands. It may be the ALC is set a tad too high and it is limiting the transceivers output just as it should. In which case readjust the ALC. It may also be bad tuned input tanks and/or a bad tube(s).

My AL-80B had high vswr on 15/17M tuned input b ut the problem was a soft 3-500Z. Fortunately it was covered under warranty. I made a night light out of the old tube. See here...

1. http://deepsouthnet.net/images/3-500Z-NiteLite.jpg

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Charlie-AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

"Dick, AA5VU" <aa5vuNOSPAM@arrl.net> wrote in message
news:aa5vuNOSPAM-2A87F5.08581008102005@newsclstr02.news.prodigy.com...
>
>> > When attempting to adjust the ALC limit on the rear of the amplifier as
>> > suggested in the manual I am not noticing any effect on the rig. I
>> > have driven the amplifier up to to 85W, and still do not notice and
>> > reduction of power on the radio as indicated in the manual.
>
> I have an external power meter between my rig and the Ameritron Amplifer
> and have noticed the power output of the rig is less with the amp on.
> If I follow the normal tune up procedure using about five watts of drive
> then increase in increments, I can get the max output at about 45 to 50
> watts. I cannot get the rig output more than 55 to 60 watts with the
> amp ON. Is this normal?
>
> Dick AA5VU

5050. FS: ADMS-2H Software & Cables

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-08 20:37:52 UTC
From: "Richard W. Solomon, W1KSZ" <w1ksz@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <bfbgk15fj33ojb8dedvo7ur44tvv551vlj@4ax.com>
Source record: 12823

I have the Software, Interface Cable and USB-Serial Port Adapter for
the Yaesu FT-60R for sale. $40 the lot, shipped CONUS.

Thanks, Dick, W1KSZ

5051. Yaesu Ham Radio FT-101B and FV-101B VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 01:19:17 UTC
From: rullery@Pioneer-Data.com
Message-ID: <1128820757.047776.226380@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12824

Yaesu Ham Radio FT-101B and FV-101B VFO

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5815582524

5052. 16 hours left Yaesu FT-1500 2 meter 50 watts packet ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 01:20:24 UTC
From: rullery@Pioneer-Data.com
Message-ID: <1128820824.720034.219980@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12825

Yaesu FT-1500 2 meter 50 watts packet ham radio

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5815177206

5053. Re: WTB - Set of Chassis Punches

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 01:22:10 UTC
From: Mike Silva <snarflemike@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1128820930.094817.229410@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12826
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Colin Gunn wrote:
> Looking for a good set of Chassis Punches for home-brew projects. Something
> like the older GreenLee type of punch and die set. 0.5" to 1.5" or in
> between.

Mouser has non-Greenlee punches much cheaper than the Greenlees. I've
got some and they're fine. There might be a difference in a heavy-use
setting, but probably not for typical homebrewing.

http://www.mouser.com/catalog/623/1539.pdf

73,
Mike, KK6GM

5054. 14 hours left HAL CWR-6850 TELEREADER CW RTTY TERMINAL

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 01:23:45 UTC
From: rullery@Pioneer-Data.com
Message-ID: <1128821025.765961.175900@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12827

HAL CWR-6850 TELEREADER CW RTTY TERMINAL

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5815159315

5055. Re: 16 hours left Yaesu FT-1500 2 meter 50 watts packet ham radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 02:54:49 UTC
From: Rick Scott <rickw7psk@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <-l2dndbxv4TrG9XeRVn-hg@comcast.com>
Source record: 12828

rullery@Pioneer-Data.com wrote:
> Yaesu FT-1500 2 meter 50 watts packet ham radio
>
>
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5815177206
>

Thought about getting this as a back up to my 1500, but the bidding has exceeded the price I paid New.

Good luck

5056. FS: MIRAGE B 5030 VHF AMP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 15:19:07 UTC
From: W9CAR <w9car@charter.net>
Message-ID: <Txa2f.9879$Ue7.7822@fe03.lga>
Source record: 12829

I BOUGHT THIS AMPLIFIER NEW 11 MONTHS AGO. HAS NEVER BEEN MOBILE. MAX 50
WATTS IN YIELDS 300 WATTS. SSB - FM - CW
ALSO HAS A REAL HOT PREAMP BUILT IN.
AMP IS IN PERFECT CONDITION.
$525.00 SHIPPED & INSURED.
w9car@charter.net

5057. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 20:07:51 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <TMe2f.16908$iM2.1386374@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12830
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1l053cdkmzptz$.v3sj8zl2t047$.dlg@40tude.net...
> On Thu, 6 Oct 2005 11:59:01 +1300, Ken Taylor wrote:
>
>> Thanks Jim, but I wouldn't bet on the facts getting in the way of this
>> 'project'.
>>
>> Cheers.
>>
>> Ken
>
> Why do you say that?
>
> Here's a "heads up" for you, Ken. There are over ten FedGov agencies,
> several legal teams and the rail lines that are working with diligence on
> this, and similar, projects with the full intent of attempting to pull
> this
> off.
>
> While you sit on the sidelines and nay-say.
>
> If I had a dime for cheap comments like yours, I could fund this project
> out of petty cash. So goes the nature of those who do and those who
> comment
> about the doers.
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

It may be a fine project which will produce the goods, but let's look at the way you've brought it here:
- you wanted help to get up a truck-mounted transmitted to over-ride all AM/FM communications in an area. You wanted to drive the truck at up to 70mph through a disaster/emergency area, for no adequately explained reason (the RF is going for a mile or two outside the area, so why drive the truck?). You got told why it's impractical as described.
- you suddenly changed it to a loco mounted project. You struck gold on this one as there are people here who clearly have industry experience. You're not poo-poo'ing their skepticism, but certainly not fazed (may not be a bad thing....). Why not pour the funds into controlling all these uncontrolled level crossings instead of producing a 'box' to go on every loco that may drive through the US?
- you are trying to get commercial advice in a Ham group - is this the right venue?? I'd have thought not, though it's certainly cheap.

- having ten agencies etc etc on your side may get the project through, but is it the right solution to whichever problem it's attacking?
- 'nay-sayers' are a pain-in-the-arse, agreed - no-one likes them! - but sometimes you need to hear the other side.

Cheers.

Ken

5058. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-09 20:52:26 UTC
From: LRod <duckecho@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <7n0jk1tsj1kbpoig32hu24pmoibecha4hb@4ax.com>
Source record: 12831
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 10 Oct 2005 09:07:51 +1300, "Ken Taylor" <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
wrote:

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>way you've brought it here:
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>AM/FM communications in an area. You wanted to drive the truck at up to
>70mph through a disaster/emergency area, for no adequately explained reason
>(the RF is going for a mile or two outside the area, so why drive the
>truck?). You got told why it's impractical as described.
>- you suddenly changed it to a loco mounted project. You struck gold on this
>one as there are people here who clearly have industry experience. You're
>not poo-poo'ing their skepticism, but certainly not fazed (may not be a bad
>thing....). Why not pour the funds into controlling all these uncontrolled
>level crossings instead of producing a 'box' to go on every loco that may
>drive through the US?

It struck me from the very beginning as a solution looking for a
problem.

--
LRod

Master Woodbutcher and seasoned termite

Shamelessly whoring my website since 1999

http://www.woodbutcher.net

Proud participant of rec.woodworking since February, 1997

5059. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 04:04:30 UTC
From: nm5k@wt.net
Message-ID: <1128917070.916999.240800@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12832
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It struck me from the very beginning as a solution looking for a
problem..

Hummmm...I haven't read any of this thread, and after seeing
the initial page, decided it wasn't worth my time..."Not related
to any certain post". I was just curious , as the thread title started
to remind me of a old "Jethro Tull" song... Resume...
MK

5060. Note: This is not SPAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 04:24:25 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Z1m2f.12042$Hs.9663@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12833

Bullshit...you could've fooled me. Beware of spam that has a special note
that says it is not!

<thegreat_lover2003@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1128768461.258822.93400@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Hello Friend
>
> You are invited to join www.liveboard.8my.com
>
> There you can discuss / port on various topics like Poems, Love,
> Romance, Flirting, Quotes, Shayris Movies, Music Personal Problem
> Discussions,, Computers & Internet (Hacking at security end),
> Animations, Business Employment and lots more.
>
> Register at www.liveboard.8my.com which is absolutely free.
>
> See you there
>
> Note: This is not SPAM
>

5061. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 06:10:28 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <oBn2f.31046$tD4.28961@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12834
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Is this guy done, now?

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1lihotn31d6fk.a79lqxn15md6$.dlg@40tude.net...
> DHS has proposed a change in scenario. They want an on locomotive alerting
> system that could be commandeered and driven at, near or about a disaster
> site. Everything else stays more or less the same, overbroadcasting on
> local AM/FM, power off the locomotive, selective or full frequency
> broadcasting, train (s) to be in motion at all times. 20-30 second
> messages
> that would also combine a message to be aware that a locomotive (at speed)
> will be flying by the at grade crossings.
>
> Comments?
> --
> Drop the alphabet for email

5062. Re: Rx YAESU FR 101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 10:02:33 UTC
From: "Wayne P. Muckleroy" <wmuckleroy2@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Z_q2f.31058$tD4.3348@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12835

You are wondering if there is someone inside the YAESU FR 101?

Did they build this thing with midgets inside?

"D.K." <bla.bla@bla.fr> wrote in message
news:4343f4b4$0$17242$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr...
> Hi,
> I'm just cleaning up an old lady, a Rx YAESU FR 101. I found it last
> month on eBay.de. Really a bargain ! Works marvellous ! It's worth
> spending
> some time to make it younger.
> The S meter is not illuminated . Before opening it in order to change the
> lamp, I'm wondering if there is any l inside.
> Is it a simple trick to calibrate the 100 kHz window ? The drum inside is
> about 60 kHz
> off-frequency, the system is like a clock-work (splendid !) and it MUST
> be something anywhere to calibrate and adjust it !
> Can anybody give me the infos ?
> Thanks in advance
>
> D. Kremp
> Normandy / France
>
>

5063. FA: LAFAYETTE DYNA-COM 40 , 98% MINT AND WORKING. A RARE RADIO.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 14:29:00 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HUu2f.13096$Ge5.7436@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12836

HI, I'm postng this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5817450537

Thanks for looking.

73

5064. FA: KENWOOD TM-261A, 2 METER FM MOBILE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 14:37:49 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Y0v2f.13109$Ge5.11530@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12837

HI, I'm postng this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5817617499

Thanks for looking.

73

5065. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 14:42:19 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <1lzzmg4kuzre6.rg64haffcgku$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12838
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 9 Oct 2005 21:04:30 -0700, nm5k@wt.net wrote:

> It struck me from the very beginning as a solution looking for a
> problem..
>
> Hummmm...I haven't read any of this thread, and after seeing
> the initial page, decided it wasn't worth my time..."Not related
> to any certain post". I was just curious , as the thread title started
> to remind me of a old "Jethro Tull" song... Resume...
> MK

"Locomotive Breath"

In the shuffling madness
Of the locomotive breath,
Runs the all-time loser,
Headlong to his death.
He feels the piston scraping --
Steam breaking on his brow --
Old Charlie stole the handle and
The train won't stop going --
No way to slow down.
He sees his children jumping off
At the stations -- one by one.
His woman and his best friend --
In bed and having fun.
He's crawling down the corridor
On his hands and knees --
Old Charlie stole the handle and
The train won't stop going --
No way to slow down.
He hears the silence howling --
Catches angels as they fall.
And the all-time winner
Has got him by the balls.
He picks up Gideon's Bible --
Open at page one --
God stole the handle and
The train won't stop going --
No way to slow down.

--
Drop the alphabet for email

5066. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 14:43:33 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <4nk9zi9ok6bm$.g865gdrr8vai$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12839
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 10 Oct 2005 06:10:28 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:

> Is this guy done, now?

We were until you reopened the thread, Wayne.

duh.
--
Drop the alphabet for email

5067. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 14:45:05 UTC
From: w <"trollfuckingcentral(tm)"@trollcentral.org>
Message-ID: <1rlo1e3qnf6hq$.o8jelz9eei76.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12840
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Sun, 09 Oct 2005 21:52:26 +0100, LRod wrote:

> It struck me from the very beginning as a solution looking for a
> problem.

The you failed to read the thread.

5068. FA: YAESU FT-480R FM / SSB MOBILE. needs work

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 14:47:20 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <T9v2f.13120$Ge5.1412@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12841

HI, I'm postng this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5817733223

Thanks for looking.

73

5069. FA : LAFAYETTE SWR / POWER METER, HF thru 150MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 14:55:20 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nhv2f.13132$Ge5.11146@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12842

HI, I'm postng this for a friend.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5817768036

Thanks for looking.

73

5070. FA: Motorola Repeater/ Base Telephone Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 15:00:01 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Ilv2f.1380$i%.1363@fed1read07>
Source record: 12843
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola Repeater / Base Telephone Interconnect

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550792781&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5071. Re: Note: This is not SPAM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 15:53:06 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <nobody@frontier.net>
Message-ID: <slrndkl3j2.1g7o.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 12844

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On Mon, 10 Oct 2005 04:24:25 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:
> Bullshit...you could've fooled me. Beware of spam that has a special note
> that says it is not!
>
><thegreat_lover2003@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> news:1128768461.258822.93400@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>> Hello Friend

<spam body cut>

And, killfiledolts that
* reply to spam
* quote the entire body of the spam
* top-post
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5072. Re: Rx YAESU FR 101

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 15:57:50 UTC
From: drwxr-xr-x <nobody@frontier.net>
Message-ID: <slrndkl3ru.1g7o.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 12845

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On Mon, 10 Oct 2005 10:02:33 GMT, Wayne P. Muckleroy wrote:
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> Did they build this thing with midgets inside?
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>> be something anywhere to calibrate and adjust it !
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>> D. Kremp
>> Normandy / France

Another top-posting jerk that believes it's good sport to make
fun of a non-english-speaking person's attempt to participate
in this world-wide hobby.
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5073. Wanted: Knight T-150A knobs and manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 16:04:34 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <miw2f.2$wT.1@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In an uncontrollable fit of nostalgia, I just bought a Knight T-150A transmitter off eBay. We had one at the club station when I was in college, and I liked it.

I need a set of Plate and Load knobs (the ones with the brushed aluminum centers). Let me know the condition and price, including the cheapest possible postage.

I also need the manual and schematic. I know there are many dealers on the internet who sell manuals. So far, the cheapest one I've found is $20 plus postage. I'm hoping that one of my fellow hams will have one and be willing to copy or scan it for me. I share my manuals FOR FREE (including postage and copying costs!) when I have one that some fellow ham needs. They say, "What goes around, comes around." Let's see if that's true.

73,
Dean K5DH (contact info good on QRZ.com)

5074. Re: Wanted: Knight T-150A knobs and manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 16:26:00 UTC
From: Bill <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <d3a02$434a9619$4232bd28$16568@COQUI.NET>
Source record: 12847
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

-=H=- wrote:

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>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH (contact info good on QRZ.com)

BAMA has one for free.
http://bama.sbc.edu/knight.htm

-Bill

5075. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 17:27:28 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <g29lk1ha0jvqnjpju5dcgfj4ke1etqc4a7@4ax.com>
Source record: 12748
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 10 Oct 2005 10:45:05 -0400, w
<"trollfuckingcentral(tm)"@trollcentral.org> wrote:

>On Sun, 09 Oct 2005 21:52:26 +0100, LRod wrote:
>
>> It struck me from the very beginning as a solution looking for a
>> problem.
>
>The you failed to read the thread.
No, Ari, that was not a requisite to come to that understanding.

5076. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 17:31:39 UTC
From: LRod <duckecho@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <6b9lk1dcpk51ub52o7hkekarga4ikrhbh6@4ax.com>
Source record: 12750
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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I read every post.

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LRod

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http://www.woodbutcher.net

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5077. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 20:14:24 UTC
From: Ari Silversteinn <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz>
Message-ID: <cfuuuoh3i17s$.rcrtgw4eu5l9.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12751
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 10 Oct 2005 10:27:28 -0700, Richard Clark wrote:

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Uh, this wasn't Ari, check your headers.
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Drop the alphabet for email

5078. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 20:20:05 UTC
From: Richard Clark <kb7qhc@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <lvilk1pir017shmdi8mm2q6u240kt7h5k0@4ax.com>
Source record: 12752
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Mon, 10 Oct 2005 16:14:24 -0400, Ari Silversteinn
<abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote:

>Uh, this wasn't Ari, check your headers.
Uh, and neither are you (as if headers proved anything)

Hi Ossama,

Hard to validate yourself when you approach us an anonymous poster
(anyone can use anything as a signature). Problem there is I can pin
any name to you, and you couldn't prove it otherwise - can you? ;-)

still lookin' for ya'
Uncle Sam

5079. FA: Argo V w/TCXO LIKE NEW!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 21:06:59 UTC
From: "John L. Sielke" <w2agnNOSPAM@w2agn.net>
Message-ID: <s-GdnWsG-fppStfeRVn-gw@comcast.com>
Source record: 12753
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/Ten-Tec-Argonaut-V-516-w-TCXO-Extras_W0QQitemZ5818007267QQcategoryZ4674QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

Not a mark on it!

John W2AGN

5080. FA: Like New SGC 2020

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 21:08:56 UTC
From: W2AGN <w2agn@w2agn.net>
Message-ID: <s-GdnWoG-fr0RdfeRVn-gw@comcast.com>
Source record: 12754
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/SGC-SG-2020-Like-New-QRP-MARS-SSB-CW-Rig_W0QQitemZ5818011541QQcategoryZ4674QQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

Not a mark on it!

John W2AGN

5081. FA: Nice DTMF Long Housing SP50 UHF Band, 10-Ch, 4-Watt, Spkr-Mic, Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 21:25:10 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <N_A2f.1437$i%.814@fed1read07>
Source record: 12755
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Nice DTMF Long Housing SP50 UHF Band, 10-Ch, 4-Watt, Spkr-Mic, Charger

Ebay- #7550819713
or this link
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7550819713&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5082. Re: Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive* dont hold your breath!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 21:29:42 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <b3B2f.17107$iM2.1401018@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12756
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Ari Silversteinn" <abcarisilverstein@yahoo.comxyz> wrote in message
news:1lzzmg4kuzre6.rg64haffcgku$.dlg@40tude.net...
> On 9 Oct 2005 21:04:30 -0700, nm5k@wt.net wrote:
>
>> It struck me from the very beginning as a solution looking for a
>> problem..
>>
>> Hummmm...I haven't read any of this thread, and after seeing
>> the initial page, decided it wasn't worth my time..."Not related
>> to any certain post". I was just curious , as the thread title started
>> to remind me of a old "Jethro Tull" song... Resume...
>> MK
>
> "Locomotive Breath"
>
> In the shuffling madness
> Of the locomotive breath,
> Runs the all-time loser,
> Headlong to his death.
> He feels the piston scraping --
> Steam breaking on his brow --
> Old Charlie stole the handle and
> The train won't stop going --
> No way to slow down.
> He sees his children jumping off
> At the stations -- one by one.
> His woman and his best friend --
> In bed and having fun.
> He's crawling down the corridor
> On his hands and knees --
> Old Charlie stole the handle and
> The train won't stop going --
> No way to slow down.
> He hears the silence howling --
> Catches angels as they fall.
> And the all-time winner
> Has got him by the balls.
> He picks up Gideon's Bible --
> Open at page one --
> God stole the handle and
> The train won't stop going --
> No way to slow down.
>

> --
I don't like the project, but I like the messenger. :-)

Cheers.

Ken

5083. Re: Wanted: Knight T-150A knobs and manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-10 22:00:03 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <DvB2f.4$wT.3@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12757
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Wrong version. They only have the T-150. Mine's an "A".

Dean

In article <d3a02$434a9619$4232bd28$16568@COQUI.NET>, exray@coqui.net says...
>
>-=H=- wrote:
>>
>> I also need the manual and schematic. I know there are
>> many dealers on the internet who sell manuals. So far,
>> the cheapest one I've found is $20 plus postage. I'm
>> hoping that one of my fellow hams will have one and be
>> willing to copy or scan it for me. I share my manuals
>> FOR FREE (including postage and copying costs!) when I
>> have one that some fellow ham needs. They say, "What
>> goes around, comes around." Let's see if that's true.
>>
>> 73,
>> Dean K5DH (contact info good on QRZ.com)
>
>BAMA has one for free.
>http://bama.sbc.edu/knight.htm
>
>-Bill

5084. Wanted: KAM All-Mode EPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-11 04:09:39 UTC
From: Bill <bcrann1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <TVG2f.4011$S43.355040@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 12758

I recently was given an older KAM All-Mode TNC. It only has version 3.06 firmware. I was hoping to find a version 5 or later EPROM. Does anyone have an EPROM to sell me or can tell me where to get the bin file to burn my own EPROM. I have talked to Kantronics and they told me they no longer support this TNC. Thanks.

Bill

5085. need 73's article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-11 04:38:20 UTC
From: Jim <jbasi@cfw.com>
Message-ID: <27a2f$434aa5f8$d80c3c80$24367@NAXS.COM>
Source record: 12749

I need to get 'hold of a copy of an article from the November 1998 issue of 73's magazine.

The article is entitled "Build the Fox TTL Foxhunt transmitter".
I thought I might be able to find it in a library somewhere, but no luck there. It appears libraries generally don't keep these back issues very long.

Does someone have a copy I could get photo copied or scanned and emailed?

Thanks
Jim
jbasi@cfw.com

5086. FS International Radio SSB Filter for Kenwoods

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-11 17:04:51 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <BgS2f.24742$b65.1860@okepread01>
Source record: 12759

I have an International Radio 1.8 SSB Filter for Kenwood Radios such as the TS-450, 850. 950. It has the correct plugs attached to the filter so that it can be plugged into the radios. This one is the IR #95 Filter for the 8.83 IF. It works good. Price is $65. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

5087. FA: JENNINGS FixVac Caps 250,2000pf + mo

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-11 18:59:27 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <jYT2f.412953$5N3.99722@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12760
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jennings 250 pf & 2000 pf fixed vacuum capacitors + more 'stuff' too: see
at :

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx and check back often, heytubeguy

5088. WTB: Heathkit DX-60 And HW-16

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-11 19:12:07 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <tj3ok1984bur00hc7qpkt20249tjqtu1kk@4ax.com>
Source record: 12761

WTB: Heathkit DX-60 And HW-16
Looking for Heathkit HW-16 and Heathkit HW-16
Please respond with condition and price.
ritchi50@optonline.net

5089. FA: Nice... HT1250 ls UHF Portable Radio-DTMF w/Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-11 23:27:26 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <pTX2f.1825$i%.380@fed1read07>
Source record: 12762
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Nice... HT1250 ls UHF Portable Radio-DTMF w/Charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7553705893&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5090. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 07:28:51 UTC
From: Carl Domanico <vze2686b@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <TW23f.1865$KR1.889@trndny06>
Source record: 12763

Hi I have for sale two Comet/NCG Meters :

1) NCG-3000 118 mHz-530 MHz SWR / Wattmeter 5-20-200 Watts
Bought New in Box for $ 110.00...Item is in mint condition.
Make offer

1) Comet CMX-3 140 mHz - 525 MHz SWR / Wattmeter 20-50-200 watt
Is remotable...Paid $ 170.00 New In Box Item is in Mint condition.
Make offer...

Thanks
Carl
N2MFW

5091. Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 13:03:34 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <GQ73f.1$z21.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12764
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hi all,

I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
FedEx Ground. Here's why:

Two packages:
(1) weight 33.60 lbs, size 24 x 21 x 16 inches, insured $900
(2) weight 13.95 lbs, size 22 x 22 x 14 inches, insured $100

FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
UPS Ground, delivery in 4-5 business days, cost $56.07

UPS would have charged $17.30 more than FedEx (that's almost
45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.

Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!

73,
Dean K5DH

5092. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 13:40:58 UTC
From: dalite01@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <OI83f.10583$YI.7933@bignews4.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12765
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Dean,

I have been using Fedex Ground and Home delivery for some time now after discovering the same thing you posted here.

You can print label and manifest using their web-based shipping manager and process on plain printer paper. The Web interface is a bit counter-intuitive, but usable.

I have accounts with USPS (Onluine Click and Ship), Fedex (Online Shipping Manager) and UPS (Online Web Interface). I use Fedex for most items over 5 pounds that won't fit in a USPS Flat Rate Box.

"-=H=-" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
news:GQ73f.1$z21.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
> Hi all,
>
> I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
> Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
> FedEx Ground. Here's why:
>
> Two packages:
> (1) weight 33.60 lbs, size 24 x 21 x 16 inches, insured $900
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>
> FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
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>
> UPS would have charged $17.30 more than FedEx (that's almost
> 45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
> To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
>
> Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

5093. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 14:03:48 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <5vGdndykabJbitDenZ2dnUVZ_tCdnZ2d@rcn.net>
Source record: 12766
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

-=H=- wrote:
> Hi all,
>
> I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
> Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
> FedEx Ground. Here's why:
>
> Two packages:
> (1) weight 33.60 lbs, size 24 x 21 x 16 inches, insured $900
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> FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
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> 45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
> To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
>
> Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!

On the otherhand, in the last 2 weeks, I have had 4 packages delivered to me by FedEX Ground, and each arrived from 1 to 4 days later than the tracking system said they would. When the appointed day came, they just bumped up the delivery date to the next business day.

In one case, they lied about no one being home. At the time they said no one was home, I was sitting on my porch talking with a friend (and for 1/2 hour before and 1/2 hour after the appointed time.)

I have in the past had a number of crated packages delivered by FedEX Freight, and most cases, they completely and totally destroyed the crates. I was lucky to only have to replace one item from this damage. Once they delivered a 4'x8'x1' crate that weighed 600# in a small econoline van. They couldn't even get the crate out of the van without my help. One guy bloodied his mouth when the crate went over balance, and smashed his head between the crate and the roof of the van... All the while, the drivers young daughter sat on the front seat.

I have never had UPS miss the delivery time they said they would meet. I have never had UPS lie about delivery misses. And no matter how heavy the package, they always bring it to my door

(and use safe methods for moving heavy packages.)

To me, it seems that your luck with delivery is just luck of the draw.
I have a great UPS delivery guy. The FedEx guys are different
every time.

-Chuck

5094. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 14:05:12 UTC
From: Guido Sarducci from NYC <guido@chaio_guido.net>
Message-ID: <434D1817.61E369AE@chaio_guido.net>
Source record: 12767
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hi,

Be sure to ask for indirect or direct signature for
fedex home, (fedex ground has signature included no charge)
otherwise they just leave the cartons at the door.

I've been using FedEx ground since they started the
service, 30% less expensive then ups and one day
faster transit times too.

UPS uses company drivers and FedEx Home uses
subcontractors/independants so they have less
overhead, so lower fees.

US Postal flat rate boxes are a great value
for most of the auction items I ship.

Don't spend a lot of money on those self adhesive
ship labels, instead use regular paper and get
one of those glue sticks that the kids use at school,
that turns your plain paper label into a stick on label
for a few cents !

73 guido

5095. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 14:23:59 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <dij69v$pa7$1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 12768
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

<dalite01@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>
>I have been using Fedex Ground and Home delivery for some time now after
>discovering the same thing you posted here.

Agreed.

Let me also say that, from my experience, UPS and FedEx Ground break things at about the same rate. But when FedEx damages something, they promptly inspect it and pay out without a fuss, while UPS will do almost anything to avoid paying insurance claims. Admittedly I have had only three UPS issues, but all were nightmares.
--scott

--
"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

5096. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 15:25:31 UTC
From: hinkeydo <hinkeydo@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <LV93f.713$q%.695@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12769
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

-=H=- wrote:
> Hi all,
>
> I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
> Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
> FedEx Ground. Here's why:
>
> Two packages:
> (1) weight 33.60 lbs, size 24 x 21 x 16 inches, insured $900
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> FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
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> 45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
> To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
>
> Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>
I would have to agree that my luck with UPS has been less than
satisfactory. but with fedex my stuff gets there a lot quicker and
costs less money. i have even sent msr 2000 repeaters across country
with fedex for only about 48 bucks, but if i sent them with ups, they
would be destroyed in no time. i have a friend that works at the local
ups and he tells me that the sure fire way to have something destroyed
is to mark it as fragile or handle with care. seems the guys in the
warehouse love to kick the hell out of boxes like that.

5097. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 15:55:53 UTC
From: mike murphy <MURPHY@CTS.COM>
Message-ID: <MURPHY-888F57.08555312102005@newsclstr02.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12770
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

main reason We stopped using ups is their insurence is a total scam,
they put more effort into not paying than handeling it ligit.

5098. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 16:18:00 UTC
From: "chef@dennys" <chefdennys@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <11kqdpo7dfb9996@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12771
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Fed-Ex Ground has always welcomed packages from private individuals, while UPS would rather do business with business. UPS finally saw the light over the last year or two due to Ebay, but they've did too little too late.

I've used Fed-Ex Ground for at least 5 years since UPS started opening and inspecting packages accepted via their counters. The UPS counter folks around here are extremely rude... in fact one of them is so bad just mentioning her name to about anyone across the region who has been to their counter and they know who you're referring to. Go to a Fed-Ex counter and you're greeted with a smile. Also love their Ship Manager web processing. Even when there's a line of people at the Fed-Ex counter, just throw your packages on the desk... say "they're done"... and walk out. UPS lost my business long ago.

"hinkeydo" <hinkeydo@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message news:LV93f.713$q%.695@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com...

> I would have to agree that my luck with UPS has been less than
> satisfactory. but with fedex my stuff gets there a lot quicker and costs
> less money.

5099. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 18:16:06 UTC
From: hinkeydo <hinkeydo@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Gpc3f.636$tV6.602@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 12772
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

chef@dennys wrote:
> Fed-Ex Ground has always welcomed packages from private individuals, while
> UPS would rather do business with business. UPS finally saw the light over
> the last year or two due to Ebay, but they've did too little too late.
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> inspecting packages accepted via their counters. The UPS counter folks
> around here are extremely rude... in fact one of them is so bad just
> mentioning her name to about anyone across the region who has been to their
> counter and they know who you're referring to. Go to a Fed-Ex counter and
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> business long ago.
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> news:LV93f.713$q%.695@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com...
>
>
>>I would have to agree that my luck with UPS has been less than
>>satisfactory. but with fedex my stuff gets there a lot quicker and costs
>>less money.
>
>
>
so true. the people at the ups place here are also rude, uncaring, and
obnoxious. one time they lost a package and the woman at the counter
was told by a friend of hers, "that guy sounds mad", to which she
replied, "oh yeah, we get them all the time", then laughed. well, i
made a really big stink about this and she was fired on the spot. then
it was my turn to laugh. i'm too always greeted by a smiling individual
at fedex. and the ups place here is only open 2 hours a day to accept
packages, which really sucks if you want to do business with them.

5100. FA: NYE VIKING MBI-001 ANTENNA TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 19:43:15 UTC
From: Neil Tesher <neiltt@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pHd3f.4100$Hm3.20@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12773

NYE VIKING MBI-001 ANTENNA TUNER

NYE-Viking MBI-001 Antenna Matching unit in good condition.
Works very well!
Built in watt meters (150w forward and 30w reverse). has a 22 posisition
inductor

Neil WW2NT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5818103145&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

5101. FA: HT750 UHF spk/mic & Charger-Does MDC Signalling

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 20:32:34 UTC
From: !Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <JHe3f.1931$i%.726@fed1read07>
Source record: 12774
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: HT750 UHF spk/mic & Charger-Does MDC Signaling

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7553939188&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5102. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 21:19:45 UTC
From: mike murphy <MURPHY@CTS.COM>
Message-ID: <MURPHY-921659.14194412102005@newsclstr02.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12775
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <11kqdpo7dfb9996@corp.supernews.com>,
"chef@dennys" <chefdennys@hotmail.com> wrote:

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> UPS would rather do business with business. UPS finally saw the light over
> the last year or two due to Ebay, but they've did too little too late.
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> inspecting packages accepted via their counters. The UPS counter folks
> around here are extremely rude... in fact one of them is so bad just
> mentioning her name to about anyone across the region who has been to their
> counter and they know who you're referring to. Go to a Fed-Ex counter and
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> Even when there's a line of people at the Fed-Ex counter, just throw your
> packages on the desk... say "they're done"... and walk out. UPS lost my
> business long ago.
>

The ups ppl are union, so they don't care about customer service

5103. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 22:50:38 UTC
From: PowerHouse Communications <PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net>
Message-ID: <2rg3f.19$mL4.0@fe06.lga>
Source record: 12776
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"Chuck Harris" <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote in message
news:5vGdndykabJbitDenZ2dnUVZ_tCdnZ2d@rcn.net...
>
> I have never had UPS miss the delivery time they said they would
> meet. I have never had UPS lie about delivery misses. And no
> matter how heavy the package, they always bring it to my door
> (and use safe methods for moving heavy packages.)
>

You must just be lucky in your location. As with most everyone here, I've had the opposite experience. The one that really sticks out in my mind was when I was watching the tracking data on the UPS website. The package was two (2) days beyond scheduled delivery, so I checked the site. Package was on time up until it reached the distribution center in, I believe it's Ohio, where, instead of shipping it to me, it was shipped three states over in the wrong direction, then shipped back to Ohio where it finally started it's journey back to me. Ended up being 4 days late!

There are many more horror stories I could tell, and not just my own. Friend of mine shipped a $1800.00 Home Theater Receiver (weighed between 50 and 70 pounds) from Michigan to California. Exceptionally well packaged, in original packaging, then double boxed besides that. When it arrived, the outer-most box was gone (it arrived only single boxed, beside the original), with the original label and remnants of outer box taped to the inner box. That box was mutilated, and the receiver? Well, lets say it had a nice "leaning tower" look to it, along with all but one of the circuit boards being literally shattered...

And then he had to fight for almost 4 months before he actually got his insurance claim. They were only going to give him a portion of the insured value, because they claimed that the contents weren't worth more that that. Well, it was, BEFORE UPS got their hands on it...

5104. FS - TV-7 D/U ebay item #7553330514

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 23:07:08 UTC
From: f1736 <fastabend@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1129158428.553526.263740@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12777
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.guitar.amps,alt.radio.oldtime

TV-7 D/U Vacuum Tube Tester Hickok Military TV7 Item number: 7553330514

http://cgi.ebay.com/TV-7-D-U-Vacuum-Tube-Tester-Hickok-Military-TV7_W0QQitemZ7553330514QQcategoryZ25422QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

Current bid: $56.00
Auction ends on: Oct-10-05 10:04:24 PDT

Only 3 days left.

More Pictures: - http://www.geocities.com/f1736/tv7du.htm

Thanks
Greg Fastabend - (fastabendhotmai

5105. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 23:42:13 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <hdWdnfm429zKAtDeRVn-pg@rcn.net>
Source record: 12778
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

mike murphy wrote:

>
>
> The ups ppl are union, so they don't care about customer service

Perhaps, but they are also employee owners, so I think they do care about customer service more than you know. I have dealt with UPS in two different cities, and out in the country, and they have always done the great job for me. I am certain there are regional problems, I just haven't witnessed them here.

-Chuck

5106. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-12 23:45:00 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <hdWdnfi429xgAtDeRVn-pg@rcn.net>
Source record: 12779
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

PowerHouse Communications wrote:
> "Chuck Harris" <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote in message
> news:5vGdndykabJbitDenZ2dnUVZ_tCdnZ2d@rcn.net...
>
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>>meet. I have never had UPS lie about delivery misses. And no
>>matter how heavy the package, they always bring it to my door
>>(and use safe methods for moving heavy packages.)
>>
>
>
> You must just be lucky in your location.

Could be, then I have been lucky in three different locations,
and for hundreds of packages, over more than 20 years.

-Chuck

5107. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 02:13:42 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <434DC2D6.8020800@optonline.net>
Source record: 12780
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

-=H=- wrote:

>Hi all,
>
>I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
>Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
>FedEx Ground. Here's why:
>
>Two packages:
>(1) weight 33.60 lbs, size 24 x 21 x 16 inches, insured $900
>(2) weight 13.95 lbs, size 22 x 22 x 14 inches, insured $100
>
>FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
>UPS Ground, delivery in 4-5 business days, cost $56.07
>
>UPS would have charged $17.30 more than FedEx (that's almost
>45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
>To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
>
>Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!
>
>73,
>Dean K5DH
>
>
>
HI, I agree!!!! I always use FedEx Ground. It IS much cheaper AND
faster than UPS.
OH, one more thing.
I truly believe FedEx treats YOUR package much better than UPS!!!
UPS does not seen to care much how much "bouncing" so to speak YOUR item
takes.
I'm sure every company has these animals dropping your fragile items.
Its just UPS stuff
gets broken MORE often.
THAT A BOY FedEX..... Put em out of business!!!!!!!!!!!!

5108. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 04:49:23 UTC
From: hinkeydo <hinkeydo@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <nHl3f.1224$D13.808@newssvr11.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12781
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Jack O'Neill wrote:
> -=H=- wrote:
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> gets broken MORE often.
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>
I guess to sum up the service ups gives or doesnt give two words come to
mind.....U P S S U C K S ! ! ! !

5109. Re: FS - TV-7 D/U ebay item #7553330514

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 05:00:21 UTC
From: durabrite <zootwoman@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1129179620.977934.152990@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12782
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.guitar.amps,alt.radio.oldtime

or you can play with this virtual vacuum tube here
http://www.molecularexpressions.com/electromag/java/diode1/index.html

5110. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 07:58:27 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <gr3sk15iku2f56oa5t61flbos6i7sk1g1p@4ax.com>
Source record: 12783
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Wed, 12 Oct 2005 15:25:31 GMT, hinkeydo <hinkeydo@sbcglobal.net>
wrote:

>-=H=- wrote:
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>> Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
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>> 45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
>> To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
>>
>> Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!
>>
>> 73,
>> Dean K5DH
>>
>I would have to agree that my luck with UPS has been less than
>satisfactory. but with fedex my stuff gets there a lot quicker and
>costs less money. i have even sent msr 2000 repeaters across country
>with fedex for only about 48 bucks, but if i sent them with ups, they
>would be destroyed in no time. i have a friend that works at the local
>ups and he tells me that the sure fire way to have something destroyed
>is to mark it as fragile or handle with care. seems the guys in the
>warehouse love to kick the hell out of boxes like that.

UPS has been OK with me, except when you haver to talk to them
on the phone. In one case, they kept calling back to my house. I had
received one of their calls there while home for a doctor's
appointment and told them not to call there again. No such luck. Then
you can never talk to the same idiot twice. They introduce themselves
as "account executives", but these cheap-ass "executives" can't accept
an incoming call -- you get the luck of the draw from whatever
connects them.

Then the dorks go tappity-tap on their keyboards as you describe the problem, but the info never gets to the next dork you talk to -- it's a brand new day and you have to explain the whole damned thing again.

Last year, a friend was getting DSL and the equipment was UPSed to her. On delivry day, she looked at the website during the day (Friday). Late in the day, it was recorded as "no such address". She lives on a short stub (three houses worth) of a street which had a section removed for a throughway -- twenty years ago -- and half the time, they still lose it.

We then told them to deliver it instead to the UPS facility near where she worked -- on Monday, so she could pck it up at lunch time. I did that part for her. The wackos said they had to deliver to an address. I asked why they didn't know the address of their own facility ten miles north. So they changed their story to they couldn't just send it to another facility -- it had to be a house or business address. Since she had just started a new job and didn't want it coming to work on her third day there, I told them to just divert it to my address 25 miles farther north. They agreed to do that.

In the end, I went to her place to accept a completely different furniture shipment (real trucking company for this one) on Monday. When I arrived, the UPS package was sitting on her doorstep. To hell with any instructions UPS had agreed to.

Thirty of those bozos would have a cumulative IQ of fifteen.

5111. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 08:05:53 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <6u4sk118bj826vv9eo5ukvrr49c0pjmndt@4ax.com>
Source record: 12784
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Wed, 12 Oct 2005 11:18:00 -0500, "chef@dennys"
<chefdennys@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Fed-Ex Ground has always welcomed packages from private individuals, while
>UPS would rather do business with business. UPS finally saw the light over
>the last year or two due to Ebay, but they've did too little too late.
>
>I've used Fed-Ex Ground for at least 5 years since UPS started opening and
>inspecting packages accepted via their counters.

A few years back, on salon.com, there was a story of a woman
who went to France and had a major museum ship a rolled-up picture of
a famous painting of a nude, to her son, a fine arts major, at home in
the US.

UPS in the US opened it, determined it to be obscene by their
standards and sent it back to the museum store.

The woman checked shipping policy with all the majors -- DHL,
Airborne, UPS and FedEx. All except FedEx said they'd have done the
same. FedEx alone said that, absent a court order, they wouldn't open
a shipment which was properly packaged.

> The UPS counter folks
>around here are extremely rude... in fact one of them is so bad just
>mentioning her name to about anyone across the region who has been to their
>counter and they know who you're referring to. Go to a Fed-Ex counter and
>you're greeted with a smile. Also love their Ship Manager web processing.
>Even when there's a line of people at the Fed-Ex counter, just throw your
>packages on the desk... say "they're done"... and walk out. UPS lost my
>business long ago.
>
>"hinkeydo" <hinkeydo@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
>news:LV93f.713$q%.695@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com...
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>> satisfactory. but with fedex my stuff gets there a lot quicker and costs
>> less money.
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5112. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 08:11:31 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <gd5sk194am73ogfnhqsubaoralsqpo6mdb@4ax.com>
Source record: 12785
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Wed, 12 Oct 2005 19:42:13 -0400, Chuck Harris
<cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote:

>mike murphy wrote:
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>> The ups ppl are union, so they don't care about customer service
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>Perhaps, but they are also employee owners, so I think they do care
>about customer service more than you know. I have dealt with UPS in
>two different cities, and out in the country, and they have always done
>the great job for me. I am certain there are regional problems, I just
>haven't witnessed them here.
>
>-Chuck

Employee ownership is a crock of crap. If an average employee
were to do something which made the stock go up a dollar, he'd get
nearly nothing for his few measly (purchased) shares, but the fat cats
at the top would each get a windfall for their 200,000 (given to them)
shares.

Apropos rec.radio.*.* -- that's a hell of an amplification
factor.

5113. Alinco DJ-580

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 09:58:43 UTC
From: dracula <draculaBRISI@mail.inet.hr>
Message-ID: <dilb4jesi1@ss405.t-com.hr>
Source record: 12786

I need display and front acrylic mask for Alinco DJ-580
it fell on display and display crashed :-(
So if anyone knows where i could buy one....
maybe someone has one that don't work
i'm form croatia and i would be grateful if someone can help me
please mail me to dracula@mail.inet.hr

5114. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 10:17:17 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <Nuq3f.650$hY6.561@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12787
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Guido Sarducci from NYC wrote:

> Don't spend a lot of money on those self adhesive
> ship labels, instead use regular paper and get
> one of those glue sticks that the kids use at school,
> that turns your plain paper label into a stick on label
> for a few cents !

I advise against this;
I did a mass-mailing using "glue sticks"
to attach the plain-paper mailing labels.
A large percentage of them fell off in transit.
Spend the extra money for good labels;
one lost package will cost a lot more than you save
using "glue sticks."
IMHO, of course,
Dave S.

5115. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 10:19:09 UTC
From: David Stinson <arc5@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <xwq3f.651$hY6.231@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12788
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

hinkeydo wrote:
>.... seems the guys in the
> warehouse love to kick the hell out of boxes like that.

I'll never understand the Union attitude:
"Lets see how much damage we can do to the company
that puts bread in our mouths and clothes on our kids."

5116. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 10:23:14 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <434E35F9.37462ED8@earthlink.net>
Source record: 12789
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

kashe@sonic.net wrote:
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> UPS has been OK with me, except when you haver to talk to them
> on the phone. In one case, they kept calling back to my house. I had
> received one of their calls there while home for a doctor's
> appointment and told them not to call there again. No such luck. Then
> you can never talk to the same idiot twice. They introduce themselves
> as "account executives", but these cheap-ass "executives" can't accept
> an incoming call -- you get the luck of the draw from whatever
> connects them.
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> Then the dorks go tappity-tap on their keyboards as you
> describe the problem, but the info never gets to the next dork you
> talk to -- it's a brand new day and you have to explain the whole
> damned thing again.
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> section removed for a throughway -- twenty years ago -- and half the
> time, they still lose it.
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> near where she worked -- on Monday, so she could pck it up at lunch
> time. I did that part for her. The wackos said they had to deliver to
> an address. I asked why they didn't know the address of their own
> facility ten miles north. So they changed their story to they couldn't
> just send it to another facility -- it had to be a house or business
> address. Since she had just started a new job and didn't want it
> coming to work on her third day there, I told them to just divert it
> to my address 25 miles farther north. They agreed to do that.
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> different furniture shipment (real trucking company for this one) on
> Monday. When I arrived, the UPS package was sitting on her doorstep.
> To hell with any instructions UPS had agreed to.
>
> Thirty of those bozos would have a cumulative IQ of fifteen.

I had the USPS return a package to the sender for "No such address".
My shop was directly across the street from the post office. It was all
you could see when you looked out their front windows, yet they couldn't

find it. UPS would leave my stuff at the wrong door, so if i was expecting anything I had to check quite often to make sure someone didn't walk off with it.
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?

Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

5117. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 11:16:30 UTC
From: Jornada680e <jornada680e@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129202190.693947.128730@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12790
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

What about the "Union attitude"? Any problems that arrise are
attributed to management as they set the standards and rules. Bad
management equals bad employees. The Union employees at UPS are no
different than any other Union employee. All want their employer to
thrive and earn many dollars. They know that more profit is more pay
raise in future contracts.
NOYK in central Florida
UAW and proud
Buy US! Buy Union!

5118. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 13:21:10 UTC
From: shoppa@trailing-edge.com
Message-ID: <1129209670.533541.299050@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12791
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

> I truly believe FedEx treats YOUR package much
> better than UPS!!! UPS does not seen to care much
> how much "bouncing" so to speak YOUR item takes.

In the case of UPS it seems to have more to do with the shipper than anything else.

When I get heavy items from Fair Radio via UPS the box always arrives in pristine condition.

When I get similarly heavy items from random individuals the box is often nearly destroyed by the time it gets to me (and often the contents too.)

Admittedly at least part of the difference is the inexperience of J Random Luser putting a 80 pound radio in a lightweight box filled with styrofoam peanuts...

Tim.

5119. FS: Kenwoods TS-830S & TS-530S w/extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 14:10:29 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <rVt3f.22165$Ge5.8564@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12792
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

Hi All;
Both of these are in Original boxes w/manuals.
TS-830S, exc, full output, Warc's, DH button activation, International SSB filter>Prices $425 + UPS

TS-530S, Exc., YK-88C cw filter, YK-88SN 1.8khz SSB filter, Full output, Price is $400 + UPS

Nice radios but am moving & have no room anymore!
Please E-Mail me at rlucch2098@aol.com for fast reply!
Tnx & 73..
Rich WA2RQY

5120. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 14:15:10 UTC
From: Simon <vk2ua@HATESPAMyahoo.com>
Message-ID: <lbqsk1tdep8l4r5sii4qtq3a9lveiu1hil@4ax.com>
Source record: 12793
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Hi

Can any US readers of this thread explain why Fedex or UPS is so
popular compared with the much cheaper US Mail?

Here in Australia Fedex and UPS offer a service, but few private
individuals would consider using them due to high costs and the
inconvenience when delivery is a problem if people are away at work.
With normal post, we have post offices in all suburbs where
undelivered mail can conveniently be picked up or items posted.

I have never had loss or damage problems with ordinary mail to and
from the US.

Simon

On 12 Oct 2005 10:23:59 -0400, kludge@panix.com (Scott Dorsey) wrote:

> <dalite01@bellsouth.net> wrote:
>>
>>I have been using Fedex Ground and Home delivery for some time now after
>>discovering the same thing you posted here.
>
>Agreed.
>
>Let me also say that, from my experience, UPS and FedEx Ground break things
>at about the same rate. But when FedEx damages something, they promptly
>inspect it and pay out without a fuss, while UPS will do almost anything to
>avoid paying insurance claims. Admittedly I have had only three UPS issues,
>but all were nightmares.
>--scott

5121. FS: Collins RE 302C-3 Wattmeter NEW!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 14:34:53 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <14ssk1d0ulsr5rkvoovjbdn37djk3r6iuh@4ax.com>
Source record: 12794

FS: Collins RE 302C-3 Wattmeter NEW!!!
I just got this recently and it was stored away many many years
and it was in a heated place. It looks to be brand new.
Sealed all in plastic. With the coupler and cable collins papers
and tags all inside. Very rare to find one new.
I have pictures if you want to see.
Please make offer on this this find example of history.
ritchi50@optonline.net

5122. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 14:40:56 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <dilrloif1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 12795
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Simon <vk2ua@HATESPAMyahoo.com> wrote:
>Can any US readers of this thread explain why Fedex or UPS is so
>popular compared with the much cheaper US Mail?

Because for packages over about two pounds, US Mail is much more
expensive than the package companies. For light packages, just a
couple resistors or a tube, the postal service is usually a better choice.

For international stuff, I don't know. And I will say that the postal
service is not very good at paying up on their insurance claims either.
--scott

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"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

5123. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 15:50:45 UTC
From: Dave Heil <k8mn@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <pnv3f.658$4O1.330@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12796
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

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Dave Heil K8MN

5124. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 21:23:05 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <434ED135.9000103@yahoo.com>
Source record: 12797
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Dave Heil wrote:
> David Stinson wrote:
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>> hinkeydo wrote:
>> >.... seems the guys in the
>>
>>> warehouse love to kick the hell out of boxes like that.
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> my postal mailbox alongside the road where it could have toppled to the
> pavement or have been easily stolen by anyone.
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> Dave Heil K8MN
>

Yes different parts of the country are quite different. I gave up on
UPS years ago because it was just to hard to ship a package with them.
I live in Phx and the nearest Depot was 15 miles away. From experience
on the receiving end thought I have had packages arrive in very poor
condition plus have had packages delivered to the wrong address. I have
shipped some items via FedX put from friend experiences collecting
insurance on an antiques or old boatanchors is very hard. If an item is
extremely height it will go FedX. Being I do not ship all that much but
more than the most people I find shipping via the USPO the easiest and
most friendly. There Priority boxes and Flat rate Box services can not
be beat. If I was a business then I expect I would be using UPS and FedX.

Back to boxing for my next run to the USPO,
Ron WA0KDS

5125. FA ::::ENDING SOON!:::::NYE VIKING MBI-001 ANTENNA TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 21:45:39 UTC
From: Neil Tesher <neiltt@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <9AA3f.18816$dl2.13695@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12698

NYE VIKING MBI-001 ANTENNA TUNER

NYE-Viking MBI-001 Antenna Matching unit in good condition.
Works very well!
Built in watt meters (150w forward and 30w reverse). has a 22 posisition
inductor

Neil WW2NT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5818103145&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%
3AIT&rd=1

5126. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-13 22:58:47 UTC
From: chris+news@suslowicz.org
Message-ID: <BF74A537966878A25@192.168.1.23>
Source record: 12699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

In article <2rg3f.19$mL4.0@fe06.lga>,
"PowerHouse Communications" <PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net> wrote:

>"Chuck Harris" <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote in message
>news:5vGdndykabJbitDenZ2dnUVZ_tCdnZ2d@rcn.net...
>>
>> I have never had UPS miss the delivery time they said they would
>> meet. I have never had UPS lie about delivery misses. And no
>> matter how heavy the package, they always bring it to my door
>> (and use safe methods for moving heavy packages.)
>>
>
>You must just be lucky in your location. As with most everyone here, I've
>had the opposite experience. The one that really sticks out in my mind was
>when I was watching the tracking data on the UPS website. The package was
>two (2) days beyond scheduled delivery, so I checked the site. Package was
>on time up until it reached the distribution center in, I believe it's Ohio,
>where, instead of shipping it to me, it was shipped three states over in the
>wrong direction, then shipped back to Ohio where it finally started it's
>journey back to me. Ended up being 4 days late!
>
>There are many more horror stories I could tell, and not just my own.
>Friend of mine shipped a $1800.00 Home Theater Receiver (weighed between 50
>and 70 pounds) from Michigan to California. Exceptionally well packaged, in
>original packaging, then double boxed besides that. When it arrived, the
>outer-most box was gone (it arrived only single boxed, beside the original),
>with the original label and remnants of outer box taped to the inner box.
>That box was mutilated, and the receiver? Well, lets say it had a nice
>"leaning tower" look to it, along with all but one of the circuit boards
>being literally shattered...
>
>And then he had to fight for almost 4 months before he actually got his
>insurance claim. They were only going to give him a portion of the insured
>value, because they claimed that the contents weren't worth more that that.
>Well, it was, BEFORE UPS got their hands on it...
>
>

Yes, they appear to sort packages automatically by ramming them off one
conveyor belt onto the next (which happens to be 3 feet lower). I think
they also throw stuff off lorries onto concrete - it's the only way I
can imaging the damage to a near mint and well packed WS19 having
occurred, which is why I will NEVER use nor recommend UPS to anyone.

<FX: bribes sigmonster>

Chris.
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If being dropped out of an aircraft into what is, for all anyone knows,
a minefield is "moderately rough handling", what would constitute
"rough handling" or "very rough handling"? -- David Richerby

Being shipped UPS. -- Dave Brown

5127. FS Kenwood TM-731A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 02:04:52 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <YmE3f.33579$b65.2082@okepread01>
Source record: 12700

I have a Kenwood TM-731A Dual Band 2/44 Transceiver for sale. It works on
440. but very low output on 2 meters. Receives on both band just fine.
Cosmetically, it is in good condition. Comes with the mic, power cable, and
mobile mt. No manual. Price is $!25 plus shipping from 79602.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5128. Correcte Price on the 731A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 03:54:34 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <OZF3f.33892$b65.4598@okepread01>
Source record: 12701

It is $125. I hit the caps button and printed a ! rather than a 1.
Charlie
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Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5129. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 05:52:58 UTC
From: Riley <Riley_roofer@not_the_fcc.com>
Message-ID: <434F47B9.485136F4@not_the_fcc.com>
Source record: 12702
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Postal US now has flat rate boxes priority mail,
$ 7.85 for up to 70 lbx, check it out http://www.usps.com
priority mail flat rate.

UPS, FedEx and DHL offer insurance $ 100 value included in the rates
and are reasonable for more expensive items to insure.

Yes, the insurance at ups is to insure they do not pay the claims.

Postal US mail is more expensive to insure.

OTOH, I get shipments from aes in milwaukee just fine,
fair radio (super pack jobs at fair prices) also.
Those overcharger on ebay shoud take a lesson in packaging from fair radio !

Only had on problem with ups, they did not get signature and I paid for it,
so I called to get them to credit me for the fee and they sent the driver
out the next day to get a signature. what a joke, I protested the fee
on my amex card and they had to refund it. Signature at delivery,
not after delivery.

UPS and Fedex counter people are great in my area.

5130. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 06:37:33 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <sfkuk1po51kv41r1md8ts17ij50v64k9f1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

On Thu, 13 Oct 2005 10:23:14 GMT, "Michael A. Terrell"
<mike.terrell@earthlink.net> wrote:

>kashe@sonic.net wrote:
>>
>> UPS has been OK with me, except when you haver to talk to them
>> on the phone. In one case, they kept calling back to my house. I had
>> received one of their calls there while home for a doctor's
>> appointment and told them not to call there again. No such luck. Then
>> you can never talk to the same idiot twice. They introduce themselves
>> as "account executives", but these cheap-ass "executives" can't accept
>> an incoming call -- you get the luck of the draw from whatever
>> connects them.
>>
>> Then the dorks go tappity-tap on their keyboards as you
>> describe the problem, but the info never gets to the next dork you
>> talk to -- it's a brand new day and you have to explain the whole
>> damned thing again.
>>
>> Last year, a friend was getting DSL and the equipment was
>> UPSed to her. On delivry day, she looked at the website during the day
>> (Friday). Late in the day, it was recorded as "no such address". She
>> lives on a short stub (three houses worth) of a street which had a
>> section removed for a throughway -- twenty years ago -- and half the
>> time, they still lose it.
>>
>> We then told them to deliver it instead to the UPS facility
>> near where she worked -- on Monday, so she could pck it up at lunch
>> time. I did that part for her. The wackos said they had to deliver to
>> an address. I asked why they didn't know the address of their own
>> facility ten miles north. So they changed their story to they couldn't
>> just send it to another facility -- it had to be a house or business
>> address. Since she had just started a new job and didn't want it
>> coming to work on her third day there, I told them to just divert it
>> to my address 25 miles farther north. They agreed to do that.
>>
>> In the end, I went to her place to accept a completely
>> different furniture shipment (real trucking company for this one) on
>> Monday. When I arrived, the UPS package was sitting on her doorstep.
>> To hell with any instructions UPS had agreed to.
>>
>> Thirty of those bozos would have a cumulative IQ of fifteen.
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> I had the USPS return a package to the sender for "No such address".
>My shop was directly across the street from the post office.

PO buildings act like Kryptonite on UPSers.

>It was all
>you could see when you looked out their front windows, yet they couldn't
>find it. UPS would leave my stuff at the wrong door, so if i was
>expecting anything I had to check quite often to make sure someone
>didn't walk off with it.

5131. Need FT-101ZD crystals

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 10:38:19 UTC
From: EB5AGV <eb5agv@ctv.es>
Message-ID: <1129286298.993956.251660@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12704

Hello!

In order to restore my FT-101ZD, I need a couple crystals. They are
these:

12m band: 38.9875 MHz
10m A band: 42.4875 MHz

Please, let me know if you can help.

Thanks!

73 JOSE - EB5AGV/EC5AAU
http://jvgavila.com

5132. FA:GONSET 201 Amp Huge Diagram+ mo parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 13:21:47 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <LhO3f.429878$5N3.83236@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12705
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Huge Gonset fold out schmetic diagram + other parts too; see at

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

73 heytubeguy

5133. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 13:23:12 UTC
From: PowerHouse Communications <PowerHouse@PrivateBox.Net>
Message-ID: <_iO3f.9359$1X5.4161@fe05.lga>
Source record: 12706
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"Dave Heil" <k8mn@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:pnv3f.658$4O1.330@newsread2.news.pas.earthlink.net...
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> done with a front wheel drive automobile, the guy placed the parcel atop
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> pavement or have been easily stolen by anyone.

I had a nice experience with AE once, and only once. It's the one and only time I ever received anything through them. Great record in my book, (0 for 1)...

Received an eBay package. Not too big of a deal, wasn't worth much, but they delivered it to the wrong address. Was delivered to the neighbor across the street, on a Friday. They were gone all weekend, so it didn't get to me until Monday. Worst part, it was on their doorstep, wasn't put in the porch, and it rained the entire weekend. Box and contents were so saturated with water, the neighbor barely go it to me without it completely falling apart...

Worse yet, the label was made out to the proper address, their tracking site indicated the proper address, but when the driver logged the delivery, he even indicated that it was delivered to the wrong address. He wrote the address he dropped it at, instead of the my address; how blind can you be?!

If only the shipper would have given me the tracking info, I could have gone across the street and gotten it myself before it got too wet, but they were apparently too lazy to email it to me, so I didn't find out until after I got the package from the neighbor and looked up the tracking info online.

5134. Re: FS: Collins RE 302C-3 Wattmeter NEW!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 16:09:51 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <42mvk19qi5mh2g3qe5fnsefp5iiltbh83i@4ax.com>
Source record: 12707

Thanks to all replies.
Item is sold.
Rich

5135. FS: Collins RE 312B-5 NICE!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 17:43:34 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <phrvk11nllrdj6icnrap0dq6jthq51i8uv@4ax.com>
Source record: 12708

FS: Collins RE 312B-5 NICE!!!
I have a very nice Collins 312B-5
and it was stored away many years, 30 Years to be exact.
It was in a heated controlled place.
I have pictures, Just email for pics
if interested.
Price:965.00 Shipped and Insured to the lower 48
ritchi50@optonline.net

5136. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 18:17:50 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.iocvtq5.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 12709
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On 13 Oct 2005 06:21:10 -0700, shoppa@trailing-edge.com wrote:

>In the case of UPS it seems to have more to do with the shipper than
>anything else.

And sometimes it's the gremlins. Two horror stories:

1. Six years ago I shipped an AEA TNC to Timewave for an upgrade,
UPS insured. It was well-packed - I've spent many years doing
domestic and overseas packing of fragile household goods and
electronic equipment (and during the 1967 War a commercial ocean
shipper hired me to so some of it because his regular staff was out
doing military service) so I DO know how to pack well. Timewave
reported that the knob and shaft on the only front-panel control was
bent and had to be replaced. Fast forward to last year. I had to
ship another TNC to them, and mindful of the first experience, put
TWO INCHES of snug-wrapped bubble-pack around the instrument, then
two inches of sheet foam around that. I swear - the packing must
have weighed as much as the instrument. You guessed it - Timewave
reported that the control was damaged in shipment although the box
and the packing was intact.. Go figure.

2. Quite a number of years ago I had a commercial art framer send a
one-of-a-kind drawing cross-country to a friend of mine for a
special birthday. It went UPS insured. When it arrived, my friend
reported that there was a small crack in the glass frame and I
reported that to the shipper. They made arrangements for UPS to
return the item for re-framing. When it arrived back at the framer,
the package looked like someone had used it for a tennis racket.
The drawing was destroyed, and unfortunately the artist had passed
away and very little of his remaining collection was "on the market".
We did manage to get something not really that close, but the
"specialness" of the event was completely ruined. I don't know
who they used to ship the second time but it got there with no
further incidents. Because the shipper guaranteed the shipment, I
left it up to their lawyers to haggle with UPS.

The only problem that I've had with the local UPS delivery here is
that he leaves the package and rings the bell, and then it's a race
to see if I can open the door before I see The Big Brown Truck drive
off.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

5137. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 20:15:37 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <EradnYbxLIV3jM3eRVn-1g@rcn.net>
Source record: 12710
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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> have weighed as much as the instrument. You guessed it - Timewave
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> and the packing was intact.. Go figure.

Sounds like bovine excrement to me. I have dealt with companies in the past
that always found certain things "broken" on items returned for repair,
even when they weren't. It is a great way of bringing in a little extra
money, and the customer has no way of proving the lie... well, unless
the company tells the same lame story over and over again like Timewave
appears to have done.

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> special birthday. It went UPS insured. When it arrived, my friend
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> reported that to the shipper.

I'm betting this wasn't packed the way UPS says you should pack fragile
items: double box, 2 inches of packing around the item, and 2 inches of
packing around the inside box. You cannot just throw a glass frame into
a box, and fill the box with peanuts, and expect it to survive. The
frame needs a single wrap of thin foam (cardboard thickness), a piece of

wood, or masonite front and back taped firmly. This should then be placed in a sealed plastic bag. This composit should be wrapped loosly with 2 inches of bubble wrap, and boxed. The inside box should then have another 2 inches of loosly packed peanuts. You can set the stage for a great amount of damage to a fragile item by simply packing the peanuts too tightly in the box.

I have *never*, repeat *never* had a problem with UPS damaging an item that was properly packed. On the one or two occasions I have had a damage problem, the items were heavy, and were tossed into the box, with a little bit of crumbled newspaper thrown in on top to fill up the empty space.

Or someone has shipped a BA that originally was shipped with the transformer removed, with the transformer installed... stupid stuff.

That isn't UPS's fault, that is the shipper's fault.

UPS moves quickly, packages literally fly through their hub. UPS gives recommendations on how to pack to survive. If you don't follow them, you are taking a very big risk. FedEX's ground operations are identical to UPS's. FedEX's air freight operations gain some protection from damage by forcing you to use their standardized boxes.

-Chuck

5138. Re: FS: Kenwoods TS-830S & TS-530S w/extras

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 20:22:00 UTC
From: spamatody@spam.spam.spam
Message-ID: <iq40l1psqfvisugitko91fuovcf73lk6ag@4ax.com>
Source record: 12711
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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>
>TS-530S, Exc., YK-88C cw filter, YK-88SN 1.8khz SSB filter, Full output,
>Price is $400 + UPS

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5139. Metron MA 1000 Amp, hard to find

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 21:03:40 UTC
From: Murray Neece <radioranch@qth.com>
Message-ID: <11l079nq5jv0ib4@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a nice one for sale, $750 plus shipping , see my website for
details...thanks Murray K5MDM
<http://www.myradioranch.com>

5140. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 21:49:54 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <dip95umve1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 12713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Back in the minicomputer days, we had a disk drive for a DEC PDP11-70 on order. In those days drives were large and heavy, and a single drive might take up one-third of a rack. Well, the freight truck driver pulled up near the loading dock, opened the rear doors and backed the semi up to the loading dock. The driver got out again and looked around for unloading help. Not finding any help, he climbed inside the trailer and rolled the 120 pound crate out the back of the truck and down onto the loading dock. The height difference between the floor of the trailer and the loading dock was about four feet. The driver pulled forward, closed the trailer doors and drove off. Needless to say the drive didn't work, and the shock detector inside the packing crate indicated the drive had suffered at least one large impulse during shipment from the factory to the customer.

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5141. Re: FA:GONSET 201 Amp Huge Diagram+ mo parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 22:05:11 UTC
From: hhc314@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1129327511.444917.126810@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12714
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have two 6M Gooney Boxes that I will soon be putting up for auction on eBay, before I put them out into the trash. I consider both of them to be in restorable condition with a little work. I even have 2 sprare 2E26 tubes that will go with them.

I really don't want to pack and ship them, so if you are interested and live in the greater Boston area, contact me my email at hhc3141@yahoo.com. Small bucks will take both!

Harry C.

5142. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 23:11:39 UTC
From: chris+news@suslowicz.org
Message-ID: <BF75F9BB966896D7A@192.168.1.23>
Source record: 12715
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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>the packing crate indicated the drive had suffered at least one large
>impulse during shipment from the factory to the customer.

ObAlsoRealLife: the quote below came about following the revelation that
"ruggedised" PDP-11s were made for the military that were *intended* to
be airdropped and remain fully functional. The bind moggles....

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a minefield is "moderately rough handling", what would constitute
"rough handling" or "very rough handling"? -- David Richerby

Being shipped UPS. -- Dave Brown

Chris.

5143. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-14 23:37:07 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.iodalv7.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 12716
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 14 Oct 2005 16:15:37 -0400, Chuck Harris wrote:

>> have weighed as much as the instrument. You guessed it - Timewave
>> reported that the control was damaged in shipment although the box
>> and the packing was intact.. Go figure.
>
>Sounds like bovine excrement to me. I have dealt with companies in the past
>that always found certain things "broken" on items returned for repair,
>even when they weren't. It is a great way of bringing in a little extra
>money, and the customer has no way of proving the lie... well, unless
>the company tells the same lame story over and over again like Timewave
>appears to have done.

The cost of the replacement of the control was included in the flat
advertised price of the upgrade so a) it didn't cost me anything and
b) they would have lost money by "just doing it" unless necessary.

>> special birthday. It went UPS insured. When it arrived, my friend
>> reported that there was a small crack in the glass frame and I
>> reported that to the shipper.
>
>I'm betting this wasn't packed the way UPS says you should pack fragile
>items:

This was done by a commercial art framer and shipper who ships
fragile and valuable artwork all over the world. I'm sure that they
knew what they were doing. The problem wasn't the way it was
shipped by them - a small crack can result from many causes
including stress relief in the glass - and is no big deal compared
to the condition that it was returned in. We had the "as arrived at
consignee destination" pictures and the "as received in return by
original shipper" pictures to prove it.

The bottom line was that UPS figured that this would be covered by
the shipper's insurance so they didn't give a flying fig about
what happened to the package as they repacked it (by their own
request) and returned it.

>UPS moves quickly, packages literally fly through their hub. UPS gives
>recommendations on how to pack to survive. If you don't follow them,
>you are taking a very big risk.

A former neighbor retired as the regional UPS customer service chief
some years ago. The stories she told after retirement which were
similar to mine would make your hair stand up.

Perhaps they now have a better grade of handler ???? I seem to
feel that they have a better grade of delivery persons over the last
decade.

>FedEX's ground operations are identical to UPS's.

FedEx Ground is the former RPM. I have never had problems with them
and lately have done most of my business with FedEx.

>FedEX's air freight operations gain some protection from damage
>by forcing you to use their standardized boxes.

Never had problems with them.

--
73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

5144. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 00:19:15 UTC
From: Bill <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <d3066$43504b2a$4232bd3f$9905@COQUI.NET>
Source record: 12717
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Phil Kane wrote:

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Ya wanna know my gripe with both of them?

I live in Puerto Rico USA and neither of the two will treat this
location as domestic USA. Its International Air pricing right down the
line and discounted "ground" services are not offered.
The Postal Service doesn't have this lack of imagination and gets
"ground" (Parcel Post) here with sea shipping in a few days at rates
parallel with anywhere else in the US.

-Bill M

5145. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 04:34:33 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <vOidnYuXh_1GG83eRVn-hg@rcn.net>
Source record: 12718
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Bill wrote:

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> location as domestic USA. Its International Air pricing right down the
> line and discounted "ground" services are not offered.
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> "ground" (Parcel Post) here with sea shipping in a few days at rates
> parallel with anywhere else in the US.
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> -Bill M

It is an interesting gripe. The Postal service is US government subsidized, UPS and FedEX are private companies. Why should they charge you anything other than what it costs them to service your location? They charge everyone else a rate that is graduated based on distance traveled.

-Chuck

5146. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 05:13:06 UTC
From: Bill <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <f2e69$43508fe4$4232bd3f$19065@COQUI.NET>
Source record: 12719
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Chuck Harris wrote:

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> subsidized, UPS and FedEX are private companies. Why should they
> charge you anything other than what it costs them to service your
> location? They charge everyone else a rate that is graduated based
> on distance traveled.
>
> -Chuck

In fairness there are actually import 'technicalities' for shipping certain items to PR and implications of the local tax structure, not unlike the Canadian scenario. Not that they do a good job with the Canadian market either. But UPS/Fedex/etc simply refuse to equally service this market of 4 million US people and the sellers/vendors that have obliged themselves to shipping ONLY via UPS/Fedex wind up refusing our patronage.
I can't imagine them (or the affected vendors) telling everyone in say, the Toronto market, that "sorry, we don't serve that area" but thats the case here and I know Alaska and Hawaii suffer much of the same.
Kinda screwy but thats why its MY gripe! The thieving bandits at USPS work great for me...who needs those others? USPS will get a package to me from NY as cheap as it will get it to California, and often, quicker.

-Bill

5147. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 07:34:31 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <3ib1l1pv07bjsq1ial3qdd865tgpiul8l8@4ax.com>
Source record: 12720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 14 Oct 2005 11:17:50 -0700 (PDT), "Phil Kane"
<Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop> wrote:

>
> The only problem that I've had with the local UPS delivery here is
> that he leaves the package and rings the bell, and then it's a race
> to see if I can open the door before I see The Big Brown Truck drive
> off.

That was decided years ago. Numerous friends who work for UPS
tell me that, maybe ten or fifteen years ago, the beancounters figured
the extra deliveries that could be made instead of waiting for sigs
would easily cover the cost of stolen-off-the-doorstep shipments.

A friend told one of these people that a $600 antenna had been
left in plain sight under his exterior stairway and it might have been
nice to claim it wasn't delivered so he could have a spare for his
summer home.

But they have this wacko deal where it's at the driver's
discretion as to whether or not to require an adult's presence and
sig. I once had some computer books shipped from Amazon. I came home
to a yellow sticky saying the package had to be delivered to and
signed for by an adult. I called about it. No reason was given, but I
was told I could not just sign the yellow sticky and leave it on the
door.

Since the UPSsholes only work when I am at work, I had them
divert the shipment to work, hoping it wasn't some porn mis-shipped to
me for the amusement of the mailroom staff.

It was just my Amazon order, so I called UPS to ask what the
hell was up. They said the driver could make the non-overridable
judgement to require adult presence and sig. The nest they could guess
was that there might have been thefts of packages in my neighborhood,
so he decided to lay on the requirement.

5148. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 07:46:10 UTC
From: kashe@sonic.net
Message-ID: <rbc1l197vtfg1t0r6fmj7rupniuqmijt3h@4ax.com>
Source record: 12721
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Fri, 14 Oct 2005 16:49:54 -0500, "John N9JG"
<john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:

>Back in the minicomputer days, we had a disk drive for a DEC PDP11-70 on
>order. In those days drives were large and heavy, and a single drive might
>take up one-third of a rack. Well, the freight truck driver pulled up near
>the loading dock, opened the rear doors and backed the semi up to the
>loading dock. The driver got out again and looked around for unloading help.
>Not finding any help, he climbed inside the trailer and rolled the 120 pound
>crate out the back of the truck and down onto the loading dock. The height
>difference between the floor of the trailer and the loading dock was about
>four feet. The driver pulled forward, closed the trailer doors and drove
>off. Needless to say the drive didn't work, and the shock detector inside
>the packing crate indicated the drive had suffered at least one large
>impulse during shipment from the factory to the customer.

Not as serious, but I once had a drive about 2x3x4 feet in
size merely dropped off by UPS on an unattended, open loading dock --
no signature taken. That was on the shipper for not requiring a sig.
But it stood on the dock, only occasionally attended, for another
three days, with no notice to me -- my company's bad. When I fnally
called the vendor, they chased it down (pre-tracking-website) and
found it had been delivered three days earlier.

Dumb vendor -- when we later replacd a line printer with a
faster one, they were supposed to come and pick up the old one. They
screwed around for four months and finally came around for the
printer, on the third floor of a three-story building. Ha-ha -- by
that time, the freight elevator was out of service for a couple of
weeks for re-building. The vendor had to hire another outfit to come
out with expensive equipment capable of walking a heavy printer down
two wrapped flights of stairs.

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>"Chuck Harris" <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote in message
>news:EradnYbxLIV3jM3eRVn-1g@rcn.net...
>> Phil Kane wrote:
>[stuff]
>> Sounds like bovine excrement to me. I have dealt with companies in the
>> past...
>[stuff]
>

5149. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 13:43:49 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <EN2dnWwwoOwKmszenZ2dnUVZ_tOdnZ2d@rcn.net>
Source record: 12722
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Bill wrote:

> case here and I know Alaska and Hawaii suffer much of the same.

Both UPS and FedEX service Alaska and Hawaii with no problem. They
do charge you for the extra expense of getting to these remote locations
(as they should!).

-Chuck

5150. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 15:53:09 UTC
From: mike murphy <MURPHY@CTS.COM>
Message-ID: <MURPHY-351412.08530315102005@newsclstr02.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12723
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

In article <dip95umve1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>,
"John N9JG" <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:

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> order. In those days drives were large and heavy, and a single drive might
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> the loading dock, opened the rear doors and backed the semi up to the
> loading dock. The driver got out again and looked around for unloading help.
> Not finding any help, he climbed inside the trailer and rolled the 120 pound
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> difference between the floor of the trailer and the loading dock was about
> four feet. The driver pulled forward, closed the trailer doors and drove
> off. Needless to say the drive didn't work, and the shock detector inside
> the packing crate indicated the drive had suffered at least one large
> impulse during shipment from the factory to the customer.
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back in the "old days" didn't ups have a 70 lb limit on all boxes?

5151. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 16:37:11 UTC
From: "helmsman@mindspring.com" <helmsman@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <8mb2l1t7acljbbgblb711is3khff2vbcpv@4ax.com>
Source record: 12724
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

mike murphy <MURPHY@CTS.COM> wrote:

>In article <dip95umve1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>,
> "John N9JG" <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:
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>
>back in the "old days" didn't ups have a 70 lb limit on all boxes?

Now it's 150 lbs except for Hazmat which is still 70 lbs.
I deal with UPS daily and they SUCK!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
Hazmat non-conus is generally sent Fed Ex and I use them everyday.
Given a choice I would ship DHL or Fed-Ex always!

5152. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 18:05:49 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <8tmdnUmdTbVj2czeRVn-uw@rcn.net>
Source record: 12725
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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>>impulse during shipment from the factory to the customer.
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>
> back in the "old days" didn't ups have a 70 lb limit on all boxes?

Yep, this was a diversion to a gripe about an unnamed freight company.

-Chuck

5153. Need a manual Ameritron al-80B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 20:03:43 UTC
From: Gordon <lavere@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <KMCdnSUT1sWK_MzeRVn-ug@comcast.com>
Source record: 12726
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,1,LaVere,G,<lavere@comcast.net>

I just picked up a AL-80B and I need and operations manual.
contact k8ZIS lavere@comcast.net

5154. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 21:14:27 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ioeyo38.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 12728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Sat, 15 Oct 2005 07:34:31 GMT, kashe@sonic.net wrote:

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>> that he leaves the package and rings the bell, and then it's a race
>> to see if I can open the door before I see The Big Brown Truck drive
>> off.
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>tell me that, maybe ten or fifteen years ago, the beancounters figured
>the extra deliveries that could be made instead of waiting for sigs
>would easily cover the cost of stolen-off-the-doorstep shipments.
>
> A friend told one of these people that a $600 antenna had been
>left in plain sight under his exterior stairway and it might have been
>nice to claim it wasn't delivered so he could have a spare for his
>summer home.

I have checked the UPS Tracking system for all deliveries made when
I wasn't home and quite a number of them state "delivered to
addressee" rather than "left at destination".

Truth or consequences.....without a requirement for a sig, guess who
always wins.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

5155. Re: Need a manual Ameritron al-80B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-15 22:06:23 UTC
From: John <JohnASiegel@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <43517D66.5050005@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12727
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,1,LaVere,G,<lavere@comcast.net>

Gordon wrote:
> I just picked up a AL-80B and I need and operations manual.
> contact k8ZIS lavere@comcast.net

You can download it from the ameritron site

5156. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 03:55:38 UTC
From: Mike Coslo <mremovethiscoslo@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <ClidnWD3VOKnUszeRVn-oQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 12729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Ari Silversteinn wrote:
> On Tue, 04 Oct 2005 19:40:18 -0400, Mike Coslo wrote:
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>>Democrats anyhow!
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>> - Mike KB3EIA -
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I won't deny it!

Now, if you want my honest assessment, I find the whole thing fraught with ethical questions.

What if someone isn't listening to the radio when the message is broadcast? What about the people who don't live near railroad tracks?

If this thing is to *actually* work, it would have to be space based. Work with a database of the frequencies in use in the affected areas. broadcast on them as the need arises. FM will be easy. AM will be some more work. Of course you'll still have to deal with the people who aren't listening at the moment!

Of course if it just a research project to burn up some money, then *that* is a different subject altogether!

- Mike KB3EIA -

5157. FA: KENWOOD TM-261A-- YAESU FT-480 SSB/ FM--- LAFAYETTE 150MHz METER---- ALL ENDS SUNDAY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 13:10:19 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Ois4f.28967$Ge5.17599@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12730

Hi, posting this for a friend.

KENWOOD TM-261A 2 METER MOBILE- ENDS SUNDAY1:00 EST

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5817617499

YAESU FT-480R 2 METER SSB MOBILE, NEEDS WORK- ENDS SUNDAY AROUND
7:30 EST

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5817733223

LAFAYETTE POWER / SWR METER - TO 150MHz ENDS SUNDAY AROUND 9PM EST

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5817768036

Thanks for looking.....

73

5158. FS: ICOM 746 (non-pro)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 13:25:32 UTC
From: KC2LXA <tao_ning@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129469132.187735.45090@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12731

Excellent condition, rarely used. Original non-smoking owner. LCD
display protection plastic wrap never peeled off. Comes with original
packing box, mic, user manual, schematics, and power cord.

Asking for $800, plus shipping and insurance costs.

Please feel free to email me for questions.

Thanks.

73 DE KC2LXA

5159. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 15:33:33 UTC
From: "Dr.Ace" <NoSpam@BedfordSucks.com>
Message-ID: <4ca1d$435272b9$4e0b7ac$12582@DIALUPUSA.NET>
Source record: 12732
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I've got an idea.
How about installing flashing lights at rail road crossing, and maybe some bells.
Ace - WH2T

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5160. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 17:37:53 UTC
From: mike murphy <MURPHY@CTS.COM>
Message-ID: <MURPHY-C11671.10375316102005@newsclstr02.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12733
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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"helmsman@mindspring.com" <helmsman@mindspring.com> wrote:

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> I deal with UPS daily and they SUCK!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!!
> Hazmat non-conus is generally sent Fed Ex and I use them everyday.
> Given a choice I would ship DHL or Fed-Ex always!

We switched to fedex 2 years+ ago, no complaints.

ups drivers are nice guys (they still bring stuff here, and pick up on
ocasion) but the company (mostly insurence issues for us) sucks.

from my experience, they treat every insurence claim like fraud on the
part of their customers.

used ups for international shipments at the req of customers, they
messed up more times than not.

5161. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 19:38:14 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <G_x4f.793$S24.49713@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12734
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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Space-based wouldn't work. You can't get a spot footprint small enough on
the earth's surface to make this do-able. Iridium comes about the closest,
but would you put up a constellation to provide the footprints and not use
it 99.999999999% of the time? :-)

Cheers.

Ken

5162. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 19:57:54 UTC
From: mainframe_dude <os390@mainframedude.com>
Message-ID: <4352B0C1.A36E6B76@mainframedude.com>
Source record: 12735
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Busted by the ShockWatch !

Same thing happend to me, several
Datapoint computers (1985)
all had been subjected to over 5g's
so we refused the shipment,
shipper had to pay big $$$ to have
new items reshipped via a competior !

5163. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 19:58:21 UTC
From: mainframe_dude <os390@mainframedude.com>
Message-ID: <4352B0DC.C7E41427@att.net>
Source record: 12736
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Busted by the ShockWatch !

Same thing happend to me, several
Datapoint computers (1985)
all had been subjected to over 5g's
so we refused the shipment,
shipper had to pay big $$$ to have
new items reshipped via a competior !

5164. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 19:58:46 UTC
From: mainframe_dude <os390@mainframedude.com>
Message-ID: <4352B0F5.BB78E27C@att.com>
Source record: 12737
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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shipper had to pay big $$$ to have
new items reshipped via a competior !

5165. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 19:59:07 UTC
From: mainframe_dude <os390@mainframedude.com>
Message-ID: <4352B10A.5E06CD5@aol.com>
Source record: 12738
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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new items reshipped via a competior !

5166. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 19:59:28 UTC
From: mainframe_dude <os390@mainframedude.com>
Message-ID: <4352B11F.1278CC45@aol.com>
Source record: 12739
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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new items reshipped via a competior !

5167. Free Competition - Win an Icom IC-V82

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-16 22:14:51 UTC
From: Richard g4tut <g4tut@southgatearc.org>
Message-ID: <n4k5l11n6dhtr032446pev32c0s78m88kf@4ax.com>
Source record: 12740

There is a free competition running on the Southgate Amateur Radio
Club's website.

The prize is a brand-new Icom IC-V82 high-power handheld transceiver,
kindly donated by Icom-UK Ltd

To enter the competition, you just need to answer a simple question.
The competition page can be found at:
http://www.southgatearc.org/competitions/ic-v82.htm

The competition closes on the 4th January, so there's plenty of time
to get your entries in. You can make one entry per day.

Good Luck!

Daily Amateur Radio News Service
http://www.southgatearc.org

5168. Free: Radiotron Designer's Handbook, 4th Edition

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-17 08:01:34 UTC
From: Me <me@myisp.net>
Message-ID: <1129536120.0c33d5be8a06aaaea1e7478b02fe3c9c@teranews>
Source record: 12741

http://thepiratebay.org/details.php?id=3397758

5169. FS: Compaq Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-17 13:53:20 UTC
From: RadAct <n7rcm@pobox.com>
Message-ID: <k1O4f.1850$fc7.1787@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12742

This is an Armada 1560DM K6/2 200mhz, 96m memory, 4g hd, 11.5" color screen, usb, modem, sound and all other ports. Has a CD and floppy built in. This is an all in one form
factor, drives stay in together. Non of that dumb swapping. Comes with power cord and a very good battery.

Price: $150 obo plus shipping. I prefer paypal. Add 3% for fees if you use that service.
I will also take Cashiers Checks or Postal Money orders.

Thanks. Juan

5170. Re: FS: Compaq Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-17 16:03:13 UTC
From: et472@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <dj0i01onv1@theodyn.ncf.ca>
Source record: 12743

"RadAct" (n7rcm@pobox.com) writes:
> This is an Armada 1560DM K6/2 200mhz

You obviously missed the part about this being for the discussion
of amateur radio equipment.

Despite the ads, this is not a buy and sell newsgroup.

You've blown it twice, by placing an ad, and by trying to sell
something that isn't even a piece of amateur radio equipment.

Michael VE2BVW

5171. Re: FS: Compaq Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-17 18:36:51 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <4ir7l192ctv0ut7vlgmlh1mubsjm1gi9lt@4ax.com>
Source record: 12744

In his defense, when I look back at the last year of posts to this newsgroup, 90% are for audit and for sale. So if it wasn't intended to be a for sale newsgroup, that is certainly what it has become.

As far as a laptop. I think that is close enough to pure ham radio equipment to be discussed here. I am in the process of getting a used laptop specifically to be used to program my Kenwoods, and nothing else. Call it what you want, the laptop will be an integral part of my ham station.

Dick - W6CCD

On 17 Oct 2005 16:03:13 GMT, et472@FreeNet.Carleton.CA (Michael Black) wrote:

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>something that isn't even a piece of amateur radio equipment.
>
> Michael VE2BVW

5172. Re: FS: Compaq Laptop

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-17 19:43:15 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <B7T4f.35456$Lp.19430@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12745

Yeah,,, what he said.
Are you posting with a ham radio . ? LOL
Nice thread going now eh
What about some of the new rigs that use PC's for control and display
Some don't even have control heads anymore. Wheeeee think digital
And there goes another Straight Key dude riding into the sunset.....

Cheers K4TWO Gary

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:4ir7l192ctv0ut7vlgmlh1mubsjm1gi9lt@4ax.com...
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> newsgroup, 90% are for audit and for sale. So if it wasn't intended
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5173. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-17 19:49:16 UTC
From: kla1899 <spam@ftc.gov>
Message-ID: <Xns96F2A1ECC4F7Bnottodaycom@130.81.64.196>
Source record: 12746
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

k5dh@raytheon.com (-=H=-) wrote in news:GQ73f.1$z21.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com:

> Hi all,
>
> I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
> Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
> FedEx Ground. Here's why:
>
> Two packages:
> (1) weight 33.60 lbs, size 24 x 21 x 16 inches, insured $900
> (2) weight 13.95 lbs, size 22 x 22 x 14 inches, insured $100
>
> FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
> UPS Ground, delivery in 4-5 business days, cost $56.07
>
> UPS would have charged $17.30 more than FedEx (that's almost
> 45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
> To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
>
> Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

It's not only cheaper to use FedEx they do a better job. We ship computer equipment all over the USA, i.e. will build the Conquest Systems :-) The guys at UPS kick the boxs all over, the guys at FedEx carry them. When we used UPS about 8% where damaged on delivery with FedEx less the .01% of .01% get damaged.

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kla1899

5174. WTB: COLLINS 399C-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-17 20:44:06 UTC
From: w4nj <w4nj@cs.com>
Message-ID: <1129581846.758773.14320@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12747

I am looking for a Collins 399C-1 for my KWM-2. Please email or call me
with condition and price. PICS would be great!

Thank you,

Cliff - W4NJ CCA 11765
352-799-0708

5175. FS: Azden PCS 5000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-18 03:17:48 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <HcydnT9BNd7B9MneRVn-sQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 12598

Have a estate item. Azden PCS-5000 2 meter FM
have mic and mounting bracket and it works fine.

35 watts high power.

$85 plus shipping

Steve

No original box or manual.

5176. FS Comet CF-4160 Duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-18 04:21:53 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <gL_4f.42646$b65.31922@okepread01>
Source record: 12599

I have for sale a Comet CF-4160 Duplexer for 2m/440. 800/500watts, SO239
connectors. It works fine, a little scratched up.
Price is $30 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5177. Standard C110 2m handie?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-18 07:48:01 UTC
From: Dave Bullock <DaveB@ihr.mrc.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <dj29bh$957$2@oyez.ccc.nottingham.ac.uk>
Source record: 12600

Anyone ever heard of a STANDARD Communications Corp. C110 handie.
To all intents and purposes it looks like a Hambands 2 metre hand held,
yet I can't find any reference to it existing.
If you have any info I would appreciate an email.

Thanks

5178. FS: Icom 706 HF/50/144 AllMode Mobile

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-18 14:21:19 UTC
From: Rossie10 <rossie10@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <p61al151sccjmsj3pmoa4b27ap5j525fh7@4ax.com>
Source record: 12601

FS: Icom 706 HF/50/144 AllMode Mobile
Looks and works great.
Price: 450.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

5179. Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-18 18:28:10 UTC
From: Kb2sin <kb2sin@stny.rr.com>
Message-ID: <_8b5f.58335$XI2.10594@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 12602

I have (2) 100 channel Motorola UHF HT's with out batteries. 1 has an
antenna the other doesn't.
I am looking to trade both of these for a decent dual band mobile. If you
are interested, please email me at kb2sin@stny.rr.com
Thank You
de kb2sin
Bill

5180. FA - Unbuilt Heathkit IM-18 Vacuum Tube Volt Meter for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-18 21:25:03 UTC
From: dazzlah@mac.com
Message-ID: <1129670703.947754.83900@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12603

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5820800029

5181. Wanted: manual for Heathkit GW-22A c.b. radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-19 12:19:56 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <MRq5f.1$IY4.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12604
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I'm looking for an original manual (or quality copy)
for the Heathkit GW-22A c.b. radio. Do you have one
that you can part with, or let me borrow to make my
own copy of?

Yes, I'm aware of the MANY on-line vendors who sell
manuals, but I'm just not interested in paying $20
plus postage for a photocopy. I'm hoping that one
of my fellow radio enthusiasts will have the manual
and be willing to help me out. That's what we used
to do... before it became all about the money.

73,
Dean K5DH

5182. Kenwood TH-215A and TH-205A keypad question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 00:09:53 UTC
From: Ryan Stapleton <ryans_linux@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <lfB5f.11733$2Y2.6554@trnddc05>
Source record: 12605

Hello All,
I have 2 older Kenwood HTs that have what I am calling degrated
keypads. Some of the buttons are very hard to push or you have to mess
with them to make them work. Does anyone have any suggestions on
"reviving" the keypads or is this just a part of being old?

Thanks
-Ryan
KA3WUT

5183. Re: Kenwood TH-215A and TH-205A keypad question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 00:24:51 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <rtB5f.1486$S24.102807@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12606

"Ryan Stapleton" <ryans_linux@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:lfB5f.11733$2Y2.6554@trnddc05...
> Hello All,
> I have 2 older Kenwood HTs that have what I am calling degrated
> keypads. Some of the buttons are very hard to push or you have to mess
> with them to make them work. Does anyone have any suggestions on
> "reviving" the keypads or is this just a part of being old?
>
> Thanks
> -Ryan
> KA3WUT

I've been able to 'revive' some keypads by pulling the keypads out (a mission in itself in a HT!) and disassembling, and then using a toothbrush and meth's or probably better yet a contact cleaner on the PCB tracks (I'm assuming here that it's the sort of keypad which has the switch traces on a PCB and a small conductive 'button' within the rubber membrane that goes over the PCB. Also clean those 'buttons'; I've used a soft cloth with alcohol or it they're really dirty a brush again. I've always erred on the side of caution and not gone to town on the bits in case I scratch away any protective layers and hasten the corrosion that I'm trying to get rid of.

Cheers.

Ken

5184. disassemble Syntor x9000 radio connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 02:33:48 UTC
From: nixon8890@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1129775628.309888.51480@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12607

Hi Folks,

Does anyone know how to disassemble or cut apart the molded connector
which attaches to the radio? I need to jump some wires for a RIB.

Thanks so much,
Nick

5185. Re: disassemble Syntor x9000 radio connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 03:19:47 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1dc0acafefe5a7439896c4@192.168.42.131>
Source record: 12608

In article <1129775628.309888.51480@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
nixon8890@gmail.com says...

> Hi Folks,
>
> Does anyone know how to disassemble or cut apart the molded connector
> which attaches to the radio? I need to jump some wires for a RIB.

????

Are you trying to program the radio? If so, there are better ways
than slaughtering the personality board to do it.

If you need a programming cable, I may be able to help. I
periodically get the raw materials to make such, then I do so and put
them up for sale on greed-bay. I usually price them around $40 or so.

Alternatively, if you need programming and bench-test services I
can help with that as well.

http://www.bluefeathertech.com/rf.html

Keep in mind that if you're trying to squeeze ham frequencies in
there, programming is only half the battle. Unless you want your
receiver to be "deef as a post," you need to retune the preselector
using a spectrum analyzer and tracking generator. It's a time-consuming
process (usually takes about 45 minutes or so to set up and get it
right), and not one that one should attempt without the proper test
gear.

Happy tweaking.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

5186. Wanted: D-104 or Shure 444

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 09:27:36 UTC
From: gil <gi1pi@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129800456.622934.93870@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12609

Wanted a D-104 non-amplified or a Shure 444, not interested in
collectors condition, just as long as it works I dont care what it
looks like.
Please email me direct, thanks.

Gil

5187. Re: Emergency Messaging, AM/FM *On Locomotive*

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 11:17:17 UTC
From: sixfoot7@sccoast.net
Message-ID: <1129807037.819534.243890@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12610
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

If you want to see an unpolite newsgroup, post a home owner message at
alt.hvac and watch it fly.

Stretch

5188. Re: FS: ICOM 746 (non-pro)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 12:40:37 UTC
From: KC2LXA <tao_ning@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129812037.402536.163970@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12611

SOLD

5189. FS: Kenwood TS-450S HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 14:46:59 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <sebfl11obe0doq35cs4cpuvrufrmckb9kd@4ax.com>
Source record: 12612

FS: Kenwood TS-450S HF Transceiver
Works and looks fine.
Comes with Power cord and microphone.
Price: 425.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

5190. Re: disassemble Syntor x9000 radio connector?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 15:02:02 UTC
From: nixon8890@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1129819796.532737.140780@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12613

Thanks Anton. Yes, I understand the programming and tuning process.
I'm trying to 'disassemble' the plastic molded connector at the end of
the radio wiring harness. This connector attaches to the radio itself.

The goal is to solder an ethernet pigtail to programming signals. With
this done, I should be able to connect to the radio with a standard
ethernet connector. The ethernet cable will connect to the RIB box
with an RS-232 on the other end. I could alternatively purchase a "T"
connector, but I heard these are expensive.

If someone has sucessfully taken apart the molded connector and
re-assembled, I would like to hear the results.

Thanks,
Nick

5191. FS: Icom 706 HF/50/144 AllMode Mobile..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 16:51:36 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ioifl1pv0gvk82tv32ukfbi47pd8hg9rd2@4ax.com>
Source record: 12614

FS: Icom 706 HF/50/144 AllMode Mobile..
With voice module.
Looks and works great.
Price: 450.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

5192. wtb roller inductor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-20 21:11:14 UTC
From: buddy <buddycl@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <SJT5f.5210$tV6.1753@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 12615

need a roller inductor that has about 25uh and measures 3x3x8 inchs

larry
kd5foy

5193. Need manual for CES 5200 Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 00:11:03 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1129853463.143962.50340@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12616

I need a manual for a Communication Electronics Specialists (CES) 5200
Programmable Interconnect. Also need one for a Interconnect
Specialists Inc. FDI-2200. Any help on these would be greatly
appreciated! Thanks and 73s
Tim N7XAU

5194. Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 01:23:08 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129857788.866667.288350@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12617
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would be interested in hearing a recommendation for a charger for
lead acid batteries.

I am looking for a charger that gives an indication of charging status
(no idiot lights please), capability for flooded cells, sealed lead
acid and any other options you have found useful.

Also, what do you use to charge your lead acid batteries?

Thanks

TMT

5195. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 01:32:54 UTC
From: Steve Spence <sspence@green-trust.org>
Message-ID: <azX5f.30741$Ge5.23285@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12618
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Too_Many_Tools wrote:
> I would be interested in hearing a recommendation for a charger for
> lead acid batteries.
>
> I am looking for a charger that gives an indication of charging status
> (no idiot lights please), capability for flooded cells, sealed lead
> acid and any other options you have found useful.
>
> Also, what do you use to charge your lead acid batteries?
>
> Thanks
>
> TMT
>

This is the one I use:

http://www.green-trust.org/photoalbum/2005%20Housatonic%20Camping%20Trip/slides/charger.html

http://tinyurl.com/c7vkr

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Steve Spence
Dir., Green Trust, http://www.green-trust.org
Contributing Editor, http://www.off-grid.net
http://www.rebelwolf.com/essn.html

5196. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 01:45:48 UTC
From: Solar Flare <sflare@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <uO2dneO65_Ki1cXenZ2dnUVZ_s-dnZ2d@golden.net>
Source record: 12619
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

This will also depend on the application of your batteries.
Will they be deep cycled often?
Will they just sit on flaot charge except for emergencies?
Will they be a room temperature always?

"Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1129857788.866667.288350@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
> I would be interested in hearing a recommendation for a charger for
> lead acid batteries.
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> I am looking for a charger that gives an indication of charging status
> (no idiot lights please), capability for flooded cells, sealed lead
> acid and any other options you have found useful.
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> Also, what do you use to charge your lead acid batteries?
>
> Thanks
>
> TMT
>

5197. Re: wtb roller inductor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 02:15:03 UTC
From: DaveM <masondg4499@comcast99.net>
Message-ID: <r-CdnQ1ZNeWcyMXeRVn-rQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 12623

"buddy" <buddycl@swbell.net> wrote in message
news:SJT5f.5210$tV6.1753@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net...
> need a roller inductor that has about 25uh and measures 3x3x8 inchs
>
> larry
> kd5foy
>
>

Usually reliable sources for roller inductors are:
http://www.fairradio.com/induct.htm
http://www.surplussales.com/Antennas/TransVarInductor.html

You might Google around for them too... Just search for "roller inductor".
Ebay can sometimes be a great source for oddball stuff.. Ya never know!!!
Cheers!!!!

--
Dave M
MasonDG44 at comcast dot net (Just substitute the appropriate characters in
the address)

Never take a laxative and a sleeping pill at the same time!!

5198. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 02:15:46 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129860946.148552.271510@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12620
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"This will also depend on the application of your batteries.
Will they be deep cycled often?
Will they just sit on flaot charge except for emergencies?
Will they be a room temperature always? "

All of the above.

So which charger(s) do you recommend?

Thanks

TMT

5199. Is there an aftermarket quadbander HT Antenna for the following bands?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 02:28:57 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <1ikgl1h5ctg8vgf0g4no3oeao9bbmfk91h@4ax.com>
Source record: 12621

6M/2M/220/440. I can find some other variations by Diamond (for
instance), but not the aforementioned from any manufacturer.

Buther Boy

--
Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
~

5200. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 02:36:58 UTC
From: Steve Spence <sspence@green-trust.org>
Message-ID: <evY5f.30744$Ge5.24805@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12622
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Too_Many_Tools wrote:
> "This will also depend on the application of your batteries.
> Will they be deep cycled often?
> Will they just sit on flaot charge except for emergencies?
> Will they be a room temperature always? "
>
> All of the above.
>
> So which charger(s) do you recommend?
>
> Thanks
>
> TMT
>
Actually, those questions really don't have much bearing on what charger
you want. You want a 3 stage charger that can handle your battery type,
and ah rating.

--
Steve Spence
Dir., Green Trust, http://www.green-trust.org
Contributing Editor, http://www.off-grid.net
http://www.rebelwolf.com/essn.html

5201. Differences between Knight T-150 and T-150A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 14:23:37 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <JR66f.5$bu.3@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12624
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

What are the differences between the Knight T-150 and T-150A?
People keep telling me, "There aren't many differences", but
no one has told me what's different. Anyone know?

73,
Dean K5DH

5202. Re: Differences between Knight T-150 and T-150A?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 19:11:12 UTC
From: Northe Osbrink <northe@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <k3b6f.3878$fc7.976@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12625
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Dean,

> What are the differences between the Knight T-150 and T-150A?
> People keep telling me, "There aren't many differences", but
> no one has told me what's different. Anyone know?
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH
>

You can see schematics and chassis top views of the two transmitters by
scrolling down at:
http://www.virhistory.com/ham/kits.html

The only major difference that I can see is that the T-150A has trimmer
capacitors across L-2 and L-3 in the VFO -- probably to try to help with
VFO stability (notoriously drifty on many T-150s). There may be changes
to some of the other component values as well, but they weren't
immediately obvious.

Northe
N6KO

5203. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 21:32:09 UTC
From: Solar Flare <sflare@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ILqdnb0RyuTRw8TeRVn-qQ@golden.net>
Source record: 12626
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It is impossible to all of those conditions. They can't sit on flaot all the time and be deep cycled frequently. These situations are contrary.

If they just sit on float all the time a simple float set voltage regulated charger with equalize (manual or peroidic) will do. Current limiting is a pretty good safety feature to have also.

If you deep cycle you batteries you may want a charger that adds "bulk" and "fast charge" rates as well.

If you batteries are in an uncontrolled temperature (as mine are) then you will also need temperature voltage compensation. 0.17% per degree outside of 25 deg C. (depending on type) This means at -30C you need to equalize your 12 volt bank at 15.7 volts. OTOH, this voltage will boil your 12 battery dry in the summer.

I am not familiar with smaller battery charger brand names or features for alternative energy usage.

"Steve Spence" <sspence@green-trust.org> wrote in message news:evY5f.30744$Ge5.24805@fe10.lga...
> Too_Many_Tools wrote:
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> > All of the above.
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> > So which charger(s) do you recommend?
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> Actually, those questions really don't have much bearing on what charger
> you want. You want a 3 stage charger that can handle your battery type,
> and ah rating.
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> --
> Steve Spence
> Dir., Green Trust, http://www.green-trust.org
> Contributing Editor, http://www.off-grid.net
> http://www.rebelwolf.com/essn.html

5204. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-21 23:58:56 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <sguil1ld77bibt0mko2vuklhkksj0s3dv6@4ax.com>
Source record: 12627
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 20 Oct 2005 18:23:08 -0700, "Too_Many_Tools"
<too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote:

>I would be interested in hearing a recommendation for a charger for
>lead acid batteries.
>
>I am looking for a charger that gives an indication of charging status
>(no idiot lights please), capability for flooded cells, sealed lead
>acid and any other options you have found useful.
>
>Also, what do you use to charge your lead acid batteries?

You don't say what AH rating your batteries are but for my pair of
deep-cycle flooded batteries in my RV I use a homebuilt three-stage
charger.

Most (all) of the commercially available crap uses switch-mode
conversion/regulation that generates gobs of EMI/RFI.

I built a 30A, three-stage analog charger. Not wanting to reinvent
the wheel, I used an Astron RS-35M power supply

http://www.astroncorp.com/linear.shtml

for the transformer/rectifier/filter/pass trasistors and an A-A
Engineering

http://www.a-aengineering.com/

"smart charger" board that I modified, for charge control. The board
uses the Unitrode (now TI) UC3906 IC

http://www.ti.com/sc/docs/psheets/abstract/apps/slua115.htm

that is specifically designed for this.

Sorry, there are a couple of idiot lights, but the supply also has
honest to goodness meters too.

5205. Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 01:38:25 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129945105.293877.127410@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12628
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

I am looking to buy a PORTABLE HDTV set.

Are there any available...I can't seem to find anything but LARGE sets
that are anything but portable.

Also I would like to hear anyone's experience with a HDTV set that is
being used while traveling in a RV.

Thanks

TMT

5206. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 01:42:27 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129945346.995797.197670@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12629
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

It's possible to have all those conditions with different batteries for
differnet purposes.

TMT

5207. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 01:58:09 UTC
From: Steve Spence <sspence@green-trust.org>
Message-ID: <P0h6f.2680$fn.992@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12630
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Too_Many_Tools wrote:
> It's possible to have all those conditions with different batteries for
> differnet purposes.
>
> TMT
>

and One Charger to rule them all, One Charger to bind them.

--
Steve Spence
Dir., Green Trust, http://www.green-trust.org
Contributing Editor, http://www.off-grid.net
http://www.rebelwolf.com/essn.html

5208. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 02:08:41 UTC
From: RobH <Rob@aol.com>
Message-ID: <Xns96F6D728935EFy8k590k@24.93.43.121>
Source record: 12631
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

"Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in
news:1129945105.293877.127410@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com:

> I am looking to buy a PORTABLE HDTV set.
>
> Are there any available...I can't seem to find anything but LARGE sets
> that are anything but portable.
>
> Also I would like to hear anyone's experience with a HDTV set that is
> being used while traveling in a RV.
>
> Thanks
>
> TMT
>
>

Look on Amazon. These are all under $500.

Sharp LC-13B6U-S 13" AQUOS HDTV-Ready
Zenith Z15LA7R 15" Flat Panel HD-Ready LCD TV
Philips 15PF8946 15" HDTV-Ready Flat Panel TV
Sharp Aquos LC-15B9US 15" HD-Ready LCD

5209. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 02:17:35 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129947455.133936.61970@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12632
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

I should have mentioned that the set needs to be battery powered.

TMT

5210. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 02:53:17 UTC
From: budgie <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <p9ajl1t58u9goh07ndajtmhlf4tusc4si9@4ax.com>
Source record: 12633
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On Fri, 21 Oct 2005 16:58:56 -0700, Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com> wrote:

>On 20 Oct 2005 18:23:08 -0700, "Too_Many_Tools"
><too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote:
>
>>I would be interested in hearing a recommendation for a charger for
>>lead acid batteries.
>>
>>I am looking for a charger that gives an indication of charging status
>>(no idiot lights please), capability for flooded cells, sealed lead
>>acid and any other options you have found useful.
(snip)
>
>"smart charger" board that I modified, for charge control. The board
>uses the Unitrode (now TI) UC3906 IC
>
>http://www.ti.com/sc/docs/psheets/abstract/apps/slua115.htm
>
>that is specifically designed for this.

I use and freely recommend the UC3906 for SLA's, but have never investigated
their use on flooded cells. Very interesting .....

5211. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 02:59:06 UTC
From: afiggatt <afiggatt@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <YMudnQAhPO7VNsTeRVn-iA@adelphia.com>
Source record: 12634
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

RobH wrote:

> "Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in
> news:1129945105.293877.127410@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com:
>
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>>Are there any available...I can't seem to find anything but LARGE sets
>>that are anything but portable.
>>
>>Also I would like to hear anyone's experience with a HDTV set that is
>>being used while traveling in a RV.
>>
>>Thanks
>>
>>TMT
>
> Look on Amazon. These are all under $500.
>
> Sharp LC-13B6U-S 13" AQUOS HDTV-Ready
> Zenith Z15LA7R 15" Flat Panel HD-Ready LCD TV
> Philips 15PF8946 15" HDTV-Ready Flat Panel TV
> Sharp Aquos LC-15B9US 15" HD-Ready LCD

"HD-Ready" means HD TV sets without ATSC (or QAM) tuners. The OP
didn't say, but I suspect that TMT is looking for a portable HD TV with
an ATSC tuner to pick up the local digital broadcast stations. I have
not heard of any such portable HD TVs with digital tuners on the market
yet. If the TV is for an RV, the only option may be to go for a portable
HD TV (15" widescreen is damn small however) and buy a ATSC tuner set
top box for it, but the ATSC STB will require AC power.

Alan F

5212. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 04:25:26 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129955126.419266.248660@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12635
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Any pictures of this homemade charger?

Sounds interesting.

TMT

5213. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 05:10:15 UTC
From: dg <dan_gus@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <XQj6f.3232$dO2.2548@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 12636
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment

"RobH" <Rob@aol.com> wrote in message
news:Xns96F6D728935EFy8k590k@24.93.43.121...

> Look on Amazon. These are all under $500.
>
> Sharp LC-13B6U-S 13" AQUOS HDTV-Ready
> Zenith Z15LA7R 15" Flat Panel HD-Ready LCD TV
> Philips 15PF8946 15" HDTV-Ready Flat Panel TV
> Sharp Aquos LC-15B9US 15" HD-Ready LCD

Not to slam your suggestions, but man is it sad what is being passed off as "HD". All the sets mentioned are 4:3 AR, the first on the list even has a native res of 640x480! It seems like such a shame to start with such a small monitor with low res and then lose so much real estate by displaying 16:9 HD on it. "Pimp my ride" put a 40"+ plasma set in a VW bus, I'd tend to think a little more on that end of the size spectrum but not so extreme.

--Dan

5214. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 06:07:30 UTC
From: Wes Newell <w.newell@TAKEOUTverizon.net>
Message-ID: <pan.2005.10.22.06.10.02.172710@TAKEOUTverizon.net>
Source record: 12637
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

On Fri, 21 Oct 2005 18:38:25 -0700, Too_Many_Tools wrote:

> I am looking to buy a PORTABLE HDTV set.
>
> Are there any available...I can't seem to find anything but LARGE sets
> that are anything but portable.
>
> Also I would like to hear anyone's experience with a HDTV set that is
> being used while traveling in a RV.
>
I've looked all over for about a 20" HDTV with builkt in tuner and came up
empty, so I just decided to order an HDTV tuner for my PC. It's a heck of
lot cheaper too. This would seem to be a perfect solution for an RV.

--
KT133 MB, CPU @2400MHz (24x100): SIS755 MB CPU @2330MHz (10x233)
Need good help? Provide all system info with question.
My server http://wesnewell.no-ip.com/cpu.php
Verizon server http://mysite.verizon.net/res0exft/cpu.htm

5215. WTB:Heathkit parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 13:17:29 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <JZq6f.167237$qY1.29026@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12638
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Looking for a replacement round dial scale (0-100) for SB series and a low B+ choke for SB-401. What you got hidden away????? Joe

5216. Re: need 73's article

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 14:06:18 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1129989978.692568.308580@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12639

Jim, I have that issue of 73, and I am looking at the article now. I
can scan it and email it to you. Looks like a fun project! If the
scanning and/or emailing doesnt work then I can just copy and mail it
to you. Have fun building!
73s
Tim N7XAU

Jim wrote:
> I need to get 'hold of a copy of an article from the November 1998 issue of
> 73's magazine.
>
> The article is entitled "Build the Fox TTL Foxhunt transmitter".
> I thought I might be able to find it in a library somewhere, but no luck
> there. It appears libraries generally don't keep these back issues very
> long.
>
> Does someone have a copy I could get photo copied or scanned and emailed?
>
> Thanks
> Jim
> jbasi@cfw.com

5217. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 15:43:26 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <allkl11l7v43827her8mj71ngepe9bk2oj@4ax.com>
Source record: 12640
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 21 Oct 2005 21:25:26 -0700, "Too_Many_Tools"
<too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Any pictures of this homemade charger?
>
>Sounds interesting.

Before: http://users.triconet.org/wesandlinda/Figure_1.jpg

The circuit board has the 723 and other low power stuff and is removed
and discarded.

After: http://users.triconet.org/wesandlinda/Astron_A_A.jpg

This is not quite the final view. When I took this, I had yet to
receive the precision power resistor that I needed for the current
sampling shunt and was using the DC resistance of a piece of wire for
that.

Sorry no write-up or schematic at this time. I thought about doing it
by saw no market for an article.

Also, consider that this is set up for one max current condition that
is related to the AH rating of your battery and what fraction of same
you want to charge at. I have some ideas on how to make this
variable, but have not implemented them because this design fits my
requirements.

If you decide to use a '3906 here is a little spreadsheet I threw
together to calculate resistor values, etc. Disregard references to
"equalize voltage" as this is not a function of the IC.

http://users.triconet.org/wesandlinda/BatteryCharger.xls

The stuff in the blue boxes is for user input.

5218. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 15:49:47 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1129996187.441107.56240@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12641
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Thanks for the information.

Frankly I am surprised by the lack of response on this question....I do appreciate the comments I have gotten so far.

Do you think maybe some people just throw away their lead acid batteries instead of recharging them? ;<)

TMT

5219. racal 9087

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 15:58:29 UTC
From: PATRICK <f6iib@free.fr>
Message-ID: <7c72eb6686d18c7a54957302454@news.free.fr>
Source record: 12642

I am looking for the RACAL 9087 service and user manuals
rgds
f6iib
patrick

5220. WTB: LK-800 Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 17:44:32 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <qjukl15uits46a3vg638b60fjldo5hsp23@4ax.com>
Source record: 12643

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WTB: LK-800 Amplifier
Looking for the LK-800 Amplifier.
Please respond email with condition and price.
ritchi50@optonline.net
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5221. FS: CW Fox-Tango Crystal Filter for Yeasu FT-757GX / FT-767GX, 250 Hz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 18:45:59 UTC
From: Mike Nowlen <mnowlen@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <t62ll19ma3rn21aad4cv5amsm4gsbf4em2@4ax.com>
Source record: 12644
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

For Sale: Fox-Tango Model S102-025 250 Hz CW Crystal Filter for Yeasu
models FT-757GX / FT-767GX. With original box.

$60 includes shipping in US.

Specifications:
1. Ultimate rejection: > 80 dB
2. Ripple: < 2 dB
3. Typical insertion loss: 250 Hz: < 9 dB dB
4. Zin/Zout: 2000 ohms
Physical: 36 x 22 x 20 mm
Reference 1201.1
Filter Fits By: Drop In
Bandwidth at 6dB 250
Mode CW 1 IF
Center Freq. KHz 8215.9

Please email any replies.
Thanks for reading.

Mike Nowlen
WB4UKB
mnowlen@comcast.net

5222. ICOM CK-11 Cable Kit for IC435 Series Transcivers: $25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 18:48:17 UTC
From: Mike Nowlen <mnowlen@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <c82ll1d3d0f11e019bqcs4r3ef1jcmk7ji@4ax.com>
Source record: 12645
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

New Icom remote cable kit complete with mounting and hardware in
original box for Icom Series Commercial Mobile Transceivers

CK-11 for IC435: $25

+ actual shipping costs. Email with zip code for shipping costs.

mnowlen@comcast.net

5223. Buy and Sell your Tube Gear!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 19:33:32 UTC
From: Jeff James <cbstv@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <huw6f.33337$Ge5.828@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12646

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You never know what you'll find..
http://www.dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi
FREE ads Dedicated to Vintage Amateur Radio...
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5224. Re: Lead Acid Battery Charger Recommendation

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 20:23:04 UTC
From: Pete C <petecnews@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <nj7ll1pcm876l8r84rjqpjkh4c9kefr35q@4ax.com>
Source record: 12647
Cross-posted to: sci.chem.electrochem.battery,alt.energy.homepower,sci.electronics.repair,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

On 22 Oct 2005 08:49:47 -0700, "Too_Many_Tools"
<too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Thanks for the information.
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>Frankly I am surprised by the lack of response on this question....I do
>appreciate the comments I have gotten so far.
>
>Do you think maybe some people just throw away their lead acid
>batteries instead of recharging them? ;<)

Another vote for a 3 stage charger. But for best lifespan I'd shallow
cycle occasionally so the battery gets a topping charge (say a 30%
discharge every 3 months). See:

<http://www.allegromicro.com/techpub2/cadex/index3311.htm>
<http://www.buchmann.ca/Chap4-page6.asp>
<http://www.google.com/search?hl=en&safe=off&client=opera&rls=en&q=sla+float+charging+sulfation&spell=1>

cheers,
Pete.

5225. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 20:38:36 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3rvmacFlqdtfU1@individual.net>
Source record: 12548
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

Standard C468A LNIB-------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Pictures of some radios can be found at www.mantico.com/4sale.htm
I will have all items on line as soon as posssible.

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

5226. How to receive out of band signals..

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-22 20:59:48 UTC
From: SOMMERGIBILE <nomailtosp@mmers.it.invalid>
Message-ID: <435aa9a3$0$8479$5fc30a8@news.tiscali.it>
Source record: 12549

by an VHF or UHF radio and other projects on:
http://web.tiscali.it/am2zy/index.html

5227. Need manual for Interconnect Specialists Inc FDI-2200 Interconnect!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 00:33:54 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1130027634.741820.87780@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12550

The subject says it all, if you have one I need a copy! These things seem to be pretty rare and so do the manuals. Any help would be appreciated!
73s
Tim N7XAU
tmize57...@juno.com

5228. FA : electronic tubes, ceramic insulators, spare parts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 08:35:56 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <3s10bdFkin2oU1@individual.net>
Source record: 12551

http://search.ebay.it/_W0QQsassZrightrikQQhtZ-1

73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

5229. FA: Heathkit Digital Memory Oscilloscope Model 4850

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 13:20:18 UTC
From: Dom1234 <dom1234@tiscali.co.uk>
Message-ID: <435b8e2a$1_3@mk-nntp-2.news.uk.tiscali.com>
Source record: 12552

Heathkit Digital Memory Oscilloscope Model 4850
including manual, data sheets, diagrams and software
is for auction at the following address:

http://cgi.ebay.co.uk/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=7556535375&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

I will send this anywhere in the world for
£15 (surface mail) or FREE in the UK.

More photos are here:

http://www.computerbitz.co.uk/info/Heathkit.html

5230. MFJ-209 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 13:56:42 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <435B969A.1060900@netscape.net>
Source record: 12553

I bought a basket case MFJ-209.
The available manuals are missing the schematic.
Anybody gone to the trouble of making one?
Please save me the trouble of reverse-engineering
the schematic.
Thanks, mike
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Wanted, Serial cable for Dell Axim X5 PDA.
Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

5231. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 20:34:49 UTC
From: Bill Turner <noway@nohow.com>
Message-ID: <xn0e8u3br1wqpj000@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12554
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Guido Sarducci from NYC wrote:

> UPS uses company drivers and FedEx Home uses
> subcontractors/independants so they have less
> overhead, so lower fees.

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My local FedEx contractor delivers on Saturday, too.

73, Bill W6WRT
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5232. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 20:36:41 UTC
From: Bill Turner <noway@nohow.com>
Message-ID: <xn0e8u3df1z5w1001@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12555
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Guido Sarducci from NYC wrote:

> Don't spend a lot of money on those self adhesive
> ship labels, instead use regular paper and get
> one of those glue sticks that the kids use at school,
> that turns your plain paper label into a stick on label
> for a few cents !

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If you're going to use glue sticks, test them first for water
resistance. The kind I use at work come off quite easily.

73, Bill W6WRT
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5233. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 20:39:12 UTC
From: Bill Turner <noway@nohow.com>
Message-ID: <xn0e8u3fp22e84002@cnews.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12556
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Scott Dorsey wrote:

> Let me also say that, from my experience, UPS and FedEx Ground break
> things at about the same rate. But when FedEx damages something,
> they promptly inspect it and pay out without a fuss, while UPS will
> do almost anything to avoid paying insurance claims. Admittedly I
> have had only three UPS issues, but all were nightmares.
> --scott

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Also... never ship anything when UPS's union is in negotiations. Things
get mysteriously "damaged" in transit. Some of their drivers are
incredibly stupid if they think that helps things.

73, Bill W6WRT
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5234. FA: Yaesu SP-5 External Speaker

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 22:56:18 UTC
From: WZ1U <wz1u@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <k75ol19fvmaspnts35ejjfe8cgh9u0qchi@4ax.com>
Source record: 12557

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5822450544&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5235. IC-740 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-23 23:35:49 UTC
From: EasyRider <easyrider@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <p7V6f.275522$1i.131122@pd7tw2no>
Source record: 12558

Looking for a Icom IC-740 service manual or even a good copy would do.

ve7agw at shaw.ca (replace "at" with @)

5236. Re: IC-740 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 00:40:53 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <l4W6f.5957$xE1.2268@okepread07>
Source record: 12559

"EasyRider" <easyrider@shaw.ca> wrote in message news:p7V6f.275522$1i.131122@pd7tw2no...
> Looking for a Icom IC-740 service manual or even a good copy would do.

Pick your Icom rig here:
http://www.marcucci.it/english/download/

73 de Glenn AA5PK

5237. IC-27 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 10:38:18 UTC
From: anpap@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <1130150298.646058.248090@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12560

I'm looking for a schematic for my Icom IC-27A.
A service manual would also be nice if anyone has one.

When I turn it on the display doesn't work properly, there's
a sound comming from the speaker and the volume control doesn't work at
all. It seems that something has been durned in the lower right side of
the PCB. I'm looking for the schematic so that I can try to replace the
damaged components.

Any help appreciated.

cheers,

Andreas

5238. FS: Kenwood TS-440s w/tunner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 12:27:11 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <LZqdnZe8E-y_TsHenZ2dnUVZ_sudnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 12561

I have a good condition Kenwood TS-440S with auto tuner.
No manual or Box.
Tested and it works fine.
also comes with a SP120 speaker
$300 plus shipping

TNX

Steve

5239. 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 16:57:40 UTC
From: rjvalenta@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1130173060.628631.37190@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12562

Hello all, I got my ticket over 10 years ago but until recently never started to take things seriously. A no-code tech, I'm now studying for my 5wpm test and hoping that I can expand past my SW radio over time. For now, I'd like to move past my old Alinco DJ-580, and get myself something mobile for the around town communications during drive time.

Here's where I sit - I wanted a dual band radio that I would also equip as an alphanumeric scanner - I didnt' want to end up with 5 full size radios strapped across the underside of my dash, but instead a simple mount of a detachable face that could be easily read. I think I've found this in the Icom IC-208H, it can hold a lot of memories, and has an alpha display so I can easily view who I'm listening too. I've seen some good reviews on eHam.net, so unless someone has other ideas, I think thats where I'm headed.

Next - and what appears to be the bigger problem - the antenna. At first I was thinking I'd just go glass mount, but since then I've read articles about their poor performance and concerns about their operation through modern car windows that are often tinted with metal. I was unable to find any information on the 02 Cherokee to see if it had the bad kind of tint, but other postings I read about guys who notice no change in results after losing the glass-mount whip, and the 208h's 55w output (and my being unable to find a glass mount that could handle more than 50w) cause me to think that wasn't the best route.

>From there I thought about Comet's EX104B, rated at 100w it was small and could do the job - then the mounting became the issue. The 02 Cherokee is SEVERELY lacking in 'lip' locations to mount an antenna. The rear door opens and its top side folds inward in a way making a lip mount impossible, and the body/roof side has no lip at all. I thought about using the lip along the side edge of the rear door with a Comet CP-5m mount, but the way the rear window glass sits over it, there's really no way I can see to attach a mount to it.

So, I'm back to glass mount (and hoping the extra 5w doesnt kill it) ---- unless I want to go with a mount for a luggage rail, or drill holes.

No holes.

And I'm not wanting to the the luggage mount because I don't want 18 inches of exposed wire out side my car - which is why we're also not going mag mount.

I had thoguht of the 'window clip' that I saw at Universal Radio, as it seems like a good way to get an antenna into a location where you'd use

a glass mount, but has an actual wire - however I havent been able to find any opinions on it. I also found what I thought was a Larsen mount that was adhesive, but haven't found much info on that either.

So, I'm looking for suggestions on mounts and antennas - heh, and if any of you have put a remote head radio in your 02 Grand Cherokee, send me a pic of where you mounted that head! Any suggestions on any of this are appreciated, and info on posted pics of installs encouraged - thanks again.

Richard
N0TZC

5240. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 17:37:55 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <kj6ql15556bghe8shte900s9pq7jtlkjor@4ax.com>
Source record: 12563

I used a glass-mount on a rear, side window of our '93 Jeep Grand Cherokee for several years. Worked great. Just make sure you use a quality glass-mount (Larsen) and avoid any dark band in the glass. I have been operating mobile for 54 years so have a wee bit of experience with mobile antennas.

73, Dick - W6CCD

On 24 Oct 2005 09:57:40 -0700, rjvalenta@yahoo.com wrote:

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>started to take things seriously. A no-code tech, I'm now studying for
>my 5wpm test and hoping that I can expand past my SW radio over time.
>For now, I'd like to move past my old Alinco DJ-580, and get myself
>something mobile for the around town communications during drive time.

5241. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 18:13:45 UTC
From: rjvalenta@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1130177625.489629.114450@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12564

I'll look into the Larsen glass mounts - can they handle the 55w output
of the IC-208h?

5242. Re: IC-27 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 19:32:33 UTC
From: 500595 <LRELEC@METROCAST.NET>
Message-ID: <1130182353.247591.201590@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12565

try this url http://members.fortunecity.com/xe1bef/icom-manuals.htm

5243. Yaesu FT-23R Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 22:29:54 UTC
From: "R. Bubba McGillacutty" <bubba@microshaft.com>
Message-ID: <Cfd7f.18314$1A1.15257@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12566

Anyone got a .pdf of the operator manual that they would email me?

Thanks!

bscott433@gmail.com

5244. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 22:47:19 UTC
From: Robert Sherrod <rtsherrod@mchsi.com>
Message-ID: <Xvd7f.467869$x96.375551@attbi_s72>
Source record: 12567

Hello,

I just earned my ticket and have been researching IC-208H installations
for my '98 Chrysler Sebring coupe. As for antenna mounts, I don't know
of one that will help you. For the display mount, follow the link below
for several mounts that don't require drilling holes in the dash.

http://www.lidomounts.com/page/page/1478816.htm

For the main unit, it can be placed under your seat or tucked away under
the dash or in the trunk.

Later,

Bobby
KC9IHK

rjvalenta@yahoo.com wrote:
> I'll look into the Larsen glass mounts - can they handle the 55w output
> of the IC-208h?
>

5245. Re: Yaesu FT-23R Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 22:48:35 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <7xd7f.19484$QE1.11817@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12568

YOu can go here and download one.

http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html

Look in the Yeasu section and then down below for another one.

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> bscott433@gmail.com

5246. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 23:19:41 UTC
From: Leanne <leanne@4islc.net>
Message-ID: <djjqcc0imq@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12570

<rjvalenta@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1130173060.628631.37190@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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> really no way I can see to attach a mount to it.
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> So, I'm back to glass mount (and hoping the extra 5w doesnt
kill it)
> ---- unless I want to go with a mount for a luggage rail, or
drill
> holes.
>
> No holes.

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> And I'm not wanting to the the luggage mount because I don't
want 18
> inches of exposed wire out side my car - which is why we're
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> going mag mount.
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> So, I'm looking for suggestions on mounts and antennas - heh,
and if
> any of you have put a remote head radio in your 02 Grand
Cherokee, send
> me a pic of where you mounted that head! Any suggestions on
any of
> this are appreciated, and info on posted pics of installs
encouraged -
> thanks again.
>
> Richard
> N0TZC

I use a Comet RS720 mounted on the rear of my hood, across from
the broadcast antenna, along with the SB12 dual band antenna. I
can't remember which cable assembly
that I used, but probably 3D4M.

Leanne
W1WXS

5247. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 23:22:54 UTC
From: Leanne <leanne@4islc.net>
Message-ID: <djjqcd1imq@enews4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12571

"Robert Sherrod" <rtsherrod@mchsi.com> wrote in message
news:Xvd7f.467869$x96.375551@attbi_s72...
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> I just earned my ticket and have been researching IC-208H
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> http://www.lidomounts.com/page/page/1478816.htm
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> For the main unit, it can be placed under your seat or tucked
away under
> the dash or in the trunk.

In the motohome, we mounted the display unit on the dash with
wide velcro strips.

Leanne
W1WXS

5248. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-24 23:28:28 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <earql1donpia7nrvvfkrl0d4rhve956mgd@4ax.com>
Source record: 12569

It's rated for 50 watts, which is probably conservative. I don't
think it would be a problem.

Dick

On 24 Oct 2005 11:13:45 -0700, rjvalenta@yahoo.com wrote:

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5249. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 00:18:47 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <iduql19rc613p7tt73ar2pth9gfq4101v4@4ax.com>
Source record: 12572

On 24 Oct 2005 09:57:40 -0700, rjvalenta@yahoo.com wrote:

For mounts, try http://www.hamstick.com/ They have a bunch of
different kinds, and may give you some ideas.

bob
k5qwg

5250. Re: IC-27 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 00:59:22 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2410052059220001@ac97a029.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12575

In article <1130150298.646058.248090@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
anpap@my-deja.com wrote:

> I'm looking for a schematic for my Icom IC-27A.
> A service manual would also be nice if anyone has one.

Andreas-

I found a schematic and an owner's manual listed at
http://www.mods.dk/

You can find it if you first choose on ICOM at the left side of the
screen, and then choose MANUALS near the top of the right side of the
screen. The IC-27A is quite a ways down the list.

I downloaded the schematic, which was just over a megabyte. It shows
everything on one page, which you probably couldn't read if it were
printed on an 8 1/2 X 11 page. However, it has sufficient detail if you
zoom-in to a higher magnification.

73, Fred, K4DII

5251. Re: Yaesu FT-23R Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 02:27:41 UTC
From: "R. Bubba McGillacutty" <bubba@microshaft.com>
Message-ID: <xKg7f.7418$8K4.1310@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12573

Ralph Mowery wrote:
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So I'm still looking...

5252. Re: Yaesu FT-23R Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 02:47:05 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <J0h7f.18728$vw6.4079@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12574

Try this one then. It lists the manual and service manual. Also the quick
setup page.
http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=yaesu

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Date: 2005-10-25 12:13:23 UTC
From: "R. Bubba McGillacutty" <bubba@microshaft.com>
Message-ID: <Djp7f.12055$5i.7518@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12576

Ralph Mowery wrote:
> Try this one then. It lists the manual and service manual. Also the quick
> setup page.
> http://www.mods.dk/view.php?ListManuals=yaesu
>
> "R. Bubba McGillacutty" <bubba@microshaft.com> wrote in message
> news:xKg7f.7418$8K4.1310@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com...
>> Ralph Mowery wrote:
>>> YOu can go here and download one.
>>>
>>> http://www.cqham.ru/sch_eng.html
>>>
>>> Look in the Yeasu section and then down below for another one.
>>>
>>> "R. Bubba McGillacutty" <bubba@microshaft.com> wrote in message
>>> news:Cfd7f.18314$1A1.15257@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com...
>>>> Anyone got a .pdf of the operator manual that they would email me?
>>>>
>>>> Thanks!
>>>>
>>>> bscott433@gmail.com
>>>
>> Ralph,
>> Thanks for the link, I had seen it before but had lost it. I did
>> download the service manual, but the operator manual was not there.
>> So I'm still looking...
>
>
That worked. Thanks! I had been searching the web and had no luck.

5254. FA: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 12:52:25 UTC
From: tjd@notme.com
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-dq0zgsniPWiC@localhost>
Source record: 12577
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings:

I have up for auction a nice condition KW 2000B transceiver complete with power supply. The unit blows the main fuse when powered up.

Ebay # 5822485058

Thanks,

Tedd, VE3TJD

5255. FA: GE VHF Phoenix "GG" split- APRS-IRLP-Echolink

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 12:54:43 UTC
From: tjd@notme.com
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-v7KulCKzQ6yP@localhost>
Source record: 12578
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Greetings:

I have up for auction a very nice GE Phoenix in the sought
after 136 to 153 split, complete with all accessories.

Ebay # 5822766745

Thanks, Tedd

5256. Re: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 13:00:12 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <djla8svel1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 12579
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Why don't you post a link?
<tjd@notme.com> wrote in message
news:fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-dq0zgsniPWiC@localhost...
> Greetings:
>
> I have up for auction a nice condition KW 2000B transceiver
> complete with power supply. The unit blows the main fuse when
> powered up.
>
> Ebay # 5822485058
>
> Thanks,
>
> Tedd, VE3TJD
>

5257. Re: 02 Grand Cherokee, IC-208H, antennas, mounts... sugestions?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 17:41:16 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <435e6e3f$0$27237@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 12580

<rjvalenta@yahoo.com> wrote
> Hello all, ...
>
> ... I think I've found this in the Icom IC-208H, ...

My wife has an IC-208H in her Sebring Convert and loves it.

We use mag mounts on our old Cherokee, and everything else for 20 years.
There is plenty of coupling at VHF/UHF for them to work well..

5258. Re: IC-740 Service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 18:09:27 UTC
From: EasyRider <easyrider@shaw.ca>
Message-ID: <rxu7f.295359$oW2.238889@pd7tw1no>
Source record: 12581

Would like to thank all those who replied to me direct and I have found a service manual now. Also found the sevice manual for my IC-2720H as well. So many thanks to all. Now comes to hard part of diagnosing the IC-740, it works fine on all bands but the 10 & 15 meters and it won't receive or transmit on either band. I suspect that the PL is going out of lock but without the manual I couldn find the voltages that were needed to be checked.

thanks again to all
73....de ve7agw, Al

"Glenn" <aa5pk@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:l4W6f.5957$xE1.2268@okepread07...
> "EasyRider" <easyrider@shaw.ca> wrote in message
> news:p7V6f.275522$1i.131122@pd7tw2no...
>> Looking for a Icom IC-740 service manual or even a good copy would do.
>
> Pick your Icom rig here:
> http://www.marcucci.it/english/download/
>
> 73 de Glenn AA5PK
>

5259. Re: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 19:41:19 UTC
From: tjd@notme.com
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-sCkOflGoFkdr@localhost>
Source record: 12582
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Tue, 25 Oct 2005 13:00:12 UTC, "John N9JG"
<john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:

> Why don't you post a link?

I normally do John, but many times the link will wrap and I get more
negitive feedback because the people don't know how to paste
it back together, hi!

Try:

<http://cgi.ebay.com/KW-2000B-Ham-Radio-w-Power-Supply-Speaker-Fixer-U
pper_W0QQitemZ5822485058QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZVi
ewItem>

Tedd, VE3TJD

5260. Re: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 19:51:51 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20051025155151.463$3V@newsreader.com>
Source record: 12583
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

<tjd@notme.com> wrote:
> On Tue, 25 Oct 2005 13:00:12 UTC, "John N9JG"
> <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:
>
> > Why don't you post a link?
>
> I normally do John, but many times the link will wrap and I get more
> negitive feedback because the people don't know how to paste
> it back together, hi!
>
> Try:
>
> <http://cgi.ebay.com/KW-2000B-Ham-Radio-w-Power-Supply-Speaker-Fixer-U
> pper_W0QQitemZ5822485058QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZVi
> ewItem>
>
> Tedd, VE3TJD
>
Use this for those long urls, works great.

http://tinyurl.com/

5261. Re: FA: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 20:45:27 UTC
From: de Mac <de.Mac.1xh83t@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <de.Mac.1xh83t@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 12585

hello
hear term all the time now on e pay,
so what the heck does "powered up" realy mean

when I worked microwave radio relay
if some thing powered up
it meant turned it on and it worked

now I don't quite understand what anybody
means by powered up

turned it on and nothing happend ?
turned it on and smoke came out ?
turned it on and it went ohoooa ohoooa
till 20 amp breaker opened ?
turned it on and it worked ?

yours truly Mac

--
de Mac

5262. Re: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-25 20:53:22 UTC
From: John N9JG <john@gotwals.xremovey.com>
Message-ID: <djm601fbu1@mailhub227.itcs.purdue.edu>
Source record: 12584

I tried the link and I immediately encountered the problem you were referring to. The only other way, but some people would bitch, is to use html format in your news posting. Then your link would be like this
http://cgi.ebay.com/KW-2000B-Ham-Radio-w-Power-Supply-Speaker-Fixer_Upper_W0QQitemZ5822485058QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

<tjd@notme.com> wrote in message news:fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-sCkOflGoFkdr@localhost...
> On Tue, 25 Oct 2005 13:00:12 UTC, "John N9JG"
> <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:
>
>> Why don't you post a link?
>
> I normally do John, but many times the link will wrap and I get more
> negitive feedback because the people don't know how to paste
> it back together, hi!
>
> Try:
>
> <http://cgi.ebay.com/KW-2000B-Ham-Radio-w-Power-Supply-Speaker-Fixer-U
> pper_W0QQitemZ5822485058QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZVi
> ewItem>
>
> Tedd, VE3TJD
>

5263. Re: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 00:49:47 UTC
From: "Michael A. Terrell" <mike.terrell@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <435ED2F9.B18A0991@earthlink.net>
Source record: 12586

> John N9JG wrote:
>
> I tried the link and I immediately encountered the problem you were
> referring to. The only other way, but some people would bitch, is to
> use html format in your news posting. Then your link would be like
> this
> http://cgi.ebay.com/KW-2000B-Ham-Radio-w-Power-Supply-Speaker-Fixer_Upper_W0QQitemZ58224
85058QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem
>
> <tjd@notme.com> wrote in message
> news:fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-sCkOflGoFkdr@localhost...
> > On Tue, 25 Oct 2005 13:00:12 UTC, "John N9JG"
> > <john@gotwals.xremovey.com> wrote:
> >
> >> Why don't you post a link?
> >
> > I normally do John, but many times the link will wrap and I get more
> > negitive feedback because the people don't know how to paste
> > it back together, hi!
> >
> > Try:
> >
> >
> <http://cgi.ebay.com/KW-2000B-Ham-Radio-w-Power-Supply-Speaker-Fixer-U
> >
> pper_W0QQitemZ5822485058QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZVi
> > ewItem>
> >
> > Tedd, VE3TJD
> >

You don't need HTML, you need to use better software. Netscape lets
you post long lines without breaking them up:
<http://cgi.ebay.com/KW-2000B-Ham-Radio-w-Power-Supply-Speaker-Fixer-Upper_W0QQitemZ582248
5058QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem>

This was posted with the usenet program in Netscape 4.78

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Michael A. Terrell
Central Florida

5264. TenTec Delta II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 02:14:38 UTC
From: vett65@webtv.net
Message-ID: <15675-435EE68E-948@storefull-3313.bay.webtv.net>
Source record: 12587

I am offering my Delta II which is in excellent shape. Lots of features
... two vfo's, noise blanker, 500hz Jones filter, notch filter, VBT,
speech processor, etc. Covers all bands 1 thru 160. Rig comes with
manual, desk mic, power cord.
$490 plus help shpping

Tnx.......Jack K8BVJ

5265. WTB Icom 735 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 09:35:21 UTC
From: gil <gi1pi@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1130319321.456722.124450@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12588

Need Icom 735 service manual, please drop me an email at

gi1pi@yahoo.com

Thanks...Gil n2wjw

5266. Re: FA: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 13:13:15 UTC
From: tjd@notme.com
Message-ID: <fWgiYSiOQd92-pn2-0rff7u5qHI2V@localhost>
Source record: 12589

On Tue, 25 Oct 2005 20:45:27 UTC, de Mac
<de.Mac.1xh83t@news.radiobanter.com> wrote:

Hi Mac:

> hear term all the time now on e pay,
> so what the heck does "powered up" realy mean

Don't know where you got this phrase from?

> when I worked microwave radio relay
> if some thing powered up
> it meant turned it on and it worked

I agree, but it IS possible for something to power up and still
not work correctly. I just sold a Radio Shack DX394 which
powers up fine (lights, display, audio all worked) BUT the
RX sensitivity was way down.

> now I don't quite understand what anybody
> means by powered up

Without the added comments (like poor sensitivity in the
above example) it's meaningless.

> turned it on and nothing happend ?
> turned it on and smoke came out ?
> turned it on and it went ohoooa ohoooa
> till 20 amp breaker opened ?
> turned it on and it worked ?

As my auction plainly states, the main fuse blows when
turned on.

Hope that helps....

Tedd, VE3TJD

5267. Re: Need manual for Interconnect Specialists Inc FDI-2200 Interconnect!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 16:51:24 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1130345484.344313.232610@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12590

Thanks to some great hams in South America I have a manual now! Thanks
Jorge and Sergieo!

5268. Bencher XZ-2

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 17:47:03 UTC
From: Salmo <salmo@nf.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <riP7f.114437$Ph4.3508239@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 12591

http://cgi.ebay.com/BENCHER-XZ-2-Audio-Filter_W0QQitemZ5823083628QQcategoryZ48702QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

5269. Re: wtb roller inductor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 18:18:45 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <slhvl1hd4d93kpj8arfrlc3lm131esces9@4ax.com>
Source record: 12592

On Thu, 20 Oct 2005 21:11:14 GMT, "buddy" <buddycl@swbell.net> wrote:

>need a roller inductor that has about 25uh and measures 3x3x8 inchs
>
>larry
>kd5foy
>

MFJ sells all of their antenna components a la carte -- they're shown
in their 2006 paper catalog, pages 58-59. I believe you can download
it from their web site. Part 404-1060 comes pretty close, $53.60

bob
k5qwg

5270. FS on ebay Sony ICF-SW7600GR Radio & AN-LP1 Active Loop Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 18:21:28 UTC
From: Ron <rmrippy@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <IOP7f.27217$Sg2.3750644@twister.southeast.rr.com>
Source record: 12593

Reserve = $175.00
http://cgi.ebay.com/Sony-ICF-SW7600GR-Radio-with-AN-LP1-Active-Loop-Antenna_W0QQitemZ5823221447QQcategoryZ15051QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

5271. FS Yaesu FT-847 and FC-20 NIB

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 19:09:11 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ivQ7f.7$UM1.2@dukeread10>
Source record: 12594

I have a Yaesu FT-847 Transceiver for sale and a FC-20 auto tuner. The
FT-847 has been used only a few times and has the original box, manual, mic,
power cord and misc. stuff that came with it in a plastic bag, never opened.
The FC-20 is brand new. It is still in the original box and has the manual
and the connecting cable fort he FT-847. It has never been hooked up. This
gear is spotless and is in perfect working order. Price for the FT-847 is
$1135 and the price for the
FC-20 is $185. Price for both is $1295. Prices include shipping via ground
in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX.

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5272. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 20:10:03 UTC
From: phil-news-nospam@ipal.net
Message-ID: <djonqr01ale@news4.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12595
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

In alt.tv.tech.hdtv RobH <Rob@aol.com> wrote:
| "Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in
| news:1129945105.293877.127410@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com:
|
|> I am looking to buy a PORTABLE HDTV set.
|>
|> Are there any available...I can't seem to find anything but LARGE sets
|> that are anything but portable.
|>
|> Also I would like to hear anyone's experience with a HDTV set that is
|> being used while traveling in a RV.
|>
|> Thanks
|>
|> TMT
|>
|>
|
| Look on Amazon. These are all under $500.

NONE of them are genuine HDTV. These are just HD-ready or ED-ready.
NONE have an ATSC tuner so they require an external STB tuner to get
HD broadcasts (which will subsequently be reduced in quality to fit
the 4:3 screens they have).

Note that an external tuner may be fine for a large screen home theatre
system, but they are inconvenience for a portable.

The ideal portable TV will include a 16:9 screen, ATSC/NTSC tuner (for
North American markets), and correct handling of all ATSC formats to
be sure resolution is never any less than what that small screen can
show (it won't be anything like a large screen, but that is no cause
for dumb engineering that downgrades video below the 480 size before
displaying it). An integrated Blu-Ray DVD player would also be nice
when that technology finally makes it to market. The ability to also
handle 576i/p, 25/50 fps, DVB-T, world channeling, and 100-250v power
in the mains adapter, would be a big plus. Cable TV (QAM) would also
be a plus for many people.

| Sharp LC-13B6U-S 13" AQUOS HDTV-Ready

The aspect ratio is only 4:3. The tuner is only NTSC (no ATSC). Apparently
it can do "HDTV" only via video input, up to 480p (really just EDTV). but
it can do PAL and SECAM (maybe only via video in).

| Zenith Z15LA7R 15" Flat Panel HD-Ready LCD TV

This one is also 4:3. No mention of a tuner is given, but no mention of ATSC certainly indicates it has no such capability.

| Philips 15PF8946 15" HDTV-Ready Flat Panel TV

Another 4:3 unit. Again, no mention of ATSC. This one does have an FM (radio) tuner.

| Sharp Aquos LC-15B9US 15" HD-Ready LCD

I see no "LC-15B9US" but there is a LC-15B6US at Amazon. It says ED-ready (not "HD-ready") and appears to be a larger screen version of the LC-13B6U-S.

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| Phil Howard KA9WGN | http://linuxhomepage.com/ http://ham.org/ |
| (first name) at ipal.net | http://phil.ipal.org/ http://ka9wgn.ham.org/ |

5273. Re: FA: KW 2000B Fixer-Upper

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 20:56:39 UTC
From: de Mac <de.Mac.1xj2rv@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <de.Mac.1xj2rv@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 12596

Hello Tedd
tnx
its just some times new lines/words
come in to use that seem to me have
no relaitionship with reality

yours truly
Mac

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de Mac

5274. Re: Wanted: KAM All-Mode EPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-26 23:44:11 UTC
From: Skipp says contact me <spamtheotherguyplease@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <djp4cb$e75$1@skeeter.ucdavis.edu>
Source record: 12597

Bill,

Email me direct and I'll try to help.... I have one or two Kantronics
units around (holding for a friend), but I'm not sure if they're the all
mode type.

use the email information at www.radiowrench.com/sonic to find me.
cheers,
skipp

: Bill <bcrann1@hotmail.com> wrote:
: I recently was given an older KAM All-Mode TNC. It only has version 3.06
: firmware. I was hoping to find a version 5 or later EPROM. Does anyone
: have an EPROM to sell me or can tell me where to get the bin file to burn my
: own EPROM. I have talked to Kantronics and they told me they no longer
: support this TNC. Thanks.

: Bill

5275. FS Kenwood TS-530S with CW Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 01:58:16 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <OuW7f.27$UM1.3@dukeread10>
Source record: 12648

I have a very nice Kenwood TS-530S Transmitter with a CW Filter installed.
The transceiver has full output power and works fine in everyway.
It looks good too. Front Panet is great and the cabinet has one small chip
on the top, otherwise, great. I can send some digital pictures upon request.
Price is $325 plus shipping from 79602. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5276. For SALE ASTRO DIGITAL SABER III

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 03:28:50 UTC
From: copdoc1 <copdoc1@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <1130383730.152267.287450@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12649

Fully Working Astro Digital Saber III with Battery and Antenna
asking 900.00 plus Shipping please respond to LBJ1788@aol.com

5277. WTB ICOM- F80DT or F80T

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 03:30:28 UTC
From: copdoc1 <copdoc1@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <1130383828.707071.270830@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12650

looking to purschase an ICOM F80DT or F80T
respond to LBJ1788@aol.com

5278. FS: working Drake TR3, AC3, RV3

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 09:26:48 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <s318f.96820$tD4.81318@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12651

FS: working Drake TR3, AC3, RV3

$200 + ship from Cincinnati 45251.

73, Dave, N3HE

5279. Parting out 3-1000Z 80-10M homebrew amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 10:19:03 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <rQ18f.97018$tD4.15820@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12652

Parting out 3-1000Z 80-10M homebrew amplifier:

2 good tubes, one Westinghouse, one GE; no discoloration, 2kW+ out with 3600V

L-4B plate xfmr, homebrew rect/cap/equalizer-bleeder combo, 2600V or 1900V, 800mA

Peter Dahl 7.5VAC 30A fil xfmr

Peter Dahl filament choke

B&W 85*2* tank, 80-10M as-is. I have a homebrew extra contact so that 160M is possible.

UCS300 vac var & turns-counter

2200 pF loading cap & reduction drive, unmounted

160-10M bandswitched inp ckt: separate coils and fixed caps for each band

Simpson 1-amp plate & 500-mA grid meters

Originally built in 1970's, sorta patterned after BTI 3-1000Z amplifier. Both chassis have hardware-store perforated-aluminum covers. These components are assembled into 2 chassis. The ps chassis has the transformer, step-start, rect-caps, HV cable, and control cable. The rest of the components are on the amplifier chassis, except for the unmounted loading capacitor and reduction drive.

I'm getting old, tired, and indolent, and am going to buy a commercial amplifier, probably an Ameritron of some sort to get QSK, to complete my conversion into appliance operator ;o)

Sri, I'm a dinosaur, and don't have a digital camera.

Pls make offers on parts or all.

If you want it all, remember shipping is at least $100 gnd-insured in at least 3 packages.

73, Dave, N3HE
Cincinnati
513-674-7202 eves Eastern time

5280. Re: WTB Icom 735 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 13:49:48 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <4lm1m11j0rtms1jvl27eep028dhqts82pd@4ax.com>
Source record: 12653

On 26 Oct 2005 02:35:21 -0700, "gil" <gi1pi@yahoo.com> wrote:

>Need Icom 735 service manual, please drop me an email at
>
>gi1pi@yahoo.com
>
>Thanks...Gil n2wjw

Entering "735 service manual" in Google brought up a couple of sites
where it can be downloaded.

bob
k5qwg

5281. mods dr635t ??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 17:32:14 UTC
From: bill lee <firebug@fiberpipe.net>
Message-ID: <1130431105.666710@ftp1.boidmz.fiberpipe.net>
Source record: 12654

anyone have the mods for the alinco dr635t ?, bill, ka7nqg

5282. Wanted KWM2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 17:48:07 UTC
From: Jack <jack_gxyz@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <e3f74$436112d7$d8447f26$13195@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 12655

Hi,
I am looking for a KWM2A working or not. I prefer a cosmetically clean radio. Also interested in a 516F-2 power supply and 312B-4 station console.

I used to work on these in the Air Force back in the early 70's. I have a KWM-380 and wish to add to my Collins station.

I can be reached at 513-683-2676 evenings EST or by email. Please remove the xyz characters from the email address shown in this post if replying by email.

Thanks,

Jack WB8BFS

5283. Re: Wanted KWM2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 18:02:36 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <jg52m1dmqbbdlsqup198t6141naop9enb0@4ax.com>
Source record: 12656

On Thu, 27 Oct 2005 13:48:07 -0400, Jack <jack_gxyz@fuse.net> wrote:

>Hi,
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>radio. Also interested in a 516F-2 power supply and 312B-4 station
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there's one on this ebay page, tho' the seller has a somewhat iffy
reputation...

bob
k5qwg

5284. Re: Wanted KWM2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 18:28:59 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns96FC74E9B2723spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12657

> there's one on this ebay page, tho' the seller has a somewhat iffy
> reputation...
>

Actually, there are usually more than just one listed on EBay. Also,
you might go to the Collins Collector's Assn. website,

http://www.collinsradio.org/

Join the forum and ask your question there, too.

Ed K7AAT

5285. Re: IC-27 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 18:38:54 UTC
From: anpap@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <1130438334.889448.266580@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12658

Thanks guys!

I've found the manual and schematic from mods.dk.
However, the schematic doesn't seem to match the radio.
For example, the schematic says that the value of R67 is 1.8K.
When I measure it (on the PCB) I find it to be only 30 Ohms.
It shows R64 as a 5.6K resistor, but it's actually a 22 Ohm resistor.
Am I missing something here?
If anyone knows the value of R67 (it's burned so I cannot read the
colors),
please let me know.

cheers,

Andreas

Fred McKenzie wrote:
> In article <1130150298.646058.248090@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>,
> anpap@my-deja.com wrote:
>
> > I'm looking for a schematic for my Icom IC-27A.
> > A service manual would also be nice if anyone has one.
>
> Andreas-
>
> I found a schematic and an owner's manual listed at
> http://www.mods.dk/
>
> You can find it if you first choose on ICOM at the left side of the
> screen, and then choose MANUALS near the top of the right side of the
> screen. The IC-27A is quite a ways down the list.
>
> I downloaded the schematic, which was just over a megabyte. It shows
> everything on one page, which you probably couldn't read if it were
> printed on an 8 1/2 X 11 page. However, it has sufficient detail if you
> zoom-in to a higher magnification.
>
> 73, Fred, K4DII

5286. Re: Wanted KWM2A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-27 18:44:45 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <u082m1hdc7mfs22q0gmjbsv4be68ju53bk@4ax.com>
Source record: 12659

On Thu, 27 Oct 2005 18:02:36 GMT, Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
wrote:

>On Thu, 27 Oct 2005 13:48:07 -0400, Jack <jack_gxyz@fuse.net> wrote:
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>reputation...

forgot to give the page...

http://electronics.listings.ebay.com/Radios-CB-Ham-Shortwave_Ham-Radio_W0QQfclZ3QQfcoZ1QQf
romZR11QQsacatZ4670QQsocmdZListingItemList
>
>bob
>k5qwg

5287. Re: IC-27 schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 00:15:20 UTC
From: anpap@my-deja.com
Message-ID: <1130458520.261878.244450@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12660

Got it!

It seems that many parts of the schematic have the same numbers for components. I found the correct part :-P

Andreas

5288. Re: Wanted: KAM All-Mode EPROM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 02:39:06 UTC
From: Bill <bcrann1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <abg8f.7649$ki7.556224@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 12661

Thanks. Nice website. I think I sent it to the right address.

Bill

"Skipp says contact me" <spamtheotherguyplease@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:djp4cb$e75$1@skeeter.ucdavis.edu...
> Bill,
>
> Email me direct and I'll try to help.... I have one or two Kantronics
> units around (holding for a friend), but I'm not sure if they're the all
> mode type.
>
> use the email information at www.radiowrench.com/sonic to find me.
> cheers,
> skipp
>
> : Bill <bcrann1@hotmail.com> wrote:
> : I recently was given an older KAM All-Mode TNC. It only has version
> 3.06
> : firmware. I was hoping to find a version 5 or later EPROM. Does anyone
> : have an EPROM to sell me or can tell me where to get the bin file to
> burn my
> : own EPROM. I have talked to Kantronics and they told me they no longer
> : support this TNC. Thanks.
>
> : Bill
>
>
>

5289. LT2S + PRE + Amply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 10:54:06 UTC
From: iw1arb <vairo@rai.it>
Message-ID: <djt00ehmm1@serv1.iunet.it>
Source record: 12662

LNA145 ssb electrinics (Used) 100 Euro
L144QD Micomm db6nt (New) 150 Euro

LT2s (Used) 350 Euro

Amplifier made by I4KLY da 2,5 KW with 3cx1500A7
for EME application 2500 Euro

for JPG please mail....
vairo@rai.it
73 de iw1arb Paolo ASTI
ITALY

5290. Want to buy manual for CES 5200 Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 12:40:36 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1130503236.688326.301770@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12663

I am in need of the manual for the CES 5200 Interconnect, any help would be greatly appreciated! Thanks! Tim N7XAU
tmize57@juno.com

5291. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 16:04:54 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1130515494.783832.155870@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12664
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

I would have to agree....and so why I asked the original question to
see if I was missing something offered in the marketplace.

I guess one just needs to wait for the manufacturers to offer the
product for a market segment they have yet to address.

TMT

5292. Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 16:45:27 UTC
From: datakoll@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1130517927.645607.264590@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12665

Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?

What is the necessary power supply for this unit? Is the power
requirement met by a standard ac inverter at 300ma or 600 ma? Or is the
power requirement proprietary?
does wal carry the inverter and is that a reliable combination?
what's the story on the 21' ant.? is this a 21' typo? or is the
satellite in the wrong orbit?

i asked in other forums without reply.

5293. TS-830S Power Supply Follies

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 16:59:32 UTC
From: George <k9zu@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1130518772.290187.84290@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12666

Hello, All...

My Kenwood 830 has had an intermittent power loss which is now permanent. The main symptom: even while tuning, any drive increase will cause a rapid drop in plate voltage from 800 to around 500 volts, with a terrible hum. I don't want to tear components out just to test them, but a Cap. tester shows 47 mfd across one of the big 'lytics, and around .1 mfd on the other. Just for grins, I tried the same test on my [functioning] TS520, and got strange readings there also. (Yes, I realize I am trying to analyse a network by not extracting the component physically.)

The power problem is identical with other driver and final tubes.

These big 'lytic caps are now discontinued.

Sound familiar?

5294. Kenwood TS-950 serial numbers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-28 21:44:33 UTC
From: wls@jbpet.com
Message-ID: <1130536035_29@spool6-east.superfeed.net>
Source record: 12667

Is there any way to determine the approximate date of manufacture from the
serial number
of a Kenwood TS-950SDX. I've seen serial numbers starting with 70(million)
and 80 but I've also seen serial numbers starting with 00. Can anybody help
with dates?
Thanks,
Bill S

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http://www.newsfeeds.com The #1 Newsgroup Service in the World! 120,000+ Newsgroups
----= East and West-Coast Server Farms - Total Privacy via Encryption =----

5295. MasterMobile wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 00:54:49 UTC
From: Earl Needham <munged@3lefties.com>
Message-ID: <11m5i2os8867126@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12668

Looking for one MasterMobile 20-meter coil and one MasterMobile 75-meter coil.

Thanks,
Earl

--
Earl Needham
Clovis, New Mexico USA

5296. FS Icom 756 ProII Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 02:34:04 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ncB8f.5556$ZP1.188@dukeread11>
Source record: 12669

I have an Icom 756 ProII for sale. This one has low hours on it and looks new. There is not a scratch on it. It comes with the original manual, hand mic, power cord. and shipping boxes.It works perfectly, except the Auto Antenna Tuner will not stop tuning even when it shows little or no SWR on the meter. It just keeps trying to tune. It always tunes down to low SWR , but just wont quite. I don't thank that it is a major problem, maybe a simple adjustment, but I am not going to mess with it. Price is $1450 shipped via ground in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5297. Schematic for Kenwood TH-315?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 02:37:12 UTC
From: mike <spamme0@netscape.net>
Message-ID: <4362E058.8040806@netscape.net>
Source record: 12670

I have two user manuals for the Kenwood TH-215/315/415.
They both have schematics for the 215 and 415, but not
the 315...which is the handheld I have.
Anybody got the TH-315 schematic?
Thanks, mike
--
Wanted, Serial cable for Dell Axim X5 PDA.
Return address is VALID but some sites block emails
with links. Delete this sig when replying.
FS 500MHz Tek DSOscilloscope TDS540 Make Offer
Bunch of stuff For Sale and Wanted at the link below.
MAKE THE OBVIOUS CHANGES TO THE LINK
ht<removethis>tp://www.geocities.com/SiliconValley/Monitor/4710/

5298. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 02:45:37 UTC
From: "dkuhajda@locl.net" <dkuhajda@locl.net>
Message-ID: <1130553937.299038.179250@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12671
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

The DTV standard for over the air broadcasts requires a good and stable incoming signal from the antenna. In the RV if you are parked and can orient the antenna you should be fine. If you want to use it while driving, it is not going to work. There will be too much 'ghosting' of the incoming digital signal and the tuners won't handle it well.

I am not certain there will ever be a market segment for what you are searching.

5299. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 04:24:08 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1130559848.483220.119590@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12672
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

I consider it to be a faulty standard.

Do you remember the early portable CD digital audio players?

Remember the skipping?

Note that manufacturers had to build buffering and better pickups to
take care of the problem.

Same evolution with video.

Kids are in the back of the SUV/RV watching digital
televison...dropouts, ghosting, etc....guess what..manufacturers will
be forced to provide the service the customer demands.

Until then I and many others won't be spending money on DTV.

TMT

5300. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 05:34:08 UTC
From: Bob Miller <robmx@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <kRD8f.2798$AS6.2723@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12673
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

Too_Many_Tools wrote:
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> TMT
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Portable and mobile are a big deal and will be big business in most countries. The recent IBC show in Amsterdam was 20% bigger than last year mostly because of the interest in mobile DTV.

In the US we do have two ventures both targeting cell phone DTV, Qualcomm and Crown Castle but soon you will hear of other ventures targeting vehicles, laptops and other larger screens than cell phones.

Auctions to be held in 2008 will allow more such DTV that works mobile and portable. Stay tuned. The disastrous DTV transition in the US has held back progress but it will soon be of little interest as new broadcasters come on line who do care about OTA DTV broadcasting unlike the current broadcasters who live and die by must carry over cable.

Bob Miller

5301. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 06:02:37 UTC
From: Andy Cuffe <baltimora@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <al36m1t9suj88kq58ojjb5g0hsf5thp0do@4ax.com>
Source record: 12674
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

On 28 Oct 2005 19:45:37 -0700, "dkuhajda@locl.net" <dkuhajda@locl.net>
wrote:

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>incoming signal from the antenna. In the RV if you are parked and can
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>the incoming digital signal and the tuners won't handle it well.
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>searching.

It may be a few years before technology allows a cheap portable ATSC
TV, but it will happen. I think it's foolish to think people will
just stop wanting portable TVs because they're digital now. People
like their NTSC portable color TVs even though you can't get a very
good color picture most of the time and the screens are too small to
really enjoy it. It's certain that people won't want NTSC portables
after they stop NTSC broadcasting. Using a battery portable TV with
an AC powered receiver box makes about as much sense as using a
walkman with a rack component CD player.
Andy Cuffe

baltimora@psu.edu <-- Use this address until 12/31/2005

acuffe@gmail.com <-- Use this address after 12/31/2005

5302. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 06:06:03 UTC
From: Andy Cuffe <baltimora@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <i446m1d3g0l8hk3dbgsma03cjl5re8ng52@4ax.com>
Source record: 12675
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

On Sat, 22 Oct 2005 06:07:30 GMT, Wes Newell
<w.newell@TAKEOUTverizon.net> wrote:

>>
>I've looked all over for about a 20" HDTV with builkt in tuner and came up
>empty, so I just decided to order an HDTV tuner for my PC. It's a heck of
>lot cheaper too. This would seem to be a perfect solution for an RV.

A few years ago I had a JVC 'multimedia' TV that was basically a 20"
TV that could also sync to VGA/SVGA. At the time it was just a TV
that also made a really bad computer monitor, but one of those would
be great now. I wish I had saved it instead of selling it.
Andy Cuffe

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5303. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 08:01:33 UTC
From: James Sweet <jamessweet@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <x%F8f.6591$U67.5692@trnddc07>
Source record: 12676
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

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> that also made a really bad computer monitor, but one of those would
> be great now. I wish I had saved it instead of selling it.
> Andy Cuffe

We had several of those at work for compatibility testing, IIRC every
one of them failed.

5304. FS: Azden PCS-5000 FM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 13:22:33 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <u_ednXndErwB6v7eRVn-gw@comcast.com>
Source record: 12677

Have a 2 meter radio that's in good condition.
No manual or original box.
Have Mic and Mounting bracket.

Price is $65 plus shipping

Steve

5305. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 15:28:36 UTC
From: Too_Many_Tools <too_many_tools@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1130599716.679710.274170@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12678
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

I would agree....would you want your cell phone to come with a cord
that you had to plug into a stationary socket before using it?

HDTV will not be a replacement for NTSC until it does everything that
NTSC does now...everything.

And the public will not accept it until it does everything that it
replaces.

NTSC will be with us longer than anyone wants to admit.

TMT

5306. FT-530 mod / version help

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 16:11:49 UTC
From: arficus@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1130602309.067675.166680@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12679
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,alt.ham-radio.mods

Just got my FT-530 (switching over from a VX-5R, where I've been
experiencing EXTREMELY bad UHF intermod; hoping the FT-530 will be an
improvement). My problem is that the jumper pad configuration on my
radio doesn't quite match the layout of any of the configurations I've
seen illustrated in any of the online mod instructions. So I'm a
little nervous about unsoldering what appears to be pad 13 given the
possibility this is some very early or late revision of the radio that
the extended tx/rx mod doesn't apply to. My radio's serial # is
3H250297 if anyone can help me ID year/revision by that.
Thanks,
Ethan

5307. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 19:12:57 UTC
From: Andy Cuffe <baltimora@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <dci7m1p60kobmoe4o1c4o360obsmbd5j67@4ax.com>
Source record: 12680
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

On Sat, 29 Oct 2005 08:01:33 GMT, James Sweet <jamessweet@hotmail.com>
wrote:
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I repaired a HV shutdown problem with the one I had. I can't remember
what caused it, but it was something minor.
Andy Cuffe

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acuffe@gmail.com <-- Use this address after 12/31/2005

5308. New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 21:09:38 UTC
From: Rod Maupin <gridman@ywave.com>
Message-ID: <11m7p8f25vmfg1b@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12681

I've been on HF for years, but am new to VHF/UHF.

I'm thinking of getting a VHF/UHF base station and it looks like the only thing around is the ICOM IC-910H. Is there a reason for this? Because of this, it seems to me that most people must not have a base station for these bands.

Is this correct?

Rod

5309. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 21:16:39 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <XER8f.94197$aX.93194@fe09.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12682

Rod Maupin wrote:
> Is this correct?

Nope. Many hams use mobile rigs with a hefty 13.8v supply.

5310. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 21:30:04 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <JfKdnU7UwOpOdP7eRVn-iA@comcast.com>
Source record: 12683

Well around here, no one gets on SSB VHF UHF so not one gets them.
Only time they are active is during contesting.

Not worth the investment

Steve

"Rod Maupin" <gridman@ywave.com> wrote in message
news:11m7p8f25vmfg1b@corp.supernews.com...
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5311. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 22:13:20 UTC
From: Dee Flint <deeflint01@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <mdudnZ4CufuQaf7eRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 12684

"Rod Maupin" <gridman@ywave.com> wrote in message
news:11m7p8f25vmfg1b@corp.supernews.com...
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Many of the newer HF rigs come with one or more VHF/UHF bands so if a person has one of those, there is no need for a separate base station for VHF/UHF.

For example, I have the TS-2000. In addition to the MF/HF bands, it has 6m, 2m, and 440. So I have all-mode capability for these bands. Plus I can buy a 1.2G
module and add external transverters for other bands.

Dee D. Flint, N8UZE

5312. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 22:19:30 UTC
From: iwouldntknow <iwouldntknow@iwouldntknow.nospam.no>
Message-ID: <g9t7m1dnk5rosv8l1pd6e2raqehh4vnd3a@4ax.com>
Source record: 12685

Rod,

where abouts are you located and what do you wish to do on 144MHz? There are other options besides the IC910 but all depends on your plans...

On Sat, 29 Oct 2005 14:09:38 -0700, "Rod Maupin" <gridman@ywave.com> wrote:

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5313. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 22:29:02 UTC
From: Rod Maupin <gridman@ywave.com>
Message-ID: <11m7ttbhendkl2a@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12686

I'm in the Olympia, WA area. I just took the Extra test, and while I was studying I got interested in the sections on repeaters and satellite. I've worked HF for years, but never done anything else. So, my interest got piqued.

Satellite sounds interesting, but I don't know anything about it. So, I am going to have to do some reading up. I don't even know how to work a repeater, so you really know I've just been into HF.

Rod

5314. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 22:31:24 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <NKS8f.14298$i%.12029@fed1read07>
Source record: 12687

With the advent of the all mode - all band (nearly) radios like the ICOM 706
and others -- most new buyers find these very attractive for the price of an
all in box. So you get HF, Short Wave, and VHF/UHF for the price of an
older VHF/UHF rig. And many rigs can be used mobile as well as base.

Lots of folks operate VHF/UHF as base rigs -- probably more are using a FM
VHF/UHF mobiles with a power supply at home

There are lots of discontinued (now used) VHF/UHF transceivers such as
Icom IC-275/375/475/575/1275 Series Transceivers
IC-820H VHF/UHF Transceiver
IC-821H VHF/UHF Transceiver
IC-970H VHF/UHF Transceiver
Kenwood TM-255A/TM-455A VHF and UHF Transceivers
TS-60S VHF Transceiver
TS-711A/TS-811A VHF & UHF Transceivers
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Lots of folks operate these as a base station even though some are
mobile rigs -- using a 12V power supply

Some all modes are great for Sattellite work.
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Some use VHF rigs for data such as packet radio

And using SSB, data, or CW on VHF/UHF will get you and your buddy a
nearly private QSO

And don't forget the six meter band is VHF -- all mode 6M rigs can
work repeaters, SSB, Data, and CW.
During high SFI propagation and sporadic E, one can work lots of DX --
worked all states and DXCC on 6M is possible with a modest antenna

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

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5315. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 22:44:57 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dk0ts5$58a$1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12688
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

"Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1130599716.679710.274170@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>I would agree....would you want your cell phone to come with a cord
> that you had to plug into a stationary socket before using it?
>
> HDTV will not be a replacement for NTSC until it does everything that
> NTSC does now...everything.
>
> And the public will not accept it until it does everything that it
> replaces.
>
> NTSC will be with us longer than anyone wants to admit.

I'd like to believe that, but I'm afraid that the FCC has other ideas.

I know I won't be buying an HDTV receiver any time soon, they're still WAY out of my budget. I can buy a 27" NTSC set that looks just fine for what's being broadcast for $175, it's 10x to 12x that for the cheapest HDTV ready (without the HDTV tuner) set. Damn if I'll pay more than a week's wages for a TV set, there's just nothing worth that kind of scratch to WATCH on them.

5316. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 22:45:14 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <GXS8f.14299$i%.12014@fed1read07>
Source record: 12689

An after thought -- of the 400 members in our club, I recall about 20 that have vhf/uhf - all mode capability and operate base or mobile.

Most of these have the newer all band (nearly) all mode rigs like ICOM 706, Kenwood TS-2000, Yaesu FT-847 et al

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5317. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-29 23:37:29 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11m81u6krouga7b@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 12690
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Using an Icom 746 Pro here which includes HF/6M/2M with a full 100W on all bands. I have been on HF since 1995 and an avid DX'r and secretly sneered at VHF/UHF but did want to try 2M SSB.

I now have VHF antennas at 72' 90' and 95' and am net control and founder of the Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net.
There was very little 2M SSB traffic in my region when I got on 2M SSB but since the net started on April 8, 2005 we have now had over 100 2M SSB stations check-in representing 10 states so far.

Typically there are 25-35 or more O(record is 39) check-ins every evening. So..for those that say there is little 2M SSB activity why not stir some up???!!!???

Deep South 2 Meter SSB Net - 8:30PM CT - 144.240 USB - net control EM52kn (Union,Mississippi)
www.deepsouthnet.net

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Charlie-AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

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5318. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 01:08:51 UTC
From: Bob Miller <robmx@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <D2V8f.1880$2y.1602@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12691
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

Andy Cuffe wrote:
> On 28 Oct 2005 19:45:37 -0700, "dkuhajda@locl.net" <dkuhajda@locl.net>
> wrote:
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>>The DTV standard for over the air broadcasts requires a good and stable
>>incoming signal from the antenna. In the RV if you are parked and can
>>orient the antenna you should be fine. If you want to use it while
>>driving, it is not going to work. There will be too much 'ghosting' of
>>the incoming digital signal and the tuners won't handle it well.
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>>I am not certain there will ever be a market segment for what you are
>>searching.
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> It may be a few years before technology allows a cheap portable ATSC
> TV, but it will happen. I think it's foolish to think people will
> just stop wanting portable TVs because they're digital now. People
> like their NTSC portable color TVs even though you can't get a very
> good color picture most of the time and the screens are too small to
> really enjoy it. It's certain that people won't want NTSC portables
> after they stop NTSC broadcasting. Using a battery portable TV with
> an AC powered receiver box makes about as much sense as using a
> walkman with a rack component CD player.
> Andy Cuffe
>
> baltimora@psu.edu <-- Use this address until 12/31/2005
>
> acuffe@gmail.com <-- Use this address after 12/31/2005

Will not happen! Over the next few years the standard for
portable/mobile will be set by broadcasters like Qualcomm, Crown Castle
and others all of which will be using COFDM based modulations that will
be extremely robust.

Anyone trying to use a junk modulation like 8-VSB would be crazy and
whatever product they tried to sell would be laughed off the market.

This is what COFDM can do in a market like New York City. 8-VSB still
does not work in New York even for fixed receivers on rooftops with
fancy powered and rotored antennas let alone mobile with half inch
antennas like Qualcomm and Crown Castle will offer.

www.viacel.com/bob.wmv

Japan will start a mobile COFDM cell phone service in a few months. The antenna is an inch at best.

http://www.dibeg.org/news/news-4/news-e4.htm#dn058e

Bob Miller

5319. Sale Drakes tr4c's with accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 04:08:58 UTC
From: guy quartarone <guyq@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <vJadnRhmaqvG2vneRVn-3w@comcast.com>
Source record: 12692

I have two Drake tr4c for sale The first is with factory installed noise blanker and manual
with full output over 180 watts on lower bands and slightly less on 10 and 15 the receiver works great. The radio is completely original and mint and has been calibrated and aligned by a drake techician. I have some nice pictures to send out if interested asking 450.00 for this one.
The second tr4c is in very good condition with manual. Full output, great receiver,nomanual, very clean chasis but a few minor marks on the case and faceplate. Send for pictures 350.00. Radio has been aligned and calibrated by drake technician.
I have available drake ac 4 power supplys for both. They are for sale at 100.00 a piece but will only be sold with the drake tr4 c. no exceptions. The power supplys have been rebuilt with new caps as required and work as they should.
Thanks for the space Guy wa1tqq 781 438 1765

5320. FA: Bird 43 Wattmeter with 1000H Element

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 12:01:29 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <wC29f.19291$v_5.2492@dukeread07>
Source record: 12693
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Last day! Has 1000 watt HF element included.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5822533312&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5321. FA: Beautiful Icom SP-20 Speaker w/filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 12:02:00 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <_C29f.19292$v_5.16621@dukeread07>
Source record: 12694
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Last day! In near-new condition.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5823220351&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5322. FA: Yaesu FT-51R with many accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 12:02:21 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <jD29f.19293$v_5.6563@dukeread07>
Source record: 12695
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Last day! Great for satellite work, etc.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5823275379&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5323. FA: Classic Dentron MT-3000A Legal Limit Antenna Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 12:03:55 UTC
From: Radioal <al.dolgosh@cox.net>
Message-ID: <OE29f.19294$v_5.16004@dukeread07>
Source record: 12696
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Last day!

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5822526361&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5324. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 14:11:33 UTC
From: Earl Needham <munged@3lefties.com>
Message-ID: <11m9l4pf51atk6d@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12697
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

What I don't understand is why ANY ham would ever use UPS after what
they did to the 220 MHz band a few years ago.

Earl
KD5XB

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Earl Needham
Clovis, New Mexico USA

5325. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 15:00:23 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <dk2n67$7gb$1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 12498
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Earl Needham <munged@3lefties.com> wrote:
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>they did to the 220 MHz band a few years ago.

Good point. And the MOST tragic part of it is that after they took the
bandwidth, they decided not to use it.
--scott

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"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

5326. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 15:44:17 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1dce8a2e67babd999896cf@192.168.42.131>
Source record: 12499

In article <11m7p8f25vmfg1b@corp.supernews.com>, gridman@ywave.com
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> this, it seems to me that most people must not have a base station for these
> bands.
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> Is this correct?

Very dependent on what mode(s) you want to operate, and how you
define 'base station.'

Examples: If it's just working the local VHF or UHF repeaters from
home, many hams will simply use a mobile radio and 12V power supply.
Others go the route of converting retired commercial gear to amateur
use.

If you're looking for modes other than FM, such as SSB, many of
the modern HF rigs are capable of such operation. My own Icom 706 can
operate all-modes on both 2m and 440 (though it's mounted in my van, so
I can't really call it a 'base station').

Happy hunting.

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Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

5327. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 16:08:15 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <hI2dnWJ5IthscvnenZ2dnUVZ_sydnZ2d@rcn.net>
Source record: 12500
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Scott Dorsey wrote:
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> Good point. And the MOST tragic part of it is that after they took the
> bandwidth, they decided not to use it.
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Of course, UPS only asked for the bandwidth. It was the FCC
and congress that gave them what they asked for. What UPS wanted
to do was perfectly valid, and a good idea too. If there is any
blame to pass out, it rightfully belongs to the FCC and congress.

Is there anyone who hasn't ultimately benefited from the ability
to track their packages? UPS forged the way, but all shippers
now provide the capability. It just happened that the existing
cell phone infrastructure was a more practical way of providing the
tracking service than was building an entirely new infrastructure
on 220MHz... something that, in hindsight, the FCC should have
realized.

-Chuck

5328. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 16:26:51 UTC
From: Clif Holland <clif@avvid.com>
Message-ID: <fv69f.10260$8T1.358@trnddc05>
Source record: 12501
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"Chuck Harris" <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote in message
news:hI2dnWJ5IthscvnenZ2dnUVZ_sydnZ2d@rcn.net...
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The FCC is Reactive not Proactive. The latter would require thought.

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Clif Holland KA5IPF
www.avvid.com

5329. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 17:21:07 UTC
From: iwouldntknow <iwouldntknow@iwouldntknow.nospam.no>
Message-ID: <j9v9m1d51rolumj16shdjj7fmk54l6vi9m@4ax.com>
Source record: 12502

Rod,

I suspect 144MHz narrowmode activity in your area is rather low (chicken and egg situation). On the other hand, you can make people happy with WA for WAS.. Possibilities: Use sats, Meteorscatter and/or EME. With an IC910 (possibly with an additional preamp) and a 3wl yagi you can do all of those modes. If you want to improve over the IC910 your alternative is a transverter behind a (good) HF rig. See DownEastMicrowave or DB6NT (re latter: Take a breath before looking at prices). An Elecraft with 2m transverter also comes highly recommended by many people. In addition that makes a great HF radio. Yagi's can be had from several sources, good ones are M2 or others (commercial) or DK7ZB (easy homebrew and cheap with great performance).

For MS and EME check the page from Joe K1JT for the WSJT computerprogram. Also check the Pingjockey page, the JT65 EME page, bigskyspaces.com, etc. The bigger the station, the better your results will be. 100W + 3wl allows tropo range of abt 250-300mile range at all times. 4 x 5wl + 1kW will make that abt 500-600miles. Meteorscatter will have a range of 500-1300 miles. More power will make QSOing easier but not influence the distance much. Theoretical limit is abt 1500 miles which is very rare. EME means around the world. 100W + 3wl means you can work abt 5-10 stations with patience. 1kW + 4 x 5wl allows you to work almost all active EME stations and work DXCC on 2m. For more EME info look at the homepage of PA0JMV.

It is interesting to see many HF folks becoming interested in VHF work. It is very different, mainly because the relatively low activity. If you put your mind (and equipment) to it, it can be very rewarding. I am an average station in Europe of abt 3-4kW ERP and have worked abt 70 DXCC without much effort including W,VE,KG6,ZS,JA. Just don't expect it to be easy, it is a definite challenge!

GL! Hope to work you one day :)

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5330. Re: New to VHF/UHF

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 17:29:37 UTC
From: kb9rqz@amsat.org
Message-ID: <ce0am1tfq3cfs2t8hkf1534i58l1lc7aga@4ax.com>
Source record: 12503

On Sat, 29 Oct 2005 15:29:02 -0700, "Rod Maupin" <gridman@ywave.com>
wrote:

>I'm in the Olympia, WA area. I just took the Extra test, and while I was
>studying I got interested in the sections on repeaters and satellite. I've
>worked HF for years, but never done anything else. So, my interest got
>piqued.
>
>Satellite sounds interesting, but I don't know anything about it.

for Satelites (which is a subset of VHF UHF) only the IC 910, the FT
847 and the Kenwood something like Ts-2000 are worth considering I
like 847 but with New sat coming making using of 1.2GHz I would not
buy one today for satelites work (i grabbed a chance to get the Boss
to buy me 910H with 1.2GHZ to settle some disputed billing between him
and I so I have both the 847 and 910)

Kenwood has a rep for nice gear but I have found there stuff "doesn't
play well others" that is it harder to find/interface no Kenwood
accesories so i tend to avoid them
> So, I am
>going to have to do some reading up. I don't even know how to work a
>repeater, so you really know I've just been into HF.
>
>Rod
>

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5331. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 18:47:36 UTC
From: Andy Cuffe <baltimora@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <025am1p08ns1p6nnod6qvjme8vee6ikjha@4ax.com>
Source record: 12504
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

On Sun, 30 Oct 2005 07:44:57 +0900, "Brenda Ann"
<brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:

>I know I won't be buying an HDTV receiver any time soon, they're still WAY
>out of my budget. I can buy a 27" NTSC set that looks just fine for what's
>being broadcast for $175, it's 10x to 12x that for the cheapest HDTV ready
>(without the HDTV tuner) set. Damn if I'll pay more than a week's wages for
>a TV set, there's just nothing worth that kind of scratch to WATCH on them.
>
>

HDTVs are actually a LOT cheaper than that now. You can get a 27ish
Sanyo set with a built in ATSC tuner for about $450 now. Not top
quality, but unless Sanyo is farming out manufacturing to Durabrand it
should be decent.
Andy Cuffe

baltimora@psu.edu <-- Use this address until 12/31/2005

acuffe@gmail.com <-- Use this address after 12/31/2005

5332. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 19:36:45 UTC
From: kludge@panix.com
Message-ID: <dk37cd$5jd$1@panix2.panix.com>
Source record: 12505
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote:
>
>Of course, UPS only asked for the bandwidth. It was the FCC
>and congress that gave them what they asked for. What UPS wanted
>to do was perfectly valid, and a good idea too. If there is any
>blame to pass out, it rightfully belongs to the FCC and congress.

This is true. It's easier to boycott UPS than the FCC and congress,
though.

>Is there anyone who hasn't ultimately benefited from the ability
>to track their packages? UPS forged the way, but all shippers
>now provide the capability. It just happened that the existing
>cell phone infrastructure was a more practical way of providing the
>tracking service than was building an entirely new infrastructure
>on 220MHz... something that, in hindsight, the FCC should have
>realized.

Also true. However, I have many more unkind things to say about the
spectrum management folks at the FCC. And the enforcement guys all
seem to be doing nothing other than busting FM pirates and breast-showing
broadcasters, while badly-maintained cable TV networks across the country
spew trash all over the VHF bands and touch lamps that blatantly violate
Part 15 are available at every Wal-Mart.
--scott
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"C'est un Nagra. C'est suisse, et tres, tres precis."

5333. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:04:19 UTC
From: Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com>
Message-ID: <fNadnTC4S4_73vjeRVn-tQ@rcn.net>
Source record: 12506
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Scott Dorsey wrote:
> Chuck Harris <cf-NO-SPAM-harris@erols.com> wrote:
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>>and congress that gave them what they asked for. What UPS wanted
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>>blame to pass out, it rightfully belongs to the FCC and congress.
>
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> This is true. It's easier to boycott UPS than the FCC and congress,
> though.

Being easier doesn't make it more effective. Would you boycott
Chevrolet because someone robbed your favorite bank and used a Chevy
as a get-away car?

UPS thought they needed some spectrum, and they asked for it. FCC
didn't see significant usage of the 220 band, and offered it up.
FCC could just as easily have offered up a small chunk of some
microwave band.

All votes are equal in value, but not all voters. Some just
vote what the newspapers, and the parties say they should, others
write letters, make phone calls, create blogs, ... They get more
political power than the usual voter. If you want to get the spectrum
back, start lobbying for it. Come up with a reason why hams should
have it back... We probably won't get it back, on account of ham
radio being among the "walking-dead". (and yes, I am a ham, so I
get to make observations like that.)

>>Is there anyone who hasn't ultimately benefited from the ability
>>to track their packages? UPS forged the way, but all shippers
>>now provide the capability. It just happened that the existing
>>cell phone infrastructure was a more practical way of providing the
>>tracking service than was building an entirely new infrastructure
>>on 220MHz... something that, in hindsight, the FCC should have
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> Also true. However, I have many more unkind things to say about the
> spectrum management folks at the FCC. And the enforcement guys all
> seem to be doing nothing other than busting FM pirates and breast-showing
> broadcasters, while badly-maintained cable TV networks across the country
> spew trash all over the VHF bands and touch lamps that blatantly violate

> Part 15 are available at every Wal-Mart.

They don't violate part 15! They are perfectly in complience. The violation comes when the user doesn't prevent his device from interferring with any service. It was idiotic of the Congress, and the FCC to allow that wording, but they did...and we didn't hold them to task for it.

-Chuck

5334. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:13:03 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dk3gcasep1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12507
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

"Andy Cuffe" <baltimora@psu.edu> wrote in message
news:025am1p08ns1p6nnod6qvjme8vee6ikjha@4ax.com...
> On Sun, 30 Oct 2005 07:44:57 +0900, "Brenda Ann"
> <brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:
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>>being broadcast for $175, it's 10x to 12x that for the cheapest HDTV ready
>>(without the HDTV tuner) set. Damn if I'll pay more than a week's wages
>>for
>>a TV set, there's just nothing worth that kind of scratch to WATCH on
>>them.
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> HDTVs are actually a LOT cheaper than that now. You can get a 27ish
> Sanyo set with a built in ATSC tuner for about $450 now. Not top
> quality, but unless Sanyo is farming out manufacturing to Durabrand it
> should be decent.

Sure don't have anything like that available at our PX or through AAFES
Online. Cheapest digital ready TV we have access to is $1000, 24" screen,
and has no digital tuner even available for it yet.

5335. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:37:55 UTC
From: cjdaytonjrnospam@cox.net
Message-ID: <20051030173755.934$DZ@newsreader.com>
Source record: 12508
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

"Brenda Ann" <brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:
> "Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> news:1130599716.679710.274170@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> >I would agree....would you want your cell phone to come with a cord
> > that you had to plug into a stationary socket before using it?
> >
> > HDTV will not be a replacement for NTSC until it does everything that
> > NTSC does now...everything.
> >
> > And the public will not accept it until it does everything that it
> > replaces.
> >
> > NTSC will be with us longer than anyone wants to admit.
>
> I'd like to believe that, but I'm afraid that the FCC has other ideas.
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> WAY out of my budget. I can buy a 27" NTSC set that looks just fine for
> what's being broadcast for $175, it's 10x to 12x that for the cheapest
> HDTV ready (without the HDTV tuner) set. Damn if I'll pay more than a
> week's wages for a TV set, there's just nothing worth that kind of
> scratch to WATCH on them.

Not a widescreen, but not a bad deal for an entry level set.
No where near $1750-2100 either! Check your facts first.
http://www.walmart.com/catalog/product.do?product_id=2601424

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5336. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:42:41 UTC
From: "tim@nocomment.com" <tim@nocomment.com>
Message-ID: <eOCdnaSCZKX90fjeRVn-jA@rogers.com>
Source record: 12509
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

cjdaytonjrnospam@cox.net wrote:

> "Brenda Ann" <brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:
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If it's not widescreen, it's not HDTV.

5337. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:48:54 UTC
From: cjdaytonjrnospam@cox.net
Message-ID: <20051030174854.665$cO@newsreader.com>
Source record: 12510
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

"tim@nocomment.com" <tim@nocomment.com> wrote:
> cjdaytonjrnospam@cox.net wrote:
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> > "Brenda Ann" <brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:
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> >>"Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in message
> >>news:1130599716.679710.274170@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> >>
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Yes, it is HD. If you are watching an HD broadcast, there will be bars on the top and
bottom. It cuts down the size of the viewable screen, but it is HD.
The effective screen size would be 29.4" instead of the actual size of 32".
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5338. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:51:00 UTC
From: "dkuhajda@locl.net" <dkuhajda@locl.net>
Message-ID: <1130712660.700796.155700@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12511
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

The screen aspect ratio has nothing to do with whether a tv is HDTV or not.

If the tv can display the lines of resolution at the appropriate scan rate for HDTV, then it is high definition. Just because it may have bars on the top and bottom, or on the side when displaying a different aspect ratio has nothing to do with HDTV or not.

5339. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:54:21 UTC
From: "tim@nocomment.com" <tim@nocomment.com>
Message-ID: <hd6dnUZCidOD0vjeRVn-qQ@rogers.com>
Source record: 12512
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

dkuhajda@locl.net wrote:

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> rate for HDTV, then it is high definition. Just because it may have
> bars on the top and bottom, or on the side when displaying a different
> aspect ratio has nothing to do with HDTV or not.
>

I guess if it shows the correct resolution but why anyone would want to
buy something that bass-ackward, I don't know. May as well just buy a
smaller TV with the correct aspect ratio.

5340. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:57:34 UTC
From: cjdaytonjrnospam@cox.net
Message-ID: <20051030175734.811$gz@newsreader.com>
Source record: 12513
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

"tim@nocomment.com" <tim@nocomment.com> wrote:
> dkuhajda@locl.net wrote:
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> > not.
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> >
>
> I guess if it shows the correct resolution but why anyone would want to
> buy something that bass-ackward, I don't know. May as well just buy a
> smaller TV with the correct aspect ratio.

True, and this is likely a piece of junk tv, but the poster I was responding to said that you couldn't get even an HD monitor for less than $1750.

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5341. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-30 22:58:21 UTC
From: cjdaytonjrnospam@cox.net
Message-ID: <20051030175821.343$pg@newsreader.com>
Source record: 12514
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

"dkuhajda@locl.net" <dkuhajda@locl.net> wrote:
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> rate for HDTV, then it is high definition. Just because it may have
> bars on the top and bottom, or on the side when displaying a different
> aspect ratio has nothing to do with HDTV or not.

True, but this is an HD television.

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5342. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 00:46:21 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ip73990.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 12516
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Sun, 30 Oct 2005 07:11:33 -0700, Earl Needham wrote:

>What I don't understand is why ANY ham would ever use UPS after what
>they did to the 220 MHz band a few years ago.

"They"? UPS never applied for any 220 MHz license nor do they
operate on 220 MHz, then or now.

The culprit was a certain "also-ran" equipment manufacturer who had
a bright idea (and whose CEO had "juice" with the FCC from whence he
came) but never could produce equipment that worked on that band.
They approached UPS to get them interested, but UPS got tired of
waiting for working equipment and looked elsewhere (800 MHz).

Gotta keep the urban legends straight!! <ggg>

--
73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

5343. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 00:54:35 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.ip73mz1.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 12517
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

On Sun, 30 Oct 2005 16:26:51 GMT, Clif Holland wrote:

>The FCC is Reactive not Proactive. The latter would require thought.

The latter requires commitment on the part of very high level
management, all political appointees who do not understand what
the agency does in the field nor why resources (personnel and
equipment) should be expended on it.

I say that as a long-retired FCC field enforcement manager who is
not charmed by what the agency has become lately.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

5344. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 01:16:03 UTC
From: "dkuhajda@locl.net" <dkuhajda@locl.net>
Message-ID: <1130721363.706252.142450@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12515
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

What is the 'correct' aspect ratio then?
Most people for the next 3 or 4 years are going to have 95% or more
stuff available over cable at 4:3 aspect ratio, why would they want to
buy a tv that would have those annoying bars on the sides for 95% of
what they are going to watch for a next few years?

Seems to me that it would be bass-ackwards to buy a tv set that does
not fit most of your available viewing material.

The problem so far in being able to get enough HDTV sets and ATSC
tuners available has been the widespread penetration of cable. To use
the still standard cable, you need a standard tv set. Cable companies
have been slow to provide HDTV capable signal at reasonable cost.

5345. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 03:01:02 UTC
From: James Sweet <jamessweet@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ONf9f.1786$hp5.1059@trnddc04>
Source record: 12518
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

dkuhajda@locl.net wrote:
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> rate for HDTV, then it is high definition. Just because it may have
> bars on the top and bottom, or on the side when displaying a different
> aspect ratio has nothing to do with HDTV or not.
>

I believe the sets he's referring to are called EDTV, they support 480p
which is an improvement over the 480i of NTSC, but nowhere near as nice
as 720p on a HD set.

5346. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 03:17:34 UTC
From: Clif Holland <clif@avvid.com>
Message-ID: <i1g9f.3781$zT6.842@trnddc06>
Source record: 12519
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Not picking on the "grunts" but the upper level would be hard pressed to
find the bathroom.

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Clif Holland KA5IPF
www.avvid.com

"Phil Kane" <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop> wrote in message
news:cuvyxnansvbet.ip73mz1.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net...
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> Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon
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5347. Kenwood TS-940S/AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 03:22:13 UTC
From: KI4JKU <hcmoodyjr@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <1130728933.403843.104840@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12520

Gentlemen,
I recently purchased a Kenwood TS-940S/AT (serial number over 20 mil) - I know that the user manual states 100 % duty cycle at 100 % power - but they do put a caveat in there - something like if transmit times are going to exceed 1 hour the power output should be reduced. This leads me to my question - for one is the stated duty cycle really 100 % as stated above? Do any of the users on this group run RTTY with a TS-940 and if so do you "baby it" or do you turn the power up to 100 watts or greater and run it that way regularly? Have you experienced any problems in doing so? Have you done anything "special" to run it for long durations (for example 100 watts RTTY for contesting all weekend long) ((When I say special like this I mean for example - extra fan on heat sinks - power supply modifications, PA unit modifications, etc).
Any information is appreciated - I've really been babying this rig ever since I got it because I get the impression that the guy who owned it before me did also - its really a beauty (inside and out) and it was (and is) very well taken care of...
Thanks,
KI4JKU - Clyde Moody

5348. WANTED: STANDARD C5900 MOBILE FOR PARTS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 03:37:10 UTC
From: Gene Rodgers <oldcodger@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <Gjg9f.35670$7Z5.32979@trnddc07>
Source record: 12521

Looking for a Standard mobile C5900DA tribander for spare parts. Need boards with or without final amp transistors. Standard also made a C5900DE (European model). Let me know what you have.

Gene KE5BFA reply to: oldcoot@comcast.net

5349. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 05:19:47 UTC
From: Bill <exray@coqui.net>
Message-ID: <eb51$4365a978$4232bd0f$3816@COQUI.NET>
Source record: 12522
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Phil Kane wrote:

>
> I say that as a long-retired FCC field enforcement manager who is
> not charmed by what the agency has become lately.

Hmmm....I probably have a notice here somewhere with your autograph :)

Does the FCC still go after Novices with 40m harmonics falling out of band on 10 meters or has the freeband CB QRM covered up all of the violations?

Just kidding. Well, no...not really.

-Bill ex-WN4SXX

5350. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 07:19:37 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dk4gd3$8u4$1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12523
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

<cjdaytonjrnospam@cox.net> wrote in message
news:20051030173755.934$DZ@newsreader.com...
> "Brenda Ann" <brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:
>> "Too_Many_Tools" <too_many_tools@yahoo.com> wrote in message
>> news:1130599716.679710.274170@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>> >I would agree....would you want your cell phone to come with a cord
>> > that you had to plug into a stationary socket before using it?
>> >
>> > HDTV will not be a replacement for NTSC until it does everything that
>> > NTSC does now...everything.
>> >
>> > And the public will not accept it until it does everything that it
>> > replaces.
>> >
>> > NTSC will be with us longer than anyone wants to admit.
>>
>> I'd like to believe that, but I'm afraid that the FCC has other ideas.
>>
>> I know I won't be buying an HDTV receiver any time soon, they're still
>> WAY out of my budget. I can buy a 27" NTSC set that looks just fine for
>> what's being broadcast for $175, it's 10x to 12x that for the cheapest
>> HDTV ready (without the HDTV tuner) set. Damn if I'll pay more than a
>> week's wages for a TV set, there's just nothing worth that kind of
>> scratch to WATCH on them.
>
>
> Not a widescreen, but not a bad deal for an entry level set.
> No where near $1750-2100 either! Check your facts first.
> http://www.walmart.com/catalog/product.do?product_id=2601424
>

How nice you can go to Wal-Mart. I can choose from either the BX/PX or
hundreds of stores on the local economy. The BX/PX are by far the cheaper,
and no such sets exist in their local inventory, nor on their website.

5351. FSK transceiver design

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 10:43:04 UTC
From: thoppay <pthoppay@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1130755384.026925.251290@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12524

Hi,

I am involved in satellite FSK transceiver. Could anyone help me in knowing the FSK transceiver chips capable of transmitting around 30dbm.

As, when I went through data sheets of many FSK transceiver chips, they are capable of transmiting only 10 dbm.

Thanks in adavnce.

Regards,
Thoppay.

5352. FS: 2 meter moble

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 13:01:42 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <y6qdnYx0MYUhiPveRVn-uA@comcast.com>
Source record: 12525

Have a Azden PCS-5000 2 meter fm rig
left over from an estate sale.
Work and looks good, Has mic and bracket
No Original box or Manual.

$65 plus shipping and I'll through in a Tarp TNC2
Packet controller.

Steve

5353. duplexer

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 16:58:36 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <A%r9f.31239$rE2.28920@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12526

I am looking for a good vhf duplexer for repeater use..

e-mail me strook@optonline.net

5354. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 18:44:14 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <_zt9f.31301$ty1.17789@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12527
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

"-=H=-" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
news:GQ73f.1$z21.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
> Hi all,
>
> I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
> Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
> FedEx Ground. Here's why:
>
> Two packages:
> (1) weight 33.60 lbs, size 24 x 21 x 16 inches, insured $900
> (2) weight 13.95 lbs, size 22 x 22 x 14 inches, insured $100
>
> FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
> UPS Ground, delivery in 4-5 business days, cost $56.07
>
> UPS would have charged $17.30 more than FedEx (that's almost
> 45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
> To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
>
> Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH

AND UPS will destroy a cinder block, much less your valuable ham gear!
"Reasonable Care" in handling is not in UPS's vocab!

73

Jerry
>

5355. Re: Looking for a certain mobile rig...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 21:18:42 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <oPv9f.31191$ol.7529@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12528

Icom 208h

Evan Platt wrote:
> Hello all..
>
> I have a Honda civic, so radio space is a premium.
>
> I'm looking for a ham radio that has DPL, and will receive 42 mhz and
> 484.
>
> Is there such a beast that's a reasonable priced unit? Someone
> mentioned a Icom unit, but it's hardly a mobile, and it's close to
> $1k. I don't need to transmit on anything other than 2m and 440, but
> would like to receive local PD on 484 and CHP on 42 mhz.
>
> The Yaesu 8900 looks sweet, but doesn't do either 42 or anything past
> 480.
>
> Thanks.
>
> Evan

5356. Re: Looking for a certain mobile rig...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 21:44:13 UTC
From: kb9rqz@amsat.org
Message-ID: <p04dm1hqtqebcrnb7nuie3g0iv0ke08087@4ax.com>
Source record: 12529

On Mon, 31 Oct 2005 10:01:31 -0800, Evan Platt
<evan@theobvious.espphotography.com> wrote:

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>would like to receive local PD on 484 and CHP on 42 mhz.
>
>The Yaesu 8900 looks sweet, but doesn't do either 42 or anything past
>480.
>

fm or multimode?
>Thanks.
>
>Evan

Usenet Zone Free Binaries Usenet Server
More than 140,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

5357. Re: Looking for a certain mobile rig...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 21:45:18 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns97008BF727DCFspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12530

The Icom 208H does not receive in the 42MHz range, per their specs:

Wideband receiver
See why Icom has a world renowned reputation for superb wideband receivers with the IC-208H. The IC-208H wideband receiver covers 118–173, 230–549 and 810–999MHz* as standard. Listen to your Amateur VHF/UHF bands, as well as aviation, marine, weather and other utility communications in a compact mobile package. Extends your mobile radio enjoyment!
* Excluding Cellular range.

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>> 484.

5358. Re: Looking for a certain mobile rig...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 21:56:53 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns97008DEE45932spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12531

> Will the 208 do 42 mhz? According to the mods.dk page, it stops at
> 118.
>
> Evan

You are correct. It doesn't appear to cover the 42MHz spectrum you would like. The only radio I can easily find that comes close is the Yaesu FT-8900R. I don't know if the extended TX mod will extend its Rx range in the low spectrum to cover 42MHz or not. You're probably going to have a difficult time finding a reasonably priced Dual band rig that will do this. 42MHz generally is too close to the radio's own IF spectrum.

You may end up doing as I do and just rely on monitoring the CHP extender channel only (154.905MHz in most areas of California.) Despite being only 1 watt Tx from the cars and usually only on when a car is stopped, you may find surprisingly good reception on this. Sure works better than nothing.

As a last resort, you can wait an unknown amount of additional years until CHP finally gets the budget and the FCC approval to move the entire system to 700 MHz.

Ed K7AAT

5359. HM-118T Mike Useable on IC-746?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 21:58:05 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <2i4dm1lcs3c2quma5n3fm2jvpga2sdjs0n@4ax.com>
Source record: 12532

I have an Icom IC-746 (original, not pro.) I need a DTMF microphone for it. I have an Icom HM-118TN for my IC-706 MKII g, but it has a modular connector. If I buy a modular to 8-pin adapter, will the 118T work satisfactorily with the IC-746? Correct gain, impedance, etc.?

Dick - W6CCD

5360. Re: Portable HDTV Set

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 22:02:24 UTC
From: Andy Cuffe <baltimora@psu.edu>
Message-ID: <6s4dm15fapujhce0ja29vit49nrb3ni2e4@4ax.com>
Source record: 12533
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair,alt.tv.tech.hdtv

On Sun, 30 Oct 2005 17:54:21 -0500, "tim@nocomment.com"
<tim@nocomment.com> wrote:

>
>I guess if it shows the correct resolution but why anyone would want to
>buy something that bass-ackward, I don't know. May as well just buy a
>smaller TV with the correct aspect ratio.

I actually prefer 4:3 HDTVs for now since most of what I watch is
still 4:3. Also, a 32" 4:3 set is about the same price as a 30" 16:9
set and will give you the same size 16:9 picture. Plus, you get a
bigger 4:3 picture for free if you don't mind a set that takes up a
little more space.
Andy Cuffe

baltimora@psu.edu <-- Use this address until 12/31/2005

acuffe@gmail.com <-- Use this address after 12/31/2005

5361. Re: Looking for a certain mobile rig...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 22:12:08 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <6c5dm156sotko277090ple6m3r0emi0qsq@4ax.com>
Source record: 12534

On Mon, 31 Oct 2005 21:56:53 GMT, Ed
<Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote:
>
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>Despite being only 1 watt Tx from the cars and usually only on when a car
>is stopped, you may find surprisingly good reception on this. Sure
>works better than nothing.
>
> As a last resort, you can wait an unknown amount of additional years
>until CHP finally gets the budget and the FCC approval to move the entire
>system to 700 MHz.
>
> Ed K7AAT

The only radios I can think of that are reasonably compact, and will
do what the OP wants are the all-band mobiles like the Icom IC-706
MKIIg. Of course they are a little larger (but can be remoted) and
cost more than a dual-band VHF/UHF rig. It's a lot of extra machinery
and expense though, just to pick up receive on 42Mhz. Could always
use an HT with wide-band receiver, like the Kenwood TH-F6A and others.

Dick - W6CCD

5362. FA: Kenwood MC-85

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 22:29:15 UTC
From: RadioDude <elocktric@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1130797755.631279.134680@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12535

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&ssPageName=ADME:L:LCA:US:11&item=5823239378

5363. Re: Looking for a certain mobile rig...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-10-31 23:56:08 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9700A225EDDF6spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 12536

> Yeah, I have the extender now, but as you mentioned, the range is
> quite limited. Maybe I'll look into a 4 or 8 channel low band mobile
> or HT :)

How about a scanner? Sure would give you a lot more flexibility, not to mention, be a bit cheaper.

Ed

5364. Anyone Make a 8-pin Mike Plug to 8-pin Modular Jack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-01 00:23:45 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <p3ddm1l1cj5fdbfikjanh0tofllu76o4e5@4ax.com>
Source record: 12537

I need something similar to the Icom OPC-589, except opposite gender.
I want something to be able to use an 8-pin modular plug microphone on
a radio that has an 8-pin round jack. I.E. the modular end needs to
be a female jack, and the radio end needs to be a standard 8-pin mike
plug. I guess I could make one, but the only modular jacks I have
seen are Cat5 jacks for networking, and they are meant for
installation in a wall plate or similar. Not really suited for an
in-line cable.

Dick - W6CCD

5365. Re: Anyone Make a 8-pin Mike Plug to 8-pin Modular Jack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-01 00:34:03 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3snrfrFp8vkiU1@individual.net>
Source record: 12538

Try this link to roll your own for harsh environments....

http://www.rjfield.com/datasheets/RJF544%20ANG%20RevD%20Nov04.pdf

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> seen are Cat5 jacks for networking, and they are meant for
> installation in a wall plate or similar. Not really suited for an
> in-line cable.
>
> Dick - W6CCD

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Bob N9LVU

5366. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-01 00:54:22 UTC
From: Ron <wa0kds@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <4366BDD3.1080602@yahoo.com>
Source record: 12539
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I received a roll of guy cable (almost like a block of iron) today via
UPS and would you believe they damaged it. Nothing gets shipped UPS from
this person.

Jerry wrote:
> "-=H=-" <k5dh@raytheon.com> wrote in message
> news:GQ73f.1$z21.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com...
>
>>Hi all,
>>
>>I shipped two boxes of amateur radio equipment yesterday from
>>Lewisville, Texas to Cooper City, Florida. As always, I used
>>FedEx Ground. Here's why:
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>>Two packages:
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>>FedEx Ground, delivery in 3 business days, cost $38.77
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>>45 percent) and would have taken 1-2 days longer to arrive.
>>To me, $17.30 is not a trivial amount of money.
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>>Something to think about next time you're shipping packages!
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>>73,
>>Dean K5DH
>
>
> AND UPS will destroy a cinder block, much less your valuable ham gear!
> "Reasonable Care" in handling is not in UPS's vocab!
>
> 73
>
> Jerry
>
>
>

5367. Standard GX3000 Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-01 05:25:37 UTC
From: Bill <bcrann1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <%_C9f.3782$J14.193290@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 12540

Can anyone tell me how to change the programming of a GX3000 with a standard EPROM programmer. I had the instructions but lost them during a move. It was something like take the frequency multiply by 45?? convert to hex and add an zero??? Something along those lines. Thanks in advance.

Bill

5368. WTB:Optoelectronics Optocom

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-01 18:46:28 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <jtdfm1ptapjqq0bc50up8dmrfapescd9vo@4ax.com>
Source record: 12541

Looking for an Optoelectronics Optocom with bitbanger if possible...

reply to tommyboysUNDERSCOREads@verizonDOTnet

5369. Wanted FT-102 Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-01 23:23:11 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <mNS9f.5834$IB.5399@dukeread11>
Source record: 12542

WTB accessories for the Yaesu FT-102. Looking for the SP-102 speaker and the FV-102DM ext VFO. Also a desk mic for the 102. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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_____
See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5370. AEA CK2 Keyer Manual Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 00:00:24 UTC
From: Candy <mementodvd@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <8c0gm11q0tvo28ril6tj8h64ir36lmmv6c@4ax.com>
Source record: 12543

Does anyone have a PDF or a photocopy of the AEA CK2 Keyer manual that
I can have/borrow/use?

I specifically need instructions on setting the keyer speed.

Thanks es 73

de KB9BVN

5371. HamPoll Wants Your Opinion

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 02:05:17 UTC
From: Charles Brabham <n5pvl@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <t9V9f.8792$7h7.6110@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12544

HamPoll is here in order to give amateurs a chance to speak for themselves, and in time to provide reasonably accurate and significant polling data on a variety of issues related to the amateur radio service.

You are welcome to browse the polling data we have, but we especially encourage US amateurs visiting here to register with thier callsign and vote in the HamPoll Polling Station.

Whether you come to browse, to discuss or submit new polls, or to tender your vote, be sure to visit regularly as new polls are included from time to time, and the poll data changes as more hams participate day to day.

Stop by at: http://www.hampoll.com

5372. Re: Standard GX3000 Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 05:43:30 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1dd1f1de9d83f77c9896d3@192.168.42.131>
Source record: 12545

[This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.equipment and a copy was
sent to the cited author.]

In article <%_C9f.3782$J14.193290@news20.bellglobal.com>, bcrann1
@hotmail.com says...

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Bill, would you be so kind as to share the info with me if you
happen to find it? I want to make it available on a couple of radio
discussion boards I'm a member of.

Thanks much.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

5373. Watkins Johnson & Autek QF-1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 11:34:27 UTC
From: Salmo <salmo@nf.sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <7v1af.117672$Ph4.3610525@ursa-nb00s0.nbnet.nb.ca>
Source record: 12546

Just posted

Autek audio filter
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5825706182&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Watkins Johnson 905A
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5825699365&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5374. WTB manual for CES 5200 Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 12:44:36 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1130935476.646564.22240@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12547

I am in need of the manual for the CES 5200 telephone interconnect. I
would be willing to compensate for any costs involved. Thanks
Tim N7XAU
tmize57@juno.com

5375. Big dummy load

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 14:41:45 UTC
From: Rich Matos <w9cin@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <lJadnbt3kpawTfXenZ2dnUVZ_sqdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 12448

i have a like new 65 lb. bird dummy load
this load i about 2 feet long and 15" high ,and is oil cooled
it is as new ni hav personaly seen it take 3000 watts for 10 min and
bearly got warm
its to big and clumsy and heavy to ship
i live in huntly IL> ,,about 55 miles n.w. of chicago
so pick up is a must
will sell for $325 (it sells new for 2500) or trade for ???
can be reached at 847-659-1645
thanks de w9cin "Rich"

5376. Re: Standard GX3000 Programming

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 17:22:26 UTC
From: Bill <bcrann1@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <pB6af.5213$LF3.569907@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 12449

Will do.

Bill

"Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null> wrote in message
news:MPG.1dd1f1de9d83f77c9896d3@192.168.42.131...
> [This followup was posted to rec.radio.amateur.equipment and a copy was
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> Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
> (Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
> kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
> "If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
> with surreal ports?"

5377. Asking for owner comments - LDG AT-1000 Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-02 17:54:27 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11mhvb13vr19o31@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 12450
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I would like to hear from owners of this auto tuner about any operating quirks / hints / tips. Mine arrives tomorrow and while I have already downloaded and devoured the manual there is nothing quite like hearing straight from other hams. I have read the eHam reviews but still would like to hear more remarks..

TY

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Charlie-AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

5378. Computer Control of Icom M700Pro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-03 03:17:01 UTC
From: JW2000 <wolff@slowweb.net>
Message-ID: <1130987821.742826.245860@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12451

Does anyone know the protocol used for serial control of the Icom
M700Pro. I would like to write a Visual Basic inter face to control my
radio.. From the computer.
Any and all information will be most apriciated!!!
Jim Wolff
Wolff_jim@myrealbox.com

5379. WTB Heil Goldline GM-5 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-03 15:03:28 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <rl9km1tb11a7vbho9ebvgb7vqfe1jlk3qm@4ax.com>
Source record: 12452

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WTB Heil Goldline GM-5 Microphone
Please reply email with condition and price.
ritchi50@optonline.net
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5380. Re: Anyone Make a 8-pin Mike Plug to 8-pin Modular Jack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-03 20:52:37 UTC
From: Steve Nosko <suteuve.nosukowicuz@moutouroula.com>
Message-ID: <dkdtal$d93$1@engnntp2.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 12453

Note that for the RJ45 female, this looks like nothing more than an RJ45 male with a double female adapter.
CAUTION !! There are at lease TWO types of RJ 45 F-F adapters - "Straight through" and "reverse". With proper wiring either can be used.
The "straight through" actually reverses the connections when traced directly from in to out - it is (two negatives make a positive sort of thing).

73, Steve, K,9.D;C'I

"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message news:3snrfrFp8vkiU1@individual.net...
> Try this link to roll your own for harsh environments....
>
> http://www.rjfield.com/datasheets/RJF544%20ANG%20RevD%20Nov04.pdf
>
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>
> Dick wrote:
>
> > I need something similar to the Icom OPC-589, except opposite gender.
> > I want something to be able to use an 8-pin modular plug microphone on
> > a radio that has an 8-pin round jack. I.E. the modular end needs to
> > be a female jack, and the radio end needs to be a standard 8-pin mike
> > plug. I guess I could make one, but the only modular jacks I have
> > seen are Cat5 jacks for networking, and they are meant for
> > installation in a wall plate or similar. Not really suited for an
> > in-line cable.
> >
> > Dick - W6CCD
>
> --
> Bob N9LVU

5381. Re: Computer Control of Icom M700Pro

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-03 21:00:15 UTC
From: Steve Nosko <suteuve.nosukowicuz@moutouroula.com>
Message-ID: <dkdtovdko1@engnntp2.cig.mot.com>
Source record: 12454

I know nothing of the M700Pro...but...If you haven't tried, Icom has a standard control protocol used on virtually all its (ham) radios.

Have you dome Google on the model?

OOPS... After writing all this I did a Google search on M700Pro computer control

http://www.sailmail.com/icom_com_port_control.htm

This was the first one of many...

It is described on the mods.dk web site along with the level converters. I wrote my own Excel spreadsheed macros using VBA. I control my Icom 706 MKIIG, my TS-2000, TH-F6A handheld and a speach synthesis module with it.

I posted versions on most of the 706 Yahoo group's Files areas.

73, Steve,

If U want, I can send one, but please use my Yahoo address (don't read here often)
noskosteve@ Yahoo?>com

"JW2000" <wolff@slowweb.net> wrote in message news:1130987821.742826.245860@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Does anyone know the protocol used for serial control of the Icom
> M700Pro. I would like to write a Visual Basic inter face to control my
> radio.. From the computer.
> Any and all information will be most apriciated!!!
> Jim Wolff
> Wolff_jim@myrealbox.com
>

5382. Re: Anyone Make a 8-pin Mike Plug to 8-pin Modular Jack?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-03 22:11:09 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <kf2lm1tb1j4qrlmiglflbfsemsrli88gc8@4ax.com>
Source record: 12455

Thanks Steve. I made an adapter today using Radio Shack RJ45
connectors and 8-pin mike plug with a short piece of CAT5 cable. I
used an RJ45 coupler (Home Depot) to hook the two RJ45's together.
Works like a champ. Now my Icom HM-118 DTMF mike works with my Icom
IC-746 when I need a PL tone on the repeater.

73, Dick - W6CCD

On Thu, 3 Nov 2005 14:52:37 -0600, "Steve Nosko"
<suteuve.nosukowicuz@moutouroula.com> wrote:

>Note that for the RJ45 female, this looks like nothing more than an RJ45
>male with a double female adapter.
>CAUTION !! There are at lease TWO types of RJ 45 F-F adapters - "Straight
>through" and "reverse". With proper wiring either can be used.
>The "straight through" actually reverses the connections when traced
>directly from in to out - it is (two negatives make a positive sort of
>thing).
>
>73, Steve, K,9.D;C'I

5383. TS-450S Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-04 19:12:31 UTC
From: Paul_Morphy <paul_morphy2xx@coolgoose.com>
Message-ID: <zoOaf.37356$zb5.21795@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12456

Anyone encountered this: When placed into transmit mode by any means, radio will not drop back into receive mode. Doesn't emit power unless key is closed etc, but VOX does not disengage. The only way to get it back to receive is to punch a front-panel button like PROC, RIT, etc. Other problems that may or may not be related are: no display on power meter but unit produces 100 W; RIT doesn't function although light comes on. F.LOCK is not on, the main tuning control changes the displayed frequency. If I tune from 1501 kHz to 1500 kHz the receiver seems to fail. Retuning to a frequency above 1500 kHz does not return reception; I have to punch one of the above-mentioned buttons to get it back. There are no optional filters or other accessories installed. When I can get it into receive mode there is plenty of noise to indicate the receiver is working, but doing anything to activate the VOX kills the receive. VOX DELAY, ANTIVOX and VOX GAIN at full CCW, problem occurs with or without headphones plugged in, and whether I key it with the XMT/RCV button or via a key, or the PTT button on a mic.

This was an eBay purchase, supposedly working 100%. Nothing rattling, it was double-boxed and the outer box doesn't show signs of rough handling. It's probably going back to the seller but if anyone has a simple suggestion I'd appreciate it. After the problem is resolved somehow I will discuss the name of the dealer from whom I bought the radio.

73, Jim, KR 1S

5384. Is this R-7000 Freq Blocked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-04 23:31:03 UTC
From: west <westley@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <XaSaf.233837$p_1.205006@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12457

Help, I need to find out how you can tell if an Icom R-7000 is frequency (c-phone) blocked. Also, do all R-7000 cover the SHF band, ~1000MHz - 20,000MHz? IOW: are all R-7000 the same? Thank you.

west
AF4GC

5385. Re: Is this R-7000 Freq Blocked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 02:19:29 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9704BA7BB33F1spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 12458

> Help, I need to find out how you can tell if an Icom R-7000 is frequency
> (c-phone) blocked. Also, do all R-7000 cover the SHF band, ~1000MHz -
> 20,000MHz? IOW: are all R-7000 the same? Thank you.
>

They do make a "Government, special agency" model for those who need it,
but one must provide proof of legal requirement to purchase it.

Ed K7AAT

5386. FA Yaesu FT-902DM & FV-901DM scanning external VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 04:13:28 UTC
From: RadioGuy <radioactiveham@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <IjWaf.9691$7h7.5144@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12459
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yaesu FT-902DM HF radio Includes Yaesu FV-901DM Scanning external VFO unit. Hand Microphone & orginal operation manual

Auction ends Saturday 11-05-05 in the PM -PST

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5825308837&rd

5387. FA Yaesu FT-767GX 160-10 meters & VHF/UHF optional

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 04:13:28 UTC
From: RadioGuy <radioactiveham@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <IjWaf.9692$7h7.2753@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12460
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Yaesu FT-767GX HF/VHF/UHF includes MD-1 Desk Microphone & Service Manual on CDR

Auction ends Saturday 11-05-05 in the PM PST

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5825262638&rd

5388. Re: TS-450S Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 05:41:13 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11mohg0jcptv616@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 12461

My TS450 had a similar symptom and Kenwood replaced an IF transistor to fix it. This was about 10 years ago so I cannot recall which transistor was changed.

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Charlie

"Paul_Morphy" <paul_morphy2xx@coolgoose.com> wrote in message news:zoOaf.37356$zb5.21795@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net...
> Anyone encountered this: When placed into transmit mode by any means,
> radio will not drop back into receive mode. Doesn't emit power unless key
> is closed etc, but VOX does not disengage. The only way to get it back to
> receive is to punch a front-panel button like PROC, RIT, etc. Other
> problems that may or may not be related are: no display on power meter but
> unit produces 100 W; RIT doesn't function although light comes on. F.LOCK
> is not on, the main tuning control changes the displayed frequency. If I
> tune from 1501 kHz to 1500 kHz the receiver seems to fail. Retuning to a
> frequency above 1500 kHz does not return reception; I have to punch one of
> the above-mentioned buttons to get it back. There are no optional filters
> or other accessories installed. When I can get it into receive mode there
> is plenty of noise to indicate the receiver is working, but doing anything
> to activate the VOX kills the receive. VOX DELAY, ANTIVOX and VOX GAIN at
> full CCW, problem occurs with or without headphones plugged in, and
> whether I key it with the XMT/RCV button or via a key, or the PTT button
> on a mic.
>
> This was an eBay purchase, supposedly working 100%. Nothing rattling, it
> was double-boxed and the outer box doesn't show signs of rough handling.
> It's probably going back to the seller but if anyone has a simple
> suggestion I'd appreciate it. After the problem is resolved somehow I will
> discuss the name of the dealer from whom I bought the radio.
>
> 73, Jim, KR 1S

5389. Powerham.net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 14:03:15 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <asepm1193variqih48hempj39i5uqdsbq8@4ax.com>
Source record: 12462

Can anyone recommend these guys?

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Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
~

5390. Re: WTB Heil Goldline GM-5 Microphone

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 17:25:28 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <bW5bf.186321$fe3.157419@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12463

Ritch wrote:
> WTB Heil Goldline GM-5 Microphone
> Please reply email with condition and price.
> ritchi50@optonline.net

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5720805009

5391. Re: Is this R-7000 Freq Blocked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 17:56:18 UTC
From: Me <Me@shadow.orgs>
Message-ID: <Me-515288.08565305112005@netnews.att.net>
Source record: 12464

In article <XaSaf.233837$p_1.205006@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>,
"west" <westley@tampabay.rr.com> wrote:

> Help, I need to find out how you can tell if an Icom R-7000 is frequency
> (c-phone) blocked. Also, do all R-7000 cover the SHF band, ~1000MHz -
> 20,000MHz? IOW: are all R-7000 the same? Thank you.
>
> west
> AF4GC
>
>

Not all 7000's are created equal. All of the early models were totally
open, and topped out at 2Ghz. Later versions were blocked in specific
800-900 Mhz ranges, due to US Regulations, and this was done via
Firmware PROM Code changes, so they couldn't be opened easily.

Me who has an early version......

5392. Re: Is this R-7000 Freq Blocked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 18:16:01 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndmptj5.lsn.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 12465

In article <Me-515288.08565305112005@netnews.att.net>, Me wrote:
> Not all 7000's are created equal. All of the early models were totally
> open, and topped out at 2Ghz. Later versions were blocked in specific
> 800-900 Mhz ranges, due to US Regulations, and this was done via
> Firmware PROM Code changes, so they couldn't be opened easily.

That was the R-7100. The R-7000 was discontinued long before the
date that the cellular bands had to be blocked.

There were various versions of the R-7000 for different markets that
may have had frequencies blocked. The U.S. versions did not.

Geoff.

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Geoffrey S. Mendelson, Jerusalem, Israel gsm@mendelson.com N3OWJ/4X1GM
IL Voice: (07)-7424-1667 IL Fax: 972-2-648-1443 U.S. Voice: 1-215-821-1838
You should have boycotted Google while you could, now Google supported
BPL is in action. Time is running out on worldwide radio communication.

5393. Re: TS-450S Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 18:22:57 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0511051322570001@ac9cfb90.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12466

In article <zoOaf.37356$zb5.21795@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>,
Paul_Morphy <paul_morphy2xx@coolgoose.com> wrote:

> Anyone encountered this: When placed into transmit mode by any means,
> radio will not drop back into receive mode. Doesn't emit power unless
> key is closed etc, but VOX does not disengage.

Jim-

There seems to be no rhyme or reason for your symptoms. Try resetting the CPU. Per 4-12-2 on page 54 of the owner's manual, you hold down the A=B key when turning on the power, and everything including memory is reset to factory defaults. Holding down the A/B key instead will save your channel memory contents.

Have you gone through the troubleshooting guide in the owner's manual? You should be able to determine whether or not your troubles are just a combination of mis-adjustments.

If you need manuals, go to http://www.mods.dk. Click on Kenwood on the left side of the screen. When that comes up, click on Manuals at the top of the right-hand list. Scroll down quite a ways for TS 450 690.

73, Fred, K4DII

5394. Re: Powerham.net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 19:30:33 UTC
From: Buther Boy <me@privacy.net>
Message-ID: <812qm157c1hb9nm1cl8g79tqshajqmtebv@4ax.com>
Source record: 12467

On Sat, 05 Nov 2005 08:03:15 -0600, Buther Boy <me@privacy.net> wrote:

>Can anyone recommend these guys?

well, i didn't have the main page loaded at the time i wrote this
email. this is definitely a scam. below is the page i had loaded.

BEWARE! Scam!!

http://www.powerham.net/Latest/frame/products.htm

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Remove the word Spam from my e-mail to contact me...
http://www.PrivacySig.com/SIGbutherboySpam-gmail-black.png
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5395. Re: Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-05 20:03:21 UTC
From: datakoll@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1131221001.474025.100030@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12468

gotta motor over to greaser.tech?

5396. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 02:05:32 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3t56nbFr69d1U1@individual.net>
Source record: 12469
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

Standard C468A LNIB-------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Pictures of some radios can be found at www.mantico.com/4sale.htm
I will have all items on line as soon as posssible.

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

5397. Icom R-7000 vs 7001

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 03:43:25 UTC
From: west <westley@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <xZebf.185385$xl6.2787@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12470

Can someone tell me the differences between the Icom R-7000 & R-7001? Also, what do you think is a fair price for either in today's market. Thank you.

Cordially,
west
AF4GC

5398. FA: YAESU FT-23R, J-38 KEY, Hallicrafters P-26 HV Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 15:07:55 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <f%obf.1379$oP5.946@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12471
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5826607180&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5826607193&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5826607248&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5399. FA: McElroy S-700 CPO, Simpson 303 VTVM, WWII British KEY, NOS Mil-Spec TEST LEADS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 15:10:38 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <P1pbf.1380$oP5.1289@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12472
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7560223961&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5400. FA: AUDIO-TECHNICA AT815ST Stereo mike, $1100 MSRP>CHEEP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 15:12:56 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Z3pbf.1381$oP5.1328@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12473
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.audio.pro.live-sound,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7363603028&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5401. FA: JVC JX-SV55 PROFESSIONAL VIDEO EDITING PROCESSOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 15:14:16 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <d5pbf.1382$oP5.190@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12474
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.audio.pro.live-sound,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7560223975&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5402. FA: NOS HITACHI 2SJ50's, 2SK176's Power Mosfets, MOTOROLA MJ15022 Audio Xsistors

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 15:16:54 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <G7pbf.1383$oP5.752@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12475
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.audio.pro.live-sound,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.highend,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.pro,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7560224021&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7560224046&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5826607306&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5403. FA: $10> DRAKE 1525 EM TOUCH-TONE DYNAMIC HAND MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 15:17:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <A8pbf.1384$oP5.1179@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12476
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5826607253&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5404. FS Yaesu FT-902DM HF Radio & FV901DM Scanning -Memory VFO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 16:32:32 UTC
From: RadioGuy <radioactiveham@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <Aeqbf.10125$q%.7551@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12477
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

$ 550.00 total (plus shipping costs) or best offer for both items

The FT-902DM is a precision engineered,high performance HF transceiver. Covering the bands of 160,75,40,30,20,17,15.12 and 10 meters. SSB (Upper and lowers sidebands. AM,FM,CW,& FSK.
180 watts input on SSB/CW and 80 watts on AM,FM & FSK.

Advanced features include:

PLL

Built-in Curtis 8044 IC Electronic keyer

Frequency memory circuit

Dual - Filter varible IF bandpass tuning

CW audio peak frequency (APF) tuning

VOX - Semi- breakin - with sidetone in CW

25kc calibrator - advanced noise breaker - RF Speech

Processor - and includes a 20 DB RF attenuator

Unit operates on its own built-in 110/220 volt power supply or on 12 DC. AC cord included.

Note: The S/RF meter backlight needs replaceing. Everything else works great.

The orginal Yaesu hand microphone and orginal FT-902DM instruction manual is also included.

The Yaesu FV-901DM scanning external VFO works great also.

The VFO has up to 40 memory settings. Plus VFO tuning.

If you need more info about the FT-902DM or the FV-901DM scanning external VFO - Please e-mail me and i can e-mail you more info. Email me for photo's if needed

radioactiveham@yahoo.com

5405. Re: Is this R-7000 Freq Blocked?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 20:09:04 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <Cptbf.1190$xD6.77602@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12478

"Geoffrey S. Mendelson" <gsm@mendelson.com> wrote in message
news:slrndmptj5.lsn.gsm@cable.mendelson.com...
> In article <Me-515288.08565305112005@netnews.att.net>, Me wrote:
>> Not all 7000's are created equal. All of the early models were totally
>> open, and topped out at 2Ghz. Later versions were blocked in specific
>> 800-900 Mhz ranges, due to US Regulations, and this was done via
>> Firmware PROM Code changes, so they couldn't be opened easily.
>
> That was the R-7100. The R-7000 was discontinued long before the
> date that the cellular bands had to be blocked.
>
> There were various versions of the R-7000 for different markets that
> may have had frequencies blocked. The U.S. versions did not.
>
> Geoff.
>
>
My 7000 and my 7100 receive this band, but I'm outside USA so there may be some versionitis going on. That all said, unless US still sues analog cell phone it's not much use. The top frequency was 2GHz, not 20GHz (if the OP actually meant 20).

Cheers.

Ken

5406. Re: Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 20:17:16 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <ixtbf.1192$xD6.77771@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12479

<datakoll@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1130517927.645607.264590@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com...
> Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?
>
>
> What is the necessary power supply for this unit? Is the power
> requirement met by a standard ac inverter at 300ma or 600 ma? Or is the
> power requirement proprietary?
> does wal carry the inverter and is that a reliable combination?
> what's the story on the 21' ant.? is this a 21' typo? or is the
> satellite in the wrong orbit?
>
> i asked in other forums without reply.
>
Do you have a link to the manual so we can comment?

Ken

5407. FS: Kenwood TS-450SAT HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 21:59:38 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <56vsm1l9orfki394d9i3rodgnf5vot38j4@4ax.com>
Source record: 12480

FS: Kenwood TS-450SAT HF Transceiver
AllMode, Has built in tuner. Looks very nice and works GREAT!
I'm keeping microphone and power cord.
This radio certainly will not be dead on arrival.
Price: 425.00
reply email
Rich

5408. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 22:23:10 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3t7e2eFrkfa8U1@individual.net>
Source record: 12481
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

Standard C468A LNIB-------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts.

2 IBM Thinkpad 350 laptops--------------------------EACH-$ 25
128M HD, 16M ram (max), Paper White LCD, loaded with
Dos 6.22 and WIN 3.11 .
Both need new batteries (MAIN/CMOS), the cases are scuffed,
and shows age. One has slight blemish on LCD...
Would be great for packet and programing older radios...
No manuals

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Pictures of some radios can be found at www.mantico.com/4sale.htm
I will have all items on line as soon as possible.

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

5409. SOLD Kenwood TS-450SAT HF Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 22:33:16 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <f41tm11gc61ukup3j2uu1vefnk9lvo5fo1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12482

Thanks for all replies.
Sold

5410. Repair for Kenwood R-2000...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-06 22:33:48 UTC
From: SWping <bgsmallwood@cox.net>
Message-ID: <n51tm1hoo6q10jbrr2cbc4n133plphfhn5@4ax.com>
Source record: 12483

I have a Kenwood R-2000 receiver that has developed tuning a problem. When tuning slowly it often bounces back and forth between 2 adjacent frequencies (14.295 and 14.290 for example) and the only way I can go past those frequencies it to tune quickly. Also it sometimes tunes to higher frequencies even when I turn the knob CCW.

If I remove the power cord for a few minutes it tunes normally for about 3-5 minutes but then starts doing the same thing again.

What I am looking for is someone to recommend a good service center that I can contact about repairing this receiver. I have the original owners manual and the service manual. I have had it a long time and am fond of it.

Thanks

bgsmallwood@cox.net

5411. Spread Spectrum anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 00:25:09 UTC
From: Rod Maupin <gridman@ywave.com>
Message-ID: <11mt7nqakvb8gac@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12484

I recently became interested in Spread Spectrum but have found any equipment for it. Did I look in all the wrong places or is this mode mostly experimental, for ham operators I mean. I know it is being used now in wireless equipment.

Rod KI7CQ

5412. Re: Spread Spectrum anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 00:47:20 UTC
From: kb9rqz@amsat.org
Message-ID: <0u8tm1du7v4b6miqej1ml78hem6eujkq2e@4ax.com>
Source record: 12485

On Sun, 6 Nov 2005 16:25:09 -0800, "Rod Maupin" <gridman@ywave.com>
wrote:

>I recently became interested in Spread Spectrum but have found any equipment
>for it. Did I look in all the wrong places or is this mode mostly
>experimental, for ham operators I mean. I know it is being used now in
>wireless equipment.

there are folks using it in theham bands at vhf and UHF only I think
(last I heard) meaning youd have to be near someone else into using it

I know of no off the shelf stuff for it (unless maybe the icom digital
stuff counts)
>
>Rod KI7CQ
>

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More than 140,000 groups
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http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

5413. schimatic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 02:14:24 UTC
From: n4lgs <n4lgs@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1131329664.000732.172210@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12486

i'm looking for a schimatic for a Knight TR-106. the one posted on bama
is poor quality.
Thanks for all help in this matter!!

5414. Re: schimatic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 04:16:58 UTC
From: pltrgyst <pltrgyst@spamlessxhost.org>
Message-ID: <49ltm1h1v2j2ujkom0q7dr72r4ithqoldu@4ax.com>
Source record: 12487

On 6 Nov 2005 18:14:24 -0800, "n4lgs" <n4lgs@juno.com> wrote:

>i'm looking for a schimatic for a Knight TR-106.

Shouldn't the be "skimatic"?

-- Fred

5415. Re: schimatic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 04:28:00 UTC
From: Brad <"bradvk2qq AT w6ir.com">
Message-ID: <436ed7d3$0$41150$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>
Source record: 12488

"pltrgyst" <pltrgyst@spamlessxhost.org> wrote in message
news:49ltm1h1v2j2ujkom0q7dr72r4ithqoldu@4ax.com...
> On 6 Nov 2005 18:14:24 -0800, "n4lgs" <n4lgs@juno.com> wrote:
>
>>i'm looking for a schimatic for a Knight TR-106.
>
> Shouldn't the be "skimatic"?
>
> -- Fred

I got one of those. It fits to the roofbars and holds them on tight!

Brad.

5416. Re: schimatic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 07:21:28 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9706EDB3BE48Dspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12489

> i'm looking for a schimatic for a Knight TR-106. the one posted on bama
> is poor quality.
> Thanks for all help in this matter!!
>

You should be able to print it out and draw in the faded line segments.
I agree there are a few faded out circuit lines, but the end points are
pretty obvious, to me, and I had no difficulty figuring where they went.

Ed K7AAT

5417. ICOM IC-781 Support Group - here .....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 13:22:24 UTC
From: Wuff Hung <kennjd@adelphia.net>
Message-ID: <346dnQ4X0IBYyfLeRVn-pQ@adelphia.com>
Source record: 12490

ICOM IC-781 Support Group... back in service.

Here is the link....

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/IcomIC781/

5418. FA: BUNNELL TELEGR. SOUNDER-WORKING

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 14:25:33 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <xtJbf.30905$qk4.898@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12491
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Antique J H Bunnell telegrapher's sounder in working condition + other stuff too. See at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking heytubeguy

5419. Re: Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 16:03:58 UTC
From: datakoll@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1131379438.931492.10420@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12492

the question was or is-wood the music types-review posts in various sat
radio groups-respond to a question with a simple but obscure answer
what dc is available to an auto sat receiver system?
i assume and do not know of an industry standard.
also posted in sci.electronic. equipment

5420. ICOM IC-701 CW offset question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 21:26:44 UTC
From: Jozef <jozef@metaphoria.org>
Message-ID: <1131398705.36938@r2d2.vermontel.net>
Source record: 12493

Perhaps some old timers owned an IC701 (HF rig) and are familiar with this radio. I am trying to identify the adjustment that determines the automatic TX and RX offset in CW mode only. Typically, this should be around 600 Hz or so, but age has moved the automatic offset in CW mode to point where the RIT needs to be turned on and swung all the way over clockwise, almost to the end. This should be a relatively minor adjustment. That said, I'm uncertain as to which control it is. Is there anyone who knows this radio who can help? 28 years of fine service for the IC701, to be replaced with an IC756 Pro III in the next few months. I hope. In the meantime....

Jozef
WB2MIC

5421. Re: Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-07 22:04:00 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <kbQbf.1536$xD6.91826@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12494

<datakoll@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1131379438.931492.10420@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> the question was or is-wood the music types-review posts in various sat
> radio groups-respond to a question with a simple but obscure answer
> what dc is available to an auto sat receiver system?
> i assume and do not know of an industry standard.
> also posted in sci.electronic. equipment
>

I'll assume English isn't your first language as your sentences don't always make sense, but I'll try to answer your original questions:

>What is the necessary power supply for this unit?

What does the manual say? If you can't post a link, can you type out the page with the spec's?

>Is the power requirement met by a standard ac inverter at 300ma or 600 ma?

See above.

>Or is the power requirement proprietary?

What do you mean by that? It's for an auto situation so it'll be 13.8VDC at some current rating which we'll know when you post the page.

>does wal carry the inverter and is that a reliable combination?

They're bound to have a suitable plug-pack. It'll be as reliable as WalMart stuff is.

>what's the story on the 21' ant.? is this a 21' typo?

Probably, but can you post the page?

>or is the satellite in the wrong orbit?

I can guarantee that it isn't, nor would that affect antenna size in a meaningful way.

>i asked in other forums without reply.

Because there's too little information. Give us something to work with and we can help.

Cheers.

Ken

5422. AEA KT-3 Keyer Trainer - Need user manual? How about schematics?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 01:17:35 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <P0Tbf.36531$kd.86@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12495

I picked up an AEA KT-3 Keyer Trainer at a garage sale this weekend. It seems to work but I can't figure out the operating procedure. Has anyone got a copy of a user manual? How about schematics? _I tried "BAMA" and various Gooogle searches. No luck_. If you have a copy you can .pdf, or a _bonafide_ link, please let me know.

Thanks In Advance!

--
Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

"Follow The Money"

5423. Add WARC Bands - 12M and 17M to Hustler 4-BTV, 5-BTV, or 6-BTV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 04:22:27 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11n0a0lhlf0vh02@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 12496
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Takes about 1 hour assembly time and costs less then $15. Takes legal limit and requires no permanent modifications to original Hustler BTV antennas. SWR on 12M and 17M < 1.2:1 This mod adds a 12M and a 17M vertical radiator on each side of the existing Hustler antenna. Minor retuning of original bands required after 12M and 17M are tuned. It's EASY!

This works a treat and is a great way to get an extra 2 bands from an existing antenna structure.

1. http://www.ad5th.com/5-BTV-WARC.html

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Charlie-AD5TH

5424. Naval connection? You qualify for RNARS membership!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 12:03:33 UTC
From: Mike <mike@my1biz.com>
Message-ID: <dkq46l$t03$1@nwrdmz03.dmz.ncs.ea.ibs-infra.bt.com>
Source record: 12497

Membership of the Royal Naval Amateur Radio Society (RNARS) is open to all who have an
interest in any facet of amateur radio and who are serving or who have served in the following:

Royal Navy
Royal Marines
Royal Naval Reserve
Royal Marine Reserve
Women's Royal Naval Service
Royal Naval Auxiliary Service
Royal Fleet Auxiliary
Merchant Navy
Sea Cadets Corps
Nautical Training Corps
MOD (Navy)
Commonwealth and Foreign Navies

NON-MEMBERS can purchase RNARS commodities.

Details and membership application form is available online at
http://www.rnars.org.uk

5425. What are the known issues w/ Kenwood TS-850?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 13:07:54 UTC
From: KA1IOR <wayg@cape.com>
Message-ID: <1131455274.145717.239720@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12398

I've heard a lot of good things about the TS-850, and got to use one at Field Day the last few years. So I'm thinking about buying one, but want to avoid any "duds" if they are identifiable.

I've noticed a few ads telling about selling the 850 for parts because they bought one used "as is" that didn't really work as advertised. There have been references to serial numbers, like the 60K mark due to a modification capability, but I'm not too concerned about that particular mod. Your thoughts?

5426. Re: What are the known issues w/ Kenwood TS-850?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 14:47:02 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <fT2cf.17701$i%.13595@fed1read07>
Source record: 12399

"KA1IOR" <wayg@cape.com> wrote in message
news:1131455274.145717.239720@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com...
> I've heard a lot of good things about the TS-850, and got to use one at
> Field Day the last few years. So I'm thinking about buying one, but
> want to avoid any "duds" if they are identifiable.
>
> I've noticed a few ads telling about selling the 850 for parts because
> they bought one used "as is" that didn't really work as advertised.
> There have been references to serial numbers, like the 60K mark due to
> a modification capability, but I'm not too concerned about that
> particular mod. Your thoughts?

One of Kenwood's great rigs IMHO. Had one for many years with no troubles.
For RTTYor contesting, it would run keydown for long periods -- big heavy
duty heatsink.
CW filters are quite good
The dynamic range was superb, better than my latest TS-870S.

RE Duds -- When I buy used gear, I ask the seller for a guarantee that the
rig is fully operational in all modes and bands.
Then I test it with my HP equipment for power output, sensitivity, etc.

You can read about Common Problems with the 850 and Possible Cures AT URL:
http://n6tr.jzap.com/850repair.html

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

5427. Re: TS-450S Problems

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 21:54:02 UTC
From: MICHAELF <mfgx@excite.com>
Message-ID: <1131486842.618586.144040@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12400

Hello Paul.
I suggest that you verify the condition of the "Back-up
Battery", which is located within the front panel/face plate of the
radio.

I suspect that if the battery leaks onto the surrounding circuit areas,
a huge amount
of proverbial "hate & discontent" could take place with regards to
proper operation of the "450S" radio.

One internet page I DO know of which presents satisfactory images &
instructions for inspecting & removal/replacement of the back-up
battery is located at the following URL:

http://www.geocities.com/lfnca/450bat/450sat_battery.htm

Additionally, there are several Yahoo Groups available which offer
multitudes of solutions re: issues related to Kenwood Amateur Radio
products. One related directly to the "450" {in addition to the "850" &
"690"} can be found at:

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/TS-850_450_690/

You'll find many fine people within the "850/450/690" group who would
probably come through with some additional suggestions/solutions.

Good luck, 73

Mike snaj55@yahoo.com

Semper Fi / CV-41 / VMCJ-1

5428. ts140/680s erratic display

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 22:23:57 UTC
From: Gordy <w9avc@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1A9cf.4185$vC6.866@trnddc05>
Source record: 12401

The display on my 680 jumps all over the place and some of the digits
are brighter than others. Anyone know the cure?
Thanks, Gordy

5429. WANTED: MOTOROLA CYBERTEST "SMART MODULES"

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 23:17:05 UTC
From: "Richard W. Solomon, W1KSZ" <w1ksz@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <5ec2n1hc6lt79kpdg0l5vuvhhbd4fbv9p4@4ax.com>
Source record: 12402

Now that I have one of these coming, my thoughts turn to getting some
of the plug-in "Smart Modules" to play with.
I have the ReFLEX/InFLEXion Module coming, but would like to get the
others:
Specifically:

ISM Smart Module
CDMA Infrastructure Smart Module
AMPS/TACS Smart Module

Not sure I really need any of these to tune up 900 MHz radios, but if
they are cheap enough, it would be fun to play with them

Anyone have any they will part with ?

Thanks, Dick, W1KSZ

5430. Re: Xact Communication Visor Satellite Radio Receiver AXTR3CK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-08 23:25:09 UTC
From: datakoll@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1131492309.164849.256350@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12403

no tech info to report.
the axtr3ck looks like the first everyman's sat radio rig
and with fewer extras, possibly reliable.
there was an antenna problem rumor then the 21' typo came by.
and thanks-13.8 vdc. i forgot!
then a 12 volt inverter will not supply a unit meant for auto use?

5431. WTB Manual for CES 5200 Interconnect.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 01:27:47 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1131499667.592036.227820@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12404

I am in need of a manual for the CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect.
Thanks for your time and consideration on this matter.
Tim N7XAU

5432. FS: SGC Mac-200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 01:58:03 UTC
From: KC3AK <KC3AK@ARRL.NET>
Message-ID: <LIccf.2505$lb.189279@news1.epix.net>
Source record: 12405

For Sale almost new SGC MAC-200. I upgraded to an Icom 746PRO with
built in antenna tuner and no longer need the outboard tuner. Paid $250
abt 3 months ago, sacrifice for $175 plus shipping from 17532. Figure
on abt 3 lbs shipping. It even has the caps on the co-ax connectors yet.
Rev. Terry Mills KC3AK
KC3AK @ARRL.NET

5433. Interconnect systems sr-7100

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 05:21:15 UTC
From: mooksmd <mooksmd.1y82si@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <mooksmd.1y82si@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 12406

Looking for a manual or at least hookup schematic for this simplex
repeater.
Thanks
Mike

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mooksmd

5434. Motorola Visar UHF, qty 10.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 12:01:27 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <rylcf.5490$vC6.3846@trnddc05>
Source record: 12407
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hi all, just got in some 403-470MHz Motorola Visars [16ch/4w] from a school board, used inside. Great shape,
tested/working. Excellent condition.

10 radios/short antennas [one long antenna]
10 newer small 'clamshell' dual rapid smart-chargers.
14 slim batteries, datecodes around 03/04, most working.
4 belt clips/holsters.

Will have programmed to your specs.

$130 each for radio and dual rapid charger, $1,250 for all.

I'll be out of town at a conference, back next week.
Pix available then if needed.

Thanks!
rb

5435. Yaesu FT-50RD Transmit Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 12:27:06 UTC
From: Jim Dockery <james.dockery@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <uWlcf.6309$41.1247@trndny04>
Source record: 12408

Press the PTT button and it tries to transmit but immediately reverts back
to receive.

Any programming ideas. I can't seem to find anything in the manuals.

Jim, WB2HBZ

5436. Re: Spread Spectrum anyone?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 13:30:34 UTC
From: kb9rqz@hasmat.org
Message-ID: <efu3n1tm8d1hh4k6pnqcel3uoasbnimen1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12409
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf

"Rod Maupin" <gridman@ywave.com> wrote:
> I recently became interested in Spread Spectrum but have found any
> equipment for it. Did I look in all the wrong places or is this mode
> mostly experimental, for ham operators I mean. I know it is being used
> now in wireless equipment.
>
> Rod KI7CQ
>
I srpead my butt cheaks for teh menz

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More than 140,000 groups
Unlimited download
http://www.usenetzone.com to open account

5437. WTB: KPC 9612 plus

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 22:26:38 UTC
From: vantek@mcleodusa.net
Message-ID: <43757771.25796519@news.mcleodusa.net>
Source record: 12410

Looking for a KPC 9612 in good working condition
Van W0VH
van@vantek.org

5438. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Transmit Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-09 22:27:30 UTC
From: Daniel McKenzie <dan.no.mckenzie@centurytel.com>
Message-ID: <TsadnTbHIsdI6u_enZ2dnUVZ_vidnZ2d@centurytel.net>
Source record: 12411

"Jim Dockery" <james.dockery@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:uWlcf.6309$41.1247@trndny04...
> Press the PTT button and it tries to transmit but immediately reverts back
> to receive.
>
> Any programming ideas. I can't seem to find anything in the manuals.
>
> Jim, WB2HBZ
>
>

Have you checked the battery voltage? Could
be low or going bad. Mine would give a beep
and go blank, then come back to receive when
the battery was low. Do you have a power supply
to run it on as a test?

Dan, W9FCC

5439. ICOM 910h

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-10 00:03:18 UTC
From: thoppay <pthoppay@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1131579297.251274.67420@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12412

Hi all,

Does ICOM 910H half duplex data connection from satellite. If it handles how fast one could switch from transmit to receive and vice versa.

Thanks in advance.

Regards,
Prakash.

5440. Re: Looking for a certain mobile rig...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-10 01:30:49 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ue85n15dcqeckohsev10r3g4dqh9dp0o1n@4ax.com>
Source record: 12413

On Mon, 31 Oct 2005 10:01:31 -0800, Evan Platt
<evan@theobvious.espphotography.com> wrote:

>Hello all..
>
>I have a Honda civic, so radio space is a premium.
>
>I'm looking for a ham radio that has DPL, and will receive 42 mhz and
>484.
>
>Is there such a beast that's a reasonable priced unit? Someone
>mentioned a Icom unit, but it's hardly a mobile, and it's close to
>$1k. I don't need to transmit on anything other than 2m and 440, but
>would like to receive local PD on 484 and CHP on 42 mhz.
>
>The Yaesu 8900 looks sweet, but doesn't do either 42 or anything past
>480.
>
>Thanks.
>
>Evan

I'd look for a dual bander that has general coverage receive for the
484 stuff -- and a separate Motorola or whatever rig for 42 MHZ; you
can find them cheap on eBay or rec.radio.amateur.swap -- I saw a low
band Motorola Maxtrak rig cheap somewhere in that neighborhood a few
days ago.

Otherwise, there's no much ham stuff I know of for 42 Mhz.

bob
k5qwg

5441. Re: Yaesu FT-50RD Transmit Problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-10 03:02:54 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <yLycf.68269$rE2.66033@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12414

Jim Dockery wrote:

>Press the PTT button and it tries to transmit but immediately reverts back
>to receive.
>
>Any programming ideas. I can't seem to find anything in the manuals.
>
>Jim, WB2HBZ
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>
Hi, did you try a full CPU reset?? All memories will be gone
afterwards so write them down!!
Good luck!!
73

5442. Tube Bench Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-10 05:36:30 UTC
From: west <westley@tampabay.rr.com>
Message-ID: <y%Acf.345$FW4.113@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12415

I need to buy or build a bench power supply to test & design various tube equipment (audio & ham). I would like it to be something like a Heathkit HP-23 with voltage & current meters. The major problem with the supplies I've come across such as the HP-23, is that the B+ current is appx. 100ma. The bias & filament supplies are OK, but at times I need around 400ma for the B+ out. Is there such a PS available, perhaps with tube regulation & rectification or do I need to build from scratch? Any answers will be most appreciated.

Cordially,
west
AF4GC

5443. WTB ICOM TV-7000

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-11 03:13:04 UTC
From: WB8ICT <WB8ICT@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <4%Tcf.19298$6M6.12410@trnddc04>
Source record: 12416
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

Looking for a TV adapter for the ICOM R-7000 receiver.
Please email details to:

WB8ICT at arrl dot net

Thanks,

5444. FS: VX 7-6-5 R Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-11 14:29:01 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <fvydnb0G8r0yN-nenZ2dnUVZ_s2dnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 12417

I have a new CD-15a quick charger for the Yaesu VX-7 -- 6 -- 5 -- R
HT. This charger fits all three HT's

No Box or Manual. Don't think you need a manual
just drop in and charge, Has lights to tell you when charging
and when charged.

$25 plus shipping.

Steve

5445. Free Tower and HF antenna in Pampa, Tx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-11 17:42:45 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <cK4df.2351$ih5.720@dukeread11>
Source record: 12418

Free tower, rotator, and antenna in Pampa, Texas. The tower is a heavy duty, windmill type self supporting tower with a large base that tapers off to a small top section. There are 4 sections. It is around 40 feet tall. I believe that the antenna is a Mosley CL-33 triband beam, and the rotator is a Ham IV. There is also a 2 meter antenna on the very top, above the beam. and some extras like an antenna tuner and swr mete. I am posting this for an estate of a fellow ham. The tower and antennas will have to be taken down, which will require some effort and skill. If interested, e-mail me for more info. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5446. Re: Wanted: manual for Heathkit GW-22A c.b. radio

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 05:54:49 UTC
From: Dana <dana@panix.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.63.0511120054180.12188@panix1.panix.com>
Source record: 12419
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I had a gw42 once. That probably wouldn't help though.

On Wed, 19 Oct 2005, -=H=- wrote:

> I'm looking for an original manual (or quality copy)
> for the Heathkit GW-22A c.b. radio. Do you have one
> that you can part with, or let me borrow to make my
> own copy of?
>
> Yes, I'm aware of the MANY on-line vendors who sell
> manuals, but I'm just not interested in paying $20
> plus postage for a photocopy. I'm hoping that one
> of my fellow radio enthusiasts will have the manual
> and be willing to help me out. That's what we used
> to do... before it became all about the money.
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> 73,
> Dean K5DH
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5447. TECH: FT-5200 low mic gain

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 07:34:45 UTC
From: Jimmy Mac <no-spam@manicarcade.com>
Message-ID: <43759bff$0$54820$742ec2ed@news.sonic.net>
Source record: 12420

Has anyone been able to actually locate the VR-1002 or any other mic gain pot in the Yeasu FT-5200? We've tried the image from ArtSci but it's just wrong. We can clearly see it on the schematics but no pot labeled VR-1002.

Any help would be greatly appreciated!

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Thanks!!

Jim..

5448. FA: 1-Day-Left: QST - 24 Rare, Old, Vintage issues (from 1972 and 1973) of QST (ARRL, Ham Radio, etc.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 11:57:19 UTC
From: Lenny <lenny@lfwidiidasdp.com>
Message-ID: <121120050657199867%lenny@lfwidiidasdp.com>
Source record: 12421
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6987211870

5449. Narrow Filters - Ringing ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 13:01:31 UTC
From: Froggythefrog <froggythefrog@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4375e7b8$0$29190$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 12422

Just a quick question.

When on CW mode using narrow filters, 500/250 I get this ringing all the time, I'm guessing this is caused by the background noise on the bands coming in via the narrow filters.

I operate mainly on 160/80/40/30m CW thus I am wondering if it is possible to do something to the rig to get rid of the ringing effect ?

The rig I use for CW is a Tentec Omni VI with the roofing filter modifications.

I also have an FT1000MP which suffers exactly the same problem, however I don't like using it on CW as it has terrible key click problems, as per all the Yaesu range of radios.

So, is this problem cureable or is there a radio on the market now that doesn't suffer from this problem ?

Thanks for any help.

5450. Need Schematic...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 13:08:14 UTC
From: Richard Heindel <rheindel@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <2Pldf.95159$Hs.92074@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12423

I am in need of the schematic for the Icom IC-255A.
If anyone can help please email me direct.

Tnx & 73
Richard WB8KRN

5451. FA: 1-DAY>Yaesu FT-23R, Lionel J-38 Key, Simpson 303 VTVM

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 15:14:00 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <YEndf.18723$rc7.6562@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12424
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/YAESU-FT-23R-HANDY-TALKIE-for-2-METER-FM-9-MEMS-2-WATT_W0QQitemZ5826607180QQcategoryZ40069QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/US-SIGNAL-CORPS-LIONEL-J-38-MORSE-CODE-CW-KEY-WWII-Neat_W0QQitemZ5826607193QQcategoryZ48706QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/RARE-SIMPSON-303-TUBE-TYPE-VTVM-Tech-Special-Parts-or_W0QQitemZ7560223945QQcategoryZ58275QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

5452. FA: 1-DAY>Rare McElroy CPO, Mil-Spec Test Lead SET, Hallicrafters PS-26 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 15:15:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <GGndf.18727$rc7.10390@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12425
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/RARE-McELROY-S-700-OSILLATONE-code-pratice-oscillator_W0QQitemZ5826607207QQcategoryZ48702QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/NOS-USA-MIL-SPEC-TEST-LEAD-PROBE-SET-BIG-100-VALUE-NR_W0QQitemZ7560223961QQcategoryZ50971QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/HALLICRAFTERS-P-26-H-V-POWER-SUPPLY-for-HA-2-6-XVERTERS_W0QQitemZ5826607248QQcategoryZ48708QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

5453. FA: 1-Day>Drake TT Mike, British WWII Morse Key

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 15:17:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <vlndf.18731$rc7.17540@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12426
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/DRAKE-1525-EM-TOUCH-TONE-DYNAMIC-HAND-MICROPHONE-NEAT-O_W0QQitemZ5826607253QQcategoryZ48707QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

http://cgi.ebay.com/BRITISH-NO-2-MKIII-MORSE-CODE-KEY-from-WS-19-RADIO-WWII_W0QQitemZ5826607265QQcategoryZ48706QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

5454. Did ICOM make an IC-571 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 15:42:37 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <k3odf.232$MN.200@fed1read07>
Source record: 12427

Had a request to help a Ham in Italy to find a SSB 2.8kHz filter for this
radio
Can't google any info on an IC-571 ???
Not in Rig Pix or e-ham

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

5455. Re: Narrow Filters - Ringing ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 16:18:26 UTC
From: Dale Parfitt <par@parelectronics.com>
Message-ID: <mBodf.2458$MY4.747@trnddc03>
Source record: 12428

"Froggythefrog" <froggythefrog@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:4375e7b8$0$29190$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr...
> Just a quick question.
>
> When on CW mode using narrow filters, 500/250 I get this ringing all the
> time, I'm guessing this is caused by the background noise on the bands
> coming in via the narrow filters.
>
> I operate mainly on 160/80/40/30m CW thus I am wondering if it is possible
> to do something to the rig to get rid of the ringing effect ?
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> The rig I use for CW is a Tentec Omni VI with the roofing filter
> modifications.
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> I also have an FT1000MP which suffers exactly the same problem, however I
> don't like using it on CW as it has terrible key click problems, as per
> all the Yaesu range of radios.
>
> So, is this problem cureable or is there a radio on the market now that
> doesn't suffer from this problem ?
>
> Thanks for any help.
>

I recently had the opportunity to hear both a 250Hz (from memory) stock FT-1000 filter and a homebrew same bandwidth filter whose group delay response had been optimized- the difference was very obvious. I am not aware of any amateur filter manufacturers that at least claim to be paying attention to this parameter. See W7ZOI's text Experimental Methods in RF Design for a treatment.

Dale W4OP

5456. WTB: ICOM FL-70 for ICOM IC-571

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 16:50:34 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <13pdf.241$MN.148@fed1read07>
Source record: 12429

Anyone know where I can get one ?

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

5457. Re: Did ICOM make an IC-571 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 18:20:04 UTC
From: W7RBR <rbriver@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <KeOdnbUOP-nAr-venZ2dnUVZ_tmdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 12430

No, but they did make an IC-751.

"Caveat Lector" <UALLBeware@9984reader.com> wrote in message
news:k3odf.232$MN.200@fed1read07...
> Had a request to help a Ham in Italy to find a SSB 2.8kHz filter for this
> radio
> Can't google any info on an IC-571 ???
> Not in Rig Pix or e-ham
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> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
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5458. Re: Did ICOM make an IC-571 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 18:20:58 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <Mnqdf.247$MN.91@fed1read07>
Source record: 12431

As I suspected --thanks

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"W7RBR" <rbriver@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:KeOdnbUOP-nAr-venZ2dnUVZ_tmdnZ2d@comcast.com...
> No, but they did make an IC-751.
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> "Caveat Lector" <UALLBeware@9984reader.com> wrote in message
> news:k3odf.232$MN.200@fed1read07...
>> Had a request to help a Ham in Italy to find a SSB 2.8kHz filter for this
>> radio
>> Can't google any info on an IC-571 ???
>> Not in Rig Pix or e-ham
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>> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
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5459. FA: UHF HT750 Motorola Portable...w/accessories - Has MDC1200 signaling.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 19:44:41 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <hCrdf.258$MN.248@fed1read07>
Source record: 12432
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: UHF HT750 Motorola Portable...w/accessories - Has MDC1200 signaling.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7561224622&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5460. Re: Did ICOM make an IC-571 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 23:29:19 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <pkucn19agqhsusqog2sgl14tmcd8pgtejs@4ax.com>
Source record: 12433

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There is also a 551 and a 575, but I can't find reference to a 571.
Maybe made only for Europe?

Dick

On Sat, 12 Nov 2005 10:20:04 -0800, "W7RBR" <rbriver@yahoo.com> wrote:

>No, but they did make an IC-751.
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>"Caveat Lector" <UALLBeware@9984reader.com> wrote in message
>news:k3odf.232$MN.200@fed1read07...
>> Had a request to help a Ham in Italy to find a SSB 2.8kHz filter for this
>> radio
>> Can't google any info on an IC-571 ???
>> Not in Rig Pix or e-ham
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>> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
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5461. Re: Did ICOM make an IC-571 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-12 23:34:43 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <VZudf.274$MN.166@fed1read07>
Source record: 12434

Thanks folks for the replies appreciated

Guess I will have to get back to the Italian Ham for clarification

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:pkucn19agqhsusqog2sgl14tmcd8pgtejs@4ax.com...
> There is also a 551 and a 575, but I can't find reference to a 571.
> Maybe made only for Europe?
>
> Dick
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> On Sat, 12 Nov 2005 10:20:04 -0800, "W7RBR" <rbriver@yahoo.com> wrote:
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>>"Caveat Lector" <UALLBeware@9984reader.com> wrote in message
>>news:k3odf.232$MN.200@fed1read07...
>>> Had a request to help a Ham in Italy to find a SSB 2.8kHz filter for
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>>> radio
>>> Can't google any info on an IC-571 ???
>>> Not in Rig Pix or e-ham
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5462. FS: VHF Repeater Antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 01:34:07 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <a06dn1ds6gbtlrmq95s011jc471129iprs@4ax.com>
Source record: 12435

FS: VHF Repeater Antenna
DB224-E
Omni, Exposed Dipole
Great Repeater Antenna
Its about a Year old.
To read info go to this site:
http://www.andrew.com/products/antennas/bsa/DB224-E.aspx
At the Time I wanted a repeater antenna, I asked in the newsgroups
what is the best
antenna for repeater use. I got many replies to buy this antenna.
And it is a GREAT antenna. Not rusty at all. GREAT SHAPE!!!
I works and looks 100 PERCENT!!
Must be picked up in Essex County NJ
Its like new!
Price: 260.00 If you see it, You'll buy it.
ritchi50@optonline.net

5463. Re: Did ICOM make an IC-571 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 04:37:20 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0511121831400.21837@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 12436

On Sat, 12 Nov 2005, it was written:

> There is also a 551 and a 575, but I can't find reference to a 571.
> Maybe made only for Europe?
>
> Dick
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> On Sat, 12 Nov 2005 10:20:04 -0800, "W7RBR" <rbriver@yahoo.com> wrote:
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>> No, but they did make an IC-751.
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>>> Had a request to help a Ham in Italy to find a SSB 2.8kHz filter for this
>>> radio
>>> Can't google any info on an IC-571 ???
>>> Not in Rig Pix or e-ham
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>>> CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !
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Beg your pardon!!! ICOM did'nt make a 571 they made a 751 one of the
greatest rigs of its time and still in use here. A guy in Italy
Named Roberto Bernardi also made a ramboard for it that just plugs
in to replace the old ramboard. If your battery went dead on the
original IC751, you lost the whole system thats programmed into the
rig. Could'nt even set a freqcy. I got the ramboard from the guy
in Italy and if its battery goes dead no big problem as you can still
control the rig and set fqcys manually. All you would loose would be
the 31 programmable memory slots.
Kokomo Joe

5464. FT-5200 PL problem

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 14:32:30 UTC
From: frank@electronicinstrument.com
Message-ID: <1131892350.605892.42900@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12437

Hi all,
I just got a new to me FT-5200, and have a PL problem... The radio was modified for out of band, and I don't think there are any other modifications. Oh UHF, the PL is one off. In other words, for 114.8, I need to go one tone down for the local repeater to receive me.. I seem to remember this in the past but don't know the cure. I reset the radio and it's limits again but still no luck.. Just wondering (I just need weather receive) if I shoudl reset the UHF back to 440 and 450Mhz acordanily. Anyone have any ideas on this? Frank KG9H

5465. Re: Asking for owner comments - LDG AT-1000 Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 14:45:59 UTC
From: frank@electronicinstrument.com
Message-ID: <1131893159.821813.108850@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12438
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hey Charlie,
I have a few of them. One in my truck has about 200,000 miles on it,
from a few Ford Explorers...
It seems to tune well. My antenas are typically bug catchers but also
have one in my Chrysler LXI minivan. A great little tuner. I would
also look at the MFJ, but I have not personally seen or tried it.
Frank KG9H

5466. Stolen equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 14:50:19 UTC
From: Henk <henk_een@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <11nekl19a5ke6e5@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12439

Last week this equipment was stolen. Please inform
hremijn@hremijn.demon.nl or your local police if you can give
information about this equipment.
Equipment list can be found here:

http://www.pi4z.org/index.php?option=com_content&task=view&id=22&Itemid=53

Thanks, Henk PA5KT

5467. Re: 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 14:58:23 UTC
From: frank@electronicinstrument.com
Message-ID: <1131893903.660819.241550@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12440
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Robert is the VHF repeater stilll available?
Frank KG9H

5468. Re: Narrow Filters - Ringing ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 15:17:20 UTC
From: Froggythefrog <froggythefrog@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <4377590b$0$19678$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr>
Source record: 12441

Dale Parfitt wrote:
> "Froggythefrog" <froggythefrog@hotmail.com> wrote in message
> news:4375e7b8$0$29190$8fcfb975@news.wanadoo.fr...
>
>>Just a quick question.
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>>When on CW mode using narrow filters, 500/250 I get this ringing all the
>>time, I'm guessing this is caused by the background noise on the bands
>>coming in via the narrow filters.
>>
>>I operate mainly on 160/80/40/30m CW thus I am wondering if it is possible
>>to do something to the rig to get rid of the ringing effect ?
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>>The rig I use for CW is a Tentec Omni VI with the roofing filter
>>modifications.
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>>I also have an FT1000MP which suffers exactly the same problem, however I
>>don't like using it on CW as it has terrible key click problems, as per
>>all the Yaesu range of radios.
>>
>>So, is this problem cureable or is there a radio on the market now that
>>doesn't suffer from this problem ?
>>
>>Thanks for any help.
>>
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>
> I recently had the opportunity to hear both a 250Hz (from memory) stock
> FT-1000 filter and a homebrew same bandwidth filter whose group delay
> response had been optimized- the difference was very obvious. I am not aware
> of any amateur filter manufacturers that at least claim to be paying
> attention to this parameter. See W7ZOI's text Experimental Methods in RF
> Design for a treatment.
>
> Dale W4OP
>
>

Hi Dale,

Thanks for this, I'll search the internet for the text.

Cheers !

5469. Murch Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-13 18:06:09 UTC
From: Bob Meyer <w8dq6m@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <lgLdf.8637$m81.7589@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12442

I am looking for a Murch UT2000b ant tuner.

Bob Meyer W9JDT
w9jdt@arrl.net 73

5470. Re: Need wire identification for Alliance Rotor motor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 00:05:54 UTC
From: DaveM <masondg4499@comcast99.net>
Message-ID: <mfadnRLNFbN_SerenZ2dnUVZ_sWdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 12443

<handyman@__NO__.com> wrote in message
news:7affn1l75gkqvb0gldi8nl13h12sqkgst5@4ax.com...
> This is the common alliance rotor that was used forever on tv
> antennas, called the Tenna Rotor. I cant find a model # on it.
> Anyhow, there are 4 wire terminals, labelled 1 thru 4. I am trying to
> find out what each does. From what I know, one would be ground, one
> POS Left, one POS Right, the other sends the direction back to the
> control. I'm trying to rig a different brand of control the motor but
> need to know what is what on the motor wiring. Please post this info
> if you know it.
>
> Thanks
>
> George
>

If your rotor is the Allinance U-100 model, you can download the manual from
http://bama.edebris.com/manuals/alliance/u100
It includes a schematic

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Dave M
MasonDG44 at comcast dot net (Just substitute the appropriate characters in
the address)

Never take a laxative and a sleeping pill at the same time!!

5471. Re: Asking for owner comments - LDG AT-1000 Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 00:52:06 UTC
From: Jerry <joxendi@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <LaRdf.20414$%k.14817@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12444
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Charlie" <charlie@play.com> wrote in message
news:11mhvb13vr19o31@news.supernews.com...
>I would like to hear from owners of this auto tuner about any operating
>quirks / hints / tips. Mine arrives tomorrow and while I have already
>downloaded and devoured the manual there is nothing quite like hearing
>straight from other hams. I have read the eHam reviews but still would like
>to hear more remarks..
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> TY
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> Charlie-AD5TH
> www.ad5th.com

I can't speak to the AT-1000, but I have an AT-100 and I LOVE it! It simply remembers any frequency I "visit" and when I return to that band/frequency, it is there, and I mean right NOW! I am not a fan of "tuners", however due to the civilian and military frequencies I am authorized, I simply couldn't put up enough antennas to cover it all. So, using my inverted Vee and and Antron 99 (to take advantage of polarization of others on the higher frequencies), I can do all I need to do. I *may* not be the loudest fella on, but I DO get good reports, AND good reviews from other LDG owners.

Hope this helps.
73

Jerry
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5472. Re: Need wire identification for Alliance Rotor motor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 03:14:22 UTC
From: Glenn <aa5pk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <liTdf.1128$0h5.790@dukeread10>
Source record: 12445

I have a scan of a U-100 schematic. E-mail me and I'll send it to you.
73 de Glenn AA5PK

<handyman@__NO__.com> wrote in message news:7affn1l75gkqvb0gldi8nl13h12sqkgst5@4ax.com...
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> control. I'm trying to rig a different brand of control the motor but
> need to know what is what on the motor wiring. Please post this info
> if you know it.
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> Thanks
>
> George
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5473. Re: Murch Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 03:27:46 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <6v0gn116pt38nob2iulv831vhg5qce71ra@4ax.com>
Source record: 12446

On Sun, 13 Nov 2005 18:06:09 GMT, "Bob Meyer" <w8dq6m@earthlink.net>
wrote:

>I am looking for a Murch UT2000b ant tuner.
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>Bob Meyer W9JDT
>w9jdt@arrl.net 73
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I have one -- it's not for sale -- but my MFJ-989c tuner works better
than the Murch.

bob
k5qwg

5474. Re: Need wire identification for Alliance Rotor motor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 04:40:48 UTC
From: DaveM <masondg4499@comcast99.net>
Message-ID: <Y56dnTdiZP3MiOXeRVn-hQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 12447

<handyman@__NO__.com> wrote in message
news:q4tfn1h22vtbcg106v6ctslf76qoqe24ho@4ax.com...
> On Sun, 13 Nov 2005 19:05:54 -0500, "DaveM"
> <masondg4499@comcast99.net> wrote:
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>><handyman@__NO__.com> wrote in message
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>>It includes a schematic
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>
> Thanks Dave.
>
> Just when I was all excited that I could get the info and figure out
> why the heck I cant get this to work, I downloaded the PDF file and
> found its defective. I downloaded it twice to my harddrive, and tried
> to load it into both IE and Firefox. The PDF file is defective.
> That sucks !!!
> Back to square one.
>
> George
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Hmmmm!!!! I downloaded the PDF and it opened perfectly for me.... I can
send a copy to you directly if you would like...

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Dave M
MasonDG44 at comcast dot net (Just substitute the appropriate characters in

the address)

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5475. Re: Asking for owner comments - LDG AT-1000 Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 12:46:34 UTC
From: "Saandy , 4Z5KS" <hardware2@ift-int.com>
Message-ID: <1131972394.769060.251080@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12298
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

.... i have an AT-100 too. it's absolutely wonderful! i used for a
time a 25 feet aluminum pipe lee than one inch in diameter, and a few
radials, God only knows what size. that setup brought in for me
everything from Argentina west, to Korea east. I think the '1000 is a
definite improvement, albeit a little expensive for me.
I didn't even think to look at other ones. Besides, Dwaine's
service is flawlees! A most important parameter, even more so with the
difficulties with getting service here in 4Zulu land.
Saandy 4Z5KS

Jerry wrote:
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> news:11mhvb13vr19o31@news.supernews.com...
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> Hope this helps.
> 73
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> Jerry
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5476. Coax Connectors, Adapters, & Bulk Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 16:42:26 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <sales@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <J73ef.139$K26.30@fed1read02>
Source record: 12299

For your free copy of our new catalog,

please email sales@AAARFProducts.com

or see www.aaarfproducts.com

or call 949 481 3154 (San Clemente, CA)

No minimum order.

No handling charges.

5477. Re: Asking for owner comments - LDG AT-1000 Auto Tuner

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 17:50:56 UTC
From: Paladin <kb1ghh@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1131990656.786272.153800@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12300
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hi Charlie,
I have owned mine since 2003. I have used it with
an AL-811 on an 80m loop
and an 160-10m "Cobra Ulyra-lite" antenna. It worked very good on the
loop,BUT I had some
matching problems at 160m. I finally got it all working by adjusting
the feedline lenths on that
antenna. The ant. comes with 100ft. of ladderline,which I then
connected to the Radioworks
"remote Balun"/ 4 to 1,and the to 20ft. of rg-213. It wouldn't tune
there! On 160m, at about
1930mhz, it just quit! I had to change the LENTH OF THE COAX to 50ft.
! ! I don't know
why,but it works!! The TUNER.....well, I have to say that it
makes a lot of noise,BUT
It works great,and i would buy it again!!!

Good "radioing" my fellow ham,

RayN KB1-GHH

5478. Handling 450 Line..??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 17:54:34 UTC
From: Bill <kc4pe@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <h94ef.64736$ty1.16515@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12301

Laying out at 16 element "Sterba" into Europe...

1.- Should I float the 450 line into some 2 inch PVC
through the wall then mid-air it 5 feet to the tuner....??

2.- Or should I mount the 4:1 balun on the outside then bring co-ax through
the wall ...then 5 feet top the tuner....

3.-..Or...??

TNX,
Bill
kc4pe@mindspring.com

5479. Re: Handling 450 Line..??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-14 17:56:20 UTC
From: Bill <kc4pe@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <Za4ef.64737$ty1.13468@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12302

Oops...wrong group..sorry...!!
-bill

"Bill" <kc4pe@bellsouth.net> wrote in message
news:h94ef.64736$ty1.16515@bignews1.bellsouth.net...
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> through the wall ...then 5 feet top the tuner....
>
> 3.-..Or...??
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> TNX,
> Bill
> kc4pe@mindspring.com
>

5480. FS: Standard Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 01:46:32 UTC
From: muddy <mikebothe@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <3tssvpFub2spU1@individual.net>
Source record: 12303

c228 (2m/220)
c558a (2m/440)
3 standard 1000mA batteries
2 maha 1000mA batteries
desk charger

$450

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Mike
DL1000 (WarthogII) SV650 (for sale) UKRMMA#22
Skype: mikebothe
Remember my name, you'll be screaming it later.

5481. FA: NOS Western Electric Command sets + mo...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 01:56:11 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <%ebef.56024$qk4.38287@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12304
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Two Western Electric command sets: one transmitter and one receiver: one NIB, the other just NOS (someone took the box at the estate sale before I could get to it). Both in super condition-never used-have been in storage. What a chance to get a pair together in such fine condition. + pse take a look the other item as well--tnx for looking..heytubeguy:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

5482. FS: Kenwood TM-741A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 03:06:23 UTC
From: muddy <mikebothe@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <3tt1lfFthnppU1@individual.net>
Source record: 12305

Has 2m/220/440 modules
hand mic
mounting bracket
power cable

$300

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Mike
DL1000 (WarthogII) SV650 (for sale) UKRMMA#22
Skype: mikebothe
Remember my name, you'll be screaming it later.

5483. WTD: slug adjustable coil form for QRP 160m tank

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 03:50:55 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dlblpd$cu8$1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12306
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Don't need it to be wound, I can do that myself, but I need the form. Would like it to be able to easily handle at least 10 watts.

The e-mail is good.

TIA

5484. FA: AMERITRON AL-80A ALL-BAND RF AMPLIFIER W/EIMAC 3-500Z/Carton/Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 14:48:39 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <czmef.5706$ha2.1672@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12307
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5829282019&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5485. FA: $11>YAESU FT-101B TRANSCEIVER DC CABLE ASSEMBLY BRAND-NEW:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 14:49:31 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0Amef.5707$ha2.2180@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12308
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5829281927&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5486. FA: $11>HEATHKIT PS-1175 ACCESSORY DC POWER SUPPLY>15AMPS-NICE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 14:50:26 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <VCmef.5709$ha2.3072@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12309
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5829281994&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5487. FA: 6-RADIO-CRAFT Mags 1940, 12-Radio Retailing Mags 1940

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 14:52:37 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <VCmef.5710$ha2.1930@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12310
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Big $11
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6578184680&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6578184657&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5488. Wanted: Motorola Equipment

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 19:47:34 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <437A3B56.2A898102@erols.com>
Source record: 12311

Well, we keep trying. Maybe we will get lucky. Looking for a
Motorola Micor 100 watt PA, Model TLD-1692 for 2 meters in good to
excellent condition. Name price. Thanks.

PS: If you could pass this along to other equipment groups it would
be most appreciated. Not too familiar with what is out there.

73, Murray, K3BEQ

5489. Model 26 tty available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 20:06:09 UTC
From: ddl@danlan.*com
Message-ID: <1331668@news1.IPSWITCHS.CMM>
Source record: 12312
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Located in Gloucester, MA. Anybody want it?

Dan Lanciani
ddl@danlan.*com

5490. Need help wiuth Swan 350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-15 21:31:58 UTC
From: w4sef@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <437a53c3.1415046@newsgroups.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12313

Hello All,
I picked up a really nice working Swan 350 at a hamfest this past weekend. I bought it for nostalgic reasons as it was the kind of rig my dad bought for me in 1965. I need info on how to fix the infamous "Swan drift problem". Anyone have any websites I can go to get mods for this rig including the drift fix?
Any help will be appreciated!

Steve W4SEF

5491. Re: Shipping: UPS Ground vs. FedEx Ground

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 00:13:47 UTC
From: "Richard D. Reese" <richardr@sssnet.com>
Message-ID: <ybydnW4RE75f5OfeRVn-rQ@massilloncabletv.com>
Source record: 12314
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors

I agree. I shipped a 25 pound package to Rome Italy via USPS and the cost was only $42.00. I was told that it would go air and be delivered within 5 days. Had confirmation from recipient in Rome in 4 days!

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Richard D. Reese
http://www.wa8dbw.ifip.com
"Simon" <vk2ua@HATESPAMyahoo.com> wrote in message
news:lbqsk1tdep8l4r5sii4qtq3a9lveiu1hil@4ax.com...
> Hi
>
> Can any US readers of this thread explain why Fedex or UPS is so
> popular compared with the much cheaper US Mail?
>
> Here in Australia Fedex and UPS offer a service, but few private
> individuals would consider using them due to high costs and the
> inconvenience when delivery is a problem if people are away at work.
> With normal post, we have post offices in all suburbs where
> undelivered mail can conveniently be picked up or items posted.
>
> I have never had loss or damage problems with ordinary mail to and
> from the US.
>
> Simon

5492. FA: QST - All 24 ARRL Rare, Old, Vintage QST issues (from 1972 and 1973)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 01:16:22 UTC
From: David <david@sjlddsaoic.com>
Message-ID: <1511200520162280 39%david@sjlddsaoic.com>
Source record: 12315
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6989029805

5493. Re: FS: Kenwood TM-741A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 02:22:02 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <FIwef.15101$oP5.5338@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12316

Any pics??? Cond?? E-mail me strook@optonline.net

muddy wrote:
> Has 2m/220/440 modules
> hand mic
> mounting bracket
> power cable
>
> $300
>

5494. Re: FA: NOS Western Electric Command sets + mo...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 02:50:49 UTC
From: Ken Scharf <wa2mzeNOTTHIS@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <06xef.6470$f_2.3195@bignews2.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12317
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Heytubeguy wrote:
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> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy
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Nice looking old rigs, bet they bring a LOT more than the starting bid.

5495. FS: Tektronix RM561A scope

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 03:23:37 UTC
From: "spam>rogers.com" <"spam>rogers.com">
Message-ID: <zu2dnSwXZNynO-fenZ2dnUVZ_s2dnZ2d@rogers.com>
Source record: 12318

Older (Vintage) Tektronix RM561A scope (10Mhz). Asking $100US or best offer.
Includes the following plugins;
3A6 - Dual trace Amp
3B3 - Timebase
3A3 - Dual Trace Differential Amp
2A63 - Differential Amp
3A74 - Four Trace Amp
60 - Amplifier

Included are manuals for the plugins. No AC power cord. Sold as-is.
Would like to sell/ship to person in CANADA. Shipping cost/insurance
TBD. Use reply to email.

5496. Cubic 102BXA HF Transceiver for sale/trade - Excellent

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 03:59:16 UTC
From: Manytrails@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1132113556.320613.47300@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12319

I have a near mint Cubic 102BXA HF transceiver and matching speaker/power supply that I would trade for a like condition R-5000 Kenwood shortwave receiver. The Cubic works perfectly, and is in excellent cosmetic and electrical condition. You may read about this fine rig here:

http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/798

This transceiver was built to military standards, as Cubic provided the

U.S. Military with a lot of equipment during this period. The build quality is excellent, and reliability is very good. A unique basspand tuning system makes this rig a great performer on both SSB and CW. Take

a look at the actual radio here:

www.members.aol.com/mgaluvr/cubic102bxa

This unit comes boxed in two cartons, one for the transceiver and the other for the power supply/speaker, with heavy protective foam, original instruction manual, and power cord. Microphone is not included, but will work with practically any standard type high impedence mike. Guaranteed not to be DOA...this transceiver is fully operational and very nice. Take a look at the photo....additional info upon request...just email me. The cash selling price is $375 plus shipping, but I would prefer to trade for a Kenwood R-5000. Check out this auction that recently ended on Ebay....it was for a 102BX (mine is the newer BXA version) with a bad digital display and a non working power supply. It went for $270 plus shipping.... The unit I have is fully functional and near mint...well worth my asking price....

http://cgi.ebay.com/Cubic-Astro-102BX-HF-Tranceiver-PSU-6A-Power-Supply_W0QQitemZ5822244851QQcategoryZ4674QQssPageNameZWDVWQQrdZ1QQcmdZViewItem

73...and best regards......Bill

5497. FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 05:16:44 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <%gzef.26312$7s1.23855@fe04.lga>
Source record: 12320

The FCC approved the new Icom IC-7000 on November 15, and I hear that
they are expected to be available by the end of the month.

"Perce"
(aka Alan NV8A)

5498. Re: FA: QST - All 24 ARRL Rare, Old, Vintage QST issues (from 1972 and 1973)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 05:52:13 UTC
From: hhc314@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1132120333.799561.123230@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12321
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

While you have a nice photo on your eBay ad, you'll likely run into the same issue that I had in selling my collection of "Linking Rings" (the publication of the International Brotherhood of Magicians) that consisted of every issue from 1970 to 2003.

I received no bids, because the kids of today tend to falsely believe that the world was invented back around 2001!

Still, I wish you the best of luck with your auction.

Harry C.

5499. <<WANTED>> Motorola console for car or truck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 13:26:42 UTC
From: WØCBF <w0cbf@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1132147602.141885.14370@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12322

Pardon the repeat question but I still have not had any luck in finding
this item
so I thought I would try it again!

Back in the mid 70's Motorola made a console that would fit between the

driver and passenger seat. It was made of a black plastic and the main
use was to mount a rig on the front causing the face of the rig to face

the top of the car at a slight angle for easy viewing and the rear of
the rig would fit over the seat. It also contained a place for an
internal speaker and a center console area that would open for storage
or could be used for writing if closed.

Does anyone remember these or might know where I could find one???

I tried eBay already and have never seen them listed.

Thanks
Chuck
WØCBF

5500. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 13:56:38 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <5jemn1pcod4g8int330ni13o092c6b1en6@4ax.com>
Source record: 12323

On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
<Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:

>The FCC approved the new Icom IC-7000 on November 15, and I hear that
>they are expected to be available by the end of the month.
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>"Perce"
>(aka Alan NV8A)

And I was told Monday by an HRO manager that the price will be $1,500.

Dick

5501. Re: FS: Kenwood TM-741A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 15:12:17 UTC
From: muddy <mikebothe@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <3u10ihFukihfU10@individual.net>
Source record: 12324

In article <FIwef.15101$oP5.5338@fe09.lga>,
STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET> wrote:

> Any pics??? Cond?? E-mail me strook@optonline.net

http://homepage.mac.com/mike.bothe/PhotoAlbum25.html

Good condition, there are a few scratches caused by normal wear and
tear. It works fine (tested this morning) and may even have the CTCSS
decode option installed (but ICBA to look).

--
Mike
DL1000 Black with extra black bits. SV650 (for sale) UKRMMA#22
Skype: mikebothe
It's always darkest just before it goes pitch black.

5502. Re: <<WANTED>> Motorola console for car or truck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 16:01:46 UTC
From: Leanne <leanne@4islc.net>
Message-ID: <dlfl94026bk@enews1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12325

"W&#65533;CBF" <w0cbf@yahoo.com> wrote in message
news:1132147602.141885.14370@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
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this item
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driver and passenger seat. It was made of a black plastic and
the main
use was to mount a rig on the front causing the face of the rig
to face

Why not check with the people that service your local fire and
police departments radios. They use various mounts for radios
and video data terminals.

Leanne

5503. Interference From TV Sets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 20:52:58 UTC
From: fudge <fudgeREMOVETHIS@nrtco.net>
Message-ID: <g%Mef.1906$KP5.266102@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 12326

Many amateur radio operators have experienced "sync birdies' from TV sets that interfere with ham band reception. I presently have interference from the switching regulators in the older APC uninterruptible power supplies common to many computer installations. I want to buy one of those newfangled HDTV sets however I am concerned with interference that these high tech receivers may generate. I suspect there would be minimal interference from the LCD types but the plasma and projector types may present some problems. Anyone have any experience in this area?

Farmer John
VA3JQ
45N,77W

5504. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 22:27:35 UTC
From: Alien <no@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <no-D07436.16272116112005@news-rdr-01.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12327

In article <5jemn1pcod4g8int330ni13o092c6b1en6@4ax.com>,
Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

> On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
> <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:
>
> >The FCC approved the new Icom IC-7000 on November 15, and I hear that
> >they are expected to be available by the end of the month.
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> And I was told Monday by an HRO manager that the price will be $1,500.
>
> Dick

My old 706MKIIG serves me well in my car.

5505. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 22:51:13 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ttdnn15dn0gks01vts5utagjc2a8shpafg@4ax.com>
Source record: 12328

On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 22:27:35 GMT, Alien <no@nospam.org> wrote:

>In article <5jemn1pcod4g8int330ni13o092c6b1en6@4ax.com>,
> Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
>
>> On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
>> <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:
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>> >The FCC approved the new Icom IC-7000 on November 15, and I hear that
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>> And I was told Monday by an HRO manager that the price will be $1,500.
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>> Dick
>
>My old 706MKIIG serves me well in my car.

Yeah, but you can't watch TV on a 706. You can on a 7000. :-)

5506. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-16 23:11:38 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11nnf5aogj16o11@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12329

In article <ttdnn15dn0gks01vts5utagjc2a8shpafg@4ax.com>,
Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

>Yeah, but you can't watch TV on a 706. You can on a 7000. :-)

... for as long as NTSC analog TV remains on the air, which is likely
to be a lot less than the useful lifetime of a 7000.

Now, if they can provide a way to download an ATSC decoder and
MPEG-2 decompressor into the 7000's DSP, they might just have a
gimmick which will survive for a while :-}

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

5507. FS: VHF TX/RX Duplexer 5 Cavities

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 00:17:27 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <f0jnn1916g1d2t4a3p296p8mkfadurd36t@4ax.com>
Source record: 12330

FS: VHF TX/RX Duplexer 5 Cavities
Looks and works GREAT!!!!
Duplexer Model: 28-37-02A Frequency Band 144-174 MHz
Its now on TX: 145.410 MHz Loss 1.39 Db Attenuation @ TX:91 Db
RX Frequency: 144.810 MHz Loss 1.43 Db Anttenuation @ RX:91 Db
Minimum attenuation between tx and rx freqs: 56.6 Db
Bought new in 2/8/02
I originally bought 4 cavity and added another for great protection.
Its been in my home where my other ham equipment is in shack,always
heat controlled. So you get 5 cavity TX/RX Duplexer at a great price.
Non smoker!!
Reason for selling is I have other interest.
Works and looks 100 PERCENT!!
PRICE:::::::: 500.00 Won't last long!
ritchi50@optonline.net

5508. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 00:44:13 UTC
From: Alien <no@nospam.org>
Message-ID: <no-805A0A.18440016112005@news-rdr-01.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12331

In article <ttdnn15dn0gks01vts5utagjc2a8shpafg@4ax.com>,
Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

> On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 22:27:35 GMT, Alien <no@nospam.org> wrote:
>
> >In article <5jemn1pcod4g8int330ni13o092c6b1en6@4ax.com>,
> > Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
> >
> >> On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
> >> <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:
> >>
> >> >The FCC approved the new Icom IC-7000 on November 15, and I hear that
> >> >they are expected to be available by the end of the month.
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> >> >"Perce"
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> >> And I was told Monday by an HRO manager that the price will be $1,500.
> >>
> >> Dick
> >
> >My old 706MKIIG serves me well in my car.
>
> Yeah, but you can't watch TV on a 706. You can on a 7000. :-)

Oh darned it, I forgot about that.

5509. Re: <<WANTED>> Motorola console for car or truck

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 01:02:35 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <437BD70D.4070701@nettally.com>
Source record: 12332

There are a bunch of manufacturers for that stuff. You may be thinking
of a company in Florida called "APE". I don't know what became of them.

Wï¿½CBF wrote:

>Pardon the repeat question but I still have not had any luck in finding
>this item
>so I thought I would try it again!
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>driver and passenger seat. It was made of a black plastic and the main
>use was to mount a rig on the front causing the face of the rig to face
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>the top of the car at a slight angle for easy viewing and the rear of
>the rig would fit over the seat. It also contained a place for an
>internal speaker and a center console area that would open for storage
>or could be used for writing if closed.
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>Does anyone remember these or might know where I could find one???
>
>I tried eBay already and have never seen them listed.
>
>
>Thanks
>Chuck
>Wï¿½CBF
>
>
>

--
Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

"Follow The Money"

5510. Price for Collins 30L-1 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 02:05:08 UTC
From: do.not@spam.me
Message-ID: <9710C225Cbob@netnews.bresnan.net>
Source record: 12333

Anyone know the going price for a Collins 30L-1 Amp that is in fully operational and cosmetically Excellent conditon?

5511. What Did I Fry?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 03:04:10 UTC
From: Don Tuite <don_tuite@MAILNOTSAUSAGEhotlinks.com>
Message-ID: <fosnn1lfnqt807t45718s7cvev7n28gelv@4ax.com>
Source record: 12334

Bought a FT757GX on eBay. It came with the wrong cable.

The Operators Manual says the Jones connector should have two pins jumpered, with nothing else normally applied there. Then plus 13.8V and ground are applied to the other two pins.

This cable had plus 13.8 going to BOTH supply pins. Ground was connected to both of the pins that were supposed to be jumpered.[1]

I learned this when I disassembled the Jones plug after smoke came out of the rig.

I only have the Owners Manual, not the maintenance manual, so there's no schematic to check.

If anybody has the schematic, what did that cable apply 13.8V across? I haven't opened up the rig yet. Too annoyed.

Don NR7X
[1] Can anybody tell from that info what equipment this cable was supposed to be connected to?

5512. FS Icom IC-2AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 03:59:46 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ueTef.11748$ih5.10688@dukeread11>
Source record: 12335

I have an Icom IC-2AT 2 meter HT for sale. It is from an estate and has been stored for years. It works and looks good, but the batteries have gone bad. No Charger. Copy of the manual is included. Price is $30.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

5513. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 06:56:48 UTC
From: Roger Conroy <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <dlh9r7$jj2$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>
Source record: 12336

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:5jemn1pcod4g8int330ni13o092c6b1en6@4ax.com...
> On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
> <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:
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> And I was told Monday by an HRO manager that the price will be $1,500.
>
> Dick

Since when does ham equipment need FCC approval?

73
Roger ZR3RC

5514. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 13:27:40 UTC
From: k5dh@raytheon.com
Message-ID: <gz%ef.1$kw.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>
Source record: 12337

In article <dlh9r7$jj2$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>, rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com says...
>
>
>"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
>news:5jemn1pcod4g8int330ni13o092c6b1en6@4ax.com...
>> On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
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>Roger ZR3RC

Roger,

Here in the USA, the Federal Communications Commission must grant Type Approval to commercially-made amateur radio gear before it can be sold.

73,
Dean K5DH

5515. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 13:46:14 UTC
From: "Gary P. Fiber" <gfiber@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <l92pn1ht2hil6b64ddgsaqundaumhhlkqd@4ax.com>
Source record: 12338

On Thu, 17 Nov 2005 13:27:40 GMT, k5dh@raytheon.com (-=H=-) wrote:

>In article <dlh9r7$jj2$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>, rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com
>says...
>>
>>
>>"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
>>news:5jemn1pcod4g8int330ni13o092c6b1en6@4ax.com...
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>grant Type Approval to commercially-made amateur radio gear
>before it can be sold.
>
>73,
>Dean K5DH

ONLY when it is capable of receiving above 30 MHz must it be approved
for FCC Part 15. The Commerically made amateur transmitters are not
tested and only need meet the technical requirements of FCC Part 97
just like any home built transceiver.

Gary K8IZ

5516. Re: Price for Collins 30L-1 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 15:59:10 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <OM1ff.168$qw.159@fed1read07>
Source record: 12339

Check e-bay -- some are being bid up to $500
Also check completed auctions

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Bob" <do.not@spam.me> wrote in message
news:9710C225Cbob@netnews.bresnan.net...
> Anyone know the going price for a Collins 30L-1 Amp that is in fully
> operational and cosmetically Excellent conditon?

5517. Re: Price for Collins 30L-1 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 16:23:44 UTC
From: shoppa@trailing-edge.com
Message-ID: <1132244624.578845.305610@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12340

Unversal Radio has a really nice one in the "used" section of their website for $1500, which seems like a lot of money unless you like paying all that for a Collins emblem. I think they usually go in the $500 range on the E-place, which is actually a good deal compared to the prices that new 4x811 amps (Ameritron etc.) sell for.

Tim.

5518. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 18:06:58 UTC
From: Me <Me@shadow.orgs>
Message-ID: <Me-6C2DAE.09070717112005@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12341

In article <dlh9r7$jj2$1@ctb-nnrp2.saix.net>,
"Roger Conroy" <rogerconroy@nospam.hotmail.com> wrote:

> Since when does ham equipment need FCC approval?
>
> 73
> Roger ZR3RC

since it is an emitter, it must pass Part15 spec's.......

Me one who knows.....

5519. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 18:11:11 UTC
From: Me <Me@shadow.orgs>
Message-ID: <Me-8533EB.09112017112005@netnews.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12342

In article <gz%ef.1$kw.0@dfw-service2.ext.ray.com>,
k5dh@raytheon.com (-=H=-) wrote:

> Roger,
>
> Here in the USA, the Federal Communications Commission must
> grant Type Approval to commercially-made amateur radio gear
> before it can be sold.
>
> 73,
> Dean K5DH

Bzzzzt, Wrong answer, would you like to try again for what is behind
Door No.2?

Your confusing "Type Approval", "Type Acceptance" and Part 15 Spec's.

There is a very LARGE difference between, each of the above, and if you
don't know the difference, then you shouldn't be commenting on it.....

Me one who knows.....

5520. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 18:27:38 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <2kipn19kd2n36emhbpoar7h8mgp7ncfeg9@4ax.com>
Source record: 12343

On Thu, 17 Nov 2005 13:27:40 GMT, k5dh@raytheon.com (-=H=-) wrote:

>Here in the USA, the Federal Communications Commission must
>grant Type Approval to commercially-made amateur radio gear
>before it can be sold.
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>73,
>Dean K5DH

Type Approval is only required for external, commercially manufactured amplifiers capable of operation below 144 Mhz. As others have correctly pointed out, a transceiver only has to meet Part 15 (and the emission standards of [97.317].

Dick - W6CCD

5521. Re: What Did I Fry?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 20:34:07 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <4P5ff.1980$vH5.113296@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12344

"Don Tuite" <don_tuite@MAILNOTSAUSAGEhotlinks.com> wrote in message
news:fosnn1lfnqt807t45718s7cvev7n28gelv@4ax.com...
> Bought a FT757GX on eBay. It came with the wrong cable.
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> The Operators Manual says the Jones connector should have two pins
> jumpered, with nothing else normally applied there. Then plus 13.8V
> and ground are applied to the other two pins.
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> If anybody has the schematic, what did that cable apply 13.8V across?
> I haven't opened up the rig yet. Too annoyed.
>
> Don NR7X
> [1] Can anybody tell from that info what equipment this cable was
> supposed to be connected to?

These people have the service manuals:
http://www.mauritron.plus.com/html/y.html

I have some manuals for mine at home, don't recall off-hand if I have that one but I'll check and see what is there. I recall circuit diagrams so if no-one else has popped up by this afternoon I'll hunt it down (if I can find it - I've shifted house recently :-(

Cheers.

Ken

5522. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 21:03:57 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <ourpn1d2k3me35b5dopu7o2vorjo7jsdb0@4ax.com>
Source record: 12345

On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 06:56:38 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

>On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
><Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:
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>
>Dick

Hmm, it is $1499.99 at the AES web site. If it were a penny more, it
would qualify for their free shipping.

bob
k5qwg

5523. Standard GX3000 HEX File Creation?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 21:45:12 UTC
From: Bill <bcrann@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <BR6ff.2543$KP5.322852@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 12346

Can anyone tell me how to create the HEX code for the 27C16 EPROM in the VHF Standard GX3000 64CH radio, or can anyone tell me where to find software to create the HEX file? I have an EPROM programmer that will program the 27C16 EPROM, so I just need a way to create the file. I would pay for the software or trade some of my radio manuals or radio software for it.

5524. Re: FS Icom IC-2AT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 22:08:28 UTC
From: kc5cur <kc5cur@satx.rr.com>
Message-ID: <wb7ff.28047$jN6.19631@tornado.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 12347

Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

Where are you? I am in San Antonio.

HN
kc5cur

5525. Need Help!!! (RELM Mini-Comm MP32) from someone who knows more than me, which shouldn't be hard.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 22:41:06 UTC
From: R-2005 <myradioinfo@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1132267266.218347.52220@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12348

Can anyone provide any information on modifications that are available
for the RELM Mini-Comm MP32 , specifically the MPU32A. I am especially
interested in extending frequency range., The specs on this radio put
the frequency range for the MPU32 (A) at 403 to 430MHz and the MP32 (B)

at 450 t0 480MHz, I would like to see if I can extend the (A) range
into the (B) range. Any suggestions, especially web sites with the info

would be helpful.

5526. Re: What Did I Fry?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 22:47:02 UTC
From: Don Tuite <don_tuite@MAILNOTSAUSAGEhotlinks.com>
Message-ID: <232qn1doojk2kf80e5uun4920dvb7fhres@4ax.com>
Source record: 12349

Thanks Ken. I don't want to pop for the manual unless the damage is failrly limited. Obviously with +13.8 applied to both the high side and ground most components were not stressed. The question is what that jumper inside the Jones plug that got connected to the low side of the supply is connected to inside the rig. The smell of the smoke was characteristic of burnt circuit board, and there was a fair amount of visible smoke.

Don NR7X

5527. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 23:07:28 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns97119A094B735spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12350

> Hmm, it is $1499.99 at the AES web site. If it were a penny more, it
> would qualify for their free shipping.
>

so . . . order a 99 cent dog bone antenna insulator to go with it?

Ed

5528. Re: FYI: Icom IC-7000 approved

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 23:25:10 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <f64qn1hj5pkpp9ssuq975v6itjjnq7ggl4@4ax.com>
Source record: 12351

On Thu, 17 Nov 2005 21:03:57 GMT, Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
wrote:

>On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 06:56:38 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
>
>>On Wed, 16 Nov 2005 00:16:44 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
>><Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote:
>>
>>>The FCC approved the new Icom IC-7000 on November 15, and I hear that
>>>they are expected to be available by the end of the month.
>>>
>>>"Perce"
>>>(aka Alan NV8A)
>>
>>And I was told Monday by an HRO manager that the price will be $1,500.
>>
>>Dick
>
>Hmm, it is $1499.99 at the AES web site. If it were a penny more, it
>would qualify for their free shipping.
>
>bob
>k5qwg

Well, order a PL-259 or a Repeater Guide or whatever when you order.
Or you could just order it for the same price at HRO with free
shipping over $100. I buy from both companies, but if I am doing mail
order, I go with HRO.

Dick - W6CCD

5529. CC&R BILL HAS BEEN REINTRODUCED INTO CONGRESS -- WRITE UR CONGRESSPERSON NOW

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-17 23:38:51 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <Lv8ff.212$qw.79@fed1read07>
Source record: 12352

ATTENTION ALL AMATEUR RADIO OPERATORS

DO SOMETHING NOW

CC&R BILL HAS BEEN REINTRODUCED INTO CONGRESS -- WRITE UR CONGRESSPERSON NOW

SEE SAMPLES AND TEXT OF THE BILL AT URL:

http://www.arrl.org/govrelations/hr3876/

HR 3876, The Amateur Radio Emergency Communications Consistency Act of 2005

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

5530. Re: What Did I Fry?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 01:12:33 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <6U9ff.2040$vH5.117961@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12353

"Don Tuite" <don_tuite@MAILNOTSAUSAGEhotlinks.com> wrote in message
news:232qn1doojk2kf80e5uun4920dvb7fhres@4ax.com...
>
> Thanks Ken. I don't want to pop for the manual unless the damage is
> failrly limited. Obviously with +13.8 applied to both the high side
> and ground most components were not stressed. The question is what
> that jumper inside the Jones plug that got connected to the low side
> of the supply is connected to inside the rig. The smell of the smoke
> was characteristic of burnt circuit board, and there was a fair amount
> of visible smoke.
>
> Don NR7X

I'm trying to remember, as it's been a long time since I had that rig out of the box, but I recall that there's a reverse-polarity protection diode at the input. The fuse should protect the board, but as normal I guess the circuit board tracks protected it for a while. I'd be guessing that's the starting point.

Cheers.

Ken

5531. Need location of zener in Swan 350

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 02:58:38 UTC
From: w4sef@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <437d3151.8944437@newsgroups.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12354

Hello all,

THANKS to the many who helped me with my Swan 350.....WHERE is the 10 volt zener located? Is it inside the VFO cabinet?

Steve

5532. Re: Price for Collins 30L-1 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 04:21:12 UTC
From: Fred <wa7uhr@nwinfo.net>
Message-ID: <437D56B8.7050201@nwinfo.net>
Source record: 12355

In the condition you claim with a manual:
Round Emblem up to 600 dollars.
Winged Emblem up to 550 dollars.
Some may ask more but these prices are realistic. 73 de Fred.

Bob wrote:

> Anyone know the going price for a Collins 30L-1 Amp that is in fully
> operational and cosmetically Excellent conditon?

5533. Radio Shack Digital Watt Meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 04:24:33 UTC
From: Fred <wa7uhr@nwinfo.net>
Message-ID: <11nqlrdg6ktr741@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12356

Have a chance to pick up a RS digital Watt meter for a song. The one with the remote head. It's like new, in working condx.
It's so inexpensive, I am wondering if they are a decent, fairly accurate piece of equipment. I could use something like that if it's accurate. 73 de Fred.

5534. Need help finding manaul for CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 13:47:49 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1132321668.962879.140450@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12357

I would be glad to compensate for any costs involved in getting a copy
of this manual! Thanks!
Tim Mize/N7XAU
tmize57@juno.com

5535. Wanted: Patcomm service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 17:03:36 UTC
From: James Skalski <jskalski@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <IPnff.32$RI5.5@trndny09>
Source record: 12358

I am looking for a PATCOMM PC-500 service manual. Original, paper copy
or cd. The 6000 may also have some of the sam circuitry. I am interested
in the receive section mostly.
Jim n2go

5536. Re: Model 26 tty available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 17:34:51 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndns45r.1k78.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 12359

On 15 Nov 2005 20:06:09 GMT, Dan Lanciani wrote:
> Located in Gloucester, MA. Anybody want it?

Post it here, too:

alt.sys.pdp8

I passed along my ASR-35 TTY to someone that-a-way.

73
Jonesy
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Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
Pueblo, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
38.24N 104.55W | config.com | DM78rf | SK

5537. Re: Model 26 tty available

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 17:45:26 UTC
From: "John, N9JG" <john@gotwals.XremoveY.com>
Message-ID: <Wqoff.581543$xm3.109768@attbi_s21>
Source record: 12360

And the same for my ASR-33 http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/ASR33

"Allodoxaphobia" <bit-bucket@config.com> wrote in message
news:slrndns45r.1k78.bit-bucket@shell.config.com...
> On 15 Nov 2005 20:06:09 GMT, Dan Lanciani wrote:
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> 73
> Jonesy
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> Marvin L Jones | jonz | W3DHJ | linux
> Pueblo, Colorado | @ | Jonesy | OS/2 __
> 38.24N 104.55W | config.com | DM78rf | SK

5538. Re: What Did I Fry?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 17:54:24 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <kzoff.1994$N45.1156@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12361

If you have a place I can send you a 9.5 meg file , I have the service
manual in the PDF format I could send you.

"Don Tuite" <don_tuite@MAILNOTSAUSAGEhotlinks.com> wrote in message
news:fosnn1lfnqt807t45718s7cvev7n28gelv@4ax.com...
> Bought a FT757GX on eBay. It came with the wrong cable.
>
> The Operators Manual says the Jones connector should have two pins
> jumpered, with nothing else normally applied there. Then plus 13.8V
> and ground are applied to the other two pins.
>
> This cable had plus 13.8 going to BOTH supply pins. Ground was
> connected to both of the pins that were supposed to be jumpered.[1]
>
> I learned this when I disassembled the Jones plug after smoke came out
> of the rig.
>
> I only have the Owners Manual, not the maintenance manual, so there's
> no schematic to check.
>
> If anybody has the schematic, what did that cable apply 13.8V across?
> I haven't opened up the rig yet. Too annoyed.
>
> Don NR7X
> [1] Can anybody tell from that info what equipment this cable was
> supposed to be connected to?

5539. Re: What Did I Fry?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-18 22:23:01 UTC
From: Don Tuite <don_tuite@MAILNOTSAUSAGEhotlinks.com>
Message-ID: <32lsn1569l9rksl5iduqctcurn4dr04oaa@4ax.com>
Source record: 12362

On Fri, 18 Nov 2005 17:54:24 GMT, "Ralph Mowery"
<rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote:

>If you have a place I can send you a 9.5 meg file , I have the service
>manual in the PDF format I could send you.

Thank you kindly.

I sent you an email with a valid email address.

Don NR7X

5540. help with choosing parts for project

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 00:26:17 UTC
From: Amol Desai <gtg680m@mail.gatech.edu>
Message-ID: <dllrf8okg1@news-int.gatech.edu>
Source record: 12363

I'm looking to design and develop a remote controlled motor. The way i want to implement is to have a RF transmitter chip which will recieve digital inputs (pushbuttons) convert it to analog signal and the transmitter will then transmit the signal to RF receiver chip which will then convert it back to digital signal and send it to a PIC microcontroller (16f818, specs: 3V, 4MHz oscilator and 1 Mhz internal clock). The PIC microcontroller will then understand the signal and increase or decrease the speed of the motor accordingly. (Basically the concept is based on a remote control cars which kids play with).

I'm interested in knowing which kind (specs,brand etc) of RF receiver and transmitter chips can i use to work in this project. Obviously being a college student i would like to purchase cheap parts :) Any input will be higly appereciated.

5541. FS: Icom 756pro II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 03:15:38 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <raKdncDUUKxBBePeRVn-tQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 12364

I have a mint condition Icom IC-756pro II for sale.
Comes with original Box and Manual , hand mic.

$1650 plus shipping

Steve

5542. WTB: QRO HF-2500DX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 04:01:06 UTC
From: Larry Menzel <retire@means.net>
Message-ID: <B_ydnQ1nltIaPuPeRVn-vw@onvoy.com>
Source record: 12365

Looking for a clean used amp.

Thanks.

Reply privately

retire@means.net
Minnesota

5543. Re: help with choosing parts for project

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 04:15:16 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <437EA73B.8010004@nettally.com>
Source record: 12366

You need to check out the Nuts and Volts magazine and their website.
They have many robotics articles and suppliers of the "H" bridge that
you will need to control the power to the motor. Also suppliers of
various RF transceivers for your remote control. I would look for 900
MHz single frequency transmitter- receivers for simplicity sake, then
decide if on-off keying or FSK is the modulation method you need.

Amol Desai wrote:

>I'm looking to design and develop a remote controlled motor. The way i want
>to implement is to have a RF transmitter chip which will recieve digital
>inputs (pushbuttons) convert it to analog signal and the transmitter will
>then transmit the signal to RF receiver chip which will then convert it back
>to digital signal and send it to a PIC microcontroller (16f818, specs: 3V,
>4MHz oscilator and 1 Mhz internal clock). The PIC microcontroller will then
>understand the signal and increase or decrease the speed of the motor
>accordingly. (Basically the concept is based on a remote control cars which
>kids play with).
>
>I'm interested in knowing which kind (specs,brand etc) of RF receiver and
>transmitter chips can i use to work in this project. Obviously being a
>college student i would like to purchase cheap parts :) Any input will be
>higly appereciated.
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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

"Follow The Money"

5544. FA: Ends Sunday: QST - All 24 ARRL Rare, Old, Vintage QST issues (from 1972 and 1973)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 14:00:22 UTC
From: Jerry <jerry@jjlsoqioqfis.com>
Message-ID: <1911200509002281 47%jerry@jjlsoqioqfis.com>
Source record: 12367
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=6989029805

5545. FS: BC246T w/ Box, Manual, Chargers & NiMH

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 17:36:36 UTC
From: Mitch Katz <mkatz3@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <EoJff.27806$1l6.10948@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12368
Cross-posted to:
alt.radio.scanner,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a mint Uniden BC246T with all original packing, antenna, software (uniden w. key), cables, 2 chargers, 2 NiMH batteries and belt clip. I am selling for Xmas money. Asking $200 shipped.

For photos or more information please contact me.
mkatz3@cfl.rr.com

5546. VX-7R export model compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 18:01:18 UTC
From: BradDux@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1132423278.523575.241030@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12369

Hello,
My friend has a VX-7R (European version) that he is willing to sell to me for a good price. I live in the US and am aware that the European verison will not initially work on the frequencies I need to work on here in the US. I was wondering if I use the freeband mod for it, will it then be a good radio for me to use here in the US? How is the VX-7R Us verison that has freeband mod different from the European version with freeband?

Thanks.

5547. Re: VX-7R export model compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 18:26:41 UTC
From: Wolfgang Welter <ham@quantentunnel.de>
Message-ID: <dlnqot$6ro$03$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 12370

<BradDux@gmail.com> wrote:
..
> My friend has a VX-7R (European version) that he is willing to sell
> to me for a good price. I live in the US and am aware that the
> European verison will not initially work on the frequencies I need to
> work on here in the US. I was wondering if I use the freeband mod for
> it, will it then be a good radio for me to use here in the US? How is
> the VX-7R Us verison that has freeband mod different from the European
> version with freeband?
...
Heleo Brad,
i think there are no great problems. the EU-version with freeband mod.
has no cellphone blocking ... And maybe the auto repeater shift does not
work?
So it is with other yaesu handies US-Version will have ever ARS in US-shift.
The vx7 is a good radio, buy it ;-)
best 73 de Wolfgang DL2KBJ

5548. FA: Last Day>AMERITRON AL-80A RF AMP w/ORIGINAL EIMAC TUBE>EXC++

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 19:54:06 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BpLff.77750$rE2.32685@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12371
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5829282019&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5549. FA: 1-DAY>NEW FT-101 DC Cable, HEATH 12v DC SUPPLY,

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 19:55:59 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <jrLff.77752$rE2.60806@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12372
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5829281927&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5829281994&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5550. FA:6- RADIO-CRAFT Mags from 1940, 12- Radio Retailing Mags 1938>

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 19:57:29 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JsLff.77753$rE2.3391@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12373
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6578184680&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=6578184657&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5551. FA: MJ15024 xsistors, Various TO-3 case stuff, etc>>GREAT DEALS!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 20:00:36 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <EvLff.77755$rE2.48991@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12374
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5831909324&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7564365632&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7564365625&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5552. FA: Much neat stuff including a Mint Icom IC-55 supply!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 20:01:59 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <YwLff.77757$rE2.28497@fe10.lga>
Source record: 12375
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom

5553. Re: VX-7R export model compatibility

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 21:21:45 UTC
From: BradDux@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1132435305.396334.269970@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12376

Thank you for you quick relpy. I did notice that the VX-7R Commander software (which enables freeband), lets you set a shift/Tx freq for a specific RX freq. Will this solve the ARS issue?

thanks

5554. FA: Icom FL-102 6KHz AM Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-19 21:26:27 UTC
From: Frank LaFranco <flafranco@socal.rr.com>
Message-ID: <7MMff.2041$2k6.1909@tornado.socal.rr.com>
Source record: 12377

Mint condition Icom FL-102 (9.010MHz) 6KHz AM Filter - Thanks for looking.
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5831433567

5555. a plug for a new radcom site

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-20 02:08:43 UTC
From: "webmaster@repeater-builders" <mitch@NOrepeater-buildersSPAM.com.au>
Message-ID: <437fdaad$1@news.eftel.com>
Source record: 12378
Cross-posted to: alt.radio.cb.skip,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.scanner

hi all
just a plug for a new site
there is a new forum for lmr,pmr,cb and repeater op's
and has irc chat

free online radio/electronics classifieds for Australia and the World
(give it a go...)

and a whole heap more in the works including a files section
the more who get interested the more i'll add :)

thanks for reading

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http://www.repeater-builders.com.au/cgi-bin/classifieds/classifieds.cgi
RBA Online FREE Classifieds

http://repeater-builders.com.au/phpbb2/index.php
RBA Forum

http://repeater-builders.com.au
RBA Website

5556. WANTED! Mostar Interface Box (MIB) Schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-20 07:18:31 UTC
From: Gene Rodgers <oldcodger@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <brVff.5014$NN2.760@trnddc02>
Source record: 12379

I want to find a schematic for the Motorola Mostar Interface Box. I need a MIB to program my Mostars.

Thanks,

Gene ke5bfa

5557. FA: MOTOROLA HT750 UHF 403-470 WIDE COVERAGE 16CH PORTABLE RADIO w-SPK-MIC & CHARGER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-20 17:38:36 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <1w2gf.8390$qw.2896@fed1read07>
Source record: 12380
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: MOTOROLA HT750 UHF 403-470 WIDE COVERAGE 16CH PORTABLE RADIO w-SPK-MIC & CHARGER

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7565010865&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5558. Add 12M and 17M to Huslter 4 5 or 6 BTV's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-20 22:51:28 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11o1vfs1bssp6fc@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 12381
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Total cost about $10. Takes about an hour total time. No permanent modifications to original antenna. Web page includes complete fabrication and assembly instructions. Also included is final test data showing swr at <1.3:1 across all 7 bands of a modified Hustler 5-BTV. Some retuning of 20M is usually needed after 12M and 17M are installed and tuned. Mod consists of a 12M 1/4 wave radiator and a similar 17M 1/4 wave radiator installed along side antenna held with 4 Plexiglas spreaders which are home brewed. Takes legal limit.....looks good...works good too!

Tired of "contesters" jamming up the bands nearly every weekend? Find refuge on 12M and 17M !!!

1. http://www.ad5th.com/5-BTV-WARC.html

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Charlie - AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

5559. single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 20:57:46 UTC
From: BradDux@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1132606666.378032.39860@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12382

I am looking for a single handheld that will function as a good transceiver, but will also be able to function as a scanner. I need this device to have digital trucking for APCO-25 systems. Does such a device even exist?

thanks

5560. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 21:07:07 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndo4dnr.116i.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 12383

On 21 Nov 2005 12:57:46 -0800, BradDux@gmail.com wrote:
> I am looking for a single handheld that will function as a good
> transceiver, but will also be able to function as a scanner. I need
> this device to have digital trucking for APCO-25 systems.
>
> Does such a device even exist?

Probably not with "digital trucking". :-)

5561. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 21:21:31 UTC
From: BradDux@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1132608091.693621.236090@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12384

I get the idea from the ' :-) ' that it was a stupid question. What
makes this idea not practical?

5562. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 21:26:31 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <mYqgf.11504$Mi5.2041@dukeread07>
Source record: 12385

BradDux@gmail.com wrote:
> I get the idea from the ' :-) ' that it was a stupid question. What
> makes this idea not practical?
>

Because you are not going to find a digital "trucking" scanner. You may
however, find a digital "TRUNKING" scanner.
--
I have never met a liberal street cop.

5563. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 21:47:40 UTC
From: BradDux@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1132609660.562463.4860@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12386

thanks. Good thing I don't need to know how to spell to use a radio.
:-)

so:
I am looking for a single handheld that will function as a good
transceiver, but will also be able to function as a scanner. I need
this device to have digital trunking for APCO-25 systems. Does such a
device even exist?

:-)

5564. Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 21:59:08 UTC
From: "Vinnie S." <none@coldmail.com>
Message-ID: <sng4o1h8maoo34kdlc7o4avdfv3tiih4bq@4ax.com>
Source record: 12387
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729

Does anyone know anything about these? I can't seem to turn much up on Google about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at $280 with 5 days left.

Vinnie S.

5565. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 21:59:35 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <crrgf.2805$vH5.161761@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12388

<BradDux@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1132609660.562463.4860@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> thanks. Good thing I don't need to know how to spell to use a radio.
> :-)
>
> so:
> I am looking for a single handheld that will function as a good
> transceiver, but will also be able to function as a scanner. I need
> this device to have digital trunking for APCO-25 systems. Does such a
> device even exist?
>
> :-)
>

What band(s) are you going to transmit on?

Cheers.

Ken

5566. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 22:01:12 UTC
From: Uncle Peter <radioconnectionNO@cox.netSPAM>
Message-ID: <dsrgf.1130$1x.442@fed1read06>
Source record: 12389
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Vinnie S." <none@coldmail.com> wrote in message
news:sng4o1h8maoo34kdlc7o4avdfv3tiih4bq@4ax.com...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729
>
> Does anyone know anything about these? I can't seem to turn much up on
Google
> about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at
$280
> with 5 days left.
>
> Vinnie S.

Vinnie

What would ten 6LB6's cost when this unit needs to be retubed?

Something to consider!

Pete

5567. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 22:20:34 UTC
From: BradDux@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1132611634.780346.120830@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12390

I would like to be able to transmit on:
6 meter, 2 meter, 1.25 meter, and 70cm bands (more would, of course,
be nice), but I am willing to sacrifice some of them to get the digital
trunking support.

Thanks,
Brad

5568. Attn: Woger, Buzz, Polly, Stevie, YZ, OGL, 'Old & New' Friend(s) and ALL da-rest of ya RF CLOWNS.... (OT ?? ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 22:30:28 UTC
From: Uncle Willie <vavavavoooom@garbagecannet.us>
Message-ID: <339$438287d4$d1cc5baf$11303@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 12395
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

You are all hereby invited to Washingtoon DC
to participate in and comment for this historic event . . . . . .

http://www.salon.com/news/feature/2005/11/11/porn_hearing/index_np.html

"Senator Sam Brownback to head a Congressional panel to
determine if pornography causes Americans to masturbate too much"

(....perhaps K1MAN can be the Congressional Panel 'on-the-scene'
Reporter and keep us all informed of the proceedings
via the recorded AARA bulletins ?)

5569. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 22:34:35 UTC
From: "Vinnie S." <none@coldmail.com>
Message-ID: <9oi4o1h90f5sqqcenehk67mviu9u94pm80@4ax.com>
Source record: 12391
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

On Mon, 21 Nov 2005 17:01:12 -0500, " Uncle Peter"
<radioconnectionNO@cox.netSPAM> wrote:

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>"Vinnie S." <none@coldmail.com> wrote in message
>news:sng4o1h8maoo34kdlc7o4avdfv3tiih4bq@4ax.com...
>> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729
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>> Does anyone know anything about these? I can't seem to turn much up on
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>> about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at
>$280
>> with 5 days left.
>>
>> Vinnie S.
>
>Vinnie
>
>What would ten 6LB6's cost when this unit needs to be retubed?
>
>Something to consider!

I just wanted to know a little history about it. He is selling it with a second set of tubes. But I am glad you told me anyway. Seems to have gotten alot of lookups and is on its way to being out of my price range.

Vinnie S.

5570. Supernova and GPM-1500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 22:50:26 UTC
From: Sean <sean@goedehallo.com>
Message-ID: <11o4jpnfuicahd0@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12392

Hello all,

I like to know if anyone is familiar with the twin vertical antenna with the name Supernova 3,5 - 75 mHz and 1000 Watts pep.

A similar question about the GPM-1500 antenna is 1,8 - 50 mHz and about 150 Watts pep

To reason is what is best for my newly to purchase IC-7000.

Thank you (for those providing any info)

kind regards Sean

5571. Re: Much neat stuff including a Mint Icom IC-55 supply!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-21 23:03:51 UTC
From: IonSpot <patgkz@new.rr.com>
Message-ID: <rnsgf.3575$vq1.986@tornado.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 12393
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

Looks like the Hamburglar would like those tubes in his TVI Generator.

"cooltube" <cooltube@optonline.net> wrote in message
news:YwLff.77757$rE2.28497@fe10.lga...
> http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQgotopageZ1QQsassZmyradioroom
>

5572. Yaesu FT-90 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 02:49:27 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <XGvgf.4553$BU2.4344@trndny01>
Source record: 12394
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Email me if you have one you may want to sell or trade resonable.I don't
want one that needs repairs.

--
73 N1RSP
Grid 4
The Home of The Perfect Storm
Gloucester,Mass.

5573. Re: Attn: Woger, Buzz, Polly, Stevie, YZ, OGL, 'Old & New' Friend(s) and ALL da-rest of ya RF CLOWNS.... (OT ?? ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 03:24:41 UTC
From: N9OGL <toddaug555@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1132629881.557558.246650@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12396
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Brownback is a freaking bible banging right wind nazi, and BTW
masturbation according to many doctors is very heath, even the former
US Surgeon General had stated that it was healthly

Todd N9OGL

http://n9oglvoice.blogspot.com/ The Voice of Amateur
Radio
http;//12.156.123.39/azbb/azbb.php Demented Otaku BBS

5574. Re: Yaesu FT-90 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 03:26:24 UTC
From: Mortimer Schnurd <Mort@aarp.com>
Message-ID: <Adwgf.23129$tV6.1413@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 12397
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:XGvgf.4553$BU2.4344@trndny01...
> Email me if you have one you may want to sell or trade resonable.I don't
> want one that needs repairs.
>
> --
> 73 N1RSP
> Grid 4
> The Home of The Perfect Storm
> Gloucester,Mass.
>
Most of them WILL need repair. The FT-90R is a turd of a radio.
With more "bugs" then features, it's a real pain in the ass....
I would think of another dualband mobile than the FT90R...seriously.

5575. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 04:01:52 UTC
From: PJ <pyoung47NOSPAM@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <QKwgf.350132$084.247547@attbi_s22>
Source record: 12249
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

Finicky, expensive tubes.

"Vinnie S." <none@coldmail.com> wrote in message
news:sng4o1h8maoo34kdlc7o4avdfv3tiih4bq@4ax.com...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729
>
> Does anyone know anything about these? I can't seem to turn much up on
Google
> about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at
$280
> with 5 days left.
>
> Vinnie S.

5576. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 04:26:09 UTC
From: gb <onw9mapsgb@no.arrl.spam.net>
Message-ID: <oYmdnei_b-h4AB_enZ2dnUVZ_smdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 12250
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Vinnie S." <none@coldmail.com> wrote in message
news:sng4o1h8maoo34kdlc7o4avdfv3tiih4bq@4ax.com...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729
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> Does anyone know anything about these? I can't seem to turn much up on
> Google
> about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at
> $280
> with 5 days left.
>
> Vinnie S.

World Radio Labs / Galaxy of Council Bluffs, IA (later purchased by HyGain
in Lincoln, NE) existed until the late-1970s.

Since this unit uses ten (10) - 6LB6 sweep tubes it is not a practical
amplifier -- since these TV sweep tubes are no longer produced. Might be a
nice project to convert it to a couple of Russian triodes. I would sell the
tubes for the $$

gb

5577. Re: Attn: Woger, Buzz, Polly, Stevie, YZ, OGL, 'Old & New' Friend(s) and ALL da-rest of ya RF CLOWNS.... (OT ?? ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 04:26:39 UTC
From: Cmdr Buzz Corey <me@that.moc>
Message-ID: <N4adndFHZ8oPDR_enZ2dnUVZ_sadnZ2d@gbronline.com>
Source record: 12248
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

N9OGL wrote:
> Brownback is a freaking bible banging right wind nazi, and BTW
> masturbation according to many doctors is very heath, even the former
> US Surgeon General had stated that it was healthly

Then you should be just about the most healthest person in the world. Is that what you do while you're looking at those kiddie porn cartoon characters?

5578. Re: Attn: Woger, Buzz, Polly, Stevie, YZ, OGL, 'Old & New' Friend(s) and ALL da-rest of ya RF CLOWNS.... (OT ?? ;)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 05:17:01 UTC
From: an old friend <kb9rqz@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1132636621.780537.300980@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12251
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Cmdr Buzz Corey wrote:
> N9OGL wrote:
> > Brownback is a freaking bible banging right wind nazi, and BTW
> > masturbation according to many doctors is very heath, even the former
> > US Surgeon General had stated that it was healthly
>
> Then you should be just about the most healthest person in the world. Is
> that what you do while you're looking at those kiddie porn cartoon
> characters?

and the cartoon character show why he got cancelled
because they don't allow such sexual expression on kiddy cartoons

5579. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 05:18:48 UTC
From: CWB <cboone@nospam.earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <YSxgf.10899$Ox.8500@tornado.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 12252

You can get a Kenwood THF6....covers 2/220/440 xmit.....and all
mode/coverage on rcv...for P25, you would have to use an external decoder...
but that wont get you trunking....There are few if any scanners that cover
P25 trunking right now...
what you want does not exist in one package.

<BradDux@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1132611634.780346.120830@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
>I would like to be able to transmit on:
> 6 meter, 2 meter, 1.25 meter, and 70cm bands (more would, of course,
> be nice), but I am willing to sacrifice some of them to get the digital
> trunking support.
>
> Thanks,
> Brad
>

5580. Re: Yaesu FT-90 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 05:19:28 UTC
From: Wolfgang Welter <ham@quantentunnel.de>
Message-ID: <dlu9ol$948$01$1@news.t-online.com>
Source record: 12253
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"Mortimer Schnurd" <Mort@aarp.com> wrote:
> Most of them WILL need repair. The FT-90R is a turd of a radio.
> With more "bugs" then features, it's a real pain in the ass....
> I would think of another dualband mobile than the FT90R...seriously.

Hi Mortimer,
thats an oppinion, but my experiences are completely other ones.
I use this rig since 3 years every with no problems in the car,
winter and summer. maybe you got a bad one: "a monday product".
73 de Wolfgang DL2KBJ

5581. Re: Yaesu FT-90 Wanted

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 14:02:38 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1132667696.542971.20250@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12254
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have used the FT-90 for four years now with zero problems, love this
radio! And its the only dual band mobile radio that will fit in our
Outback. Once you get used to the menu's its pretty easy to use, I
know, menu's, those blasted menu's, but what radio doesnt have menu's
these days! I guess my Heathkit HW-2036 doesnt have menu's, and it
does have a "Digital Readout", heay, maybe I will put that in my
Outback!
Tim N7XAU
EM29
Topeka, KS
Home of ....????

5582. ft90

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 14:06:02 UTC
From: STEVE TROOK <STROOK@OPTONLINE.NET>
Message-ID: <4BFgf.15965$ha2.5540@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12255

I work for Subaru...I drive an outback, I also had the ft90....got
rid of it and it troublesome probs for a Icom 208h....And that has been
perfect!! Over 2 years now.. Just my experience and opinion.
Steve K2SGT

5583. Vintage VFO's for sale.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 16:50:45 UTC
From: Mike <mlinger@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <dlvi95$ct8$1@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 12256

I have two nice looking VFO's for sale:

1. Heath HG-10 excellent in appearance, all original, not way to test it,
$75.00
2. Eico 755 excellent in appearance, all original, no way to test it, $75.00

Mike at (979) 696-4400 hm or (979) 255-3544 cell.

5584. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 19:44:02 UTC
From: K&#65533;HB <groupk0hb@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <6yKgf.186$Hk1.99@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12257
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"Vinnie S." <none@coldmail.com> wrote in message
news:sng4o1h8maoo34kdlc7o4avdfv3tiih4bq@4ax.com...
> http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729
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> about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at
> $280
> with 5 days left.
>
> Vinnie S

Poor amp, runs about a dozen old TV sweep tubes with all the problems that come with them! It was a joke when first built, and hasn't improved with age. You can get a nice Heath SB200, SB220 or SB230 for equal or less money.

Some CBer will likely get this rag and hopefully blow it up first key-down.

73, de Hans, K0HB

5585. block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 20:01:49 UTC
From: larry <larya@rogers.com>
Message-ID: <tuWdnSANHP5-5B7enZ2dnUVZ_sidnZ2d@rogers.com>
Source record: 12258

Does anyone know where I can find the block diagram of the icom 22s.. I have the schematic, now I would like the block diagram....to help me understand the schematic....
Thanks de
Larry ve3fxq

5586. Re: block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 20:58:58 UTC
From: et472@FreeNet.Carleton.CA
Message-ID: <dm00qirld1@theodyn.ncf.ca>
Source record: 12259

"larry" (larya@rogers.com) writes:
> Does anyone know where I can find the block diagram of the icom 22s.. I have
> the schematic, now I would like the block diagram....to help me understand
> the schematic....
> Thanks de
> Larry ve3fxq
>
>
But wouldn't making your own block diagram help you to understand the
schematic?

I'd imagine it's a fairly straightforward receiver, with a stage or
two of amplification going into a mixer that, given the vintage, is likely
a MOSFET. Then right into a 10.7MHz Filter. Then you get
amplification/limiter and the detector, unless, again as I'd suspect, it's
double conversion in which case there'd be just a bit of amplification at
10.7MHz and a second mixer dropping the signal to 455KHz where there'd
be a 455KHz ceramic filter and amplification/limiter and the detector.
You can find that second mixer by looking for a 10.245MHz crystal, though
it might be highside injection with an 11.155MHz crystal. The detector
feeds the audio stages.

The filter(s) will help to define the schematic, as will that second
conversion oscillator if there is a second conversion.

The first mixer will get its signal from the PLL synthesizer. There will
be a VCO that feeds that mixer, though there's bound to be a stage or
two of buffer/amplification between the two stages. One of those
stages may even be a multiplier; I can't remember whether the PLL generates
the actual injection frequency or a submultiple. Memory says the actual
signal from the VFO is fed into a mixer, with a crystal oscillator feeding
its other input, which drops the VCO signal to a low enough frequency that
the programmable divider chain can deal with it. I seem to recall the actual
synthesizer may be mostly in a big IC, with the programmable divider and
phase detector and likely reference frequency and its divider chain in one
package. You can find out by tracing from the diode matrix that programs
the actual channels to wherever it goes.

I don't have a clue of the layout of the transmitter. I don't know
whether offset is added to the matrix data to get the VCO to switch
to the needed frequency on transmit (it can't be on the same frequency
as the receiver injection frequency because that is off the channel
by 10.7MHz, and then more for repeater offsets), or if there is a mixer
in the transmitter chain that adds one of a number of crystal oscillator
frequencies to provide the needed offset. I doubt they generated

the transmitter frequency at a very low frequency like 6MHz and multiplied up, as was the case with old crystal controlled 2M rigs. But there might be a doubler or something, running the VCO at half the needed frequency. Once the signal is on the actual 2M signal, then it's just a matter of stages of amplification to get it up to the needed level.

Michael

5587. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 21:32:18 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <i7Mgf.28803$rc7.12255@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12260

BradDux@gmail.com wrote:

>I would like to be able to transmit on:
> 6 meter, 2 meter, 1.25 meter, and 70cm bands (more would, of course,
>be nice), but I am willing to sacrifice some of them to get the digital
>trunking support.
>
>Thanks,
>Brad
>
>
>
I thinks maybe you ask way too much for one handheld radio. :-P ;-)

5588. FA: Mint Icom IC-55 Power Supply

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 22:13:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kKMgf.16000$ha2.9822@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12261
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5831909279&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5589. FA: 15-Motorola MJ15024 & lot of 215 other Various Transistors>CHEEP

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 22:17:16 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MNMgf.16002$ha2.7445@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12262
Cross-posted to:
alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5831909324&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7564365632&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5590. FA: 2-6146B tubes, 4-3B28 HV Rectifiers, 40' Tinned copper braid>Big Stuff!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 22:19:28 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <RPMgf.16003$ha2.860@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12263
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

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5591. FA: $10>32 VARIOUS TRANSISTORS in TO-3 CASES, RCA, ST, SSD1 ETC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-22 22:22:21 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ASMgf.16006$ha2.12@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12264
Cross-posted to:
alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

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5592. Tower Specs needed Tri-Ex HDZRN Series

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 00:39:14 UTC
From: Al Last <al.last@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <SSOgf.23255$q%.13349@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12265

Need site location where to find specs on the old military rotating tower made in the 60s by
Tri-Ex. They are typically 71 ft telescoping 3 section with a ring at the 20 ft point and prop pitch motor and chain at base to turn the tower and a fixed antenna like an LP 2-30 mHz mounted atop. I believe the model to be the HDZRN series. Need the slab info as well as the engineering data on the tower.

Any help is appreciated.

Thanks Al W6GSQ

5593. Re: block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 01:27:54 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9716B1B2039C1spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12266

>
> But wouldn't making your own block diagram help you to understand the
> schematic?
>

Wonder if you've really looked under the hood of the venerable old IC-22S? Its a real nightmare to trace circuits, let alone, understand them, even with a schematic. Physically, rather risky at this age, to pull apart to trace the boards out.... lots of interconnect wiring going everywhere.... not elegantly laid out like more modern rigs.... and this unit did not have a VFO, but a matrix of diodes in a very confusing-to-diagnose PLL circuit.

Ed K7AAT

5594. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 03:45:15 UTC
From: "Dr.Ace" <NoSpam@BedfordSucks.com>
Message-ID: <f0aff$4383e70c$4fc66b7$14501@DIALUPUSA.NET>
Source record: 12267
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

"K&#65533;HB" <groupk0hb@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:6yKgf.186$Hk1.99@newsread1.news.pas.earthlink.net...

Snipped

> Some CBer will likely get this rag and hopefully blow it up first
> key-down.
>
> 73, de Hans, K0HB

We can only hope.
Ace - WH2T

5595. www.hamwave.com

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 06:46:22 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <2fUgf.20270$JQ.6583@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 12268

http://www.hamwave.com

5596. Re: block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 13:53:02 UTC
From: Eskay <siebklaasNO@SPAMhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <n042e1mtptvm$.1pdt7x4vsplcz.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12269

On Tue, 22 Nov 2005 15:01:49 -0500, larry wrote:

> Does anyone know where I can find the block diagram of the icom 22s.. I have
> the schematic, now I would like the block diagram....to help me understand
> the schematic....
> Thanks de
> Larry ve3fxq

Try here..
http://www.marcucci.it/english/download/index.htm#service

5597. Re: block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 17:58:49 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns9717659075F5Aspectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12270

>> Does anyone know where I can find the block diagram of the icom 22s..
>> I have the schematic, now I would like the block diagram....to help
>> me understand the schematic....

> Try here..
> http://www.marcucci.it/english/download/index.htm#service

Is there an IC-22S there? I didn't see one.....

Ed

5598. Re: Price for Collins 30L-1 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 21:59:33 UTC
From: do.not@spam.me
Message-ID: <97179882Ebob@netnews.bresnan.net>
Source record: 12271

Thanks for the info. I will be moving to a new QTH that does not allow outdoor antennas so I know for sure I will be selling my 30L-1.

>In the condition you claim with a manual:
>Round Emblem up to 600 dollars.
>Winged Emblem up to 550 dollars.
>Some may ask more but these prices are realistic. 73 de Fred.
>
>
>Bob wrote:
>
>> Anyone know the going price for a Collins 30L-1 Amp that is in fully
>> operational and cosmetically Excellent conditon?

5599. F/S SB200 AMP - 3 KW TUNER - KENWOOD HT ---- FOR SALE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-23 22:58:27 UTC
From: "Russ J." <amservice@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <nu6hf.968$fO5.470@newssvr33.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 12272
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Hello All!
I have the following for sale: Get em for Christmas before they go on ebay !
Make an offer !

HEATHKIT SB200 LINEAR AMPLIFIER. Very Good Condition- No dents or scratches.
Loaded 400 watts carrier out into Cantenna dummy load.
Has manual. Pics available and will ship CON. US. but prefer local P/U in
Cleveland Area -- will drive 1/2 hr..

3KW ANTENNA TUNER. MFJ989C with digital readout in Very good condition.
Small dent in chrome of tuning knob.
Has manual. Pics Available and will ship CON. US

KENWOOD TH22A 2 meter HT. In excellent condition. Has leather case and 2
extra batteries. Original box and manual
Ac supply etc. Pics available and will ship CON. US

SPEAKER-MIKE for above . Works GREAT! Pics available and will ship CON. US

5600. Re: block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-24 01:34:09 UTC
From: Jayseebee <Jayseebee@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <438518b2$0$3760$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 12273

I have an old IC-22S manual copy and could scan whatever you might want
(block diagram, etc) and email it to you in .jpg's? if you would like?
Amazingly I Also have a parts rig if you are interested?

JCB

larry wrote:
> Does anyone know where I can find the block diagram of the icom 22s.. I have
> the schematic, now I would like the block diagram....to help me understand
> the schematic....
> Thanks de
> Larry ve3fxq
>
>

5601. FA: 10 ELECTRONICS Books: Experimenters, Hackers, Gadgets, Theory, Car Projects, CB Radios, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-24 01:57:24 UTC
From: Joely <joely@jsojoomowaa.com>
Message-ID: <231120052057240957%joely@jsojoomowaa.com>
Source record: 12274
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

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5602. FRIEND: as are You, Brandon and www.ChezBrandon.com are Awesome

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-24 07:04:28 UTC
From: nikool18a@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1132815868.541916.227100@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12275

FRIEND,

Hi. Check out www.ChezBrandon.com ; it's awesome. As are you, Brandon is highly intelligent, knowledgeable, and good. May you have an awesome day.

A Succinct Warning: Elements of the Mossad, sated with cash from the murderous and destructive narcotics trade, are using some medical, pharmacy, and food service workers to murder men, women, and children. (A certain tasteless acid, for instance, causes cancer.)

Victor Ostrovsky's books BY WAY OF DECEPTION and THE OTHER SIDE OF DECEPTION: A ROGUE AGENT EXPOSES THE MOSSAD'S SECRET AGENDA offers elucidation, as does James Ennes, Jr.'s ASSAULT ON THE LIBERTY.

Again, may you have an awesome day, and check out www.reopen911.org and www.ChezBrandon.com
-- NICK

5603. FA: New in the Box CDR antenna rotator AR-40

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-24 13:58:35 UTC
From: Gordon <lavere@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <mMSdnX7DZu0ZWhjeRVn-iQ@comcast.com>
Source record: 12276

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5604. Re: block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-24 18:06:39 UTC
From: Eskay <siebklaasNO@SPAMhotmail.com>
Message-ID: <sjiaza8mb7z2.12s5qt9oy57qy$.dlg@40tude.net>
Source record: 12277

On Wed, 23 Nov 2005 17:58:49 GMT, Ed wrote:

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>>> Does anyone know where I can find the block diagram of the icom 22s..
>>> I have the schematic, now I would like the block diagram....to help
>>> me understand the schematic....
>
>
>> Try here..
>> http://www.marcucci.it/english/download/index.htm#service
>
>
> Is there an IC-22S there? I didn't see one.....
>
>
> Ed

Sorry I thought I got it there, instead look on the Icom site,,,4.357 Kb.
Larry had all this info but he must have lost it.
Eskay.

5605. Kenwood TS-940S Receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-24 18:38:10 UTC
From: WA6PPG <WA6PPG.1z0s59@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <WA6PPG.1z0s59@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 12278

I have a Kenwood TS-940S/AT that I recently purchased from a friend who was the original owner. It performs beautifully!! I recently came upon a web posting on another forum site from a Brizillian amateur about a problem he found regarding several production wiring errors including the incorrect installation of a couple of FET's in the receive mixer and RF amplifier stages. He seemed to imply that this problem would exist in all of the 940's I don't believe that this is the case with mine, although I must confess that I haven't looked that closely. Has any one else heard of this problem, or found it in their radio and corrected it? My radio seems to work too well to have this problem.

WA6PPG

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WA6PPG

5606. Re: Kenwood TS-940S Receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-24 21:22:07 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11ocbnves3tpjae@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12279

In article <WA6PPG.1z0s59@news.radiobanter.com>,
WA6PPG <WA6PPG.1z0s59@news.radiobanter.com> wrote:

>I have a Kenwood TS-940S/AT that I recently purchased from a friend who
>was the original owner. It performs beautifully!! I recently came upon
>a web posting on another forum site from a Brizillian amateur about a
>problem he found regarding several production wiring errors including
>the incorrect installation of a couple of FET's in the receive mixer
>and RF amplifier stages. He seemed to imply that this problem would
>exist in all of the 940's I don't believe that this is the case with
>mine, although I must confess that I haven't looked that closely. Has
>any one else heard of this problem, or found it in their radio and
>corrected it? My radio seems to work too well to have this problem.

There are a whole bunch of TS-940 service notes available online at
www.kenwood.net (click "Amateur Radio" and then "Service Bulletins").

I don't see the specific problem you describe being mentioned, but I
didn't look too deeply.

It's certainly possible that the production error existed in only one
batch of TS-940S receivers. Only way to tell for sure if it affects
your unit is to test it or open it up and look at the circuitry, I
suppose.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

5607. APRSPoint thanksgiving special

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-25 10:03:11 UTC
From: hxc98@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1132912991.807360.261210@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12280

APRSPoint is a complete APRS package with integrated street-level maps.
We are offerring a thanksgiving special. Now you can APRSPoint license
plus MapPoint 2004 for $88.95 instead of $109.95. Please visit
http://www.aprspoint.com/ for details. Thanks.

5608. For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-25 13:05:23 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <n_Dhf.233899$Il5.12776@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12281

Hi, all concerned:

For sale:

1. 80-10M Drake L-4B amplifier, sn 1010, Eimac tubes, pwr supply sn 1000, book, in good condition electrically; cosmetically, a few scuffs around the front edges. No issues with it; I simply got an amp with 160M. If you pick it up, I could demonstrate its 600W out on c-w and 1100W out on ssb. 10-day money-back warranty, provided it comes back in the same condition it leaves.

2. Meissner Signal Shifter exciter in good working and physical condition; 3.4-30 MHz, copy of book. I got it to drive a homebrew 4-400 to a KW on c-w, but that's not going to happen.

3. ESS TIME MACHINE: complete info at:
http://www.expandedspectrumsystems.com/prod2.html
I have band-filters and 9 different crystals for 40-30-20-15-10M, FLX-90, LO1 external-lo buffer, wall wart, all manuals. Got this for experimenting with homebrew software-defined-radio, also not going to happen.

4. Original service manual for Kenwood TS850SAT. Sold rigs; buyers didn't want it.

5. Before-MFJ HyGain TH7DX broadband tri-band antenna, good condition, original book.

6. Cushcraft 402CD pre-XM240 2-element 40M yagi, good condition, with CC 40M rotatable dipole I got to make 3L yagi out of 2L.

7. TMC IPA r-f deck, uses PL-172/8295A (no tube; same *socket* as 8877; chimney could have 4-inch OD-3-1/2orso-ID machined hi-temp non-conductive ring sitting on 8877 to cover over difference in tube diameters), 750pF Tune/1000pF vac variables with turns-counters in 2-30MHz bandswitched tank which has 3/8-in silver-plated conductors, 2 multi-meters, 6CL6/6146 bandswitched driver, no power supplies.

Pls make offers, and remember shipping from 45251. Antennas can be disassembled far enough to fit in those concrete-form tubes, for shipping. You know; those ones you've seen in bigboxhardware :o)

Tks for reading.

73, Dave, N3HE
Cincinnati, OH
513-674-7202

5609. FS: Daiwa CN-801 H Watt meter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-25 15:01:33 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <gf6dnYMfbNnNuhreRVn-rw@comcast.com>
Source record: 12282

Daiwa CN-801 H 1.8 to 200 Mhz
20 -- 200 -- 2KW settings

This meter is 2 months old. Bought a SW-2000
and have no need for this meter.

Can send pictures.

Have Box and paper work.

$90 plus shipping

Steve

5610. ICOM CK-11 Cable Kit for IC435 Series Transcivers: $25

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-25 18:45:39 UTC
From: Mike Nowlen <mnowlen@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <lnmeo1hrb53njqvj327u4sr0cbdhcg94u1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12283
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.commercial-lmr,rec.radio.lmr-commercial,rec.radio.lmr-commerical

New Icom remote cable kit complete with mounting and hardware in
original box for Icom Series Commercial Mobile Transceivers

CK-11 for IC435:

$25 + actual shipping costs. Email with zip code for shipping costs.

Thanks for reading
mnowlen@comcast.net

5611. Re: For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 11:11:22 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <upXhf.121141$Hs.58443@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12284

Ads were a bit cryptic, sri. I'm seeking *offers*, tks. 73, Dave, N3HE

5612. FA: NEWCOMB E-10B PATHFINDER TUBE AUDIO AMPLIFIER>Harmonica

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 14:52:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <SE_hf.3243$7n6.403@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12285
Cross-posted to: alt.rec.audio.high-end,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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5613. FA:Mint ICOM PS-55 Supply, 2-NEW 6146B's, 4-3B28's Rectifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 14:56:22 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <rl_hf.3245$7n6.803@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12286
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

All like-new & great deals, end tomorrow>

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http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7564365581&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5614. FA: Transistors, Power Mosfets, Tube Shields & Sockets

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 15:00:53 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <GM_hf.3246$7n6.3161@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12287
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.cb

15 NOS MOTOROLA MJ15024 AUDIO OUTPUT TRANSISTORS>TO-3
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5831909324&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

20 NOS HITACHI 2SK176 K176 POWER MOSFET TRANSISTORS NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628667&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

20 NOS HITACHI J50 2SJ50 POWER MOSFET TRANSISTORS>T-03
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628654&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

215 VARIOUS VINTAGE TRANSISTORS, RCA, GE, TI, etc:-)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7564365632&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

36 VARIOUS TUBE SOCKETS all USA, SOME CERAMIC>BUILDERS?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662992&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

32 VARIOUS TRANSISTORS in TO-3 CASES, RCA, ST, SSD1 ETC
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7564365625&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

39 VARIOUS SIZE & TYPE OF TUBE SHIELDS for R-390A +MORE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662974&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5615. FA: No Bids>TWO(2) BRAND-NEW JACKSON BROS. VERNIER BALL DRIVES>Neat

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 15:01:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <wN_hf.3247$7n6.3170@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12288
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5616. FA: $10>YAESU NC-29 DESK RAPID CHARGER +2 NICAD's>FT-23/470 etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 15:02:48 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <tO_hf.3248$7n6.1948@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12289
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662894&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5617. FA: No Bids>RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 15:04:07 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <HP_hf.3249$7n6.622@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12290
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5618. Yaesu Miniature Mobile Radio - Model No.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 16:00:25 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <kg1ho1lmpmbt4utrrvq86qq4rib696c0me@4ax.com>
Source record: 12291

Yaesu produced a very small dual-band mobile radio for a while. As I recall there were some heat issues with it. The radio was very tiny. About half the size of regular mobiles. Anyone remember the model number?

Dick

5619. Re: Yaesu Miniature Mobile Radio - Model No.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 17:46:42 UTC
From: Hunky-Dorean <babbles@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <6c1if.6070$a15.5340@newsfe5-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12292

FT-90..field commander..i think..

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:kg1ho1lmpmbt4utrrvq86qq4rib696c0me@4ax.com...
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> recall there were some heat issues with it. The radio was very tiny.
> About half the size of regular mobiles. Anyone remember the model
> number?
>
> Dick

5620. Re: Yaesu Miniature Mobile Radio - Model No.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 17:52:24 UTC
From: Larry Weil <kc1ih@mac.com>
Message-ID: <kc1ih-FF5284.12522426112005@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 12293

In article <kg1ho1lmpmbt4utrrvq86qq4rib696c0me@4ax.com>,
Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

> Yaesu produced a very small dual-band mobile radio for a while. As I
> recall there were some heat issues with it. The radio was very tiny.
> About half the size of regular mobiles. Anyone remember the model
> number?

It's the FT-90R. I have one, and yes, they have some heat problems, but there are also work-arounds for those problems. It seems the problems go away somewhat if you never set the step size to 5 KHz. Also, I mostly operate it at 20 watts rather than 50 watts.

That said, I find it to be a great rental car radio, I have the cord wired to a heavy-duty lighter plug. I pack it in a small camera bag in my suitcase along with a mag-mount when I fly somewhere, and I'm usually on the air before I leave the rental car lot. With the software from RT Systems, I already have the memories set up before I leave home.

73 de KC1IH
Larry

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Larry Weil
Lake Wobegone, NH

5621. IC-746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 17:55:26 UTC
From: Roland Stiner <nk2u@1stconnect.com>
Message-ID: <4388a1b2$0$11049$14726298@news.sunsite.dk>
Source record: 12294

Does anyone know if the Icom IC-746 will go on closeout any time soon?

Roland, NK2U

5622. Re: IC-746

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 18:25:39 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns971A6A250E701spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.92.175>
Source record: 12295

> Does anyone know if the Icom IC-746 will go on closeout any time soon?
>
> Roland, NK2U

The IC-746 has not been in production for a few years. The IC-746 Pro is its replacement and Icom has not indicated any schedule for its demise, yet.

Ed K7AAT

5623. Re: Yaesu Miniature Mobile Radio - Model No.?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 19:13:04 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <kscho1pqmeoo6ls579of4q3v0netfdm4qg@4ax.com>
Source record: 12296

On Sat, 26 Nov 2005 12:52:24 -0500, Larry Weil <kc1ih@mac.com> wrote:

>In article <kg1ho1lmpmbt4utrrvq86qq4rib696c0me@4ax.com>,
> Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:
>
>> Yaesu produced a very small dual-band mobile radio for a while. As I
>> recall there were some heat issues with it. The radio was very tiny.
>> About half the size of regular mobiles. Anyone remember the model
>> number?
>
>It's the FT-90R. I have one, and yes, they have some heat problems, but
>there are also work-arounds for those problems. It seems the problems
>go away somewhat if you never set the step size to 5 KHz. Also, I
>mostly operate it at 20 watts rather than 50 watts.
>
>That said, I find it to be a great rental car radio, I have the cord
>wired to a heavy-duty lighter plug. I pack it in a small camera bag in
>my suitcase along with a mag-mount when I fly somewhere, and I'm usually
>on the air before I leave the rental car lot. With the software from RT
>Systems, I already have the memories set up before I leave home.
>
>73 de KC1IH
>Larry

Thanks. I remember it now. I have been thinking of trying to find
one for my wife's Honda where there is very little room for a radio.

Dick

5624. FA: Set of 3-Motorola CP200 UHF 16 Ch Portable Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 21:02:14 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <b44if.40945$qw.27459@fed1read07>
Source record: 12297
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Set of 3-Motorola CP200 UHF 16 Ch Portable Radios

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7567088255&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5625. FA: ICOM RADIO & RADIO SHACK SIMPLEX REPEATER-WORKS GREAT !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 21:05:15 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <l54if.40946$qw.37205@fed1read07>
Source record: 12198
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: ICOM RADIO & RADIO SHACK SIMPLEX REPEATER-WORKS GREAT !

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566885915&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5626. FA: 2-EACH MOTOROLA CP200 UHF PORTABLE RADIO'S-16CH-4-W-Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 21:10:49 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Wa4if.40948$qw.34339@fed1read07>
Source record: 12199
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: 2-EACH MOTOROLA CP200 UHF PORTABLE RADIO'S-16CH-4-W-Chargers

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566210082&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5627. FA: 6-unit bank charger for MT1000 MTX900 etc Radios

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 21:13:34 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <vd4if.40949$qw.8542@fed1read07>
Source record: 12200
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: 6-unit bank charger for MT1000 MTX900 etc Radios

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7565515742&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5628. FA: Motorola PR400 Trunking & Conventional UHF 16ch Portable - Charger

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 21:22:58 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Ym4if.40950$qw.19360@fed1read07>
Source record: 12201
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola PR400 Trunking & Conventional UHF 16ch Portable - Charger

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7565413617&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5629. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 22:01:40 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <3us4a4F12o27IU1@individual.net>
Source record: 12202
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater----------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH-$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

Standard C468A LNIB-------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables---------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer------$ 15
audio cd carts. -No manual-

2 IBM Thinkpad 350 laptops--------------------------EACH-$ 25
128M HD, 16M ram (max), Paper White LCD, loaded with
Dos 6.22 and WIN 3.11 .
Both need new batteries (MAIN/CMOS), the cases are scuffed,
and shows age. One has slight blemish on LCD...
Would be great for packet and programing older radios...
No manuals

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Pictures of the radios can be found at www.mantico.com/4sale.htm
I will have all items on line as soon as possible.

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

5630. Re: FA: NEWCOMB E-10B PATHFINDER TUBE AUDIO AMPLIFIER>Harmonica

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 22:20:56 UTC
From: Bret Ludwig <bretldwig@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1133043656.410391.25200@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12203
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

cooltube wrote:
> http://cgi.ebay.com/.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7367557277&

Bullshit bullshit bullshit bullshit bullshit.

5631. Re: FA: NEWCOMB E-10B PATHFINDER TUBE AUDIO AMPLIFIER>Harmonica

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-26 22:23:38 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <Kf5if.17632$7k1.1228@fe12.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12204
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Bret Ludwig wrote:
> cooltube wrote:
> > http://cgi.ebay.com/.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7367557277&
>
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>
> Bullshit bullshit bullshit bullshit bullshit.

Nah, just a spammer that eBay won't do anything about.

5632. Wanted: KWD SW-200 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 13:48:17 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <0MCdnYWcKo-5JBTeRVn-qg@comcast.com>
Source record: 12205

I am in need of a Kenwood SW-2000 manual. If you have one and could make a copy of it.
It would be appreciated. I'll be glad to pay for the copy and shipping.

Thanks

Steve

5633. Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 16:29:50 UTC
From: Kookwatch 968549 <undermyhat@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <9271a$4389ed07$d1cc5677$26533@snip.allthenewsgroups.com>
Source record: 12206
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Here comes Digital TV !!

http://www.dtv.gov/

(....otherwise known as the FCC's pending DISASTER when regular
analog broadcasting goes off the air and suddenly millions upon
millions of TV sets suddenly are "obsolete" and no longer work)

Can you just imagine what will happen the first weekend after
the DTV shi+ hits the fan and Bubba can't watch his BALL
GAMES or his NASCAR on his, now utterly useless TeeVee...?
Unless of course he buys a $100 set-top converter box for every TV
Want to talk about an excuse for rioting in the streets? Here it is, or
will be soon!
Not to mention also the fact that DTV will cause RFI to public
service commnications to go thru the roof, including cell phones which
will be useless anywhere near the transmitter. (this should be fun)

http://www.dtv.gov/consumercorner.html#obsolete

"The target date for the end of the transition from
analog to digital television signals is December 31, 2008.
That date may be extended, however, until most
homes (85%) in an area are able to watch the DTV
programming. At that point, broadcasting the
current ï¿½analogï¿½ channels will end and that spectrum
will be put to other uses. Until the transition to DTV
is complete, television stations will continue broadcasting
on both their digital and analog channels."

DTV broadcast is HIGHLY prone to multipath distortion problems
caused by shortcomings of the 8-channel vestigial sideband (8VSB)
transmission standard, which has been mandated for use by all
broadcasters in the United States by the Federal Communications
Commission. In short, if you think it was hard to get TV reception
back in the 60's and 70's before cable using a pair of rabbit ears
then you ain't seen nothing yet! With DTV you get nothing if even
one bit is missing from the broadcast stream. Black screen DOA.

Finally, here is the URL of the people who pushed this
pending disaster thru Congress: http://www.dtvcoalition.com/

Other articles on how flawed DTV really is and how
consumers are likely to react in anger when their sets
go dark in late 2009: http://dtvfacts.com/

5634. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 17:23:27 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <vpqjo193ibpqu9as2c12h7p3a9ir6gtu5u@4ax.com>
Source record: 12207
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 11:29:50 -0500, "Kookwatch 968549"
<undermyhat@yahoo.com> wrote:

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>http://www.dtv.gov/
>
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> millions of TV sets suddenly are "obsolete" and no longer work)
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>go dark in late 2009: http://dtvfacts.com/
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>
Most people already have the necessary converter. It's called a cable
box. The STBs for the rest of the peeps will most likely be ca $25.
Closer to that than $100.

5635. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 18:21:15 UTC
From: clifto <clifto@clifto.com>
Message-ID: <r1ap53-la8.ln1@remote.clifto.com>
Source record: 12208
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

David wrote:
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Oh, really? High-quality, flat-response tuner / IF strip / demodulator,
plus a scan convertor to convert from any of the gazillion digital
formats to NTSC, and RF modulator and power supply, all for $25 consumer
price?

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If John McCain gets the 2008 Republican Presidential nomination,
my vote for President will be a write-in for Jiang Zemin.

5636. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 18:37:23 UTC
From: Invader3K <beckermt@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1133116643.503962.255200@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12209
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

People talk like this whole DTV conversion is coming as a surprise.
It's been planned and in the news regularly for the last decade
(literally). This isn't some overnight switheroo that Congress is
trying to pull. There's been plenty of advance notice. If some people
choose to ignore the news and are surprised four years from now when
they can't watch regular TV (and that is only if they receive over the
air only, which applies to roughly less than 15% of the country), so be
it.

Personally I'm looking forward to the highly increased picture quality
and digital surround sound that DTV can provide. If some people want to
stick with their 1950s technology, so be it; but don't hold it against
those of us who want to move into the 21st century, thank you very
much. Many parts of the world like Japan and Western Europe have pretty
much moved to DTV already, and those countries haven't been engulfed in
mobs of angry people who can't watch TV anymore.

5637. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 18:45:14 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <lgvjo1p58n5128sl4n1t3aihl9q5m1cu25@4ax.com>
Source record: 12210
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 12:21:15 -0600, clifto <clifto@clifto.com> wrote:

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http://www.maxim-ic.com/quick_view2.cfm/qv_pk/3975

http://www.ati.com/products/nxt2000/features.html

http://www.st.com/stonline/press/news/year1997/p686p.htm

5638. Re: block diagram of icom 22s

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 19:02:22 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-2711051402220001@ac8e8ea2.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12211

In article <tuWdnSANHP5-5B7enZ2dnUVZ_sidnZ2d@rogers.com>, "larry"
<larya@rogers.com> wrote:

> Does anyone know where I can find the block diagram of the icom 22s.. I have
> the schematic, now I would like the block diagram....to help me understand
> the schematic....

Larry-

Wasn't the IC-22S the one that had stainless steel pins connecting the top
and bottom of the PLL board? As I recall, it was just a matter of time
before they all lost contact. The solution was to replace them all with
copper wires, and it wasn't easy!

73, Fred, K4DII

5639. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 19:43:46 UTC
From: clifto <clifto@clifto.com>
Message-ID: <jsep53-la8.ln1@remote.clifto.com>
Source record: 12212
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Invader3K wrote:
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> stick with their 1950s technology, so be it; but don't hold it against
> those of us who want to move into the 21st century, thank you very
> much. Many parts of the world like Japan and Western Europe have pretty
> much moved to DTV already, and those countries haven't been engulfed in
> mobs of angry people who can't watch TV anymore.

The problem isn't moving into the 21st Century, Mr. Futuristic Modern Dude.
We're already there. The problem is *removing* the existing broadcasts.

There'd be room for everyone if Congress wasn't so easily bought by
commercial interests bent on forcing the public to throw away literally
TRILLIONS OF DOLLARS worth of equipment.

I'm as far from a treehugger as one can get, but have you given any
thought whatever to the landfill problem when hundreds of millions of
television sets suddenly need landfill for disposal?

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If John McCain gets the 2008 Republican Presidential nomination,
my vote for President will be a write-in for Jiang Zemin.

5640. Re: Wanted: KWD SW-200 Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 19:46:59 UTC
From: Susan York <SUSANYORK@ATT.NET>
Message-ID: <663ko19fm78rjf1r5irak3a4phbir83t8h@4ax.com>
Source record: 12213

Steve,

Send me a snail mail address, and I will send you a copy Monday.
Including the couplers, it is about 10 pages. No charge!

--
Susan

5641. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 19:48:55 UTC
From: clifto <clifto@clifto.com>
Message-ID: <86fp53-la8.ln1@remote.clifto.com>
Source record: 12214
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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>
> http://www.maxim-ic.com/quick_view2.cfm/qv_pk/3975

That's completely silly. No one could make *anything* for $25 if they
are forced to do it in runs of ten or fifteen at a time because the
suppliers don't have parts.

> http://www.ati.com/products/nxt2000/features.html

Vague.

> http://www.st.com/stonline/press/news/year1997/p686p.htm

Here you might have something... except the chip has to be about 25
cents to pass the rule of 10. Figure $8 in 10,000 qty, then your
set top box might make $100.

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my vote for President will be a write-in for Jiang Zemin.

5642. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 20:16:53 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <6o4ko19fcb2r8p1u1fk8dn3drs7r68245i@4ax.com>
Source record: 12215

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 13:43:46 -0600, clifto <clifto@clifto.com> wrote:

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>thought whatever to the landfill problem when hundreds of millions of
>television sets suddenly need landfill for disposal?

I don't think things are as bad as you portray. It will be over 3
years before a hard cutoff, maybe longer. In that time many thousands
of TV's will need to be replaced anyway. Or the owners will simply
want to update to a new plasma, etc. And don't forget the many
millions of people on satellite or digital converter boxes like us
that won't be affected. I don't think the sky is falling just yet.
No doubt it won't be a pretty picture when the time comes.

5643. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 20:38:57 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <ja6ko1hhsqtj04hm7v68gramhle4usoshl@4ax.com>
Source record: 12216
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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5644. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 20:39:49 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dmd5ckqso1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12217

>>Invader3K wrote:
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>>> much moved to DTV already, and those countries haven't been engulfed in
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I can't speak for Europe.. but Japan is still using both NTSC (terrestrial)
and HDTV (DTH satellite). They plan to remain that way for the foreseeable
future.

5645. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 21:13:07 UTC
From: Invader3K <beckermt@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1133125987.868771.99830@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12218

The auction of the analog spectrum is going to bring a lot of revenue to the US government. I don't see how that's a bad thing, as long as that money is used responsibly. Granted, we're talking about our government here...but at least they're taking in revenue and not spending it on something, in this case. That's usually considered a good thing.

And again, those sets aren't going to "suddenly need landfill for disposal." They'll still be perfectly usable with any of the following:

- a cable box
- a satellite box
- an over the air digital to analog converter

Furthermore, you can still use that TV for other things...say, in a kid's room to play video games or watch movies. Granted, most people won't want to hold onto them forever, but they won't be totally useless pieces of metal and plastic. As far as the environmental concern, I wouldn't be surprised if companies start asking for sets for recycling, like we already see widely with cell phones and other consumer products.

I don't have a link to a story right now, but I've read that the government is also going to be spending money to get converter boxes for poor people who can't buy them. So again, there's not going to be this huge mass of angry TV-less people that pundits have been insinuating. Also, keep in mind that as more and more companies build more and more DTV sets, the prices will keep coming down. You can already get a DTV capable set for well under 1000 dollars US. Within the next couple years the price of a DTV set will be where analog sets are right now.

Sincerely,
"Mr. Futuristic Modern Dude"

5646. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-27 23:14:08 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dmdee0sjn1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12219
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"David" <rickets@knac.com> wrote in message
news:vpqjo193ibpqu9as2c12h7p3a9ir6gtu5u@4ax.com...
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>>(....otherwise known as the FCC's pending DISASTER when regular
>> analog broadcasting goes off the air and suddenly millions upon
>> millions of TV sets suddenly are "obsolete" and no longer work)
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>>Can you just imagine what will happen the first weekend after
>>the DTV shi+ hits the fan and Bubba can't watch his BALL
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Ever price one of those cable boxes? They probably don't cost much to build, but if you go to buy them, they're on the order of $300-$400, at least the addressable ones. The cheapies, that do no decoding still run into the $100+ range for one that doesn't break in a month or two.

5647. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 02:07:28 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <ADtif.41918$1l6.35697@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12220

We could load B52's with old TV's and carpet bomb Iraq with them!

clifto wrote:

>
>I'm as far from a treehugger as one can get, but have you given any
>thought whatever to the landfill problem when hundreds of millions of
>television sets suddenly need landfill for disposal?
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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

"Follow The Money"

5648. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 02:10:09 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <5Gtif.41922$1l6.413@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12221

Good Idea!

Justï¿½n Kï¿½se wrote:

>Just haul them over to Mexico and set them out on the street,
>so they can continue to watch soccer games in Mexican analog.
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5649. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 05:27:03 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreVermin@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1df435039357f810989708@192.168.42.131>
Source record: 12222

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> to the US government. I don't see how that's a bad thing, as long as
> that money is used responsibly.

<snippety>

Money used responsibly != Our (alleged) Government.

Don't get me started. This is a ham radio newsgroup. I'm not about
to clutter it with a polly-ticks flame-war.

Keep the peace(es).

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

5650. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 08:11:56 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <9helo11br4l0sglavk07iheulafthb831o@4ax.com>
Source record: 12223
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 12:21:15 -0600, clifto <clifto@clifto.com> wrote:

>David wrote:
>> The STBs for the rest of the peeps will most likely be ca $25.
>> Closer to that than $100.
>
>Oh, really? High-quality, flat-response tuner / IF strip / demodulator,
>plus a scan convertor to convert from any of the gazillion digital
>formats to NTSC, and RF modulator and power supply, all for $25 consumer
>price?

5 Newsgroups?

and my set top box was free when I signed up. I get excellent picture
and sound and no interferrence between the ham stations (One in the
shop and one in the house). 1.8 through 440. Legal limit 1.8 through
30. 100 watts out on 50 MHz and 200 watts on 144 MHz.
I'm running an Alpha 76A in the house for HF and a Henry 2K-4 in the
shop.

Remember Digital is not necessiarlily HDTV, but they will be moving up
out of the VHF bands.

BTW, the computers and ham rigs are less than 3' apart and the network
cable runs with the coax cables for a ways.

I can run a 2-meter HT on the desk with the computers running although
if I get within about a foot of this one it will open the squelch.
Still I can set the HT next to the left side of the monitor and it
works fine.

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5651. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 08:14:04 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <p0flo1d41gvbbnnhka0jg45t136gl7od50@4ax.com>
Source record: 12224

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 13:43:46 -0600, clifto <clifto@clifto.com> wrote:

>Invader3K wrote:
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>> stick with their 1950s technology, so be it; but don't hold it against
>> those of us who want to move into the 21st century, thank you very
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>> much moved to DTV already, and those countries haven't been engulfed in
>> mobs of angry people who can't watch TV anymore.
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>The problem isn't moving into the 21st Century, Mr. Futuristic Modern Dude.
>We're already there. The problem is *removing* the existing broadcasts.
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>There'd be room for everyone if Congress wasn't so easily bought by
>commercial interests bent on forcing the public to throw away literally
>TRILLIONS OF DOLLARS worth of equipment.
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>I'm as far from a treehugger as one can get, but have you given any
>thought whatever to the landfill problem when hundreds of millions of
>television sets suddenly need landfill for disposal?

Just put the set top box in front of it and they'll work fine and that
set top box is a lot cheaper than a new set.

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5652. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 08:16:25 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <14flo1d0tps4pkh7bo7usgeag35fsauol7@4ax.com>
Source record: 12225

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 13:16:53 -0700, Dick <LeadWinger> wrote:

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>I don't think things are as bad as you portray. It will be over 3
>years before a hard cutoff, maybe longer. In that time many thousands
>of TV's will need to be replaced anyway. Or the owners will simply
>want to update to a new plasma, etc. And don't forget the many
>millions of people on satellite or digital converter boxes like us
>that won't be affected. I don't think the sky is falling just yet.
>No doubt it won't be a pretty picture when the time comes.

I wouldn't miss the major netowrks if the disappeared tomorrow.
The only thing I watch on VHF is the local cable channel with our town
meetings on them and occasionally public TV.

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Roger

5653. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 08:18:14 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <i7flo19o0qo5kv287sfuhcq2tu56qsf9ar@4ax.com>
Source record: 12226

On Mon, 28 Nov 2005 05:39:49 +0900, "Brenda Ann"
<brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:

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>future.

C-band satellite is still NTSC on a number of channels. People have
to remember that Digital TV is not HDTV. it can be but that isn't
necessarily so.

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5654. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

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Date: 2005-11-28 08:34:04 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <0lflo1lt65javtbknvdcdrag1dno9hal6q@4ax.com>
Source record: 12227
Cross-posted to:
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On Mon, 28 Nov 2005 08:14:08 +0900, "Brenda Ann"
<brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:

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bits are missing.

You do need a good UHF antenna for local HDTV at present and probably
will for Digital as well. Rabbit ears definitely will not cut it. and
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Yup. Free.
Both my cable box and my digital satellite box were free with a years
subscription. Actually the same went for the cable modem at 3 Mbs
with free installation which meant running almost 200 feet of cable .
It's a 130 feet from the pole so that's 160 feet and there are 3 drops
in the house so I guess it's a tad more than 200 feet along with 3
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I'll probably keep right on using the one old 37" analog set down in
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5655. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 12:52:56 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <ecvlo1dp51pgima34of9pq6p6leqc8ndgr@4ax.com>
Source record: 12228

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 20:05:00 GMT, Justï¿½n Kï¿½se
<chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:

>In Message-ID:<jsep53-la8.ln1@remote.clifto.com> posted on Sun, 27 Nov
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>Just haul them over to Mexico and set them out on the street,
>so they can continue to watch soccer games in Mexican analog.

Except the Mexicans are all over here.

5656. Send spam this way

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 17:35:52 UTC
From: Christopher O'Callaghan <d.ocallaghan@iolfree.ie>
Message-ID: <dmff5kinu1@reader01.news.esat.net>
Source record: 12229

sallowswayne@aol.com

send all the spam you want to this address..I can then forward this to piss
of my enemy.....

5657. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 17:44:40 UTC
From: FDR <_remove_spam_block_rzitka@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <cmHif.36200$DL6.15877@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 12230

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People are already ditching older tv's for the HD ones.

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> If John McCain gets the 2008 Republican Presidential nomination,
> my vote for President will be a write-in for Jiang Zemin.

5658. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 17:48:42 UTC
From: FDR <_remove_spam_block_rzitka@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <_pHif.36201$DL6.24839@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 12231
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> splitters which are cheap.
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> I'll probably keep right on using the one old 37" analog set down in
> the basement until it gives out. The tuner gave out long ago, but I
> use it as a monitor with the VCR as the tuner.
>>
> Roger Halstead (K8RI & ARRL life member)
> (N833R, S# CD-2 Worlds oldest Debonair)
> www.rogerhalstead.com

5659. what disater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 19:16:09 UTC
From: an Old friend <kb9rqz@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <1133205369.956261.291950@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12232
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Kookwatch 968549 wrote:
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> (....otherwise known as the FCC's pending DISASTER when regular
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> millions of TV sets suddenly are "obsolete" and no longer work)
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> Can you just imagine what will happen the first weekend after
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> GAMES or his NASCAR on his, now utterly useless TeeVee...?
> Unless of course he buys a $100 set-top converter box for every TV
> Want to talk about an excuse for rioting in the streets? Here it is, or
> will be soon!
where is the disaster

5660. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 22:22:52 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <7b0no1dbdd6be7ck4bpoperis6ekpijcvd@4ax.com>
Source record: 12233
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 11:29:50 -0500, "Kookwatch 968549"
<undermyhat@yahoo.com> wrote:

[snip]

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>Commission. In short, if you think it was hard to get TV reception
>back in the 60's and 70's before cable using a pair of rabbit ears
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>one bit is missing from the broadcast stream. Black screen DOA.

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are at 8800' and 4500', there are higher peaks between them and me. So
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line-of-sight to me and the transmitters) are as strong as those via
the obstructed path.

This is a technological disaster, which of course is what you get when
you put politicians in charge of science projects.

DTV, BPL, the morning after pill, all screwed up by politicians with
agendas.

5661. ICOM R71A $425

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 23:08:03 UTC
From: safetypro <bfdp1@msn.com>
Message-ID: <1133219283.227625.246380@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12234

MINT PERFECT, R-71A HF Receiver. no marks ,dents or dings. complete
with original manuals, invoice, box, spares, etc. Stored for 7 years.
Works perfect.

$425+shipping of buyers choice.

e-mail work for scnas: rmmilljr@adaweb.net

Shipped in US only.

73

JM
Boise, Idaho

5662. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-28 23:49:46 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <8s5no1l0mukl05pnloemli2q21vu7ha52h@4ax.com>
Source record: 12235
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Mon, 28 Nov 2005 15:22:52 -0700, Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
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>the obstructed path.

>
So get cable.

5663. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 00:13:58 UTC
From: R! <hobbob123@mailinator.com>
Message-ID: <1133223237.932842@nnrp2.phx1.gblx.net>
Source record: 12236
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Kookwatch 968549" <undermyhat@yahoo.com> wrote in news:9271a
$4389ed07$d1cc5677$26533@snip.allthenewsgroups.com:

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> http://www.dtv.gov/consumercorner.html#obsolete
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> Other articles on how flawed DTV really is and how
> consumers are likely to react in anger when their sets
> go dark in late 2009: http://dtvfacts.com/
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I meed a good excuse to quit watchin' the "BOOB TUBE"
maybee this is it...

I us'd to repair TVee... Most people were satisfied with
a picture that looked like a pair of those 3D glasses when
the show wasn't in 3D...

If you done anything to make it better they complained it
jus' doesn't look rit'...

R!

5664. FS: GONSET TWINS (G66B & G77)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 00:25:33 UTC
From: "Richard W. Solomon, W1KSZ" <w1ksz@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <vu7no1tipv78uqgd6i5biecigm3ivcld3a@4ax.com>
Source record: 12237

I have a set of GONSET Twins: G66B Receiver, G77 Transmitter and Power Supply/Modulator. I actually made a QSO on 80 AM. Also a spare G77 and Power Supply/Modulator. Also have the ORIGINAL Manuals for both. $250 the Lot, BUT YOU HAVE TO PICK IT UP. I cannot lug it out to get packed & shipped (two bad knees). I am in Lexington, MA (02421).
73, Dick, W1KSZ

5665. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 01:57:11 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <XzOif.108$8d.85@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12238

We could put up kiosks at the border full of discarded TV's. They will
be so busy carrying them back home to resell they won't come over to our
side. By the way, they are getting ripped off by employers in US who
work them all week and then don't pay, or have them conveniently deported.

Wes Stewart wrote:

>On Sun, 27 Nov 2005 20:05:00 GMT, Justï¿½n Kï¿½se
><chupacabra@operamail.com> wrote:
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>
>> Just haul them over to Mexico and set them out on the street,
>>
>>so they can continue to watch soccer games in Mexican analog.
>>
>>
>
>Except the Mexicans are all over here.
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>

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

"Follow The Money"

5666. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 02:16:11 UTC
From: Andre <pequiste@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <edeno1h73cp0c5fjrihk69dvgd2t539d39@4ax.com>
Source record: 12239
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

at my eyes the piont is not entering 21'' century problem is RFI going
to 21 will cost healt...
My two cents

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5667. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 02:29:10 UTC
From: Kim_Jong_Il@volcanomail.com
Message-ID: <1133231350.701305.243810@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12240
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"... all for $25 consumer price?"

DVD players for $17.88? Portable DVD players and even DVRs under $100?
Check. Routers for $5? Check. 20" color TV with remote, $79.95? Check.
Laptop for $400? Check.

Hardly seems possible, but the ads are in the Sunday paper every week.

5668. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 06:04:08 UTC
From: DTV_DuDE <No_DTV_4_Me@aol.com>
Message-ID: <438BEF53.7AE1753E@aol.com>
Source record: 12241
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Big problem is all the lawyers on the FCC board,

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degrees, all the rest are lawyers and political types.

DTV, BPL oh yeah baby, the wave of the future.

BPL nirvana of internet access

5669. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 06:04:30 UTC
From: DTV_DuDE <No_DTV_4_Me@aol.com>
Message-ID: <438BEF6D.C267D76B@nospam.com>
Source record: 12242
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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5670. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 06:28:02 UTC
From: sweston <sweston2@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <11ont7gopl4i659@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12243
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Ain't gonna happen anywhere near the deadline. All analog TVs both past and present will be able to be used easily and cheaply at least during our lifetime...

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5671. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 14:14:16 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <sbooo1padcolpo9nm8913e7j4q81i3gp3v@4ax.com>
Source record: 12244
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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5672. FA: YAESU NC-29 DESK RAPID CHARGER +2 NICAD's>FT-23/470 etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 14:24:41 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <JwZif.34442$7n6.11769@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12245
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662894&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5673. FA: 36 tube sockets & 39 tube shields from R-390A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 14:26:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <syZif.34446$7n6.11266@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12246
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662974&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662992&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5674. FA: $10>RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>NEAT-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 14:28:17 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <8AZif.34449$7n6.33875@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12247
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=4593303293&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5675. FA: Vintage SEKONIC L-28c2 STUDIO DELUXE EXPOSURE SPOT METER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 14:29:53 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <BBZif.34453$7n6.34165@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12148
Cross-posted to: alt.photo.equipment.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628590&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5676. FA: JVC JX-SV55 PROFESSIONAL VIDEO EDITING PROCESSOR>CHEEP!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 14:31:07 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <LCZif.34456$7n6.531@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12149
Cross-posted to: alt.photo.equipment.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628616&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5677. FA: @$10>TWO(2) BRAND-NEW JACKSON BROS. VERNIER BALL DRIVES.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 14:34:58 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <nGZif.34464$7n6.12147@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12150
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662919&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5678. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 15:23:39 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <fjsoo1pt70hrk0sn9gs4nk2qkmu4vgr44p@4ax.com>
Source record: 12151
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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>>>So get cable.
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>You want to run 15 miles of cable out to my place on the unlikely
>chance that I will pay $40-60 per month just to watch TV?
>
Well then get DiSH.

5679. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 15:46:42 UTC
From: Bill Sohl <billsohl@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <CJ_if.10266$aA2.1726@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12152
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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The local WalMart had a 24" color on sale for $99. The 19" for
the same price included a built-in DVD/CD player.

Cheers and happy shopping
Bill K2UNK

5680. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 15:50:38 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <f3uoo1do1b9175oo61mi6t035hmmkr2u6c@4ax.com>
Source record: 12153
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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5681. FREE: RF Connector, Adapter & Cable Catalog

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 17:36:32 UTC
From: AAA RF Products <sales@aaarfproducts.com>
Message-ID: <Lj0jf.10415$dv.10227@fed1read02>
Source record: 12154

For your free copy of our new catalog,

please email sales@AAARFProducts.com

or see www.aaarfproducts.com

or call 949 481 3154 (San Clemente, CA)

No minimum order.

No handling charges.

5682. Need manual for CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 17:44:20 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1133286260.188725.238440@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12155

I am in need of a manaul for the CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect. I
will compensate for any costs involved. Thanks
Tim Mize N7XAU
tmize57@juno.com

5683. FA: Motorola Portables and other Stuff

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 17:54:13 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <yA0jf.52235$qw.32386@fed1read07>
Source record: 12156
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZradwaves

5684. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 18:26:15 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <787po15i8muid3o3rstim3n8lt3oh57ipr@4ax.com>
Source record: 12157
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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>
W were talking about DTV, but the only TV worth watching is movies and
The Weather Channel. If TV is not important to you, quit whining
about the mountains.

5685. Re: Need manual for CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 19:30:13 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <a%1jf.4616$vH5.253029@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12158

"TimBob" <tmize57@juno.com> wrote in message
news:1133286260.188725.238440@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>I am in need of a manaul for the CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect. I
> will compensate for any costs involved. Thanks
> Tim Mize N7XAU
> tmize57@juno.com
>

I assume CES no longer have one available http://www.ceswireless.com
have you tried these folk:
http://www.qsl.net/va3bmc/status.htm

Cheers.

Ken

5686. Re: what disater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 19:35:15 UTC
From: George.E.Hollis@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1133292915.003165.13270@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12159
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

Can you say BPL??

5687. Re: what disater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 20:06:30 UTC
From: an Old friend <kb9rqz@amsat.org>
Message-ID: <1133294790.495860.46930@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12160
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

George.E.Hollis@gmail.com wrote:
> Can you say BPL??

I can but that is not the subject of the thread

5688. Re: FA: $10>RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>NEAT-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 20:41:32 UTC
From: miso@sushi.com
Message-ID: <1133296892.462429.9130@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12161
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Those Ray Jeffs really suck. Get a Bendix.

cooltube wrote:
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=4593303293&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5689. FA: Your introduction to Morse Code CDs ARRL Learn CW (NR)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 20:55:25 UTC
From: muldawer@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1133297724.969128.40470@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12162

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5834817348&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

Your introduction to Morse Code CDs ARRL Learn CW (NR)

Introduction to Morse Code CDs ARRL Learn CW NR

Your Introduction to Morse Code (audio CDs)

-- Don't just learn the code--master it! This set includes two audio CDs (for your audio/music CD player) with nearly 2-1/2 hours of practice. Follow the proven ARRL Morse code teaching system. Sample exams included!
Includes 2 audio CDs and instruction booklet. CD 1 was used once.

5690. Re: what disater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 21:21:39 UTC
From: Hank Oredson <horedson@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <DD3jf.2091$YT3.1878@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12163
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

<George.E.Hollis@gmail.com> wrote in message
news:1133292915.003165.13270@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Can you say BPL??

Certainly: Brass Pounders League.

--

... Hank

http://home.earthlink.net/~horedson
http://home.earthlink.net/~w0rli

5691. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 21:50:10 UTC
From: Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <n0ipo11hov237h9ke4bs7qmtrl3799gobu@4ax.com>
Source record: 12164
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 29 Nov 2005 18:26:15 GMT, David <rickets@knac.com> wrote:

>On Tue, 29 Nov 2005 08:50:38 -0700, Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
>wrote:
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>>On Tue, 29 Nov 2005 15:23:39 GMT, David <rickets@knac.com> wrote:
>>
>>[snip]
>>>>
>>>>You want to run 15 miles of cable out to my place on the unlikely
>>>>chance that I will pay $40-60 per month just to watch TV?
>>>>
>>>Well then get DiSH.
>>
>>You must have missed the part where I said, "unlikely chance that I
>>will pay $40-60 per month just to watch TV."
>>
>>
>W were talking about DTV, but the only TV worth watching is movies and
>The Weather Channel. If TV is not important to you, quit whining
>about the mountains.

I'm not "whining" about the mountains, I'm pointing out that a bunch
of dumbshit politicians with dollar signs in their eyes made some
stupid decisions (pardon the redundancies) and are trying to foist
upon the public a technology that is both unnecessary and unworkable
for a large number of people.

When my government takes something away from me for no good purpose,
then I'm going to complain about it.

It's also curious that when I asked the chief engineer of a local VHF
TV station, who is a personal friend, why they didn't put a UHF
translator out my way he replied that they have wanted to for years
but the FCC would not grant a license. That spectrum is too valuable,
doncha know. So public interest isn't important, revenue is.

And I sure don't to pay big bucks to know what the weather is, when I
can walk outside and get an accurate picture, rather that some
wild-ass guess.

5692. Re: Your introduction to Morse Code CDs ARRL Learn CW (NR)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 23:37:15 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <KC5jf.128965$dZ.14138@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12165

muldawer@gmail.com wrote:
> Your introduction to Morse Code CDs ARRL Learn CW (NR)

Morse code materials? For sale? hahahahahahahah.

You must be kidding.

5693. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 23:39:44 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <4F5jf.129067$dZ.89746@fe02.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12166

clifto wrote:
> There'd be room for everyone if Congress wasn't so easily bought by
> commercial interests bent on forcing the public to throw away
> literally TRILLIONS OF DOLLARS worth of equipment.
>
> I'm as far from a treehugger as one can get, but have you given any
> thought whatever to the landfill problem when hundreds of millions of
> television sets suddenly need landfill for disposal?

No problem. Congress has it's hand in your pocket and is going to make the industry give ATSC converters to everyone who wants one. Paid for by your tax dollars.

Wait and see.

5694. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-29 23:44:16 UTC
From: David <rickets@knac.com>
Message-ID: <happo1tsa0jm8vs7vkv2g987ui4ms2vhl6@4ax.com>
Source record: 12167
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 29 Nov 2005 14:50:10 -0700, Wes Stewart <n7ws*@*yahoo.com>
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>doncha know. So public interest isn't important, revenue is.
>
>And I sure don't to pay big bucks to know what the weather is, when I
>can walk outside and get an accurate picture, rather that some
>wild-ass guess.

>
Translators are granted on a ''Secondary'' status meaning that if a
higher priority use is sought for the channel the secondary user must
vacate. Otherwise they chug on for years.

5695. WTB: Vectronics DL-2500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 01:29:39 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <v30qo111uejh7q0p1gnv9f42dnvk16g8o4@4ax.com>
Source record: 12168

WTB: Vectronics DL-2500
Dummy Load
Must be in good working oder.
Rich 973-857-1195 NJ
Or email with price.

5696. Kenwood MC-42S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 02:29:27 UTC
From: Glenn Jensen <ve6dkk@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <11oq3kgiprdl13b@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12169

Hi there:

I got a Kenwood MC-42S on a garage sale, but some of the wires inside the microphone have come loose. I was wondering if there is a wiring diagram out there somewhere for this microphone, or if someone could tell me where each wire goes so that I can re-attach the loose ones and make the microphone usable?

Thanks alot

Glenn Jensen

5697. Need Manual for TS 950 SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 03:26:19 UTC
From: ian <iandoug@sc.rr.com>
Message-ID: <vZ8jf.5449$q93.1712614@twister.southeast.rr.com>
Source record: 12170

I need a manual for the Kenwood TS 950 SDX. Will compensate for costs involved.

Ian Smith KA2LGA

5698. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 04:36:00 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.iqqv400.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 12171
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Tue, 29 Nov 2005 06:04:08 GMT, DTV_DuDE wrote:

>Big problem is all the lawyers on the FCC board,
>
>only two of the current comm. have any tech
>degrees, all the rest are lawyers and political types.

All five of the Commissioners are political types - have to be in
order to be appointed and confirmed to that position.

Two with technical degrees? In your dreams. The last "engineer
Commissioner" was George Sterling during the late 1940s. In the
1980s some of us wanted to have the Comm Act changed to require at
least one to have an engineering degree but we were shot doen by the
political types.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane
(A lawyer and engineer who
spent 28 years on the FCC staff)

5699. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 05:01:03 UTC
From: an_old_friend <konstans@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1133326863.292649.270910@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12172
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

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> All five of the Commissioners are political types - have to be in
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> least one to have an engineering degree but we were shot doen by the
> political types.

sounds like sour grapes to me Phil
>
> --
> 73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane
> (A lawyer and engineer who
> spent 28 years on the FCC staff)

5700. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 09:46:15 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <g3tqo1trejtn69t8dc76egitn4a2e0cjop@4ax.com>
Source record: 12173
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On 28 Nov 2005 18:29:10 -0800, Kim_Jong_Il@volcanomail.com wrote:

>"... all for $25 consumer price?"
>
>DVD players for $17.88? Portable DVD players and even DVRs under $100?
>Check. Routers for $5? Check. 20" color TV with remote, $79.95? Check.
>Laptop for $400? Check.

About 4 months ago I paid about $75 for a dual layer DVD dual layer
drive that does about every flavour of DVD and CD, read and write.

Roger Halstead (K8RI & ARRL life member)
(N833R, S# CD-2 Worlds oldest Debonair)
www.rogerhalstead.com
>
>Hardly seems possible, but the ads are in the Sunday paper every week.

5701. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 10:07:01 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dmjte2$8lp$1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 12174
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

"Roger" <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net> wrote in message
news:g3tqo1trejtn69t8dc76egitn4a2e0cjop@4ax.com...
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> drive that does about every flavour of DVD and CD, read and write.

And at this moment you can get one (16x DVD+/- R/RW DL Pioneer DVR-110) from
Meritline for $47... simply bloody amazing..

5702. Re: Need Manual for TS 950 SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 13:35:21 UTC
From: Topaz305RK <k7sam@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <Aqydnfg2fOTmNxDeRVn-tg@vnet-inc.com>
Source record: 12175

If Kenwood does not have it - go here

http://www.w7fg.com/search.php?find=ts950

5703. FA: Tubes: 811A, 572B,6V6Y,45+stuff....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 14:09:03 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3oijf.197325$zb5.134336@bgtnsc04-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12176
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have these tubes listed + other stuff and others coming as well. Tnx for looking and 'Merry Christmas to all':

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

73 heytubeguy, Joe

5704. Help on Knight Kit info.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 15:30:37 UTC
From: Mike <mlinger@tamu.edu>
Message-ID: <dmkgit$ip1$1@news.tamu.edu>
Source record: 12177

I need a manual (or copy) of a manual for the Knight KG-650 RF signal generator. I'm restoring some of my old Knight test equipment (I've got plenty) and need the schematic and alignment info for it. Can anyone help? BAMA says they have a schematic for it but I haven't been able to download it and don't believe it's there anymore. Thanks for the help.
.....Mike, WA5MOE.

5705. Re: Help on Knight Kit info.....

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 15:48:14 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <2Rjjf.121167$ap7.115292@fe11.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12178

Mike wrote:
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> generator. I'm restoring some of my old Knight test equipment (I've
> got plenty) and need the schematic and alignment info for it. Can
> anyone help? BAMA says they have a schematic for it but I haven't
> been able to download it and don't believe it's there anymore.
> Thanks for the help. ....Mike, WA5MOE.

It's on the mirror:
http://bama.edebris.com/manuals/knight/kg650/

You need a .djvu viewer such as DejaView or Irfanview to open it. The
schematic is on the second page.

5706. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 17:14:59 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <n6ljf.14817$pc1.3219@newsfe4-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12179
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

>
> I've dealt with them a few times over the years, bought my Icom 2725
> dualband mobile from them, no problems at all. I'd happily recommend them.
>
> Ivor G6URP
>

I would be annoyed if they had sold me an IC2725...piece of junk........

5707. Re: Kenwood TS-940S Receive

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 17:29:34 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <11oroc0slmjnm64@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12180

WA6PPG wrote:
> I have a Kenwood TS-940S/AT that I recently purchased from a friend who
> was the original owner. It performs beautifully!! I recently came upon
> a web posting on another forum site from a Brizillian amateur about a
> problem he found regarding several production wiring errors including
> the incorrect installation of a couple of FET's in the receive mixer
> and RF amplifier stages. He seemed to imply that this problem would
> exist in all of the 940's I don't believe that this is the case with
> mine, although I must confess that I haven't looked that closely. Has
> any one else heard of this problem, or found it in their radio and
> corrected it? My radio seems to work too well to have this problem.
>
> WA6PPG
>
>
If it isn't broke please don't fix it.

5708. Re: Need manual for CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 17:53:56 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1133373236.339802.49520@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12181

Yes, actually I did try contacting those folks. Always got the email
returned, even looked up call signs on QRZ.com. I contacted CES, they
said they might have it, but didnt seem very interested in helping me.
Thanks for the reply, best regards
Tim N7XAU

5709. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 18:58:30 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dmksopoio1@news8.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12182
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
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> > all. I'd happily recommend them. Ivor G6URP
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> I would be annoyed if they had sold me an IC2725...piece
> of junk........

How so..? Had mine since they came out, no problems at all with it, what's your beef with it..? I like it because it has 2 mic sockets, I have the fist mic plugged into the control head mounted on the dash and a handsfree mic plugged into the main unit under the front passenger seat. An excellent design IMHO.

Ivor

5710. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 19:11:48 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <UPmjf.7050$LO4.3331@newsfe5-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12183
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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> Ivor
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>
as long as you are happy with it and 1800mhz only cell phone systems that is
all that matters......

5711. Re: Need manual for CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 19:50:13 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <Wnnjf.4874$vH5.268216@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12184

"TimBob" <tmize57@juno.com> wrote in message
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> Yes, actually I did try contacting those folks. Always got the email
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> said they might have it, but didnt seem very interested in helping me.
> Thanks for the reply, best regards
> Tim N7XAU
>
Yeah, they warn they aren't terribly concerned about the old stuff. I was
hoping for you that the other group using one of them may be of assistance.

Cheers.

Ken

5712. WTB: SBE hand mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 19:58:18 UTC
From: wa3rey <wa3rey@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <1133380698.255528.43550@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12185

Looking for the small dynamic hand mic used on SBE radios, specifically their CB sets. Let me know condition and price.

Thanks,

Tom, WA3REY

5713. Re: Kenwood MC-42S

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 20:03:29 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <mAnjf.4879$vH5.268241@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 12186

"Glenn Jensen" <ve6dkk@hotmail.com> wrote in message
news:11oq3kgiprdl13b@corp.supernews.com...
> Hi there:
>
> I got a Kenwood MC-42S on a garage sale, but some of the wires inside the
> microphone have come loose. I was wondering if there is a wiring diagram
> out there somewhere for this microphone, or if someone could tell me where
> each wire goes so that I can re-attach the loose ones and make the
> microphone usable?
>
> Thanks alot
>
> Glenn Jensen
>
>
Take a peek here:
http://www.kenwood.net/indexKenwood.cfm?do=SupportFileCategory&FileCatID=6

they have pinouts of many of their connectors, though yours specifically
isn't mentioned. However you could buzz out which wires are which on the
microphone and check against the likely suspects in the list.

Cheers.

Ken

5714. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 22:37:22 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dml9j4$i3k$1@newsg2.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12187
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
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> > How so..? Had mine since they came out, no problems at
> > all with it, what's your beef with it..? I like it
> > because it has 2 mic sockets, I have the fist mic
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> > front passenger seat. An excellent design IMHO. Ivor
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> as long as you are happy with it and 1800mhz only cell
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Indeed, but you didn't answer the question, why don't you like the Icom
2725..?

Incidentally, lost the manual to mine a while back, rang up W&S and they
sent me one FOC. How's that for service..?

Ivor

5715. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 23:15:25 UTC
From: 2M0KND <carolmcgee1@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <hoqjf.11605$y36.6913@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12188
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"Ivor Jones" <this.address@notvalid.inv> wrote in message
news:dml9j4$i3k$1@newsg2.svr.pol.co.uk...
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> Ivor
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Hes only bitching because I happened to win one from them.
Now he will come back with they can't sell then so they are giving them
away. I know loads of folk who have them and are quite happy.
Carol

5716. my new mobile install - any thoughts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-11-30 23:37:15 UTC
From: rjvalenta@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1133393835.512648.6570@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12189

so I finally got my new IC208h installed in my 2002 Jeep Grand Cherokee. I did a little research and some brainstorming, but my lack of experience has me here hoping to get some thoughts on things.

I feed the radio from a relay that switches off the cigarette lighter fuse, and feeds directly from the battery (as was somewhat reccommended here). The antenna is a dual band hamstick, and feeds in via 3 types of cable, including 18" of mini-coax to get through the liftgate seal.

The whole thing can be found at :
http://www.richardvalenta.com/radio/

I'd like to hear what people have to say about things, and I'm thinking of clipping some of that excess RG58 by the antenna, and replacing the PL259 end with a ring and a different mount from the hamstick people - has anyone used a dual-band radio with this 'ring and spade ' type of connection?

Ideas and thoughts appreciated, thanks.

Richard
N0TZC

5717. Re: my new mobile install - any thoughts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 01:08:51 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <1fiso1havo2j8153edm8qcbf50vv6htg8o@4ax.com>
Source record: 12190

That's a pretty nice installation, Richard. One thing I would do is run the negative lead for the radio to the battery as well as the positive lead. Having a relay in line is nice, but then you have to leave the key on in the JGC when you want to use the radio. Sometimes on ARES/RACES exercises, the radio is on all day. I don't mind pushing the button after I start the ZJ, and again when I park it.

I always recommend using a larger gauge wire(s) from the battery compartment. I bring them to posts under the back seat, then I have plenty of power without any voltage drop for any equipment in the rear of the vehicle. I actually use 4-gauge wire for both leads.

Working with large gauge wire in a vehicle can be a real pain. So I take the easy way out and take my vehicles to an automobile stereo installer. They work with large gauge wires all day, and their workmanship is usually superb. Much better than I would ever do. I think they charged me $30 for the labor, and I provided the wire, terminals, etc. I did take out the passenger seat so they wouldn't have to deal with that. Probably saved me a few bucks.

Finally, I would comment on the excess RG-58. Just cut it off and install another connector. It sounds like you are trying to avoid doing that, but it's really not that difficult. That's the only change I would make in your installation. My other comments you can save for another vehicle and another time.

Dick - W6CCD

On 30 Nov 2005 15:37:15 -0800, rjvalenta@yahoo.com wrote:

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>has anyone used a dual-band radio with this 'ring and spade ' type of

>connection?
>
>Ideas and thoughts appreciated, thanks.
>
>Richard
>N0TZC

5718. Re: my new mobile install - any thoughts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 01:19:29 UTC
From: rjvalenta@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1133399969.610387.269480@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12191

Dick -

I was thinking of cutting it off, and going with a simple ring and the corresponding mount from the hamstick guys... when I say ring, I mean something like....

http://www.firestik.com/images/coax-a.gif

But I've only seen that referenced at hamstick (who seems to target HF more), and for CB installs. Is there a reasons for this? are ring & spade cable ends not as effective for VHF & UHF use?

I'm always learning...

Richard
N0TZC

PS - thanks for being constructive, i made the same post on a board online, and some guy made me feel like a fool on this- my first install ever. its good to know there are guys out there who are willing to help.

5719. Re: my new mobile install - any thoughts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 01:30:12 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <pckso116k02cvodslqen7s45ph3qnrfdq7@4ax.com>
Source record: 12192

There is really no problem using either the ring and ground lead or
the coax connector. You don't run into problems until you get a lot
higher in frequency. The only thing is if you need to modify the
antenna mount in order to use the ring terminal, then it wouldn't make
sense to do it. If you use the ring, keep the leads as short as
possible. Especially the ground lead.

Dick

On 30 Nov 2005 17:19:29 -0800, rjvalenta@yahoo.com wrote:

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>corresponding mount from the hamstick guys... when I say ring, I mean
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>help.

5720. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 06:15:04 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <lxwjf.11701$y36.6232@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12193
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

> Hes only bitching because I happened to win one from them.
> Now he will come back with they can't sell then so they are giving them
> away. I know loads of folk who have them and are quite happy.
> Carol
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I know you wouldn't know a good radio from a bad one but I thought Ivor
would.......

5721. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 06:20:48 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <4Dwjf.7781$Cj5.6560@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12194
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

> Indeed, but you didn't answer the question, why don't you like the Icom
> 2725..?
>
> Incidentally, lost the manual to mine a while back, rang up W&S and they
> sent me one FOC. How's that for service..?

that is great you will need it.......

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> Ivor
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The Receiver overloads as bad as the two IC207s I had ..pagers etc..but I suppose you live in the middle of nowhere..then again if you do I am surprised you love 1800 mhz only systems so much 'coz they are PANTS as well.....I have even heard Carols hubby complaining about them on receive and tells the truth...

5722. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 06:27:14 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <6Jwjf.7784$Cj5.1347@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12195
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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read that as
"he tells the truth"......

5723. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 06:32:06 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <GNwjf.7785$Cj5.5629@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12196
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

>I know loads of folk who have them and are quite happy.
> Carol
>
I know of dozens of MM3's who are quite happy to get into Amateur radio but
that doesn't make it right.......

5724. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 07:01:59 UTC
From: Brian Reay <see@website.invalid>
Message-ID: <Hdxjf.7786$Cj5.4594@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12197
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"Ivor Jones" <this.address@notvalid.inv> wrote in message
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>> > front passenger seat. An excellent design IMHO. Ivor
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>> as long as you are happy with it and 1800mhz only cell
>> phone systems that is all that matters......
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> Indeed, but you didn't answer the question, why don't you like the Icom
> 2725..?
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Ivor, I think Jim didn't find the RF gain control.

I'm delighted with mine- there is only one spot locally I have a problem (a
50m or so stretch on route to work). However, if just tweak the gain even
that is OK.

Particular spot bugs most of the locals that pass that way I understand-
with a variety of radios.

One local has a problem at his home which was attributed to IC2725 rx
performance but I understand has since been attributed to another source.

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73
Brian, G8OSN
www.g8osn.org.uk

5725. Re: Need Manual for TS 950 SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 10:17:37 UTC
From: Murray <me@erewhon.net>
Message-ID: <438ecd8c$0$8592$5a62ac22@per-qv1-newsreader-01.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 12048

I bought a manual from them once and it was barely
legible and quite useless.

Murray vk4aok

Topaz305RK wrote:

>
> If Kenwood does not have it - go here
>
> http://www.w7fg.com/search.php?find=ts950
>
>
>

5726. Re: Need Manual for TS 950 SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 10:47:57 UTC
From: Jonas Petersson <jonas.petersson@fro.se>
Message-ID: <xxAjf.39418$d5.195824@newsb.telia.net>
Source record: 12049

I found a downloadable manual at
http://www.kenwood.net/indexKenwood.cfm?do=DownloadFile&Document=1f672244f27033407a287cb8e27943901f64eb33d87caf34dfa1c743ed07a6cbcc0075a0c1736bfbab56335b8de0c8f0a131738a0119c4ed41e6f14bf31706d3

(if that link don't work, I actualy found it on
http://www.kenwood.net/?do=SupportFileCategory&FileCatID=5)

/Jonas

"rocky" <mar.sv@mars.com> skrev i meddelandet
news:mar.sv-011893.04552830112005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article <vZ8jf.5449$q93.1712614@twister.southeast.rr.com>,
> "ian" <iandoug@sc.rr.com> wrote:
> I think Kenwood still has the downloadable operators manual on their web
> site.

5727. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 13:17:14 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dmmt56$7en$1@news8.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12050
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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> > them and are quite happy. Carol
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> I know you wouldn't know a good radio from a bad one but
> I thought Ivor would.......

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don't you like the radio..? If it's because you think something on it
doesn't work the way you think it should, or you think the sensitivity
isbad or whatever, why don't you say so..? Nobody will think any the less
of you if you have a valid reason, but just to say you don't like it with
no explanation is like a little boy stamping his foot and saying "because
I don't..!" which gets you nowhere and does nothing for your credibility.

Ivor

5728. Re: my new mobile install - any thoughts?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 15:10:51 UTC
From: CF <careyfisher@ncsradio.com>
Message-ID: <KIEjf.29278$i7.19093@bignews2.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12051

Looks good. Check out our Mobile Multi-Radio control box C250 on the
Commercial side of our website:

www.ncsradio.com

Ideas and thoughts appreciated, thanks.

Richard
N0TZC

5729. Re: FA: $10>RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>NEAT-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 15:22:03 UTC
From: wa2rqy <rlucch2098@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1133450523.094477.278300@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12052
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Hey, its only a big $15:-)

5730. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 17:07:04 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <Y4Gjf.14270$7p5.10366@newsfe4-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12053
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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> Ivor
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>
Piss off.......

5731. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 17:15:10 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <ycGjf.8030$a15.637@newsfe5-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12054
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

> Ivor, I think Jim didn't find the RF gain control.

Ha! ha!.... an RF gain on a FM only rig...that shows how bad the receiver is
! ......

5732. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 17:17:34 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <OeGjf.8031$a15.4463@newsfe5-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12055
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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Posted 06.20.......

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surprised you love 1800 mhz only systems so much 'coz they are PANTS as
well.....I have even heard Carols hubby complaining about them on receive
and tells the truth... "
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5733. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 18:41:01 UTC
From: 2M0KND <carolmcgee1@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <1tHjf.11379$w73.6495@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12056
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
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> surprised you love 1800 mhz only systems so much 'coz they are PANTS as
> well.....I have even heard Carols hubby complaining about them on receive
> and tells the truth... "
>
>
You haven't heard Jim complaining about 'them' as he has not used it yet.
Its still brand new in the box. I haven't even has a shot of it yet.

5734. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 18:42:08 UTC
From: 2M0KND <carolmcgee1@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <4uHjf.11381$w73.9326@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12057
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:Y4Gjf.14270$7p5.10366@newsfe4-win.ntli.net...
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>> no explanation is like a little boy stamping his foot and saying "because
>> I don't..!" which gets you nowhere and does nothing for your credibility.
>>
>> Ivor
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>>
> Piss off.......
>
A response you'd expect from someone without a valid answer?
carol

5735. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 18:47:44 UTC
From: 2M0KND <carolmcgee1@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <kzHjf.9198$GC1.6773@newsfe6-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12058
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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> surprised you love 1800 mhz only systems so much 'coz they are PANTS as
> well.....I have even heard Carols hubby complaining about them on receive
> and tells the truth...
>
I'll give you first refusal.:0) It's up for sale never been used at all!
These retail around £260 anyone looking for one please contact me with a
decent offer.
Carol

5736. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 19:41:54 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dmnjm5$d2n$1@news7.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12059
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
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> > I don't..!" which gets you nowhere and does nothing for
> > your credibility. Ivor
> >
> >
> Piss off.....

Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know they've lost the
argument.

Ivor

5737. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 21:00:06 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <qvJjf.7044$xP2.1936@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12060
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

>> The Receiver overloads as bad as the two IC207s I had ..pagers etc..but I
>> suppose you live in the middle of nowhere..then again if you do I am
>> surprised you love 1800 mhz only systems so much 'coz they are PANTS as
>> well.....I have even heard Carols hubby complaining about them on receive
>> and tells the truth...
>>
> I'll give you first refusal.:0) It's up for sale never been used at all!
> These retail around ?260 anyone looking for one please contact me with a
> decent offer.
> Carol
>
See?... Carol was just trying to maintain its resale value which is about
?100.....hope for you yet Carol ! .....

5738. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 21:00:43 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <%vJjf.7045$xP2.863@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12061
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

>
> Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know they've lost the
> argument.
>
> Ivor
>
>
piss off.....

5739. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 21:03:51 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <XyJjf.7046$xP2.6285@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12062
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

> You haven't heard Jim complaining about 'them' as he has not used it yet.
> Its still brand new in the box. I haven't even has a shot of it yet.
>
must have been the IC207 then.....just as bad as the 2725 think the 27 bit
had something to do with CB to make you all feel at home.....10 4 ....?

5740. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 22:12:16 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <4zKjf.7051$xP2.749@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12063
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

> I'll give you first refusal.:0) It's up for sale never been used at all!

Like I would want to go back on 2m and 70 cents while it is infested with
MM3's.......

5741. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 22:14:54 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <yBKjf.7053$xP2.965@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12064
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

> Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know they've lost the
> argument.
>
> Ivor
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>
What argument ?... it is a piece of Kack......just 'coz you and Brian think
it is so good don't make it so...even Carol is not daft enough to use
it.......

5742. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 22:31:51 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dmntkptdq1@newsg1.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12065
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:%vJjf.7045$xP2.863@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net
> > Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know
> > they've lost the argument.
> >
> > Ivor
> >
> >
> piss off.....

Lost the plot as well it seems.

Next..?

Ivor

5743. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 22:33:48 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dmntoedoc1@newsg3.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12066
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:yBKjf.7053$xP2.965@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net
> > Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know
> > they've lost the argument.
> >
> > Ivor
> >
> >
> What argument ?... it is a piece of Kack......just 'coz
> you and Brian think it is so good don't make it so...even
> Carol is not daft enough to use it.......

Ok, so you don't like it, no need to swear. I don't like a lot of things,
but you don't see me foul mouthing all over the place about them.

You profess to be a radio amateur, try behaving like one if you want any
credibility.

Ivor

5744. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 22:44:56 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <I1Ljf.7335$LO4.2088@newsfe5-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12067
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"Ivor Jones" <this.address@notvalid.inv> wrote in message
news:dmntkptdq1@newsg1.svr.pol.co.uk...
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> "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
> news:%vJjf.7045$xP2.863@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net
>> > Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know
>> > they've lost the argument.
>> >
>> > Ivor
>> >
>> >
>> piss off.....
>
> Lost the plot as well it seems.
>
> Next..?
>
> Ivor
>
>
that is a shop.....

5745. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 22:45:23 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <72Ljf.7336$LO4.1401@newsfe5-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12068
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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"Ivor Jones" <this.address@notvalid.inv> wrote in message
news:dmntoe$doc$1@newsg3.svr.pol.co.uk...
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> "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
> news:yBKjf.7053$xP2.965@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net
>> > Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know
>> > they've lost the argument.
>> >
>> > Ivor
>> >
>> >
>> What argument ?... it is a piece of Kack......just 'coz
>> you and Brian think it is so good don't make it so...even
>> Carol is not daft enough to use it.......
>
> Ok, so you don't like it, no need to swear. I don't like a lot of things,
> but you don't see me foul mouthing all over the place about them.
>
> You profess to be a radio amateur, try behaving like one if you want any
> credibility.
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> Ivor
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>
piss off....
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5746. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 23:03:43 UTC
From: 2M0KND <carolmcgee1@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <jjLjf.18474$uR.4606@newsfe7-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12069
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:XyJjf.7046$xP2.6285@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net...
>
>> You haven't heard Jim complaining about 'them' as he has not used it yet.
>> Its still brand new in the box. I haven't even has a shot of it yet.
>>
> must have been the IC207 then.....just as bad as the 2725 think the 27 bit
> had something to do with CB to make you all feel at home.....10 4 ....?
>
No it was the 72 bit made me think of you.

5747. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 23:05:40 UTC
From: 2M0KND <carolmcgee1@HOTMAIL.COM>
Message-ID: <8lLjf.18476$uR.8284@newsfe7-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12070
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:4zKjf.7051$xP2.749@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net...
>
>> I'll give you first refusal.:0) It's up for sale never been used at all!
>
> Like I would want to go back on 2m and 70 cents while it is infested with
> MM3's.......
>
It could be worse! It could be plagued with GM4'S.

5748. Icom IC-761 help for search review .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 23:15:31 UTC
From: Oldradio <spamstop@stop.no>
Message-ID: <438f8320$0$13258$4fafbaef@reader2.news.tin.it>
Source record: 12071

Hi , I am live in Italy and search qst review file for
old icom ic761 ,Help me.

TNX and 73's i w 6 m q a

coppinit @ yahoo . com

5749. Re: Icom IC-761 help for search review .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-01 23:40:41 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <md2vo1hep0pc3q2aa9qmp50ai7j23pqvqm@4ax.com>
Source record: 12072

On Fri, 2 Dec 2005 00:15:31 +0100, "Oldradio" <spamstop@stop.no>
wrote:

>Hi , I am live in Italy and search qst review file for
>old icom ic761 ,Help me.
>
>TNX and 73's i w 6 m q a
>
>coppinit @ yahoo . com

The Icom IC-761 review was in the September 1988 issue of QST.

Dick - W6CCD

5750. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 00:49:29 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dmo5mq$341$1@news6.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12073
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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"jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
news:I1Ljf.7335$LO4.2088@newsfe5-gui.ntli.net
> "Ivor Jones" <this.address@notvalid.inv> wrote in message
> news:dmntkp$tdq$1@newsg1.svr.pol.co.uk...
> >
> >
> > "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
> > news:%vJjf.7045$xP2.863@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net
> > > > Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know
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> > > piss off.....
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> > Lost the plot as well it seems.
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> > Next..?
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> > Ivor
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> that is a shop.....

Give the man a banana...

Ivor
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5751. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 00:50:10 UTC
From: Ivor Jones <this.address@notvalid.inv>
Message-ID: <dmo5o4$jh6$1@newsg3.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12074
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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news:72Ljf.7336$LO4.1401@newsfe5-gui.ntli.net
> "Ivor Jones" <this.address@notvalid.inv> wrote in message
> news:dmntoedoc1@newsg3.svr.pol.co.uk...
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> >
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> > news:yBKjf.7053$xP2.965@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net
> > > > Ah, foul language. The last resort of those who know
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> > > What argument ?... it is a piece of Kack......just
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> > >
> > Ok, so you don't like it, no need to swear. I don't
> > like a lot of things, but you don't see me foul
> > mouthing all over the place about them. You profess to be a radio
> > amateur, try behaving like
> > one if you want any credibility.
> >
> > Ivor
> >
> >
> piss off....

Ok, but be sure you're not standing next to me when I do.

Ivor

5752. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 01:09:57 UTC
From: Jim - K5LAD <Jim.-.K5LAD.1ze7hm@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <Jim.-.K5LAD.1ze7hm@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 12076

Hi Ed --
I was surprised to see the entry here on RadioBanter showing some of
the info from my website on repairing Bird slugs. I just wanted to
mention that my website is not at all defunct but is still very active
at:

www.hayseed.net/~jpk5lad/

and that particular part quoted was from:

http://www.hayseed.net/~jpk5lad/BIRD%20Slugs/birdslug1.htm

If anyone is interested there's a good bit more info on links off the
same URL as above. They've come from others who know a lot more than
me who have seen my article and sent me the additional good stuff.
I've reproduced it on my website with their permission.

I'm glad this information is of some value to others. That makes it
all worthwhile.
73,
Jim - K5LAD
k5lad@arrl.net

Ed Wrote:
> -
> So the questions a what happened to make them go bad, and can they
> be reasonably repaired by the Bird Corporation? Although we will
> be calling Bird personnel next week I thought I would throw out the
> question here.
> -
>
> Do a Google search on the subject. You will find plenty of
> information on this if you use the right search words. I suspect the
> resistor or diode in the slugs are bad. Here is one ham's (now
> defunct)
> website info I got off a Google cache:
>
> Ed
>
>
>
> Inside Those Bird Slugs
>
> Did you ever end up with or do you now have a dead Bird slug? No, not
> the kind you have in your shotgun but the kind which fits inside the
> Bird

> Wattmeter series which makes them so valuable. Have you ever wondered
> what was inside them? Well, I had one which I purchased at a hamfest
> ("Is it working OK?" "Sure, it is. I used it right before I headed
> down here to the hamfest.") I foolishly believed the seller but once
> I
> tested it at home, I realized that I had a dead slug. I have since
> found
> a way to test them before paying the money and I'll be glad to share
> that
> info later.
>
> buncha other stuff.....................
>
> Had I been able to verify the contents and inner make-up of the Bird
> slug
> earlier, that is, if I could have read what you just read, I would
> have
> started the repairs much sooner. It may be that I was just lucky and
> attempting this project again on a different dud slug would have
> resulted
> in a much different outcome. I was, however, very pleased with the
> final
> result on this particular attempt. If you attempt the same, I hope
> you
> have similar success because, as we all know, "A Bird in the hand
> is..... oh, never mind....." ----- K5LAD

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Jim - K5LAD

5753. Re: Need Manual for TS 950 SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 02:38:31 UTC
From: Topaz305RK <k7sam@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <BK2dna1Kq-YaLhLeRVn-hw@vnet-inc.com>
Source record: 12075

Have bought a number of manuals from them and they have been fine. Better than the original, with a wound binder I can lay if flat for reading.

Your mileage may vary.

Sam - K7SAM

5754. Re: Bird Watt Meter Slugs

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 03:32:35 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns971FC6E7C6230spectrumhogstarbandn@207.106.93.175>
Source record: 12077

thanks for the update, Jim. I apparently had save only one portion of
your web pages on Bird Slugs. I have re-bookmarked them.

Ed

5755. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 06:43:48 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <E2Sjf.6701$Y7.5141@newsfe3-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12078
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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> news:4zKjf.7051$xP2.749@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net...
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>>
>> Like I would want to go back on 2m and 70 cents while it is infested with
>> MM3's.......
>>
> It could be worse! It could be plagued with GM4'S.
>
>
That would be nice......

5756. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 07:01:32 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <gjSjf.8270$Cj5.2279@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12079
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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news:jjLjf.18474$uR.4606@newsfe7-gui.ntli.net...
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> "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com> wrote in message
> news:XyJjf.7046$xP2.6285@newsfe2-gui.ntli.net...
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>>> yet.
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>> must have been the IC207 then.....just as bad as the 2725 think the 27
>> bit had something to do with CB to make you all feel at home.....10 4
>> ....?
>>
> No it was the 72 bit made me think of you.
>
Tee! Hee! in about 20 years perhaps.....I was going to say the 25 reminded
me of you but I don't think you have that many brain cells.....

5757. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 07:05:37 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <5nSjf.8272$Cj5.4929@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12080
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

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> news:I1Ljf.7335$LO4.2088@newsfe5-gui.ntli.net
>> "Ivor Jones" <this.address@notvalid.inv> wrote in message
>> news:dmntkp$tdq$1@newsg1.svr.pol.co.uk...
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>> > > >
>> > > piss off.....
>> >
>> > Lost the plot as well it seems.
>> >
>> > Next..?
>> >
>> > Ivor
>> >
>> >
>> that is a shop.....
>
> Give the man a banana...
>
> Ivor
>
>
I'll take anything but blows......
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5758. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 07:07:35 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <XoSjf.8274$Cj5.6540@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12081
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

>> piss off....
>
> Ok, but be sure you're not standing next to me when I do.
>
> Ivor
>
>
I wouldn't come within a mile of you.....

now there is a quality feed line

bona....

5759. Re: BEWARE...Waters and Stanton

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 07:10:32 UTC
From: "jim.gm4dhj" <jim.gm4dhj@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <IrSjf.8275$Cj5.5549@newsfe6-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 12082
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.hf,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,free.uk.amateur-radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,uk.radio.amateur

>>
> It could be worse! It could be plagued with GM4'S.
>
>
most of them have pissed off...only big Jack left now...but he always did
like Guru status...and where would a Guru be without his followers? ......

5760. Info needed on Collins 1155/GR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 14:51:34 UTC
From: R-1155/GR <amhard2002@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <xbZjf.84409$0l5.79584@dukeread06>
Source record: 12083

Within past two weeks came into possession of Collins R-1155/GR receiver. Searched the net for info on this radio with no luck. Can anyone tell me where I can locate literature on this unit? Would like to either try to make it work or sell it. Unit is fairly complete - missing one knob.

Thanks

5761. hi im crisco kathy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 18:30:50 UTC
From: Kathy Lee <KC8QJP@yahoo.net>
Message-ID: <1133548250.70ba59deb172bfa745d5dd0a96cdfbe1@fe5.teranews.com>
Source record: 12084
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

I AM CRISCO KATHY,TAX SEASON IS ALMOST UPON US. I
CAN GET YOU THE BEST
RETURN. IT MIGHT BE A LITTLE BIT ILLEGAL.BUT WHAT
THE HECK,THE
GOVERMENT TAKES TO MUCH OF OUR MONEY. BE SURE AND
BRING A BIG CAN OF
CRISCO WITH YOU. I WORK BEST ON MY KNEES WHILE
SOMEONE SLATHERS MY FAT
ASS WITH CRISCO. BRING A BIG CAN, I HAVE A VERY
LARGE ASS.

5762. RT-70A/GRC

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 21:33:52 UTC
From: "James F. Mayer" <jfma@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <453kf.8882$wf.2562@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12085
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.equipment,sci.electronics.repair

Any one know of a 6 meter FM repeater in the South Tampa area?
Something simplex?
I think that my RT-70A/GRC works right up to the last audio amp tube.
It has a 1 khz signal (using a Tek 2465) there but no output to the ear
piece after I provide an FM signal (8640b) at the proper frequency. When I
get the 3B4 tube I have bid for on Ebay for, I'll know if I have a
functioning FM 6 meter radio. I think the xmitside works but I need to find
a local repeater to confirm that.
Anyone had or has one that has or does does work?

5763. Re: hi im crisco kathy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 22:25:21 UTC
From: Chuck <chuck@echeese.com>
Message-ID: <11p1ieinc6dj38e@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12086
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Doug says I should stop by and you could get me lots of money back if I bring some crisco. But all I have is canola oil as I am on a heart healthy diet and eating that much crisco out of your snatch would surely cause a clogged artery.

"Kathy Lee" <KC8QJP@yahoo.net> wrote in message news:1133548250.70ba59deb172bfa745d5dd0a96cdfbe1@fe5.teranews.com...
>I AM CRISCO KATHY,TAX SEASON IS ALMOST UPON US. I
> CAN GET YOU THE BEST
> RETURN. IT MIGHT BE A LITTLE BIT ILLEGAL.BUT WHAT
> THE HECK,THE
> GOVERMENT TAKES TO MUCH OF OUR MONEY. BE SURE AND
> BRING A BIG CAN OF
> CRISCO WITH YOU. I WORK BEST ON MY KNEES WHILE
> SOMEONE SLATHERS MY FAT
> ASS WITH CRISCO. BRING A BIG CAN, I HAVE A VERY
> LARGE ASS.
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5764. Re: hi im crisco kathy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 23:20:55 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kF4kf.13$Kf4.12@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12087
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

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5765. Help with TM-733A mod

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-02 23:44:28 UTC
From: JC <newsgroups@unixtricks.com>
Message-ID: <11p1nnhtcvanta2@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12088

Hi all,

I've got a Kenwood tm733a transceiver and I'm trying to figure out how to perform a few mods on it. The first one I'm trying is the Extended RF mod.

I've located the chip labeled XRU4066BCF and the two jumper wires, and I believe I've found the two resisters in between, but they dont look as I would have expected. They are green and there is no label anywhere on or near them. I'm also not sure how to remove them from the board without breaking anything, as they are glued on rather well.

Any suggestions for a noob like myself?

-JC

5766. Re: hi im crisco kathy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 01:31:27 UTC
From: me <me@me.com>
Message-ID: <eat1p1lk293g412mde2d8uu391t8lcmfuh@4ax.com>
Source record: 12089
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Nice lame attempt at a troll post using my name. dumbass

On Fri, 2 Dec 2005 16:25:21 -0600, "Chuck" <chuck@echeese.com> wrote:

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>bring some crisco. But all I have is canola oil as I am on a heart healthy
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5767. FS: HP Function Generators: (2) HP 3310A (1) HP 3311A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 03:03:44 UTC
From: Al Schapira <a.d.schapira@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <43910B3C.4000905@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12090
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.repair,sci.electronics.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

The following equipment is offered for sale. Each is used, but
in working condition, with a complete *original* operating and
service manual and power cord. Shipping to a US address is
included.

Thanks for looking.

-Al Schapira, KC2HRH, a.d.schapira@worldnet.att.net
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HP 3310A Function Generator #1 (S/N #1151A08983)
Sine/square/triangle/ramp/pulse 0.0005 Hz to 5 Mhz, and external
VCO input. Working perfectly. Minor nicks and scrapes on the top
of the case from being stacked. About 7 lbs. $75.00.
See
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/HP/HP-3310A_1.jpg
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/HP/HP-3310A_manual.jpg

HP 3310A Function Generator #2 (S/N # 1151A08978)
Sine/square/triangle/ramp/pulse 0.0005 Hz to 5 Mhz, and external
VCO input. Working perfectly. Minor nicks and scrapes on the top
of the case from being stacked. Pilot lamp assembly has been
replaced with round red led. About 7 lbs. $65.00.
See
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/HP/HP-3310A_2.jpg
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/HP/HP-3310A_manual.jpg

HP 3311A Function Generator (S/N #1244A29453)
Sine/square/triangle to 0.1 Hz to 1 Mhz, and external VCO input.
Working perfectly. About 4 lbs, $75.00.
See
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/HP/HP-3311A.jpg
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/HP/HP-3311A_manual.jpg

5768. Re: Need Manual for TS 950 SDX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 05:31:17 UTC
From: Murray <me@erewhon.net>
Message-ID: <43912da4$0$8582$5a62ac22@per-qv1-newsreader-01.iinet.net.au>
Source record: 12091

Sure, but I was very disappointed with mine, tho.
I had an HTX100 and bought the book from RS.
The last one here (VK) they said.

Somehow all my handbooks, which were in a folder
together, were in the magazine holder in the
lounge and were turfed out by the XYL. (quite
unintentionally).

Long/short) their photocopy was quite unable to
show the shaded copper parts of the boards and was
essentially useless. A friend did some copies at
work from their handbook library and they were just great.

As you say - mileage may vary.

Murray vk4aok

Topaz305RK wrote:
>
> Have bought a number of manuals from them and they have been fine. Better
> than the original, with a wound binder I can lay if flat for reading.
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> Your mileage may vary.
>
> Sam - K7SAM
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5769. Re: Here comes the Digital TV disaster

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 09:17:44 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <v1n2p1dv778r51u4jb0c3mmj2hb9tp2bg9@4ax.com>
Source record: 12092
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

On Wed, 30 Nov 2005 19:07:01 +0900, "Brenda Ann"
<brendad@shinbiro.com> wrote:

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>"Roger" <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net> wrote in message
>news:g3tqo1trejtn69t8dc76egitn4a2e0cjop@4ax.com...
>> On 28 Nov 2005 18:29:10 -0800, Kim_Jong_Il@volcanomail.com wrote:
>>
>>>"... all for $25 consumer price?"
>>>
>>>DVD players for $17.88? Portable DVD players and even DVRs under $100?
>>>Check. Routers for $5? Check. 20" color TV with remote, $79.95? Check.
>>>Laptop for $400? Check.
>>
>> About 4 months ago I paid about $75 for a dual layer DVD dual layer
>> drive that does about every flavour of DVD and CD, read and write.
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>
>And at this moment you can get one (16x DVD+/- R/RW DL Pioneer DVR-110) from
>Meritline for $47... simply bloody amazing..
>
>
And mine are only 8X for DVDs and 40X on CDs. <sigh> Left behind
again<:-))

BTW I live about 14 miles from the world's largest Poly crystal
Silicon supplier. I think they also sell wafers. (very large wafers).

In 1960 a single crystal rod of the best purity you could get sold for
$165 a gram. Today the poly is of higher purity than those 10 pass,
float zone refined rods and as I recall it sells for something like a
couple bucks a Kilo. . Back then a single crystal rod of 3/4"
diameter and 16" long was about the biggest thing you'd see with poly
rods about the same size.
Now days wafers are running some where between 10" and 14". I'm not
sure the current size as I've been away from it for a long time. Poly
crystal rods are huge. It takes power hoists to move them.

Some time in the late 60's (as I recall) they were able to change to a
new method of sawing wafers which reduced the waste by about 50% or a
little better. At least one firm went out of business as overnight
they had doubled the single crystal yield with no increase in, cost,
time, or labor.

Last week there was an article in the local paper that the plant is undergoing another expansion. Not just an expansion, they are doubling the plant capacity and they are already the world's largest supplier but a good margin.

They have gone from a small operation in a cement block garage while using an old two story farm house for an office building to one huge complex.

Think about the amount of silicon used in a transistor, CPU die, or even the CCD in a camera which is probably the largest typical die and then think of the thousands of metric tons of the stuff this place produces.

The engineering costs to produce any particular IC or CPU are high, but once in mass production it drops to almost unbelievable levels. Remember CPUs starting out at a $1000 dollars or more and in about a year of so they are less than a $100 and often still in production. They end up being dropped from production, not because they are losing money as they aren't, but the new *stuff* brings a premium price so it's a no brainer to make the switch. Sure the price is high so they can write off the engineering costs in a hurry, but they are still making a healthy profit.

The same is true for tuners, decoders, converters, and other set top boxes. As that stuff is mass produced and there is a tremendous market for it, they will be moving to one and two chip designs dropping the costs to a couple of dollars where the broadcasters and cable companies can give them away with each subscription.

A nearby company purchased a large batch of high quality 19 or 20" LCD monitors. The cost was some where in the low $200 range. What was the price on those just a year ago, or two years ago if you could find one that large? <:-)) Currently the price is one of supply and demand for those. They could be sold far cheaper to the individual and it won't be long before they are.

Now If I could just convince my wife of all the good reasons for getting rid of the old 19" CRTs here and going to 21" LCDs. <:-))

I hate to say, or admit this, but I remember when the new TV sets finally came out with 21" CRTs <:-)) and those *were*expensive* Carried forward to today's dollars they cost more than one of the big 50 some inch plasma sets.

Roger Halstead (K8RI & ARRL life member)
(N833R, S# CD-2 Worlds oldest Debonair)
www.rogerhalstead.com

5770. FA: 1-Day-Left: 7 Books: HAM RADIO, ARRL, TUBES, ELECTRONICS, AMATEUR RADIO, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 13:32:33 UTC
From: Dan <dan@dkjowifjoal.com>
Message-ID: <031220050832331044%dan@dkjowifjoal.com>
Source record: 12093
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4593742285

5771. FA: YAESU NC-29 DESK RAPID CHARGER +2 NICAD's>FT-23/470 etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 14:40:44 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <N7ikf.94$Kf4.83@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12094
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662894&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5772. FA: RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 14:41:46 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <L8ikf.95$Kf4.56@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12095
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=4593303293&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5773. FA: 1-Day>Vintage POWER MOSFETS for AUDIO AMPS>Hard to Find!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 14:44:30 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kbikf.96$Kf4.23@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12096
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

20 NOS HITACHI 2SK176 K176 POWER MOSFET TRANSISTORS NR
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628667&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

20 NOS HITACHI J50 2SJ50 POWER MOSFET TRANSISTORS>T-03
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628654&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5774. FA: 1-DAY> ELCO Tube Shields@ & Tube Sockets @$10ea.LOT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 14:47:03 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ldikf.98$Kf4.68@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12097
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

39 VARIOUS SIZE & TYPE OF TUBE SHIELDS for R-390A +MORE
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662974&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

36 VARIOUS TUBE SOCKETS all USA, SOME CERAMIC>BUILDERS?
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5834662992&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5775. FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 14:47:58 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <zeikf.99$Kf4.74@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12098
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5837422844&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5776. FA: SEKONIC L-28c2 STUDIO DELUXE EXPOSURE METER w/case NR:)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 14:50:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ehikf.102$Kf4.74@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12099
Cross-posted to: alt.photo.equipment.35mm,rec.photo.35mm,rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Big $28>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628590&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5777. FA: Super Cheep>JVC JX-SV55 PROFESSIONAL VIDEO EDITING PROCESSOR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 14:52:04 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <piikf.103$Kf4.83@fe08.lga>
Source record: 12100
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

One Day Left!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566628616&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5778. NEED Service Manual for NM-17/27 Stoddart

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 16:21:22 UTC
From: NE8S <garwonko@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <6Cjkf.9174$wf.2420@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12101

To all avid readers,

I need a Complete Service Manual for the Singer Stoddart NM-17/27 EMI Field Intensity Meter.

Please reply to: ne8s@arrl.net

Many TNX

Gar

5779. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 18:03:17 UTC
From: "Fred Maxwell"
Message-ID: <6cn3p198m2c1cpi7qaeeurbk6t1rhbd3od@4ax.com>
Source record: 12102

Keeping balanced tubes in it will be a challenge.

I paid $300 for a near mint SB 200& would not look for anything less
that that

On Mon, 21 Nov 2005 16:59:08 -0500, Vinnie S. <none@coldmail.com>
wrote:

>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729
>
>Does anyone know anything about these? I can't seem to turn much up on Google
>about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at $280
>with 5 days left.
>
>Vinnie S.

5780. Re: Icom IC-761 help for search review .

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 18:50:30 UTC
From: sfritchie <sfritchie@cox.net>
Message-ID: <yNlkf.698$La5.556@fed1read01>
Source record: 12103

Try this review at eHam.
http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/398

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:md2vo1hep0pc3q2aa9qmp50ai7j23pqvqm@4ax.com...
> On Fri, 2 Dec 2005 00:15:31 +0100, "Oldradio" <spamstop@stop.no>
> wrote:
>
>>Hi , I am live in Italy and search qst review file for
>>old icom ic761 ,Help me.
>>
>>TNX and 73's i w 6 m q a
>>
>>coppinit @ yahoo . com
>
> The Icom IC-761 review was in the September 1988 issue of QST.
>
> Dick - W6CCD
>

5781. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 21:02:46 UTC
From: "John, N9JG" <john@gotwals.XremoveY.com>
Message-ID: <WJnkf.593118$x96.514364@attbi_s72>
Source record: 12104

Is there something special about the Galaxy that requires balanced finals? I am using a Drake L-4B with a pair of Chinese 3-400ZG tubes. There is no mention in the L-4B manual about replacing the finals with only a matched set, and several other users of this amplifier have told me the same thing.

John, N9JG

"Fred Maxwell" <fmaxsc@REMOVETHISix.netcom.com.> wrote in message news:6cn3p198m2c1cpi7qaeeurbk6t1rhbd3od@4ax.com...
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5782. Re: FA: RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 22:02:38 UTC
From: miso@sushi.com
Message-ID: <1133645697.763197.13700@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12105
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Man I hate spammers. One freaking post is enough.

Cheap? We did a RDF shootout a few years ago. Ray Jeff is the worse.
Hold out for a Bendix. The Ray Jeff is worth $20 tops, and the bidding
is at $27. Hardly cheap.

cooltube wrote:
>
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=4593303293&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5783. FS: Bud equipment cabinets/enclosures, unused

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 22:40:58 UTC
From: Al Schapira <a.d.schapira@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <43921F26.7040309@worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12106
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

The cabinets below are *unused* and in near perfect condition, NOS.
Shipping to a US address is *included*. (Check a distributor for
retail prices or specs.)

Thanks for looking.

-Al Schapira, KC2HRH, a.d.schapira@worldnet.att.net
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Bud Equipment Enclosure, WA-1541, aluminum, 9 x 8.12 x 12, 3.5 lbs,
metalic gray hammertone finish, reinforced flexible recessed metal
handle. Very minor pits in handle bracket. Includes finished front
panel. Includes, rubber feet and screws. Unused. $35.
See
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/Cabinets/Bud-WA-1541_1.jpg
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/Cabinets/Bud-WA-1541_2.jpg
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/Cabinets/Bud-WA-1541_3.jpg

Bud Equipment Enclosure, WA-1540, aluminum, 8 x 6.12 x 8, 2 lbs,
metalic gray hammertone finish, reinforced flexible recessed
metal handle. Includes, rubber feet and screws. *Has no front
panel*. Unused. $25.
See
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/Cabinets/Bud-WA-1540_1.jpg
http://home.att.net/~a.schapira/pix/Cabinets/Bud-WA-1540_2.jpg

5784. FS: VHF Repeater Antenna...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 23:38:20 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <33b4p1dg7vkjip87r6usl1akb631o3gk67@4ax.com>
Source record: 12107

FS: VHF Repeater Antenna
DB224-E
Omni, Exposed Dipole
Great Repeater Antenna
Its about a Year old.
To read info go to this site:
http://www.andrew.com/products/antennas/bsa/DB224-E.aspx
At the Time I wanted a repeater antenna, I asked in the newsgroups
what is the best
antenna for repeater use. I got many replies to buy this antenna.
And it is a GREAT antenna. Not rusty at all. GREAT SHAPE!!!
I works and looks 100 PERCENT!!
Must be picked up in Essex County NJ
Its like new!
Price: 260.00 If you see it, You'll buy it.
ritchi50@optonline.net

5785. FS Radio Shack HTX-212 Mobile 2 Meter FM Radio Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-03 23:55:54 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <54c4p11e747k8fag1bgaorh8hlm0h5ngkd@4ax.com>
Source record: 12108

FS Radio Shack HTX-212 Mobile 2 Meter FM Radio Transceiver

30 memories

10/45 Watts out
With mobile bracket, dtmf microphone and power cord.
Works and looks great.
Price: 100.00 Shipped and insured. Lower 48 and in USA only.
ritchi50@optonline.net

5786. FS: AMERITRON ATR-30 ANTENNA TUNER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 00:06:18 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <knc4p1l38ilvq4m9jp9fefg517kpf5k4dn@4ax.com>
Source record: 12109

FS: AMERITRON ATR-30 ANTENNA TUNER
It will handle a 1.5KW CONTINUOUS CARRIER
Looks and works great.
Price: 300.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

5787. FS Icom V8000 VHF Radio 70 Watts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 00:22:54 UTC
From: Ritch <ritchi50@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pmd4p1596i39cbl4bchiqe5caquh7dga91@4ax.com>
Source record: 12110

FS Icom V8000 VHF Radio 70 Watts
Works and looks great.
Bracket/Power cord/Touch-Tone Microphone.
Price: 125.00
ritchi50@optonline.net

5788. Re: what disater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 03:52:51 UTC
From: Timoleon <timoleonIII@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <MPG.1dfc321996b0084e989681@news.verizon.net>
Source record: 12111
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.policy,rec.radio.scanner,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <DD3jf.2091$YT3.1878@newsread3.news.pas.earthlink.net>,
horedson@earthlink.net says...
> <George.E.Hollis@gmail.com> wrote in message
> news:1133292915.003165.13270@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> > Can you say BPL??
>
>
> Certainly: Brass Pounders League.
>
>
Hank,

We miss you over at sci.crypt. Did you hear that TSD has flown the
coop?

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Remove the Roman numeral three to reply

5789. FT-707, FT-736, What are they worth in VK?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 04:41:29 UTC
From: VK2XCI <vk2xci@aanet.com.au>
Message-ID: <1133671288.993491.76890@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12112

G'day all' I have a couple transceivers to dispose of on behalf of a
fellow ham. I'm considering buying them meyself , but I have no idea
what they are worth in VK.
FT-707 HF rig with all bands including WARC.
FT-736 (R?) with 6, 2, and 70cm modules.
Any Help appreciated
VK2XCI

5790. Re: FA: RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 10:58:24 UTC
From: The Magnum <magnum@NOSPAMmag2781.freeserve.co.uk>
Message-ID: <dmui2heks1@newsg4.svr.pol.co.uk>
Source record: 12113
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

<miso@sushi.com> wrote in message
news:1133645697.763197.13700@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Man I hate spammers. One freaking post is enough.
>
> Cheap? We did a RDF shootout a few years ago. Ray Jeff is the worse.
> Hold out for a Bendix. The Ray Jeff is worth $20 tops, and the bidding
> is at $27. Hardly cheap.
>
>
> cooltube wrote:
> >
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=4593303293&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT
>

It says its handy for being lost at sea. Hmmm. A compass would also be good
;o) at least the batteries wouldn't go flat. Nice collectors antique
though...

Regards,
Graham
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Radio is only a Hobby. Don't let it rule your life...

73's - Graham (www.open-channel.co.uk)

5791. Re: FA: RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 14:50:18 UTC
From: miso@sushi.com
Message-ID: <1133707818.310998.12850@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12114
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

I see those Ray Jeffs at the flea market quite often. Twenty bucks is
tops. They are not very good for DFing. There was one novelty Ray Jeff
that had a tracking motor in it, not that it worked well either. The
problem is the null in a Ray Jeff is really shitty.

The Magnum wrote:
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5792. Re: Need Help!!! (RELM Mini-Comm MP32) from someone who knows more than me, which shouldn't be hard.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 18:10:20 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0412051310200001@ac92ac33.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12115

In article <1132267266.218347.52220@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
"R-2005" <myradioinfo@yahoo.com> wrote:

> Can anyone provide any information on modifications that are available
> for the RELM Mini-Comm MP32 , specifically the MPU32A. I am especially
> interested in extending frequency range., The specs on this radio put
> the frequency range for the MPU32 (A) at 403 to 430MHz and the MP32 (B)
>
> at 450 t0 480MHz, I would like to see if I can extend the (A) range
> into the (B) range. Any suggestions, especially web sites with the info
>
> would be helpful.

R-

Perhaps the manufacturer's web site would be a good place to start. They used to have Hams working there, so may be sympathetic to your request if you couch it in terms of moving the equipment to the Ham Band. I think moving them into the commercial band would not meet FCC requirements.

http://www.relm.com/techincal_support.asp

Note: RELM = REgency Land Mobile. I think RELM is what was left after Regency sold their scanner line to Uniden.

73, Fred, K4DII

5793. FS: ICOM and Kenwood VHF HT's

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 19:31:14 UTC
From: k5die@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1133724674.053476.38640@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12116
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

1. KENWOOD TK-250 160 channel VHF HT. Covers aprox. 144 thru 174 MHz, with scan and many PL and tone options, New Battery, drop-in charger, computer cable and programming software. This radio is in very good condition with alpha-num display and belt clip. $125.00 plus shipping

2. ICOM IC-F3 32 channel VHF HT, covers 2 meters thru 174 MHz. Scan, PL and tone options, alpha-num display, Drop-in rapid desk charger, good battery. Cable and computer programming software included. $125.00 plus shipping

Please e-mail offers or questions to: k5die@sbcgloba..net

5794. FS: Meissner Signal Shifter variable frequency exciter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 21:01:43 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <XOIkf.9451$lh.2272@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12117

FS: Meissner Signal Shifter variable frequency exciter in good working and physical condition; 3.4-30 MHz, copy of book. 4-6W out; tuning eye good. Pix available. $75 you pay shipping; $100 I ship conus gnd.

Tks for reading. 73 Dave N3HE

5795. FS: Drake L-4B amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 21:07:49 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <FUIkf.9454$lh.3170@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12118

FS: Drake L-4B amplifier, sn 1010, Eimac tubes, pwr supply sn 1000,
book, in good condition electrically; cosmetically, a few scuffs around the
front edges. No issues with it. If you pick it up, I could demonstrate its
600W out on c-w and 1100W out on ssb. $675 you ship; $750 I ship conus gnd.
10-day money-back warranty, provided it comes back in the same condition it
leaves.

Tks for reading. 73 Dave N3HE

5796. FS: Drake L-4B amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-04 21:31:54 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <efJkf.9467$lh.2413@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12119

FS: Drake L-4B amplifier, sn 1010, Eimac tubes, pwr supply sn 1000, book, in good condition electrically; cosmetically, a few scuffs around the front edges. No issues with it. If you pick it up, I could demonstrate its 600W out on c-w and 1100W out on ssb. Pix available. $675 you ship; $750 I ship conus gnd.
10-day money-back warranty, provided it comes back in the same condition it leaves.

Tks for reading. 73 Dave N3HE

5797. Re: antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-05 14:37:52 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <p2k8p1h2orqv8dr280jpvncblecadlueq1@4ax.com>
Source record: 12120

If you hide the antenna, you will also hide the signal. Be brave and
put a hole in the center of your roof for a Larsen antenna. Took me a
few years to get up the courage to do that in our Jeep Grand Cherokee,
but glad I finally did. It looks just fine.

Dick

On 5 Dec 2005 05:40:30 -0800, stryped@hotmail.com wrote:

>x-no-archive:
>I just got a 96 chevy extended cab truck. I have a two meter radio I
>had in my old Ford f-150 and a magnentic mount antenna on the top.
>
>What would be the best looking antenna that maybe is a little hidden I
>could put on the new truck? I am not so sure I like the loof of the mag
>mount on the roof.
>
>Can you show me examples?
>
>Thanks!

5798. Yaesu charger question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-05 14:52:04 UTC
From: "Joe S." <anon@mous.com>
Message-ID: <dn1k5s06r@news3.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12121

I have a Yaesu FT-51R handheld. We lost damn near everything in Hurricane Katrina, including some ham radio gear. I saved the FT-51R and a couple of batteries but lost the charger.

I had a drop-in charger for the FT-51R -- it would charge all the different batteries -- FNB-33, FNB-38, etc.

I recently purchased an after-market charger but it's a POS.

Can someone help me out with the model number of my lost charger -- drop-in charger for the FT-51. Maybe I can find one on eBay.

Thanks.

Joe S.

5799. Re: Yaesu charger question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-05 16:40:23 UTC
From: Jayseebee <Jayseebee@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <43946db7$0$3760$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net>
Source record: 12123

That would be the NC-50 Dual Slot Rapid Charger (desktop). If you
purchased an aftermarket one and you mentioned it is "POS" meaning a
reverse polarity than you need? Can you open the case or cut the cable
and rewire it so it is right polarity for your use?
Vertex had something but is very expensive. Also you could check R&L,
AES or Universal Radio for the charger and sleve/cables?
JCB

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> Thanks.
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> Joe S.
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5800. Re: antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-05 16:40:42 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <u2r8p1hdrv9j1h600cp1nkc30t5eiqud1e@4ax.com>
Source record: 12122

Very easy. You do have to release the side of the headliner. Use a Unibit to drill the hole, and put a metal plate or something similar under it to prevent drilling into the headliner. In my case, the Jeep had an overhead console. I took that down and could see the roof where I wanted the hole to be. The Larsen mount is designed to be used between a headliner and the roof. I like the ones that use a 3/4" hole, but there is one that uses a smaller hole. When you get ready to sell the truck, just put a Larsen hole plug in the hole. Practically invisible.

Dick

On 5 Dec 2005 07:33:02 -0800, stryped@hotmail.com wrote:

>x-no-archive:
>
>Was it hard to install?

5801. Re: antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-05 21:22:19 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <tpb9p1dku98prui33acirbib7o6jfgb0us@4ax.com>
Source record: 12124

Yes, completely invisible on the inside of the cab. Cable goes
between headliner and roof, then down inside door post or whatever to
get to your radio.

On 5 Dec 2005 11:35:44 -0800, stryped@hotmail.com wrote:

>x-no-archive:
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>so It is imvisable form inside the cab right? (goes between the
>headliner and the roof?)
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>Where can I find one of those antennas and how far do they stick up?
>Dick wrote:
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>> Unibit to drill the hole, and put a metal plate or something similar
>> under it to prevent drilling into the headliner. In my case, the
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5802. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-05 22:52:36 UTC
From: dougmc@frenzy.com
Message-ID: <Uw3lf.31308$%i.17162@tornado.texas.rr.com>
Source record: 12125

In article <1132611634.780346.120830@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
<BradDux@gmail.com> wrote:

| I would like to be able to transmit on:
| 6 meter, 2 meter, 1.25 meter, and 70cm bands (more would, of course,
| be nice), but I am willing to sacrifice some of them to get the digital
| trunking support.

Do any single HTs exist that can transmit on all of those bands? I've
seen tri-band HTs, but not any quad-banders ...

As for the trunk tracking, what you might want to do is find a amateur
radio transceiver that does most of what you need, and a digital trunk
tracking scanner that does what you want, and then use this high-tech
tool --

http://www.fortune3.com/~comp66570/44382228.jpg

to merge the functionality of the two into one.

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Doug McLaren, dougmc@frenzy.com
Some mornings I wake up grumpy. Other mornings I let her sleep.

5803. FA: Radio Shack "Parrot" Repeater Module-NR Ending

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 00:03:58 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <4z4lf.11113$dv.9030@fed1read02>
Source record: 12126
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: Radio Shack "Parrot" Repeater Module-NR Ending

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7566885915&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5804. Re: Yaesu charger question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 00:25:51 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <jU4lf.9682$N45.4330@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12127

"Jayseebee" <Jayseebee@nowhere.com> wrote in message
news:43946db7$0$3760$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net...
> That would be the NC-50 Dual Slot Rapid Charger (desktop). If you
> purchased an aftermarket one and you mentioned it is "POS" meaning a
> reverse polarity than you need? Can you open the case or cut the cable
> and rewire it so it is right polarity for your use?

On the internet the POS referres to as a Piece Of Junk. Feel free to insert
the S word.

5805. Re: single handheld

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 01:07:04 UTC
From: Tom <who@where.com>
Message-ID: <kuOdnaDTpdOleQneRVn-jg@comcast.com>
Source record: 12128

Yaesu VX-7R, according to their brochure. (I'm a brand new ham, so have
just gotten done researching which HT I want to buy. This one is in the
running...)
"Doug McLaren" <dougmc@frenzy.com> wrote in message
news:Uw3lf.31308$%i.17162@tornado.texas.rr.com...
> In article <1132611634.780346.120830@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>,
> <BradDux@gmail.com> wrote:
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> | I would like to be able to transmit on:
> | 6 meter, 2 meter, 1.25 meter, and 70cm bands (more would, of course,
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5806. Re: Yaesu charger question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 01:09:28 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4394E4C8.3040601@optonline.net>
Source record: 12129

Joe S. wrote:

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>Katrina, including some ham radio gear. I saved the FT-51R and a couple of
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>Joe S.
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>

HI, check out this MAHA universal charger on ebay. I use to have one of
these and they are GREAT!
If I still had it I'd give it to you!
Ebay auction number 5837945365

or click on the link below. It should take you right there.
http://cgi.ebay.com/MAHA-C777-BATTERY-CHARGER-ANALYZER_W0QQitemZ5837945365

GOOD LUCK TO YOU!!!
73

5807. Re: Yaesu charger question

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 01:23:02 UTC
From: "Joe S." <anon@mous.com>
Message-ID: <dn2p4t02ooq@news1.newsguy.com>
Source record: 12130

"Ralph Mowery" <rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote in message
news:jU4lf.9682$N45.4330@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net...
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> "Jayseebee" <Jayseebee@nowhere.com> wrote in message
> news:43946db7$0$3760$39cecf19@news.twtelecom.net...
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>> and rewire it so it is right polarity for your use?
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> insert
> the S word.
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Exactly.

5808. How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 02:26:37 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0512051624550.14705@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 12131

After getting my long lost radio shack charge card renewed I now find
out that Radio Shack no longer has Catalogs available. What a shame!!!
Joe/KH6JF

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* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
* Hi State ARMY MARS COORDINATOR *
****

5809. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 02:42:38 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <wU6lf.26320$eM7.8416@fe05.lga>
Source record: 12132

http://www.radioshack.com

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On 12/05/05 09:26 pm Joseph Fenn tossed the following ingredients into
the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:

> After getting my long lost radio shack charge card renewed I now find
> out that Radio Shack no longer has Catalogs available. What a shame!!!

5810. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 03:27:21 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <ty7lf.6934$ME5.4330@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 12133

Radio Shack's last printed catalog was in 2002. But they do print a
"Reference Guide" which is pretty much the same thing, except it doesn't
list any prices for the merchandise. You have to go online for that.

"Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net> wrote in message
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5811. FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 14:37:29 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Jmhlf.3444$O05.2787@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12134
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5837422844&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5812. FA: MINT ICOM IC-SM6 ELECTRET CONDENSER DESK PTT MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 14:38:21 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <xnhlf.3446$O05.868@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12135
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5837421726&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5813. FA: @$10> FIVE(5) NOS RCA 5642 PENCIL RECTIFIER TUBES>TEKTRONIX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 14:39:40 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Mohlf.3448$O05.985@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12136
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7568795955&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5814. FA: @$10>100 ALIAS(?) SM0002 G6726B INTERGRATED CIRCUITS>MEM550

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 14:40:47 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Qphlf.3450$O05.1160@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12137
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.video.marketplace

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7568795966&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5815. Filters

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 15:35:23 UTC
From: Bob W7AVK <rsrolfne@atnet.net>
Message-ID: <pbilf.4514$PA2.300212@news.sisna.com>
Source record: 12138

For Sale - New Old Stock optional filters for several older Yaesu Rigs.
$42 each which includes postage within the USA. Never installed, in
original boxes and packing.

Available are:

XF-8.2M-501-01 CW 500 hz 8 pole filter for 8.2 Mhz IF, Fox Tango.
XF-8.2M-601-01 CW 600 hz 8 pole filter for 8.2 Mhz IF, Fox Tango.
XF-8.9HSN SSB Narrow, 1,900 hz, 8 pole for 8.9 mhz
XF-8.9HSW SSB wide, 2,800 hz, 8 pole for 8.9 mhz
XF-455C CW 500 hz for 455 khz.

73 Bob W7AVK

5816. FS: Opto Optolinx

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 17:18:58 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <jvhbp1t30hbl50u1vta9c45lam8kiasgrn@4ax.com>
Source record: 12139

I have an Optoelectronics Optolinx in excellent condition with the AOR cable for $ $100 SHIPPED.

Here is an ACTUAL picture of the Optolinx.

http://img451.imageshack.us/img451/8766/4996975zs.jpg

Thanks for looking , Tom

my mail tommyboysUNDERSCOREads@verizon.netFS: Opto Optolinx

5817. FS: Pro-2026

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 17:19:19 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <70ibp1h5lfgnk20vu8ptit7vo72dh498jj@4ax.com>
Source record: 12140

Pro-2026 with 800 mhz mod and mem mod DONE. $85 shipped

Here's an ACTUAL picture of it.

http://mysite.verizon.net/vze1p5vc/onestop/2026_6.jpg

Thanks for looking , Tom

my mail tommyboysUNDERSCOREads@verizon.net

5818. FS: Universal M-400

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 17:19:45 UTC
From: Scan Da Bands <vzeip5vc@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <t0ibp11sqt80pcsde5te606tsrhavd2ni0@4ax.com>
Source record: 12141

I have a Universal M-400 decoder in excellent condition for sale.
$250/BEST OFFER

Here is an ACTUAL picture of the M-400.

http://img477.imageshack.us/img477/8973/6513tl.jpg

Thanks for looking,Tom

my mail tommyboysUNDERSCOREads@verizon.net

5819. wtd: Extender boards for Cushman CE-50-A /TG service monitor

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 19:21:42 UTC
From: RoDnSuE <stargatesg1@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <1133896902.608755.298380@g44g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12142

Hi all,
I'm looking to beg, borrow, or buy the left and right extender
boards for a Cushman CE-50A-TG service monitor.
The one I have has an intermittant PLL unlock problem when tuning the 1
mhz digit upward past the 6-7 mhz position. It only happens when tuning
upward, and only on the 1 mhz digit.
One other symptom I have noticed is, the scope shows a large sine
wave when in generate before the unit has warmed up for 10-15 minutes.
If the "frequency zero" control is adjusted way off of center, the sine
wave disapears. As the unit warms up the sine wave slowly reduces in
aplitude until gone. Other than the 1 mhz digit the unit works fine.
After reading the theory of operation it seems the basic PLL should be
the culprit since it controls the 1 mhz digit and probably needs to be
re-alligned.
If anyone has ran into this problem before, or has the extender boards,
I would appreciate any help.

Thanks,
RoD
stargatesg1@verizon_remove_.net

Please remove the _remove_ to email me.

5820. FS: New and Unused ADI AT-401

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 21:50:32 UTC
From: Fritz <wd8e@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <IInlf.152847$Hs.74328@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12143

I have for sale a new and unused ADI AT-401 440 Mhz handheld transceiver.
$149.00 plus actual shipping.
73
FWT

5821. FS: PRYME PR-52

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-06 21:53:25 UTC
From: Fritz <wd8e@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <pLnlf.152862$Hs.2817@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12144

I have for sale a new and unused PRYME PR-52 6 Meter handheld transceiver.
$149.00 plus actual shipping.
73
FWT

5822. Owners Opinions Requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-07 01:34:45 UTC
From: Gary Kendrick KW4Z <kw4z@charter.net>
Message-ID: <BFBBA665.8C8B%kw4z@charter.net>
Source record: 12145

I have made the trip to the local Ham Store and after viewing all the rigs that they had on the shelves I have limited my choice down to the following three rigs listed below.

If there are any owners of the Radios listed I would love to have your input about your radio and would you buy the same again? Also, if there is a person, I would appreciate hearing from someone that has owned one, two or three of the radios listed and how you would compare the lot based upon your operating experience. Also if you had a specific gripe about one? Thanks

Rig #1 IC-746PRO by Icom HF, 50M, 2 Mdeters

Rig #2 TS-2000S by Kenwood

Rig #3 Mark-V (FT-1000MP) Field by Yaesu

I have obtained my impressions of each by listening at the controls of each and while two have VHF and one VHF & UHF while the last is HF only

While I am not going to be making a decision for a while I cherish any input from current or past owners on their experiences.

Gary

5823. Re: Owners Opinions Requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-07 04:38:10 UTC
From: Mr Fed UP <mrfedup@bellsouth.net>
Message-ID: <DEtlf.45612$i7.25389@bignews2.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12146

Odd.... I was about to make the same sort of posting!
Not being active for a while, I haven't kept up with all the new digital
"lingo"
and would particularly like to know if any of the rigs are idiot resistant
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having blundered a short on the output or what ever. Will all of them load
into a random wire maybe. I haven't even sorted out which have tuners
built in and which need extra power supplies etc for them. It is a long
ways to any "radio store" from Clarksville TN but I guess that is the long
trip to make in the spring after the snow.... Maybe get together a group
for a quantity discount eh. lol Biggest concern is lumping all the bands
into one radio.... it poops out and your down on all the bands while/if
it can be repaired.... I sent an email to ARRL about the write-ups on
the rigs... it is nice with all the tech' fluff but they need to add a list
of
just what it takes to make the radio play... i.e. tuners, power supplies,
mic's, speakers, typical antenna(S) buy a $2000 radio and a $2
wire antenna, filter? like oil? cost like a car - any 5 year bumper to
bumper warranties? lol Sorry only questions like you... no answers yet.

Listenin on the newsy group for replies....
73 Gary K4TWO

"Gary Kendrick KW4Z" <kw4z@charter.net> wrote in message
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5824. Re: Owners Opinions Requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-07 05:38:23 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <syulf.22055$pF.7683@fed1read04>
Source record: 12147

You can get hundreds of user opinions on these radios at URL:
http://www.eham.net/reviews/

But be aware they are opinions, some educated, some otherwise.

For more objective reviews check ARRL QST reviews.
http://www.arrl.org/tis/info/prodrev.html

Also, a DXer or contester will choose radios that work well in those
endeavors, a ragchewer may decide much differently.

Also CW types may have entirely different criteria than phone types.
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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

"Gary Kendrick KW4Z" <kw4z@charter.net> wrote in message
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5825. Re: Owners Opinions Requested

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-07 06:33:18 UTC
From: Gary Kendrick KW4Z <kw4z@charter.net>
Message-ID: <BFBBEC5E.8F62%kw4z@charter.net>
Source record: 11998

First let me say thank you to the folks that have responded, newsgroup and email. I am posting this, as a reply, to help share not only my findings but also reflect a summary of what others have said. Like you, with all the new technology, I wondered can you really tell a difference and is it worth it. From what I have observed, first hand, it is a major advancement the new digital features once you know how to use them and actually implement them on a noisy, crowded band. Without a doubt, to this point, the rig that is shining above the lot, based upon my own observations, and those of many email replies many whom actually are lucky enough to have owned two or more of the radios and used them, is the Yaesu Mark V Field. It is HF only and doesn't include the 6, 2, and UHF bands but it's amazing at doing what it does. As for a learning curve ... Sorry there is a steep one with most any new digital equipment. My suggestion is do what I did, go to the manufacturer's website, find downloads and actually download a PDF file of the actual operator's manual for that radio and start reading. This has been an invaluable asset and somewhat humbling as well. The Yaesu Mark V field manual is 120 pages itself. The other shock, for me, not that it even matters given my case is that there are actually some rigs out there selling from $10,000 to $15,000 for the radio and toss another $10K if you want the Solid State Amplifier, Tower, and decent Beam. Never mind how they work figure out the loose nuts within the head if you buy one of these. Oh if you did buy one then I'd love to be adopted by you as I could never afford one so if there is a beneficial heart that wasn't to play santa email me and I'll surely pass along my email address, address and a kind thank you for making me a happy ham .. Hi hi. Well that's it so far in a nutshell I'm glad to hear others have been thinking of the same questions as I have.

As for me I would love to have one of the new Yaesu FT DX 9000's or the Icom IC-7800 so all you lotto winners or generous hams that just like to send gifts to decent folks I'll gladly forward the shipping address if you like ;) cause I sure don't have the $15,000 to plop down for one of these Bentley of a radios.

On 12/6/05 11:38 PM, in article DEtlf.45612$i7.25389@bignews2.bellsouth.net, "Mr Fed UP" <mrfedup@bellsouth.net> wrote:

> Odd.... I was about to make the same sort of posting!
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5826. Re: Galaxy 2000B linear amp from the 1960'a on ebay

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-08 00:43:35 UTC
From: "Fred Maxwell"
Message-ID: <e90fp150pta1pln8o7tptjm1lafdigvgq7@4ax.com>
Source record: 11999

I am no authority, but when I had a similiar linear that used 6lQ6's
the tubes cherry plated and took a beating if they were not matched.
Perhaps the Galaxy does not use sweep tubes?
>Is there something special about the Galaxy that requires balanced finals? I
>am using a Drake L-4B with a pair of Chinese 3-400ZG tubes. There is no
>mention in the L-4B manual about replacing the finals with only a matched
>set, and several other users of this amplifier have told me the same thing.
>
>John, N9JG
>
>"Fred Maxwell" <fmaxsc@REMOVETHISix.netcom.com.> wrote in message
>news:6cn3p198m2c1cpi7qaeeurbk6t1rhbd3od@4ax.com...
>> Keeping balanced tubes in it will be a challenge.
>>
>> I paid $300 for a near mint SB 200& would not look for anything less
>> that that
>>
>>
>> On Mon, 21 Nov 2005 16:59:08 -0500, Vinnie S. <none@coldmail.com>
>> wrote:
>>
>>>http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5832522729
>>>
>>>Does anyone know anything about these? I can't seem to turn much up on
>>>Google
>>>about these. I am not sure I was going to bid on it, since it's already at
>>>$280
>>>with 5 days left.
>>>
>>>Vinnie S.
>>
>

5827. Re: antenna recommendations

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-08 11:09:45 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <ZvUlf.264152$7k1.229856@fe12.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12000

stryped@hotmail.com wrote:
> What would be the best looking antenna that maybe is a little hidden I
> could put on the new truck? I am not so sure I like the loof of the
> mag mount on the roof.

"Best looking" is a matter of taste, but here are some antennas and
mounts from just one of the many companies making VHF antennas.

http://www.maxrad.com/cgi/catalog_ind.cgi?catalog=10003

Personally, I'm a fan of NMO (Motorola style) mounts such as this one...
they are very low profile.

http://www.maxrad.com/cgi/maxrad_products_ind.cgi?product=10144&catalog=10003

5828. Re: Question about 2 meter and remote car starter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-08 11:11:33 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <FxUlf.61504$Se2.45206@fe06.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12001

stryped@hotmail.com wrote:
> I have a 96 truck i am wanting to install a remote starter on. It has
> an antenna on the inside of the windshield I think it works in the 400
> mhz range not sure.
>
> Will my 2 meter radio interfere or dammage this?

Damage - no. Interfere with - maybe. But since you won't be
transmitting at the same time that you're trying to start the truck, I
wouldn't worry about it.

5829. Re: FA: NEWCOMB E-10B PATHFINDER TUBE AUDIO AMPLIFIER>Harmonica

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-08 15:38:09 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <FrYlf.5730$L7.125@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12002
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.audio.tubes,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Nah, not spam when you need NOT read it jack-ass.
Why not read a book while settin on the bowl instead of uselessly wasting
your time & the bandwidth!

"Travis Jordan" <no.one@no.net> wrote in message
news:Kf5if.17632$7k1.1228@fe12.news.easynews.com...
> Bret Ludwig wrote:
>> cooltube wrote:
>> > http://cgi.ebay.com/.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7367557277&
>>
>>
>>
>> Bullshit bullshit bullshit bullshit bullshit.
>
> Nah, just a spammer that eBay won't do anything about.
>
>

5830. FT-101 help required

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-08 22:24:02 UTC
From: "hugh.g.rekshun" <m1adu.m5adu@ntlworld.com>
Message-ID: <6o2mf.336$XZ6.208@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net>
Source record: 12003

Just bought one and seems to have no O/P.
i get a very faint carrier on another set only and i mean faint !!
RX is fine..
been stood ina loft for 15 years so any possible parts that may have 'died'
over time..
observations are..
no valve glow..
no IC.
very high ALC
i have checked screws/earth etc..
i have removed valves abd checked for obvious damage,
i have checked wires and joints etc..
i only have the ACC plug in the back, you don't need the VFO one to make a
PA circuit do you ??

if it is the valves gone, whats the rough price these days for the 12b and
6js6..
sorry to go on,
i hoped to be using this this week too....:(
mni tnx..mark..

5831. WANT TO BUY YASEU 1OOOD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 00:44:59 UTC
From: Bill Salerno <w2onv@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <fs4mf.135980$qk4.63078@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12004

LOOKING TO BUY A CLEAN LATE MODEL YASEU 1000D

PRICE AND CONDITION..........

BILL SALERNO 201 368 3655 w2onv@att.net

5832. Icom 706 and memories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 02:53:17 UTC
From: Topaz305RK <k7sam@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <C-WdnSJOhKnvbAXeRVn-pg@vnet-inc.com>
Source record: 12005

Looking at buying a Rig Mate for use with my Icom 706MKIIG.

Not really interested in controlling the radio with computer and Rig Mate interface. This rig is in mounted

in a pickup for mobile use.

Looking for software that will allow me to store configurations and memories. Would like to be able to change

memories by just uploading the info to the radio via the interface. My problem, have not been able to find

any software that can do that. Have seen some that looks promising but have not seen any that seem to say

they will do it for sure. Would like to be able to adjust the memories on the computer and then upload it to the

radio.

Any one know of any software that will allow me to do that?

Sam - K7SAM

5833. Looking for an HP 8443A tracking generator interface cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 06:52:21 UTC
From: Colin Gunn <cngunn@telus.net>
Message-ID: <FQ9mf.201146$lo.168351@clgrps13>
Source record: 12006

Looking for an HP 8443A tracking generator interface cable that goes from the tracking gen to the HP 141T mainframe spectrum analyzer. Cable is a D sub type with 6 coaxial connections on each end. About a ft long or so.

Thanks, Colin VE7TNT

5834. kenwood TS-830

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 12:01:38 UTC
From: "fuse19@aol.com" <fuse19@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1134129698.780462.118620@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12007

for sale KENWOOD TS-830 8 matching pieces go with the radio WILL NOT SPLIT UP the VFO 230 SM SCOPE 220 + BS8 ANTENNA TUNER 230 SPEAKER SP-230 AMPLIFIER TL-922 SWR METER SW-2100 new in the box HEAD PHONES HS-5 CLOCK HC-10 all the equiptment is my own and works the way it should like full output i dont use it enough any more if their is a buyer they will need to get their own packing company i will deliver it to the packing company of their choice but i can't pack it up all the equiptment is at least a 8+ on the scale of 1 to 10 i used it on 160 mtrs and it is on 40 mtrs now i will supply picturs of the unit all togother and than of the single unit's thro email it is still hooked up so cant take pic.of the sides or back their should be no scratch's on them i have the book's or copy's of all the gear the price is $2500.00 chance to get it all at once i can supply a phone number thro a email

del schisler K9FCM

5835. Re: Icom 706 and memories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 13:05:39 UTC
From: Richard Heindel <rheindel@neo.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Difmf.157481$Hs.53252@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12008

Topaz305RK wrote:
> Looking for software that will allow me to store configurations and
> memories.
> Any one know of any software that will allow me to do that?
>
> Sam - K7SAM

IC706 Memory Manager will handle your memories just fine.
Doesn't do anything else and it's free.

73
Richard WB8KRN

5836. FA: NYE Morse Code Telegraph Key SPEEDX Navy Knob

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 13:30:08 UTC
From: homedetective <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <1134135008.757742.295660@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12009

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5840174281&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5837. FA:OLD DX QSL'S + OTHER STUFF TOO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 14:05:51 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <3bgmf.137706$qk4.34713@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12010
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Old sets of DX QSL cards from 1939-40, 1945-46, 1945, 1948 (more coming)+ a few other things too:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking, Merry Christmas, Happy New Year,Happy Hanukkah!

heytubeguy

5838. Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 19:56:22 UTC
From: laborkei <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <ihlmf.886$Y72.164@bignews1.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12011

Hello,

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Positives and Negatives... Don't hold back.

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controlled by the Moderators way to much in my opinion.
When a good thread is started, the stop it, or cut posters off from saying
what they think.

From what I have read so far, it looks pretty good, what do you think?

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5839. The Boatanchor Classifieds

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 21:52:12 UTC
From: Jeff James <cbstv@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <i0nmf.5543$O05.3748@fe09.lga>
Source record: 12012

http://www.dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi
Dedicated to vintage amateur radio!

5840. Re: FT-101 help required

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-09 23:51:51 UTC
From: Dan/W4NTI <w4nti@mindNOSPAMATALLspring.com>
Message-ID: <rMomf.1633$nm.38@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 12013

Take out ALL the vertical boards. Get some good quality cleaner and spray the sockets strips they came out of. Take a pencil eraser and clean the copper plated connectors on the boards.

Then take the cleaner and spray ALL the band switches, rotaries, etc. Let dry.

Since you said no Valve (tubes) lit you either don't have the heaters turned on or the jumper in the plug in the rear is not hooked up. I don't remember which pins that is. Get a book.

If still no joy, drop me a e-mail at w4nti@mindNOSPAMspring.com and follow my SPAM catchers instructions.

Dan/W4NTI

"hugh.g.rekshun" <m1adu.m5adu@ntlworld.com> wrote in message news:6o2mf.336$XZ6.208@newsfe1-gui.ntli.net...
> Just bought one and seems to have no O/P.
> i get a very faint carrier on another set only and i mean faint !!
> RX is fine..
> been stood ina loft for 15 years so any possible parts that may have
> 'died' over time..
> observations are..
> no valve glow..
> no IC.
> very high ALC
> i have checked screws/earth etc..
> i have removed valves abd checked for obvious damage,
> i have checked wires and joints etc..
> i only have the ACC plug in the back, you don't need the VFO one to make a
> PA circuit do you ??
>
> if it is the valves gone, whats the rough price these days for the 12b and
> 6js6..
> sorry to go on,
> i hoped to be using this this week too....:(
> mni tnx..mark..
>

5841. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 00:24:07 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <11pk818d37iab1c@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12014

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aproved yet.

KF5DE

5842. Re: FT-101 help required

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 00:59:12 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11pka30g83240f6@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12015

In article <rMomf.1633$nm.38@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>,
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>copper plated connectors on the boards.

I'd recommend using a nonabrasive cleaner rather than a pencil eraser.
I've heard some stories, over the years, about adverse effects from
bits of the rubber and abrasive floatig around in equipment chassis.

When I had a poor-contact problem with a Ten-Tec Scout I'd purchased,
I was advised to clean the board-edge connectors and sockets for the
plug-in band modules. I scrubbed 'em down with DeOxIt and some Q-tips
and paper towels, put the 40-meter module back in, and it worked
perfectly and continues to do so until today.

Dried-out electrolytic capacitors can be another problem with older
gear, especially glassFET models which tend to run hot.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

5843. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 01:29:51 UTC
From: fmmck@aol.com
Message-ID: <fmmck-0912052029510001@aca93cb9.ipt.aol.com>
Source record: 12016

In article <11pk818d37iab1c@corp.supernews.com>, Butch Magee
<lynyrd@cableone.net> wrote:

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If you want latest in technology, the IC-7000 is the way to go. If you can do with fewer features to save some money, the IC-706 Mark IIg may be a better choice.

73, Fred, K4DII

5844. Re: FT-101 help required

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 01:53:49 UTC
From: class-a-pkearn-zuuzpk@multi-band-cb-is-here---its-as-easy-as-they-say.br.eircom.ie.net
Message-ID: <439a34de.13816742@news.iol.ie>
Source record: 12017

dplatt@radagast.org (Dave Platt) wrote:

> I'd recommend using a nonabrasive cleaner rather than a pencil eraser.
> I've heard some stories, over the years, about adverse effects from
> bits of the rubber and abrasive floatig around in equipment chassis.

the best thing to clean pcb contact pads is ordinary paper.
even the blank surrounds of a newspaper.

1. rough enough to take dirt off but nothing else.
2. you can see if the dirt is coming off.

5845. Re: hi im crisco kathy

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 02:57:34 UTC
From: Dana <dana@panix.com>
Message-ID: <Pine.NEB.4.63.0512092156480.27635@panix1.panix.com>
Source record: 12018
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.cb,alt.ham-radio.vhf-uhf,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Well, I just looked you up in the callbook, and you are a ham for sure. I had to check, cause you posted to rec.radio.cb.

On Fri, 2 Dec 2005, Kathy Lee wrote:

> I AM CRISCO KATHY,TAX SEASON IS ALMOST UPON US. I
> CAN GET YOU THE BEST
> RETURN. IT MIGHT BE A LITTLE BIT ILLEGAL.BUT WHAT
> THE HECK,THE
> GOVERMENT TAKES TO MUCH OF OUR MONEY. BE SURE AND
> BRING A BIG CAN OF
> CRISCO WITH YOU. I WORK BEST ON MY KNEES WHILE
> SOMEONE SLATHERS MY FAT
> ASS WITH CRISCO. BRING A BIG CAN, I HAVE A VERY
> LARGE ASS.
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5846. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 10:52:55 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.net>
Message-ID: <esymf.3849$ES.1558@fe05.lga>
Source record: 12019

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Check the messages on the IC-7000 Yahoo! group. People claim to have
discovered and implemented the mods. for TV and for MARS. There are
photos as well. Each mod. consists of removing one small surface-mount
diode.

I don't have one of these rigs, but maybe some day...

"Perce P. Cassidy"

(aka Alan NV8A)

5847. FA: Last-Day>YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 14:15:24 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <0qBmf.21512$L7.9032@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12020
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Still a great deal!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5837422844&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5848. FA: MINT ICOM IC-SM6 ELECTRET CONDENSER DESK PTT MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 14:16:12 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <MqBmf.21563$L7.371@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12021
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5837421726&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5849. FA: @$10>FIVE(5) NOS RCA 5642 PENCIL RECTIFIER TUBES>TEKTRONIX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 14:18:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ftBmf.21677$L7.14408@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12022
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7568795955&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5850. FA: MINT TS-530S w/Filters, HEATH HP-23A, RARE 20MTR MONO-BANDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 14:21:50 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <3wBmf.21749$L7.17270@fe12.lga>
Source record: 12023
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Here are some very nice items>

MINT KENWOOD TS-530S HF/WARC BAND TRANSCEIVER+2 FILTERS
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5840212348&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

HEATHKIT HP-23A POWER SUPPLY for SB/HW SERIES+COLLINS:)
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5840212374&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

TRANSCEIVERS, Inc SATELLITE S20B TUBE MONO-BANDER>RARE!
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5840212330&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5851. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 18:35:20 UTC
From: Gary at McDonough Ga <kw4z@charter.net>
Message-ID: <JdFmf.3879$ES.2627@fe05.lga>
Source record: 12024

Thanks for posting a quick reply to your radio. I am curious, mostly, of the comparison of the receive quality to other radios such as the Icom 746PRO or the Yaesu Mark V field in the areas of being able to utilize the DSP to reduce band noise, narrow in on weak signals, selectivity to strong adjacent signals etc. If you have any input into those areas I would appreciate hearing more.

Gary

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5852. FA: 4-EA "NEW" MOTOROLA RADIUS PALM MICROPHONES-HMN3008A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 19:06:36 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <lGFmf.895$Zv.129@fed1read07>
Source record: 12025
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: 4-EA "NEW" MOTOROLA RADIUS PALM MICROPHONES-HMN3008A

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7571606627&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5853. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 19:30:55 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <P1Gmf.289205$vs2.270683@fe04.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12026

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5854. FA:TUBES:5Z3, 811A, 45 +MO STUFF TOO

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 21:32:31 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <OPHmf.142197$qk4.125732@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 12027
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Tubes offered: 3x 5Z3 NOS, 4x 811A NOS, 45 x2 NOS? + DX QSL cards 1940's
+ more stuff coming too. See at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking: Mery Christmas, Happy New Year, Happy Hanukkah, 73
heytubeguy

5855. Yaesu FT-8900 Programing Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 21:41:14 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <_XHmf.89$1b.82@trndny03>
Source record: 12028
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hi all
I am looking for a copy of the software that is used to program the FT-8900 quad band radio.I f you have it and want to take the time to make me a copy I would be glad to make a copy of any of the software I have for Yaesu radios.I have it for the:
Ft-8000
FT-8500
Ft-7100
Ft-3000
VX-5, VX-7
Please let me know.Thanks in advance for any help.

5856. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 22:27:47 UTC
From: laborkei <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <fBImf.1189$kP5.815@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12029

Thanks for your comments, but there is good news !
If you join the Yahoogroups for IC7000, they have the information on how to do the MARS and TV Mods that are very easy to do.

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Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-10 22:31:04 UTC
From: laborkei <laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <kEImf.1190$kP5.132@bignews5.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 12030

The FCC did not make them disable it, it was someone else.
If you look at the FCC website, the documentation from Icom included the TV function.

It's really a moot point now, because everyone is mod'ing the radio now and enjoying the TV feature.
It was easy to enable...

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5858. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 01:56:05 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <VGLmf.114860$Se2.79088@fe06.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12031

laborkei wrote:
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That would be the lawyers.

5859. Yaesu VX-1 battery needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 11:23:53 UTC
From: manuka@orcon.net.nz
Message-ID: <1134300233.867741.249480@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12032

My Yaesu VX-1 here has a totally dead FNB-52Li Lithium Ion 3.6V
700mAh battery. Any one have that clever single AA cell booster insert
to hand instead - although lower Tx power this would be all that's
needed. Alternatively any bright ideas on a repack of the Li battery
appreciated. I'm pretty skilled & the VX-1 is otherwise wasted just
tethered to a mains supply- I might as well sell it if restricted to
PSU indoors, & a bigger more ergonomic set preferred anyway.

Stan -ZL2AJZ in New Zealand

5860. Re: Yaesu VX-1 battery needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 14:39:31 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <teeop11qficnovufug6i1ko3kgg85ofn8m@4ax.com>
Source record: 12033

On 11 Dec 2005 03:23:53 -0800, manuka@orcon.net.nz wrote:

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>Stan -ZL2AJZ in New Zealand

Here's one. http://www.batteriesamerica.com/yaesu-vertex.htm They
are even running a special on it right now. You would have to check
their site re overseas shipment.

Dick - W6CCD

5861. Re: Yaesu VX-1 battery needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 16:30:57 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <5vYmf.4655$6T2.521@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12034

Dick wrote:
> Here's one. http://www.batteriesamerica.com/yaesu-vertex.htm They
> are even running a special on it right now. You would have to check
> their site re overseas shipment.

Or here:
http://www.gigaparts.com/parts/profile.php?sku=ZYS-FBA-23

5862. PROCO linear amplifiers for 1296 MHz...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 18:13:53 UTC
From: Rightrik <gaggiorNOSPAM@tin.it>
Message-ID: <4038isF18iek3U1@individual.net>
Source record: 12035

Hello, where can i find informations about PROCO linear amplifiers for 1296 MHz band?

I've tried with Google, but i found almost nothing...

Thank you,
73 de Riccardo IK5WQO

5863. Re: Yaesu VX-1 battery needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 18:52:17 UTC
From: manuka@orcon.net.nz
Message-ID: <1134327137.131888.17560@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 12036

Thanks guys for those pointers- but at US$25 (+ o'seas p&p) the cost would come to almost as much as the radio is worth now! These sets went for ~ US$100 during their close out ~ 2001, & 2nd hand ones are now reputed to go for ~US$50. Stan-ZL2AJZ

5864. Re: Looking for an HP 8443A tracking generator interface cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 22:18:45 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <9B1nf.9799$6T2.7537@fe01.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 12037

Colin Gunn wrote:
> Looking for an HP 8443A tracking generator interface cable that goes
> from the tracking gen to the HP 141T mainframe spectrum analyzer.
> Cable is a D sub type with 6 coaxial connections on each end. About
> a ft long or so.

http://www.glkinst.com/cables/hp_cables.htm

5865. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-11 23:43:46 UTC
From: Butch Magee <lynyrd@cableone.net>
Message-ID: <11ppedjsjr1fid8@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 12038

Percival P. Cassidy wrote:
> On 12/09/05 08:29 pm Fred McKenzie tossed the following ingredients into
> the ever-growing pot of cybersoup:
>
>>>> I would like your opinion on your purchase?
>>>> Positives and Negatives... Don't hold back.
>>>>
>>> I'm not positive here but I don't think the 7000 is actually been fcc
>>> aproved yet.
>>
>>
>> Butch & Laborkei-
>>
>> The FCC approved it on about November 15th. A week or so ago they
>> started
>> to trickle into the Ham stores. I got mine Wednesday at Amateur
>> Electronic Supply.
>>
>> If you are familiar with the IC-706, then you will feel at home with the
>> IC-7000. It is sort of the same radio, but with more features.
>>
>> One minor disappointment was that in order for the radio to be approved
>> for importation into the U.S., Icom had to disable the feature where it
>> can show standard television channels on its front LCD display. (In the
>> U.S., it is illegal to have a radio in view of a driver that can display
>> television.) The version that can, is apparently only available in
>> Japan. It will be interesting to see if the radio can be easily modified
>> to re-enable it.
>
>
> Check the messages on the IC-7000 Yahoo! group. People claim to have
> discovered and implemented the mods. for TV and for MARS. There are
> photos as well. Each mod. consists of removing one small surface-mount
> diode.
>
> I don't have one of these rigs, but maybe some day...

One day down the old log I will get me a 706 or 7000, used of course, us
old retired don't buy new anymore, might not live to make it all the way
through the manual.

KF5DE

5866. R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 00:01:49 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <439CBDED.858A59DA@erols.com>
Source record: 12039

In this weekend's Radio Amateur Information Network (R.A.I.N.) audio news, they featured Michael Crestohl, W1RC, at the 2000 Dayton Ham-Vention. Michael was deeply involved at the time in working with the U.S. government to remove or reclassify collectible surplus radio gear from its demilitarization list.

In the interview, Michael mentions that the meter needles in the R390A were "radio active" and had to be removed before the equipment could be demilitarized by the government. (It was not clear if this pertained to all of the R390As or certain models.)

Just a FYI to R390A owners. The broadcast can be heard at: http://www.rrsta.com/rain/ (The statement about the meter needles comes in around 11:15 minutes into the approximate 15 minute audio news.)

Just how radio active the needles are was not mentioned. Also I suspect that some R390A went to MARS members and may not have been demilitarized. I had one for many years and this was the first I heard about the needles.

5867. Re: R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 01:31:34 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <Wp4nf.22489$8d.13142@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 12041

I think thay had radium paint on the meters and some were removed when demiliterized.

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:

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>news, they featured Michael Crestohl, W1RC, at the 2000 Dayton Ham-
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>heard about the needles.
>
>

--
Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

"Follow The Money"

5868. Photos of R390 - Not a Pretty Picture

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 01:37:56 UTC
From: "Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com>
Message-ID: <439CD474.E61FE7FA@erols.com>
Source record: 12040

http://www.r390a.com/Archived%20Pages/radio_rape.html

5869. Re: R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 02:04:36 UTC
From: DaveM <masondg4499@comcast99.net>
Message-ID: <Cs2dnVsKUrUpRwHeRVn-qg@comcast.com>
Source record: 12042

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message
news:439CBDED.858A59DA@erols.com...
>
> In this weekend's Radio Amateur Information Network (R.A.I.N.) audio
> news, they featured Michael Crestohl, W1RC, at the 2000 Dayton Ham-
> Vention. Michael was deeply involved at the time in working with the
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> demilitarized. I had one for many years and this was the first I
> heard about the needles.

The R-390 meter needles, and a number of other equipment models, were
painted with a Radium compound that made them glow in the dark. The intent
was to allow the radio shack to be operated in low-light environments. The
idea didn't last very long, because although the needles would give off a
faint glow, the meter dials weren't illuminated enough to make them
readable.
--
Dave M
MasonDG44 at comcast dot net (Just substitute the appropriate characters in
the address)

Never take a laxative and a sleeping pill at the same time!!

5870. FS: Icom IC-706 Mk II

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 03:09:54 UTC
From: Paul McCarron <w1iy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <ocqdneeKxomVdwHenZ2dnUVZ_s2dnZ2d@gwi.net>
Source record: 12043

Like new never used... Tested and put in the closet. Separation cable and DSP board (not installed).

$500.00 plus shipping

5871. FA: 6 Meter HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 15:01:49 UTC
From: Fritz <wd8e@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <xhgnf.41972$lh.22926@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12044

Last day to bid on PRYME PR-52 6 meter HT see at
http://cm.ebay.com/cm/ck/1065-29296-2357-0?uid=85320806&site=0&ver=LCA080805&item=5839249624&lk=URL

5872. FA:400Mhz HT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 15:05:25 UTC
From: Fritz <wd8e@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <Vkgnf.41974$lh.2749@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 12045

Last day for ADI AT 401 440Mhz HT see at
http://cm.ebay.com/cm/ck/1065-29296-2357-0?uid=85320806&site=0&ver=LCA080805&item=5839265726&lk=URL

5873. FA: dB Mobile 800 MHz Active Repeater/Bi Directional Amplifier

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 17:02:09 UTC
From: pm1072 <pm1072@netins.net>
Message-ID: <dnkaan$kf3$1@news.netins.net>
Source record: 12046

FA: dB Mobile/Allen Telecom 800 MHz SMR Active Repeater/Bi-Directional Amplifier. Used Condition. For further information/bidding, please see the link below. Thanks.

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5841718813

5874. Re: Photos of R390 - Not a Pretty Picture

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-12 23:28:08 UTC
From: garigue <garigue@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <2uKdnaVg_q8nmgPeRVn-tw@comcast.com>
Source record: 12047

"Murray Green, K3BEQ"
> http://www.r390a.com/Archived%20Pages/radio_rape.html

Real shame Murray ....

I was in Slovakia 2 years ago and we passed military depots that had radio equipment in huge piles the size of a house .... the leftovers from the Eastern Block.

God Bless 73 Tom KI3R Belle Vernon PA

5875. WTB: 222MHz. TRANSVERTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-13 00:56:00 UTC
From: KC0EH <cvest@cox.net>
Message-ID: <LXonf.1435$oz5.597@dukeread03>
Source record: 11948
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I am interested in buying a 222 transverter to get on SSB/CW. Also
interested in amplifier and antennas.
Please state price and condition.
Thanks,

...Charlie...KC0EH...

5876. Kenwood at-250, is it rf sensing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-13 15:49:45 UTC
From: k8vf_mark@centurytel.net
Message-ID: <1134488984.946918.64960@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11949

I recently sold my at-250 to a fellow who wants to use it with a ts 830.

I sent him the connection diagram in advance via email, and sent the manual with the tuner.
He says it doesn't work.

I found out he did not make the cable as he says it should be r.f. sensing and should work without any connection.

Another fellow told me he is correct.

I dont remember this feature. My recollection is that the tuner must be triggered by the radio.

Am I correct, or is the at-250 r.f. sensing and will work with ANY rig without connection?(other than coax of course)

Thanks to you all.

K8VF

5877. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-13 17:08:28 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <408dgcF18itefU1@individual.net>
Source record: 11950
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater------------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH---$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

Standard C468A LNIB---------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables----------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer--------$ 15
audio cd carts. -No manual-

2 IBM Thinkpad 350 laptops--------------------------------$ 40
128M HD, 16M ram (max), Paper White LCD, loaded with
Dos 6.22 and WIN 3.11 and include ac adapter/charger.
Both need new batteries (MAIN/CMOS), the cases are scuffed,
and show age. One has slight blemish on LCD...
Would be great for packet and programing older radios...
No manuals

All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Pictures of the radios can be found at;
http://www.mantico.com/4sale.htm
I will have all items on line as soon as possible.

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

5878. Re: Yaesu VX-1 battery needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-13 18:20:09 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <439f10de$0$21353@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 11951

<manuka@orcon.net.nz> wrote in message
news:1134327137.131888.17560@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com...
> Thanks guys for those pointers- but at US$25 (+ o'seas p&p) the cost
> would come to almost as much as the radio is worth now! These sets went
> for ~ US$100 during their close out ~ 2001, & 2nd hand ones are now
> reputed to go for ~US$50. Stan-ZL2AJZ

If the rig was worth $100 new and $50 now why isn't it worth $25 to fix it??

5879. Re: Yaesu FT-8900 Programing Software

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-13 18:22:12 UTC
From: Vito <vito@crosslink.net>
Message-ID: <439f1159$0$21353@dingus.crosslink.net>
Source record: 11952
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.mods,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message news:_XHmf.89$1b.82@trndny03...
> Hi all
> I am looking for a copy of the software that is used to program the
FT-8900
> quad band radio.I f you have it and want to take the time to make me a
copy
> I would be glad to make a copy of any of the software I have for Yaesu
> radios.I have it for the:
> Ft-8000
> FT-8500
> Ft-7100
> Ft-3000
> VX-5, VX-7
> Please let me know.Thanks in advance for any help.
>
>

Tsk, tsk. tsk. Now FBI will have to stop chasing terrorists to go after you!

5880. Re: Yaesu VX-1 battery needed!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-13 19:41:42 UTC
From: manuka@orcon.net.nz
Message-ID: <1134502902.524228.177910@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11953

It'll cost more than US$25 to fix it, since being down here in NZ p&p will push the battery to more like $40 by the time it arrives. Believe me- freight can be SUPER COSTLY. Some dirt cheap DIP8 ICs just sent here from UK had US$20 postage on them...

The request is surely not an isolated one, since it transpires many of those Yaesu VX-1 Li batteries die after ~3-4 years. As mentioned earlier I've considered assorted battery hacks/cell repacks for the set but wondered if this had already been tamed by others. Stan ZL2AJZ

5881. Re: WTB: 222MHz. TRANSVERTER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:04:26 UTC
From: Scott <acepilot@bloomer.net>
Message-ID: <xqWdndYkLOWD8gLeRVn-jQ@bright.net>
Source record: 11954
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

If you're interested in building (with surface mount components), see:
http://www.w1ghz.org/222xvtr/222.htm

Small board. Designed to use Yaesu FT817 as an I.F. rig, but any rig that can provide 24 MHz at 1/2 Watt is useable. Transverter puts out 5 Watts, so an external amp could be used to boost output if desired. I have the circuit board for it, but it's not built yet, so I can't comment much. A friend has one and hasn't said anything bad about it that I'm aware of...

Scott
N0EDV

KC0EH wrote:

> I am interested in buying a 222 transverter to get on SSB/CW. Also
> interested in amplifier and antennas.
> Please state price and condition.
> Thanks,
>
> ...Charlie...KC0EH...
>
>

5882. Re: FA: MINT TS-530S w/Filters, HEATH HP-23A, RARE 20MTR MONO-BANDER

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:07:27 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCCB6F6921johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11955
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

5883. Re: FA: @$10>FIVE(5) NOS RCA 5642 PENCIL RECTIFIER TUBES>TEKTRONIX

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:07:41 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCCC124612johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11956
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

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5884. Re: FA: MINT ICOM IC-SM6 ELECTRET CONDENSER DESK PTT MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:08:02 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCCD07D007johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11957
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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5885. Re: FA: Last-Day>YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:08:18 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCCDC0E2B6johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11958
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5886. Re: FA: MINT ICOM IC-SM6 ELECTRET CONDENSER DESK PTT MICROPHONE

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:08:54 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCCF61B16DjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11959
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb

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5887. Re: FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:09:24 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD0BF8235johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11960
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5888. Re: FA: 1-DAY> ELCO Tube Shields@ & Tube Sockets @$10ea.LOT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:09:38 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD1606A90johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11961
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

5889. Re: FA: 1-Day>Vintage POWER MOSFETS for AUDIO AMPS>Hard to Find!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:09:53 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD2082334johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11962
Cross-posted to: alt.audio.equipment,alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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5890. Re: FA: RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>Cheep

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:10:16 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD313CFB1johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11963
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5891. Re: FA: YAESU NC-29 DESK RAPID CHARGER +2 NICAD's>FT-23/470 etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:10:49 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD49687FCjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11964
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5892. Re: FA: 1-Day-Left: 7 Books: HAM RADIO, ARRL, TUBES, ELECTRONICS, AMATEUR RADIO, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:11:01 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD51F333CjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11966
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

5893. Re: FA: @$10>TWO(2) BRAND-NEW JACKSON BROS. VERNIER BALL DRIVES.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:11:38 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD6C5B725johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11967
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5894. Re: FA: $10>RAY JEFFERSON 630 RADIO DIRECTION FINDING RADIO>NEAT-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:11:50 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD74F8331johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11965
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

5895. Re: FA: 36 tube sockets & 39 tube shields from R-390A

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:12:03 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD7EBB025johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11968
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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5896. Re: FA: YAESU NC-29 DESK RAPID CHARGER +2 NICAD's>FT-23/470 etc

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:12:15 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCD878340FjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11969
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

5897. Re: FA: 7 Books: HAM RADIO, ARRL, TUBES, ELECTRONICS, AMATEUR RADIO, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 01:24:25 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972BCF974A527johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11970
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

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5898. Yaesu FT-101 Series Service Manual. on sale.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 11:39:15 UTC
From: F7 <nondol@mail.it>
Message-ID: <43a004a5$0$347$5fc30a8@news.tiscali.it>
Source record: 11971
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

http://cgi.ebay.it/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5841225485&ssPageName
=STRK:MESE:IT

5899. Want to buy Butternut vertical antenna

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 13:46:38 UTC
From: inquiries.jh@rhelectric.net
Message-ID: <1134567998.350095.249700@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11972

Want to buy used Butternut vertical antenna. Please email with what
you have.

5900. Re: Kenwood at-250, is it rf sensing?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 14:18:55 UTC
From: k8vf_mark@centurytel.net
Message-ID: <1134569935.421375.152250@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11973

I am receiveing answers off forum which indicate YES and NO.

Does ANYONE have an AT-250 which they can hook up WITHOUT any
d.i.n.cable to verify if it will operate as a tuner- r.f. sensing?

The manual (such as it is) is very much lacking in this area.

I have used it with the 430, and with other rigs WITH the d.i.n. cable.
It works fine.

My question is: Will the AT-250 operate with only a coax connection
and d.c. connection and tune from the signal it gets from the
transmitter?

Thanks again.
k8vf

5901. Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 15:04:47 UTC
From: cas@w-sherwood.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <dnpcaf$r9s@netnews.net.lucent.com>
Source record: 11974
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

I have a Heath SB200 that has been modified a bit too much.
Someone replaced the stock fan with a muffin fan and they
cut a big hole for the fan in the RF chamber.

I want to replace the muffin fan with a fan resembling the
stock fan. Grainger sells motor and fan blades for appliances
that look close enough. I just need some data to choose the
right one. Most import is the fan blade size. Second would
be any specs for the motor. Stock motors range from 1/500Hp
to 1/20 HP. I suspect one of the smallers one based on physical
size.

Also the meter seems to stick in a couple spots. I don't
see anything obvious like a bent needle. Any hope of finding
a similar meter that I can move the faceplate? Any place that
can repair meters?

All help appreciated.
thanks
chuck

5902. Re: Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 15:32:39 UTC
From: Tim Shoppa <shoppa@trailing-edge.com>
Message-ID: <1134574359.575250.129800@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11975
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

> Also the meter seems to stick in a couple spots.

Often, especially in the winter months, due to static electricity.

See if wiping it with water or an anti-static cloth helps.

Tim.

5903. Re: Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 16:06:35 UTC
From: "J. Teske" <jdteske@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <fgg0q1ladpa287uhsbbupe9lmuj7u00gla@4ax.com>
Source record: 11976

Do a google for Harbach Electronics. He sells a direct replacement for
the original fan. Its about the same size somewhat more efficient.
He also has stuff like a soft start up, an electro optical isolator so
a modern transceiver can be used (the original Heath circuitry
switched 115v which is more than modern transceivers can handle.)
I've done all the Harbach mods on my SB-200. He also has a drop-in
replacement for the filter and rectifier circuitry and a replacement
relay.

I can't help you on your meter question.

Jon W3JT

On 14 Dec 2005 15:04:47 GMT, cas@w-sherwood.ih.lucent.com (Chuck
Sherwood) wrote:

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>Someone replaced the stock fan with a muffin fan and they
>cut a big hole for the fan in the RF chamber.
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>a similar meter that I can move the faceplate? Any place that
>can repair meters?
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>All help appreciated.
>thanks
>chuck

5904. Re: Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 16:29:58 UTC
From: cas@w-sherwood.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <dnpha6$s7p@netnews.net.lucent.com>
Source record: 11977

>Do a google for Harbach Electronics. He sells a direct replacement for
>the original fan. Its about the same size somewhat more efficient.

Nice source. However he wants 40 dollars for motor and fan.
I can buy motor and fan from grainter for 15. All I need is fan
diameter. I might have to guess based on pictures.

5905. Re: FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 18:07:25 UTC
From: Telamon <telamon_spamshield@pacbell.net.is.invalid>
Message-ID: <telamon_spamshield-D640BE.10072514122005@newsclstr02.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 11978
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

In article <Xns972BCD0BF8235johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>,
"John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net> wrote:

> Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

Don't worry John I'm sure most people have now kill filled you for 20
off topic cross-posted responses in one day in all the news groups in
the thread.

One response would have done the job.

< Plonk >

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Telamon
Ventura, California

5906. New FT-990 Group

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 18:38:41 UTC
From: jiinks <office@jiinks.co.uk>
Message-ID: <43a066ab$0$82664$ed2619ec@ptn-nntp-reader03.plus.net>
Source record: 11979
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.dx,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,uk.radio.amateur,zetnet.interests.amateur-radio

Just to let everyone know that a new Yahoo group has been set up for owners of the Yaesu FT-990.

To visit your group on the web, go to:

http://groups.yahoo.com/group/ft_990/

Jon G2FHF

5907. Looking for TE Systems 0552G 6M VHF Amp

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 19:15:42 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11q0rrhtftib076@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 11980

Will pay close to retail for clean (inside and out) 0552G until Feb 1, 2006

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Charlie-AD5TH
www.ad5th.com

5908. Re: Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 20:10:55 UTC
From: "J. Teske" <jdteske@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <btu0q1h2vi0ikdvoa5g2d13l2aaqmn8tpr@4ax.com>
Source record: 11981

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Sherwood) wrote:

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>I can buy motor and fan from grainter for 15. All I need is fan
>diameter. I might have to guess based on pictures.

The fan is exactly 3 1/2" in diameter. Each blade is slightly over 1"
wide at the widest point (edge). The blades have pretty close to
a 45 degree pitch to them. This is base on actual measurement of
a Harbach fan which I still have to install.

Jon W3JT

5909. FS Kenwood TM-V7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 20:20:56 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <I8%nf.9548$b57.6088@trndny06>
Source record: 11982
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have a nice Kenwood TM-V7 with manual and mount for sale.This is the one with the cool blue face that is removable.This is dual band 2 meter and 440 bands.It is in top notch condition and works great.I am asking $275.00 or BRO.Please don't insult me with your ridiculas offers.No international scam artist either.I will sell to anyone in the good old USA.Thanks for looking.

5910. Re: FS Kenwood TM-V7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 20:22:48 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <sa%nf.3211$Bj4.2011@trndny01>
Source record: 11983
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I will also swap this for a laptop with serial port and it has to be PIII or P4 in good condition.
"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message news:I8%nf.9548$b57.6088@trndny06...
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>BRO.Please don't insult me with your ridiculas offers.No international scam
>artist either.I will sell to anyone in the good old USA.Thanks for looking.
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5911. Re: FA: AMERITRON AL-80A ALL-BAND RF AMPLIFIER W/EIMAC 3-500Z/Carton/Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 20:42:42 UTC
From: "John L. Sielke" <w2agnNOSPAM@w2agn.net>
Message-ID: <43A083C2.6070505@w2agn.net>
Source record: 11984
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

John E. Golden wrote:
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And you felt the need to post this 25 times to 5 different newsgroups. What a complete asshole! Even if listing auctions was improper (and it's not) who the hell elected you list monitor?

Go back under your rock.

5912. Re: Do you own an IC-7000?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-14 21:15:15 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <vp21q1hfp4uffvoum6nduejc3usdck3ald@4ax.com>
Source record: 11985

On Fri, 9 Dec 2005 14:56:22 -0500, "laborkei"
<laborkeiNOSPAM@hotmail.com> wrote:

>Hello,
>
>I would like your opinion on your purchase?
>Positives and Negatives... Don't hold back.
>
>There are numerous discussion groups on the Internet, but they seem to be
>controlled by the Moderators way to much in my opinion.
>When a good thread is started, the stop it, or cut posters off from saying
>what they think.
>
>From what I have read so far, it looks pretty good, what do you think?

The reviews on eHam are pretty enthusiastic so far.

http://www.eham.net/reviews/detail/5338

bob
k5qwg

5913. test

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 02:39:25 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <xH4of.32149$6e.30514@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 11986

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"

"Follow The Money" ;-P
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5914. FS: LOT of NEW speaker mics, XTS, HT1000, MTX, qty35.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 04:33:14 UTC
From: Woody <woody.shadetree@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <em6of.1236$Jr1.301@trnddc01>
Source record: 11987
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Have 35 lapel mikes for Jedi radios, new in box, never used.

$1,575 takes them all.

[that's only $45 each]

Or, take 17 of them for $816

[that's only $48 each]

Add $10 for shipping, please!

They have the standard connector for XTS, HT1000, MTX and other Jedi radios,
w/lapel clip, and these are brand new in the box with paperwork.
Model number is NMN6191C

Sorry, no other splits or singles requests please!

Thanks and just email if interested!
rb

5915. KENWOOD TS-830

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 13:30:00 UTC
From: "fuse19@aol.com" <fuse19@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1134653400.514637.42060@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11988

for sale KENWOOD TS-830 8 matching pieces go with the radio WILL NOT

SPLIT UP the VFO 230 SM SCOPE 220 + BS8 ANTENNA TUNER 230 SPEAKER SP-230 AMPLIFIER TL-922 SWR METER SW-2100 new in the box HEAD PHONES HS-5 CLOCK HC-10 all the equiptment is my own and works the way it should like full output i dont use it enough any more if their

is a buyer they will need to get their own packing company i will deliver it to the packing company of their choice but i can't pack it up all the equiptment is at least a 8+ on the scale of 1 to 10 i used

it on 160 mtrs and it is on 40 mtrs now i will supply picturs of the unit all togother and than of the single unit's thro email it is still

hooked up so cant take pic.of the sides or back their should be no scratch's on them i have the book's or copy's of all the gear the price is $2500.00 chance to get it all at once i can supply a phone number thro a email

del schisler K9FCM

5916. Re: Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 13:59:48 UTC
From: Paul P <p.pinyotREMOVE@REMOVEworldnet.attREMOVE.netREMOVE>
Message-ID: <oFeof.157632$qk4.32128@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 11989
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Lick your finder and draw an X of "saliva" on the face. Works great!

PP

"Tim Shoppa" <shoppa@trailing-edge.com> wrote in message
news:1134574359.575250.129800@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com...
>> Also the meter seems to stick in a couple spots.
>
> Often, especially in the winter months, due to static electricity.
>
> See if wiping it with water or an anti-static cloth helps.
>
> Tim.
>

5917. FA: MINT KENWOOD TS-530S HF/WARC BAND TRANSCEIVER+2 FILTERS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 14:40:21 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <pffof.8969$Kf4.5013@fe08.lga>
Source record: 11990
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5840212348&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5918. FA: TRANSCEIVERS, Inc SATELLITE S20B TUBE MONO-BANDER>RARE, NOT SWAN!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 14:41:52 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Rgfof.8975$Kf4.2666@fe08.lga>
Source record: 11991
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

Big $38:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5840212330&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5919. FA: @$13>12 ea. EXTENSION TUBE SOCKETS>7 & 9 PIN MINIATURE>HANDY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 14:43:02 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Whfof.8980$Kf4.8663@fe08.lga>
Source record: 11992
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.audio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.swap

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5840212415&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5920. FA: CHEEP>DATAVIDEO TBC-3000 DUAL-CHANNEL TIME BASE CORRECTOR++NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 14:44:33 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <ljfof.8983$Kf4.3257@fe08.lga>
Source record: 11993
Cross-posted to: rec.audio.marketplace,rec.photo.marketplace.35mm,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.video.marketplace

At big $51, ends sunday nite
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7570944367&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5921. FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 15:13:31 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <vKfof.3743$pF.832@trndny08>
Source record: 11994
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows XP or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a mint condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me know what you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.

5922. Re: Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 15:28:10 UTC
From: cas@w-sherwood.ih.lucent.com
Message-ID: <dns22a$acu@netnews.net.lucent.com>
Source record: 11995

>The fan is exactly 3 1/2" in diameter. Each blade is slightly over 1"

Grainger sells a fan with a 3.5 inch blade and 1/150HP motor for 17.
Sounds close to me.

thanks for the help
chuck

5923. Re: FA: AMERITRON AL-80A ALL-BAND RF AMPLIFIER W/EIMAC 3-500Z/Carton/Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 16:08:05 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972D7144EA4A4johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11996
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

"John L. Sielke" <w2agnNOSPAM@w2agn.net> wrote:

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> it's not) who the hell elected you list monitor?
>
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This is posted on the wrong newsgroup! Please post sh*t like this on the
[eat.my.shorts] group.

5924. Re: Help with Heath SB200

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 16:53:35 UTC
From: nobody <rhughes4-removeme@swbell.net>
Message-ID: <jchof.37940$tV6.23536@newssvr27.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 11997
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew

Hi Chuck.

I have a SB-200, but I don't have the time to take it apart and
measure the size of the fan right now. Maybe this weekend.

In the meantime, you might load and/or ask here:
http://www.harbachelectronics.com/

He sells replace parts for SB-200, SB-220 and others.

Ronnie, N5CSE

"Chuck Sherwood" <cas@w-sherwood.ih.lucent.com> wrote in message
news:dnpcaf$r9s@netnews.net.lucent.com...
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> can repair meters?
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> All help appreciated.
> thanks
> chuck

5925. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 17:06:34 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <6e83q1ttqp6qhum7tqk7i6tult8sjcboeg@4ax.com>
Source record: 11898

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>you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who
>is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.
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Why not just get an older laptop running Windows 98 or Me for your ham
programs. That's what I did. Got an old Sony laptop that works
great. I only use it in the Jeep with GPS programs or programming the
Kenwood D700A. If I am at home I just use the home computer. My
regular laptop doesn't have a serial port either, and I gave up trying
to use a USB to Serial adapter.

Dick

5926. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 17:33:19 UTC
From: eljainc <eljainc@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <1134667999.352534.202900@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11899
Cross-posted to: comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Do you have to have a serial port on the laptop? Many newer
laptops/notebooks no longer supply a serial port. One solution you may
consider if you get stuck is a USB to serial converter. There are so
many of them out there. A few of them are junk. One that I have found
to work is the Belkin F5U109. I am even able to get it to work with
MS-DOS applications that run in a window in WinXP. The drivers allow
you to select a different COM port in the setup.

Mike McWhinney

5927. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 18:38:20 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <8vd3q19ekc3ruunkmj1nm4r50s408s6qiu@4ax.com>
Source record: 11900

On 15 Dec 2005 09:33:19 -0800, "eljainc" <eljainc@sbcglobal.net>
wrote:

>Do you have to have a serial port on the laptop? Many newer
>laptops/notebooks no longer supply a serial port. One solution you may
>consider if you get stuck is a USB to serial converter. There are so
>many of them out there. A few of them are junk. One that I have found
>to work is the Belkin F5U109. I am even able to get it to work with
>MS-DOS applications that run in a window in WinXP. The drivers allow
>you to select a different COM port in the setup.
>
>Mike McWhinney

I couldn't even get the Belkin to work with my HP. That's when I gave
up and got an old laptop with a serial port.

Dick

5928. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 18:56:08 UTC
From: Lambert Tellier <ltellier@sympatico.ca>
Message-ID: <f%iof.3850$PQ3.664774@news20.bellglobal.com>
Source record: 11901
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Hello N1RSP (George)

Here I run Converter USB 232: USB - Serial (Driver & Manual). Tested to
comply with FCC Standards for home or office use. Model No. U232-P9.
It works very well with XP 4 and AEA 2232 interfaced with Yaesu FT-990.

Good luck, VE2GAG

--
Lambert Tellier M.D.
ltellier@sympatico.ca

"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:vKfof.3743$pF.832@trndny08...
> I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows
XP
> or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a mint
> condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me know
what
> you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who
> is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.
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>

5929. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 21:21:36 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <r8n3q1dtc11vogjhcs2kb2gmbbl4nhiqmb@4ax.com>
Source record: 11902

On Mon, 5 Dec 2005 16:26:37 -1000, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net> wrote:

>After getting my long lost radio shack charge card renewed I now find
>out that Radio Shack no longer has Catalogs available. What a shame!!!
> Joe/KH6JF

Well, my last RS catalog is dated 2000. They don't have much ham gear
in the store, anyhow. And as far as the little stuff goes, connectors,
wire, etc., just go online to the RS site, and use their search
engine. Then, upon entering your zip code, you can get the stores
nearest you stocking the item.

By the way, if you go to the Mouser site, you can order their latest
1600 page catalog for free, for electronics parts esoterica...

Bob
k5qwg

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>**
>* Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
>* Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) *
>* Hi State ARMY MARS COORDINATOR *
>**

5930. FA:JENNINGS FIXED GLASS CAPS 20KV

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 22:29:47 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <v7mof.159122$qk4.53023@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 11903
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Jennings fixed vac caps (glass) rated at 20kv, 100PF and 140PF + a few more items too; see at

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

tnx Merry Christmas, Happy New Year, Happy Hanukkak, 73 heytubeguy

5931. FREE: DUMB TERMINALS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 22:45:28 UTC
From: "Richard W. Solomon, W1KSZ" <w1ksz@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <tfs3q1hvpj0cenp1r4lm2u2qcq664re7o8@4ax.com>
Source record: 11904

I have two working dumb terminals.
Used them on packet.

Free; but you have to come and get them.
I am in Lexington, MA

73, Dick, W1KSZ

5932. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 23:07:48 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <klt3q1l7lgba2prloub709as0u1kpjfumo@4ax.com>
Source record: 11905

On Thu, 15 Dec 2005 21:21:36 GMT, Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
wrote:

>On Mon, 5 Dec 2005 16:26:37 -1000, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net> wrote:
>
>>After getting my long lost radio shack charge card renewed I now find
>>out that Radio Shack no longer has Catalogs available. What a shame!!!
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>
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>wire, etc., just go online to the RS site, and use their search
>engine. Then, upon entering your zip code, you can get the stores
>nearest you stocking the item.
>
>By the way, if you go to the Mouser site, you can order their latest
>1600 page catalog for free, for electronics parts esoterica...
>
>Bob
>k5qwg

My last catalog is a 2002, and that was the end. I agree on the
Mouser catalog. The only problem with Mouser is that they send one
every 3 months, and they are huge! To get rid of them I take the last
one to the radio club meeting. They get taken immediately.

Dick

5933. Re: R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 23:14:10 UTC
From: Yodar <JStrain4@cfl.rr.com>
Message-ID: <6Nmof.32987$6e.31195@tornado.tampabay.rr.com>
Source record: 11906

Murray Green, K3BEQ wrote:
> In this weekend's Radio Amateur Information Network (R.A.I.N.) audio
> news, they featured Michael Crestohl, W1RC, at the 2000 Dayton Ham-
> Vention. Michael was deeply involved at the time in working with the
> U.S. government to remove or reclassify collectible surplus radio
> gear from its demilitarization list.
>
> In the interview, Michael mentions that the meter needles in the R390A
> were "radio active" and had to be removed before the equipment could
> be demilitarized by the government. (It was not clear if this pertained
> to all of the R390As or certain models.)
>
> Just a FYI to R390A owners. The broadcast can be heard at:
> http://www.rrsta.com/rain/ (The statement about the meter needles
> comes in around 11:15 minutes into the approximate 15 minute audio
> news.)
>
> Just how radio active the needles are was not mentioned. Also I
> suspect that some R390A went to MARS members and may not have been
> demilitarized. I had one for many years and this was the first I
> heard about the needles.
The need to have glow in the dark dials etc. caused them to use radium
salts in phosphorus-compound paint to make the phosphorus glow from the
beta particles (I think) emitted by the radium salts.

A watch company in Southern Illinois (Olney) had people paintiong this
stuff on their dials and people wet the paintbrush tips to make them
sharper with their lips and many people were (over time) poisoned

Yodar

5934. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-15 23:37:06 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <C6nof.4177$Bj4.3661@trndny01>
Source record: 11907
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The problem with usb to serial converter is that it runs way to slow on most programs I use.I have the Belkin USB to Serial als another one and just to slow.Direct to serial port is many times faster.
"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:vKfof.3743$pF.832@trndny08...
>I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows XP
>or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a mint
>condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me know what
>you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who
>is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.
>

5935. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 00:40:43 UTC
From: kenny@panix.com
Message-ID: <dnt2eb$t1f$1@reader1.panix.com>
Source record: 11908
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <C6nof.4177$Bj4.3661@trndny01>, "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> says:

>The problem with usb to serial converter is that it runs way too slow on most
>programs I use.

Interesting, 'cause I use my USB-enabled serial port to download data into
flash onto my clients' boards at 115.2K at full speed and with negligible
CPU usage. Maybe it's a settings problem? What does "too slow" mean exactly?

-Kenny

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Kenneth R. Crudup Sr. SW Engineer, Scott County Consulting, Los Angeles
H: 3630 S. Sepulveda Blvd. #138, L.A., CA 90034-6809 (310) 391-1898

5936. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 00:53:29 UTC
From: Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
Message-ID: <Pine.BSI.4.61.0512151451390.9955@malasada.lava.net>
Source record: 11909

>
> My last catalog is a 2002, and that was the end. I agree on the
> Mouser catalog. The only problem with Mouser is that they send one
> every 3 months, and they are huge! To get rid of them I take the last
> one to the radio club meeting. They get taken immediately.
>
> Dick
>
What in the heck is "mouser"? Never herard of it! Whats the
url if you have one...
Kokomo Joe

5937. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 01:37:55 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <ii64q15jrufsq9hec5isqatjjabf43mmmv@4ax.com>
Source record: 11910

On Thu, 15 Dec 2005 14:53:29 -1000, Joseph Fenn <jfenn@lava.net>
wrote:

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>> My last catalog is a 2002, and that was the end. I agree on the
>> Mouser catalog. The only problem with Mouser is that they send one
>> every 3 months, and they are huge! To get rid of them I take the last
>> one to the radio club meeting. They get taken immediately.
>>
>> Dick
>>
>What in the heck is "mouser"? Never herard of it! Whats the
>url if you have one...
> Kokomo Joe

Probably the largest electronic supply house in the U.S.
http://www.mouser.com/

Dick

5938. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 01:39:42 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <yVoof.3013$Y2.277@trndny04>
Source record: 11911
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I use a friend laptop which is a 1.2 gig cpu and has serial port and it
takes just 4 to 5 minutes to upload a program.and on the other hand mine is
2.4 with a usb to serial with same program and it takes me 20 minutes to
upload same program to same item.
"Kenneth Crudup" <kenny@panix.com> wrote in message
news:dnt2eb$t1f$1@reader1.panix.com...
> In article <C6nof.4177$Bj4.3661@trndny01>, "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net>
> says:
>
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>>most
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5939. Re: FA: AMERITRON AL-80A ALL-BAND RF AMPLIFIER W/EIMAC 3-500Z/Carton/Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 01:47:35 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <T0pof.37262$L7.11558@fe12.lga>
Source record: 11912
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb

John E. Golden wrote:

>Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!
>
>
Why not?
Many of us like it.
If not, use your filters as some do so you won't see them
or just scroll past them.
It's not worth replying to every FA and saying "go away".
It will never change!!
FA's have been here since the start of ebay.

Gen. J. O'Neill

5940. Re: FA: QST - All 24 ARRL Rare, Old, Vintage QST issues (from 1972 and 1973)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 01:52:57 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <V5pof.37264$L7.27012@fe12.lga>
Source record: 11913
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

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Gen. J. O'Neill

5941. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 02:01:36 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.irkamo7.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 11914

On Thu, 15 Dec 2005 18:37:55 -0700, Dick wrote:

>>What in the heck is "mouser"? Never herard of it! Whats the
>>url if you have one...
>
>Probably the largest electronic supply house in the U.S.
>http://www.mouser.com/

But do they sell thibgs in onesies-twosies with no minimum order
requirement?

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

5942. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 02:34:23 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972DBD2EC768Bspectrumhogstarbandn@198.186.192.196>
Source record: 11915

Other good sources of stuff, Digikey, has a very reasonable minimum order charge. And Allied Radio is hard to beat for having everything! but am unsure on there minimum order requirements.

Ed K7AAT

5943. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 02:39:48 UTC
From: "Dr. Anton T. Squeegee" <SpammersAreJerks@dev.null>
Message-ID: <MPG.1e0bc8cb1bdcbe2798972f@192.168.42.131>
Source record: 11916
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

In article <vKfof.3743$pF.832@trndny08>, n1rsp@verizon.net says...

> I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows XP
> or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a mint
> condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me know what
> you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who
> is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.

Dell Latitude C6xx series. I have a C640 myself. Great machine!

Happy hunting.

--
Dr. Anton T. Squeegee, Director, Dutch Surrealist Plumbing Institute.
(Known to some as Bruce Lane, ARS KC7GR,
kyrrin (a/t) bluefeathertech[d=o=t]calm -- www.bluefeathertech.com
"If Salvador Dali had owned a computer, would it have been equipped
with surreal ports?"

5944. Coaxial Dynamics 83000-A PEP wattmeter w/slug $299

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 02:52:48 UTC
From: Charlie <charlie@play.com>
Message-ID: <11q4b07g4hm6ga7@news.supernews.com>
Source record: 11917
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Includes CDI brand 100-250Mhz/500W slug. Can also use Bird slugs. Meter and slug less then 6 months old.
Uses 9V battery or 9V wall wart and adapter cable -included-. This meter retails for $368 w/no slugs. Included slug retails for $67
See this meter at www.ad5th.com

Will sell both for $299 plus shipping

Need fast cash for other Ham Radio toys. Prefer payment through Paypal
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Charlie

5945. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 03:47:01 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <9ud4q1hchqvhklkakvpk0qphhfqgfe72k2@4ax.com>
Source record: 11918

On Thu, 15 Dec 2005 18:01:36 -0800 (PST), "Phil Kane"
<Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop> wrote:

>On Thu, 15 Dec 2005 18:37:55 -0700, Dick wrote:
>
>>>What in the heck is "mouser"? Never herard of it! Whats the
>>>url if you have one...
>>
>>Probably the largest electronic supply house in the U.S.
>>http://www.mouser.com/
>
> But do they sell thibgs in onesies-twosies with no minimum order
> requirement?

Yes, they do. My last order, I ordered a small Chicago light bulb to
replace a burned out bulb on a 1957 Heath AC-1 antenna coupler. The
next day, DSL was in front of my house delivering the bulb. (I'm in
San Antonio and Mouser is in Mansfield, Texas.)

No minimum, and the catalog is free and huge.

Bob
k5qwg

5946. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 03:49:52 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.irkfn49.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 11920

On 16 Dec 2005 02:34:23 GMT, Ed wrote:

> Other good sources of stuff, Digikey, has a very reasonable minimum
>order charge. And Allied Radio is hard to beat for having everything! but
>am unsure on there minimum order requirements.

Last I remember it was $25 but that may have been Newark, another
source of everything. I wish that I had my old 1"+ thick Newark
catalog.

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

5947. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 03:53:36 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.irkftca.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 11919

On Thu, 15 Dec 2005 19:49:52 -0800 (PST), Phil Kane wrote:

>On 16 Dec 2005 02:34:23 GMT, Ed wrote:
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>>order charge. And Allied Radio is hard to beat for having everything! but
>>am unsure on there minimum order requirements.
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> 73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane
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5948. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-16 17:13:11 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972E5E0B2F541spectrumhogstarbandn@198.186.192.196>
Source record: 11921

>> Other good sources of stuff, Digikey, has a very reasonable
>> minimum
>>order charge. And Allied Radio is hard to beat for having everything!
>> but am unsure on there minimum order requirements.

> Last I remember it was $25 but that may have been Newark, another
> source of everything. I wish that I had my old 1"+ thick Newark
> catalog.

I think that $25. minimum was Newark. That's a good company, too....
by the way, their current catalogs are now well over 2" thick! DigiKey
has a minimum of $5.00.

Ed

5949. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 02:19:22 UTC
From: "John, N9JG" <john@gotwals.XremoveY.com>
Message-ID: <KAKof.626270$x96.565666@attbi_s72>
Source record: 11922

Newark's current catalog is 2 3/4" thick measured at the spine.

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns972E5E0B2F541spectrumhogstarbandn@198.186.192.196...
>>> Other good sources of stuff, Digikey, has a very reasonable
>>> minimum
>>>order charge. And Allied Radio is hard to beat for having everything!
>>> but am unsure on there minimum order requirements.
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>> source of everything. I wish that I had my old 1"+ thick Newark
>> catalog.
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> I think that $25. minimum was Newark. That's a good company, too....
> by the way, their current catalogs are now well over 2" thick! DigiKey
> has a minimum of $5.00.
>
>
>
> Ed

5950. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 05:03:36 UTC
From: Bob Miller <NOSPAM@neosoft.com>
Message-ID: <tv67q199osp4u1lneq4mgnt0mp5osrfqmc@4ax.com>
Source record: 11923

On Sat, 17 Dec 2005 02:19:22 GMT, "John, N9JG"
<john@gotwals.XremoveY.com> wrote:

>Newark's current catalog is 2 3/4" thick measured at the spine.

Hmm, Mouser's catalog is only 2 1/16"

bob
k5qwg

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>"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
>news:Xns972E5E0B2F541spectrumhogstarbandn@198.186.192.196...
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>>
>> Ed
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5951. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 07:39:30 UTC
From: Adair Winter <drummer_adair@mail.com>
Message-ID: <SgPof.34764$q%.25551@newssvr12.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 11924
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
>I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows XP
>or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a mint
>condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me know what
>you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who
>is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.
alot of the dell laptops still have serial ports on themm.. I know the D610
does.

Adair

5952. FA: Last Call>TRANSCEIVERS, Inc SATELLITE S20B TUBE MONO-BANDER>RARE!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 14:44:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <kvVof.38316$L7.36149@fe12.lga>
Source record: 11925
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap

Big $38:-(
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5840212330&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5953. Heath SB 220 Amp for sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 17:41:31 UTC
From: w4pqw@cox.net
Message-ID: <1134841291.186796.182450@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11926

This is a nice amplifier. Front panel nice and clean. Cabinet has been repainted with professionally matched color.Works good too ,1200 watts out. orig man. w4pqw@cox.net

5954. MORE BULLSHIT FROM johnisgolden@sbcglobal.net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 17:45:26 UTC
From: Mortimer Schnurd <Mort@aarp.com>
Message-ID: <W8Yof.33791$7h7.4928@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 11927
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

"John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:Xns972BCD51F333CjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102...
> Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!
>
GET A LIFE YOU PIECE OF SHIT " JOHN"!!!!!!!
YOU are the spamming asshole!
maybe people should sent YOU their opinion to.....
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5955. Re: FA: 10 ELECTRONICS Books: Experimenters, Hackers, Gadgets, Theory, Car Projects, CB Radios, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 17:48:23 UTC
From: Mortimer Schnurd <Mort@aarp.com>
Message-ID: <HbYof.33794$7h7.17063@newssvr21.news.prodigy.com>
Source record: 11928
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

"John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net> wrote in message news:Xns972BCFF31A43CjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102...
> Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!
Send complaints to the following address.....

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5956. FA: NYE Morse Code Telegraph Key SPEEDX Navy Knob - LAST DAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 19:12:37 UTC
From: homedetective <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <1134846757.285311.287680@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11929

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5840174281&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5957. FA: NYE Morse Code Telegraph Key SPEEDX Navy Knob - LAST DAY!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 19:12:53 UTC
From: homedetective <prospec@lincoln.midcoast.com>
Message-ID: <1134846772.941116.319960@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11930

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5840174281&rd=1&sspagename=STRK%3AMESE%3AIT&rd=1

5958. ICOM T-8 Tribander Batteries;Charging

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 20:32:56 UTC
From: "aa6eg@hotmail.com" <aa6eg@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1134851576.100750.144450@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11931

12/17/05:

I recently picked up a T-8, and am looking for a Fast Charger for it,
either a ICOM drop in unit with the correct adaptor, or for a generic
(perhaps radio shack) Nimh fast charger, that will work. Also looking
for a battery pack schematic; specifically the function of the center
contact on the outside of the battery case..It is a temperature switch?
Close or open when battery heats up, approaching full charge? Is it a
thermistor that changes R with heat?
How does the ext power/charger jack work? I plugged it into a 12 v
source, and get pulsating current draw, betw 150 and 300 ma, at about
2hz..must be the charger function pulse chargiing the battery. Will
a cigarette lighter connection supply the radio with the full voltage,
and at the same time charge the battery, or does the voltage supplied
equal the particular battery pack voltage? Also looking to buy a batt
pack that can use AA alkaline cells.
Merry Christmas...
info? email me, Pat AA6EG aa6eg@hotmail.com

5959. Re: ICOM T-8 Tribander Batteries;Charging

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 21:02:19 UTC
From: Travis Jordan <no.one@no.net>
Message-ID: <v1%of.23008$IV1.12993@fe05.news.easynews.com>
Source record: 11932

aa6eg@hotmail.com wrote:
> Also looking to buy a
> batt pack that can use AA alkaline cells.

BP-197 or BP-197h
http://www.batteriesamerica.com/icom1.htm

5960. Re: MORE BULLSHIT FROM johnisgolden@sbcglobal.net

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 23:00:01 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972FB71BEBFFFjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11934
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

"Mortimer Schnurd" <Mort@aarp.com> wrote some BS:

This is posted on the wrong newsgroup! Please post sh*t like this on the
[eat.my.shorts] group.

5961. FA: Two Auctions - Motorola HT1000's UHF 403-470-16-Channels-Spkr/mic's-Rapid ChargersLQQK

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 23:00:59 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ML0pf.172$LB5.55@fed1read04>
Source record: 11933
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: TWO SEPARATE AUCTIONS - Motorola HT1000's UHF 403-470-16-Channels-Spkr/Mic's-Rapid Chargers-LQQK

TWO AUCTIONS AS FOLLOWS:

AUCTION #1
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7573698417&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

AUCTION #2
http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7573694330&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5962. Re: FA: 10 ELECTRONICS Books: Experimenters, Hackers, Gadgets, Theory, Car Projects, CB Radios, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-17 23:01:48 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns972FB7696347DjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11935
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,misc.industry.electronics.marketplace

"Mortimer Schnurd" <Mort@aarp.com> wrote some BS:

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[eat.my.shorts] group.

5963. Used Radio - Inventory

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 00:00:01 UTC
From: Used2Way <pchoman@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1134864001.456654.221520@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11936

I have a large inventory of :
MTS2000 Model II VHF $400/Unit
HT1000 UHF $350/Unit
MTX9000 B3 $150/Unit
MCS2000 800 Mhz Model II Remote Mount 25 Watt $550.00/Unit

Everything is in excellent condition!

5964. Help: Ham III or IV Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 00:12:34 UTC
From: Doug <cindyd1@ptd.net>
Message-ID: <6oWcnU2R4s9QNTneUSdV9g@ptd.net>
Source record: 11937

Hi All,

Who is the fellow that repairs the Ham III and Ham IV
rotors?

Thanks,

Doug
"W3IIY@ptd.net"

5965. Re: Help: Ham III or IV Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 00:12:54 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <bba9q1pdr2jp06a7lk3vrtu562lo6tha8h@4ax.com>
Source record: 11938

Rotor Doc http://www.rotordoc.com/

Dick - W6CCD

On Sat, 17 Dec 2005 19:12:34 -0500, "Doug" <cindyd1@ptd.net> wrote:

>Hi All,
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>Who is the fellow that repairs the Ham III and Ham IV
>rotors?
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>Thanks,
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>Doug
>"W3IIY@ptd.net"
>

5966. Kenwood ts130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 08:17:22 UTC
From: o <o@o.net>
Message-ID: <do2sef$m01$1@news.iquest.net>
Source record: 11939

Hi All,
have a question about the ts130s...has anybody had intermittant display or no display problems with this rig? Mine was intermittant, but now display is dead...looked at mods.dk but the answer for display problems wasnt what was wrong with my rig..can anybody help? Tnx in advance de AA9YP

5967. Yaesu Vx-7R firmware problem???

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 11:35:25 UTC
From: Bewlay51 <bewlay51@yahoo.co.uk>
Message-ID: <1Qbpf.16093$b4.7331@newsfe1-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 11940

Hi,

As anybody else seen these problems with the Vx-7R handheld

I have entered a number of frequencies I wish to scan. I have setup PMS to scan these frequencies. The problem is, each time the rig completes a scan and returns back to the start it emits a beep. I can't seem to turn the beep off and enter "a silent scan mode". It's only scanning about 10 frequencies so beeps every few seconds. I have tried all the setting to enable/disable scans beeps, none work.

The other problem is entering "Special Memory" mode. With I press [F] then SPCL key 9, then rotate the dial to select "2 MR Group" then press PTT to confirm, I get an error beep. I cant select OTM or HYP mode as well. I have found I need to select Broadcast or Marine before it works. If I then re-enter "Special Memory" mode and then select "2 MR Group" or any other mode it then works. Very odd!!.

Thanks

John G4KUC

john_goodier@yahoo.co.uk

5968. Re: Help: Ham III or IV Repair

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 12:00:54 UTC
From: nitespark <nitespark@cox.net>
Message-ID: <4ccpf.31285$Mi5.29181@dukeread07>
Source record: 11941

Doug wrote:
> Hi All,
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> Who is the fellow that repairs the Ham III and Ham IV
> rotors?
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> Thanks,
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> Doug
> "W3IIY@ptd.net"
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>
I have used Norm's Rotor Service in the past and had VERY good service
from him. I HIGHLY recommend NRS. (I am not affiliated with them in any
way other than a satsified customer)

http://www.rotorservice.com/

Andy
WD4KDN

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I have never met a liberal street cop.

5969. Trade

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 15:05:53 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <lVepf.183848$Hs.172977@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 11942

Trade Drake L4-B in excellent working order for HyGain TH11DX/HamM rotator
in same good order.

Antennas can be shipped in cardboard concrete-form tubes :o)

73, DTradeave, N3HE
513-674-7202

5970. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 20:28:01 UTC
From: Pelle <krokodilen_31>
Message-ID: <lDjpf.41011$d5.196741@newsb.telia.net>
Source record: 11943
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> skrev i meddelandet
news:vKfof.3743$pF.832@trndny08...
>I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows XP
>or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a mint
>condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me know what
>you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who
>is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.
>

Get Dell Latitude D600 or 610.....they are very nice

Pelle

5971. FA:MOTOROLA UHF REPEATER DUPLEXER-LOW LOSS-TAKES ONLY 5" RACK SPACE !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-18 21:23:39 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <wqkpf.225$LB5.80@fed1read04>
Source record: 11944
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MOTOROLA UHF REPEATER DUPLEXER-LOW LOSS-TAKES ONLY 5" RACK SPACE !

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7573910036&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

5972. Re: FS Kenwood TM-V7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 12:46:34 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <KYxpf.994$5h2.71@trndny02>
Source record: 11945
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

kENWOOD HAS BEEN TRADED SUCCESSFULLY
"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:I8%nf.9548$b57.6088@trndny06...
>I have a nice Kenwood TM-V7 with manual and mount for sale.This is the one
>with the cool blue face that is removable.This is dual band 2 meter and 440
>bands.It is in top notch condition and works great.I am asking $275.00 or
>BRO.Please don't insult me with your ridiculas offers.No international scam
>artist either.I will sell to anyone in the good old USA.Thanks for looking.
>

5973. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 12:49:46 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <K%xpf.682$Fo1.474@trndny07>
Source record: 11946
Cross-posted to: comp.laptops,comp.sys.laptops,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

The Kenwood has been traded.Thanks to all who answered.
"Pelle @msn.com>" <krokodilen_31<spam> wrote in message
news:lDjpf.41011$d5.196741@newsb.telia.net...
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> "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> skrev i meddelandet
> news:vKfof.3743$pF.832@trndny08...
>>I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows
>>XP or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a
>>mint condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me
>>know what you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have
>>to see who is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.
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> Get Dell Latitude D600 or 610.....they are very nice
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>
> Pelle
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5974. WTB I.C.E. or DUNESTAR Bandpass Filter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 14:27:55 UTC
From: LarryM <LarryM.20am6f@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <LarryM.20am6f@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 11848

Looking for either the I.C.E. 419 or Dunestar 600 in working condition.
Please contact me off-list: n0xb (at) arrl dot net.

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LarryM

5975. CW recv. performance: IC-7000 vs. IC-746Pro?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 14:42:49 UTC
From: Bert Hyman <bert@iphouse.com>
Message-ID: <Xns973158C4C5EABVeebleFetzer@127.0.0.1>
Source record: 11947

I'm thinking about replacing my old IC-751A and had pretty much
settled on the IC-746Pro.

Since the new IC-7000 is going to retail for about the same price as
the IC-746Pro, I'll have to consider it as a candidate. The limited
amount of printed material on it makes it look like its receiver
performance isn't much different from the IC-746. The cosmetics and
small size of the IC-7000 are a drawback, but if it works better, I
can overlook that.

Is anybody in a position to compare the two?

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Bert Hyman | St. Paul, MN | bert@iphouse.com

5976. Re: CW recv. performance: IC-7000 vs. IC-746Pro?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 18:02:56 UTC
From: Markus L <uo9oew@tzk.pu>
Message-ID: <do6skrkpv1@news.hispeed.ch>
Source record: 11849

Bert Hyman wrote:
> I'm thinking about replacing my old IC-751A and had pretty much
> settled on the IC-746Pro.
> Is anybody in a position to compare the two?

Take a look at the IC-7000 diary published by Oba JA7UDE:
http://aobajoke.no-ip.org/~ja7ude/info/ic7000diary.html
Click the links at the bottom to see the previous months.
By far the best source regarding anything related to the IC-7000.

Markus

5977. FS Yaesu SP-102P for FT-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 18:28:50 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <cZCpf.41182$ih5.15404@dukeread11>
Source record: 11850

For Sale: Yaesu SP-102P speaker/phone patch for FT-102.
Front Panel is perfect. Cabinet in very nice. Has a small ding on back edge
of cabinet.
Overall, looks great. Price is $95 plus shipping from 79602.
Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5978. Italian Rm amplifiers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 21:01:30 UTC
From: k9dzd9@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1135026090.808338.163550@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11851

Anyone using,or know someone using,a Rm KL-500.or any RM amplifiers
any info will be appreciated
Monte K9DZD
k9dzd9@yahoo.com

5979. FS CW Filter for FT-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 21:44:54 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <0RFpf.41210$ih5.9630@dukeread11>
Source record: 11852

I have a brand new Yaesu XF-455C CW Filter for the Yaesu FT-102 Transceiver.
It is No. 04-Y.
Price is $75 shipped. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5980. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 21:53:02 UTC
From: "Percival P. Cassidy" <Nobody@NotMyISP.com>
Message-ID: <_YFpf.55$jq7.10@fe04.lga>
Source record: 11853

On 12/15/05 12:06 pm Dick wrote:

>>I nee a laptop that is PIII or P4 that has a serial port,running Windows XP
>>or 2000 for my ham radio programs.Only problem is I will be trading a mint
>>condition Kenwood TM-V7 dual band ham radio for the laptop.Let me know what
>>you got.I would prefer a local area swap that way we won't have to see who
>>is going to ship first.Tahnks for looking.

> Why not just get an older laptop running Windows 98 or Me for your ham
> programs. That's what I did. Got an old Sony laptop that works
> great. I only use it in the Jeep with GPS programs or programming the
> Kenwood D700A. If I am at home I just use the home computer. My
> regular laptop doesn't have a serial port either, and I gave up trying
> to use a USB to Serial adapter.

I agree that an older computer running Win98SE *should* be more than
adequate for handling ham radio applications, but the author of my
favorite ham radio program, Ham Radio Deluxe, says that he doesn't
always test minor updates of his program (e.g., the recent one that
added rotator control) with Win98SE or WinME and that with the next
major update he may declare WinXP to be the only officially supported OS.

"Perce"
(aka Alan NV8A)

5981. FA:LOT of Motorola "FLEX" Pagers...2 hrs to end-NR-Cheap !

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 22:18:50 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <skGpf.3062$nj1.601@fed1read07>
Source record: 11854
Cross-posted to:
alt.marketplace.online.ebay,alt.video.equipment.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

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5982. FS New Vibroplex Deluxe Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-19 22:26:56 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <qsGpf.41215$ih5.35707@dukeread11>
Source record: 11855

I have for sale an as new Vibroplex Deluxe Bug in the original box. This is the polished chrome base version with fine jewel movements and red finger pieces. It perfect, just like it came from the factory. It comes with the original packing and warranty and instructions. It has only been used a few times. The cost on the new Deluxe models is currently $199.99. Price on this one is $!35 plus shipping from 79602. It would make a nice Christmas gift. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5983. Re: FT Need A Laptop with serial port

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-20 00:39:16 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <rvjeq1phvfvnprgal4uiard60e3e9d8u9e@4ax.com>
Source record: 11856

On Mon, 19 Dec 2005 16:53:02 -0500, "Percival P. Cassidy"
<Nobody@NotMyISP.com> wrote:

>On 12/15/05 12:06 pm Dick wrote:
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>> great. I only use it in the Jeep with GPS programs or programming the
>> Kenwood D700A. If I am at home I just use the home computer. My
>> regular laptop doesn't have a serial port either, and I gave up trying
>> to use a USB to Serial adapter.
>
>I agree that an older computer running Win98SE *should* be more than
>adequate for handling ham radio applications, but the author of my
>favorite ham radio program, Ham Radio Deluxe, says that he doesn't
>always test minor updates of his program (e.g., the recent one that
>added rotator control) with Win98SE or WinME and that with the next
>major update he may declare WinXP to be the only officially supported OS.
>
>"Perce"
>(aka Alan NV8A)

Older computers can also run Windows XP. My comment was only related
to the fact that it would be typical to find something like Me on an
older computer. I have a computer that is over 10 years old that is
running Windows XP SP2 with no problem at all. The Internet wasn't
even available to the public back then. And yes, it does have an
RS-232 port. For many years, it was my ham radio computer, long
before XP was envisioned. Today, with XP SP2 it will take on any ham
radio program. I can also dual-boot it into Windows 98 Me if I have
to have it for something.

Dick - W6CCD

5984. Re: FS New Vibroplex Deluxe Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-20 01:34:45 UTC
From: Gary from McDonough <gbrk@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1135042485.516223.111270@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11857

Chalie, I think I know what you want for the Bug but just reading what you posted. If indeed the price is $35.00 count it as mine and I'll get you the funds for the key. I think though you might have meant $135 instead of $!35.00 .. but either way thought I would ask for the clarification. As I said I think I know what you meant but we'll see.

Gary

5985. Re: Kenwood ts130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-20 04:02:16 UTC
From: w4pqw@cox.net
Message-ID: <1135051336.141884.253080@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11858

I worked in a Kenwood repair shop for several years..My advise is:
check all simple things like loose connections, poor board connections
etc.. At the prices of used transceivers of that age,and costs of
shipping to a service shop,lack of replacement parts.and costs of parts
that are available..I would look for a beat-up old TS 130 that had a
good readout ,buy it and go from there.. you would also have a source
for parts in the future..PS: The TS-130 is a good radio ,with a good
record..It came out in September of 1980 ..makes it 25 yers old

5986. Re: Kenwood ts130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-20 04:02:51 UTC
From: w4pqw@cox.net
Message-ID: <1135051371.144548.247180@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11859

I worked in a Kenwood repair shop for several years..My advise is:
check all simple things like loose connections, poor board connections
etc.. At the prices of used transceivers of that age,and costs of
shipping to a service shop,lack of replacement parts.and costs of parts
that are available..I would look for a beat-up old TS 130 that had a
good readout ,buy it and go from there.. you would also have a source
for parts in the future..PS: The TS-130 is a good radio ,with a good
record..It came out in September of 1980 ..makes it 25 yers old

5987. FS: HEATHKITS, ELDICO's, SWAN 600 Twins, S-40 rcvr>ALL PICK-UP ONLY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-20 18:54:32 UTC
From: cooltube <cooltube@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <lrYpf.3988$x24.2132@fe09.lga>
Source record: 11860
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.shortwave

Hi All;
As you all know, i've been think about moving so I need to sell my collection, much is gone but am finding still more:-)
1)-3 Heathkit SB-401 transmitters, none tested, one min. does have the crystals so it can be used by itself,
Heathkit SB-104 w/Matching supply.
Heathkit SB-102 xcvr w/HP-23B supply, not sure about cable.
All above is untested but needs clean-up.
Price is $650.

2)- I have 2 Eldico 100F transmitters & 2-Eldico 1000F amps for $1,000, all untested, one amp needs a meter, I think the 100F xmtrs might be prototypes from Eldico, but not sure.

3)-Swan Twins 600R with all options & 600T xmtr, & Swan matching spkr/patch. I have 2 original boxes, The rcvr works great, never tested rest, Look better than EXC. $650 all!

4)-Hallicrafters S-40 receiver $50

Many parts & tubes for homebrewers, like sockets, roller inductors, Coupla HB Amps, no supplies,
Coupla Roller inductor tuners, (Old HP(?) test gear, freee).
Please, only if you can pick-up on Long Island, NY!
Regards;
Rich WA2RQY

5988. WTB: DG-1 Digital Display for TS-820

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-21 03:51:13 UTC
From: dfranklin <dfranklyn@mindspring.com>
Message-ID: <q1khq1dsborvkl36b1bk88fl4jtthvcka6@4ax.com>
Source record: 11861

Wanted DG-1 Digital Display for Kenwood TS-820 transciever.

Please email direct

Thanks
dfranklyn@mindspring.com

5989. APRS users

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-21 09:33:38 UTC
From: hxc98@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1135157618.421686.103140@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11862

If you use MapPoint with either APRSPoint or UI-View, you can update MapPoint 2004 with the latest map data very inexpensively. All you need is a copy of Streets 2006 or AutoRoute 2006. Go to http://www.aprspoint.com/ for step by step instructions.

5990. FS: AL-1500

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-21 15:03:15 UTC
From: Larry M <retire@means.net>
Message-ID: <Ls-dnbumNP8y8zTeRVn-jw@onvoy.com>
Source record: 11863

Very clean, conservatively used AL1500, some minor cabinet scratches, excellent electronically. Richard Measures anti-parasitic mods installed. 1500 watts with about 40 watts of drive. Prefer pick up or will deliver within 300 miles of Minneapolis. Will ship with txfmr and tube removed at actual shipping cost. Pix available upon request. $1600. Email n0xb (at) arrl dot net

5991. FS Blue Racer Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-21 18:58:46 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <dBhqf.41308$ih5.20658@dukeread11>
Source record: 11864

I have an old Blue Racer Standard Bug for sale. It has the grey base and the SN is 199465. It is in good shape, but does have a few nicks in the paint around the edges of the base. I can send digital pictures on request. Price is $175 shipped in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

5992. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-21 20:26:15 UTC
From: Gary <danahers@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <43A9BA67.1020306@comcast.net>
Source record: 11865

Joseph Fenn wrote:
>>
>> My last catalog is a 2002, and that was the end. I agree on the
>> Mouser catalog. The only problem with Mouser is that they send one
>> every 3 months, and they are huge! To get rid of them I take the last
>> one to the radio club meeting. They get taken immediately.
>>
>> Dick
>>
> What in the heck is "mouser"? Never herard of it! Whats the
> url if you have one...
> Kokomo Joe
>
The only problem with Mouser is that they closed their City Sales
counter when they moved into a new building in Mansfield. I used to be
able to go over their and pick out exactly what I needed, but no more.

5993. Ships Radio Room Clocks FS

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-21 20:34:16 UTC
From: safetypro <bfdp1@msn.com>
Message-ID: <1135197255.930428.44770@o13g2000cwo.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11866

CHELSEA Timemaster Clock

The 6" Timemaster Quartz Radio Room Clock

by Chelsea (Model 40101)

A rare opportunity to own a Chelsea special, non-catalog Government/Commercial clock.

New, factory fresh in an unopened, factory sealed box.

The Chelsea Timemaster is the pinnacle of maritime timekeeping - and this model features a Radio Room dial. This clock has been used for many years by the United States Navy in the demanding shipboard environment - setting the standard long before satellites were used for navigation - and still in use today.

This Chelsea Timemaster has a silent, high precision quartz movement as specified by the U.S. Military. It meets standards for vibration, temperature and humidity extremes. The accuracy of this quartz movement is +/- 1 minute per year. The Chelsea Timemaster clocks have passed U. S. Navy tests for accuracy, shock, vibration, temperature and humidity extremes.

The sinking of the Titanic resulted in the Radio Act of 1912 that required 24-hour radio watches. The disaster also led to clocks in the newer radio rooms featuring three-minute periods marked in red. That three minutes provided a silent period when only emergency radio messages could be transmitted.

These clocks had an extra hour hand which was set on local time; the regular hands were set at Greenwich mean time (Zulu) since all incoming and outgoing messages were so marked. The red segments radiating out from the center post designated 3 minute periods at the quarter and three-quarter hours to observe radio silence to listen for emergency broadcasts on 500kcs. Later models featured additional green sectors at the top of each hour and 30 minutes past each hour for the monitoring of the 2182kcs. distress frequency. The red marks in the chapter ring designated 4 second intervals to time emergency autoalarm signals used to activate alarm bells on nearby ships and shore stations during the sending of an SOS.

The Timemaster is suitable for use on the enclosed bridge, wheelhouse, and ships radio room, on any Government, Commercial or Pleasure vessel or of course, in any home.

Timemaster is not included in the Chelsea catalog. Produced under various contracts which offer limited availability to the civilian market, and available only through authorized dealers by special order.

This clock is available for immediate shipment to the winner of this auction. It comes in its Factory-sealed (unopened) box.

Features:

6" diameter Radio Room dial
Accurate 12 hour quartz movement (+/- 1 min per year)
Second register
Hinged front bezel
Second hand
Black phenolic case

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Toll Free 866-392-COVE
Fax 401-322-3008
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5219 Old Post Road
Charlestown, RI 02813

MSRP $235.00 on e-bay for $180 (Quartz)

5994. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-21 22:03:59 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndqjkag.2ssd.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 11867

On Thu, 15 Dec 2005 14:53:29 -1000, Joseph Fenn wrote:
>>
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>> Mouser catalog. The only problem with Mouser is that they send one
>> every 3 months, and they are huge! To get rid of them I take the last
>> one to the radio club meeting. They get taken immediately.
>>
>> Dick
>>
> What in the heck is "mouser"? Never herard of it! Whats the
> url if you have one...

Learn to fish:

http://www.google.com/search?as_q=mouser+catalog&num=1

5995. Re: How can I get Radio Shack Catalog??

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 03:58:27 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Evpqf.653$Kp3.277@fe08.lga>
Source record: 11868

Joseph Fenn wrote:

> After getting my long lost radio shack charge card renewed I now find
> out that Radio Shack no longer has Catalogs available. What a shame!!!
> Joe/KH6JF
>
>
> **
> * Ham KH6JF AARS/MARS ABM6JF QCWA WW2 VET WD RADIO SYSTEM*
> * Army MARS PRECEDED by AARS (Army Amateur Radio System) * * Hi
> State ARMY MARS COORDINATOR *
> **
>
EBAY!!!

5996. Re: FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 04:02:00 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <Yypqf.654$Kp3.399@fe08.lga>
Source record: 11869
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Telamon wrote:

>In article <Xns972BCD0BF8235johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>,
> "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net> wrote:
>
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>
>>Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!
>>
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>
>Don't worry John I'm sure most people have now kill filled you for 20
>off topic cross-posted responses in one day in all the news groups in
>the thread.
>
>One response would have done the job.
>
>< Plonk >
>
>
>
Maybe his hand has a stutter??

5997. Re: FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 08:33:42 UTC
From: miso@sushi.com
Message-ID: <1135240422.425115.248950@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11870
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

Unfortunately I use google for usenet. Overall, I like the google
interface with the exception that I can't kill fill assholes like
Cooltube. Occasionally I see something he is offering that I might
want, but I refuse to bid on anything that spammer sells. He ranks up
there (or is the phrase "down there" with Radio-Mart(RM).

If I could killfile someone, it would be cooltube, not John.

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> the thread.
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>
> < Plonk >
>
> --
> Telamon
> Ventura, California

5998. Re: FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 09:06:29 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns973429CAFBDA0johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11871
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

miso@sushi.com wrote in news:1135240422.425115.248950
@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com:

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> interface with the exception that I can't kill fill assholes like
> Cooltube. Occasionally I see something he is offering that I might
> want, but I refuse to bid on anything that spammer sells. He ranks up
> there (or is the phrase "down there" with Radio-Mart(RM).
>
> If I could killfile someone, it would be cooltube, not John.

God Bless you!

Regards,
John E. Golden

5999. SolderSmoke#11: A show for electronics enthusiasts

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 09:19:19 UTC
From: meara.london@virgin.net
Message-ID: <1135243159.822042.76780@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11872
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.basics

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A SHOW FOR ELECTRONICS HOMEBREWERS!
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http://www.ourmedia.org/node/123300

We hope you enjoy the program. Please send us feedback.

73 from London
Bill M0HBR N2CQR CU2JL
http://www.qsl.net/n2cqr

6000. Re: FA: YAESU FR-101SD DIGITAL HAM, CB & SHORT-WAVE RECEIVER>NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 12:02:33 UTC
From: Steveo <moparholic@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <20051222070233.426$ZG@newsreader.com>
Source record: 11873
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.cb,rec.radio.shortwave

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Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net> wrote:
> This is a multi-part message in MIME format.
> --------------010005060004000800020006
> Content-Type: text/plain; charset=us-ascii; format=flowed
> Content-Transfer-Encoding: 7bit
>
Lose the html, Jack.
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6001. website

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 12:24:54 UTC
From: Super DX <superdx@free.fr>
Message-ID: <bWwqf.503$Lp.362@nntpserver.swip.net>
Source record: 11874

Hi all,

here is a new ham website :

http://superdx.free.fr

73's and Merry Xmas !

Vince

6002. VHF HT's For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 17:22:33 UTC
From: k5die@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1135272153.655020.92180@g49g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11875

ICOM IC-F3 32, KENWOOD TK-250. The Icom is 32 channel, the Kenwood is 160. Both have good batteries, antennas, and rapid desk charger. Will include the computer cable and software for programming. Your Choice: $100 plus shipping.

Pictures on my web page: http://www.angelfire.com/in4/jnk47130
Questions or offers to: k5die@sbcglobal.net

NO OUT OF COUNTRY SALES.

6003. Re: VHF HT's For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 17:27:51 UTC
From: "M.M." <nobody@nowhere.com>
Message-ID: <FlBqf.7089$_L5.4900@fed1read06>
Source record: 11876

k5die@sbcglobal.net wrote:
> ...
>
> NO OUT OF COUNTRY SALES.
>

Which country???

6004. Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 19:57:29 UTC
From: Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net>
Message-ID: <67dce$43ab0528$42a1c00b$29616@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 11877

After several months of just not listening to my 2 meter base station, I finally took time to find the source of the interference that held the squelch open on the repeater channel I listen to most often. Turned out it was my Dlink DI-604 router. I borrowed a Linksys NR-041 router from my neighbor and it works a little better. I can now listen to the 145.390 repeater, not because the Linksys puts out no RFI, but only because it puts it out in a different place (mostly in the 146.46-146.58 range). I will probably invest in a newer router, probably wireless. Question I have is does anyone have any experience with the new breed of wireless routers that are reasonable clean in the RFI/2 meter spectrum? Thanks.

6005. Paolomar VLF converter: schematic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 20:38:48 UTC
From: Steve <zarco@sonic.net>
Message-ID: <43ab0eaa$0$96014$742ec2ed@news.sonic.net>
Source record: 11878

Its a cold, rainy day here so I decided to pull out this VLF comverter and take a look at it. Seems to work OK, but I've noticed that part of the PC board has not been loaded with parts. Seems to be a preamp. A search on the web didn't turn up anything.

I've found there are (at least) two versions. One uses a J-FET and NPN transistor in the preamp (board 1269B), but the version I have only uses an NPN transistor (board 1269D). Does anone out there have the schematic for the 1269D version?

Thanks!
Steve

6006. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 20:42:43 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11qm3u37fd50ob2@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 11880

In article <67dce$43ab0528$42a1c00b$29616@FUSE.NET>,
Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net> wrote:

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>squelch open on the repeater channel I listen to most often. Turned out it
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>probably invest in a newer router, probably wireless. Question I have is
>does anyone have any experience with the new breed of wireless routers that
>are reasonable clean in the RFI/2 meter spectrum? Thanks.

Back in August I helped my city's ARES/RACES EC chase down a 2-meter interference problem at his condo. An HP spectrum analyzer showed a whole series of regularly-spaced spurs throughout the 2-meter band - most strong enough to de-squelch an HT, and several strong enough to compete with repeater-output signals on the same or nearby frequencies and make communication difficult or impossible. He had the usual "cable channel 18" spur on 145.250 (not a new problem at his QTH) but the multiple spurs were something new.

By plugging a measuring-tape Yagi-Uda foxhunt antenna into the spectrum analyzer, we quickly localized the source of the signal to the neighboring condo unit, second floor, rear of the building, polarized 45 degrees from vertical :-)

He spoke with his neighbor, and they quickly identified the neighbor's new Netgear 802.11b/g WAP/router/switch as the cause. We did some RF-snooping with the spectrum analyzer and a rubber duck, and determined that the spurs were radiating from within the router's case itself. The source seemed to be on the right side of the case, just in front of the DC power inlet jack. There was no significant spur radiation from the power cord itself - it was coming from the PC board, and whatever ferrites or whatever Netgear had put on the DC inlet were doing their job just fine.

My conclusion was that the Netgear model in question uses a buck-mode switching voltage regulator, operating at a switching frequency of about 30-40 kHz (the spacing of the spurs we saw), and that its internal switch generates very fast current rise/fall times which radiate harmonics from the PC board.

I ran a similar test on an older model of Netgear wireless router (one of a couple I'd picked up at a swap meet) and observed no such

problem. The older router's switcher does emit some low-level 2-meter hash into a nearby probe, but it's much less energetic and appears as broadband RF noise with no significant peaks. Possibly the older unit has a spectrum-spreading feature in its regulator, or possibly it's just a better design RF-wise (slower switching edges, self-shielding inductors, better grounding/routing on the board, etc.).

The noisy router is a Netgear model WGR614 v6 (802.11b/g), FCC ID PY305100002.

The non-noisy one is a Netgear model MR814 v2 (802.11b), FCC ID PY3MR814v2.

My EC's neighbor (a retired EE who takes Part 15 quite seriously) went out and bought a different model of b/g router, and the problem went away. I'm afraid I don't know the number of the replacement model.

Given how frequently manufacturers revise their hardware (every time their OEM gets a new batch of parts, I suspect) I think you're probably going to have to test individual models for acceptable QRM levels. A model number which looks OK today, might or might not have the same guts in it as a unit of the same model number that you buy three months from now.

A year or so before that, a few other guys and I used the same HP spectrum analyzer to locate the source of some QRM which was causing a buzzing squelch-tail interference on numerous local 2-meter repeaters. It turned out to be a Netgear 4-port wired-Ethernet hub, which was howling like a whole chorus of dire wolves on a high-order harmonic of its (drifty) internal crystal's frequency. The signal was apparently getting into all of the 10BaseT wiring and back out the power cord into the mains... his whole apartment was radiating. From a block away we could "see" when the owner started to download files from the Internet, thanks to the strong pulsing spur which would appear somewhere in the 2-meter band.

I offered him one of my spare 6-port hubs (an Airlink) in return for his defective unit, he agreed, we made the exchange. Problem solved, hasn't returned.

--
Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

6007. FT/FS Amp Supply LK800 NTC TNY

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 20:42:45 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <vt3mq1dfc6ifgqugrjgce0v84srs22ht90@4ax.com>
Source record: 11879

FT/FS Amp Supply LK800 NTC TNY
Forsale Or Trade for ham gear etc.
Hi
I have a LK800 TNY NTC No tune amp
I bought it a month ago and spent 3200.00
Beleive it or not.
I see it arked on the high voltage board and I see where it is,
looks like a diode?? Anyway, I replaced the fuses
and it comes back on and voltage reads correct 3000 Volts
The softstart light now does'nt come on so I do have a new one in the
box to go with it. It needs work and I'm moving on because I have
another amp.
So again Make offer or trade offer.
Rich
reply email
ritchi50@optonline.net

6008. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 21:07:09 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <410iruF1cojgqU1@individual.net>
Source record: 11881

Hmmm, I have the same router, with no problems at all, and it is about 1 meter from my radios.... try winding the power cord together in one bundle, and use it at 100 tx/rx with Cat5e or better cables. From my router, the wan goes to a DSL box, and the lan is hooked up to a Gigabit switch, and a 10/100 switch, all with no interference noticeable..

Jim Leder wrote:
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> finally took time to find the source of the interference that held the
> squelch open on the repeater channel I listen to most often. Turned out it
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> probably invest in a newer router, probably wireless. Question I have is
> does anyone have any experience with the new breed of wireless routers that
> are reasonable clean in the RFI/2 meter spectrum? Thanks.
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Bob N9LVU

6009. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 21:22:49 UTC
From: Howard <mensch90249@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <p16mq19j4qmls8n61bsc1il5ihm5qs09s8@4ax.com>
Source record: 11882

On Thu, 22 Dec 2005 15:07:09 -0600, Robert Kubichek
<bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

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>meter from my radios.... try winding the power cord together in one
>bundle, and use it at 100 tx/rx with Cat5e or better cables. From my
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>> probably invest in a newer router, probably wireless. Question I have is
>> does anyone have any experience with the new breed of wireless routers that
>> are reasonable clean in the RFI/2 meter spectrum? Thanks.
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I do not have any answers to offer, however I do have that same router
and have had RFI problems since getting it. Mostly an issue if I'm
using the computer while playing on the local net - my nontechnical
solution was to stop using the handheld by the computer. I've found
that once you get about 3 feet away the problem is greatly reduced.
My 'real radios' which are at the opposite side of the room, and have
external antennas, are not noticably affected.

6010. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 22:16:23 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <410mtnF1cg6qkU1@individual.net>
Source record: 11883

One more thing you might try, is to line the inside with aluminum foil
thats at ground potential...
I have just checked mine for rf emissions using my Standard C168A as it
has a very good front end. I have found that I get more rf from my
laptop(s, than my desktop(s)/server(s)that have all metal cases. There
is very little from my network connections..

Jim Leder wrote:
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> squelch open on the repeater channel I listen to most often. Turned out it
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Bob N9LVU

6011. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 22:32:30 UTC
From: Big Endian <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <nospam-CADC7D.16323022122005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 11884

In article <67dce$43ab0528$42a1c00b$29616@FUSE.NET>,
"Jim Leder" <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net> wrote:

> After several months of just not listening to my 2 meter base station, I
> finally took time to find the source of the interference that held the
> squelch open on the repeater channel I listen to most often. Turned out it
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> does anyone have any experience with the new breed of wireless routers that
> are reasonable clean in the RFI/2 meter spectrum? Thanks.

I've heard from more than one source regarding D-link routers causing
interference. Seems the switching PS is causing problems in HF radios.
The company says it does not have a problem.

I use a Asante router and it is quiet.

6012. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-22 23:06:34 UTC
From: Ralph Mowery <rmowery28146@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <_jGqf.9656$Dd2.8544@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 11885

"Big Endian" <nospam@nospam.com> wrote in message
news:nospam-CADC7D.16323022122005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> In article <67dce$43ab0528$42a1c00b$29616@FUSE.NET>,
> "Jim Leder" <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net> wrote:
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> > After several months of just not listening to my 2 meter base station,
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> interference. Seems the switching PS is causing problems in HF radios.
> The company says it does not have a problem.
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I replaced a Linksys 4 port router with a Belkin to get a spur off the local
repeater. It was so strong I could not squelch it out. Not sure where the
Belkin puts the spurs if it has them.

6013. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 00:06:02 UTC
From: Ben Jackson <ben@ben.com>
Message-ID: <slrndqmfra.2668.ben@saturn.home.ben.com>
Source record: 11886

On 2005-12-22, Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net> wrote:
> squelch open on the repeater channel I listen to most often. Turned out it
> was my Dlink DI-604 router.

Does it happen with no network cables hooked up? If not, try some shielded
CAT5 cables (they have a foil layer in the cable and a metal shell over the
RJ45 connector).

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Ben Jackson
<ben@ben.com>
http://www.ben.com/

6014. AL-1500 Sold

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 02:29:54 UTC
From: Larry M <retire@means.net>
Message-ID: <hcqdnTv3NLaH_DbeRVn-pQ@onvoy.com>
Source record: 11887

Thanks to all who inquired.

6015. WTB: Manual for TrueTime GPS-TMD 505

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 03:43:19 UTC
From: NE8S <garwonko@southwind.net>
Message-ID: <rnKqf.9751$Dd2.8755@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 11888

Greetings, All

Please, I am looking for some technical information, and preferably a manual
for the TrueTime Model 505-106, GPS-TMD.

It is my hope that someone out there can help.

Happy Holidays!

Gar Ko
NE8S

Email: ne8s@earthlink.net or ne8s@arrl.net

6016. D-104 Refurbish?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 08:42:34 UTC
From: Mike Fairleigh <cantreplytothis@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <htSdnQ9IXeK5JDbenZ2dnUVZ_tGdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 11889

Hello,

I have a D-104 lollipop which I obtained new in 1975 or '76, which I'd like to rebuild. Unfortunately, it needs a lot of work:

1. Head connector (female side in the top of the neck)
2. New leaf switches
3. Ceramic element - I don't know it's condition. The mic was stored away in an unairconditioned attic for quite a few years.
4. New cord & strain relief spring
5. Gunmetal base needs refinished
6. Not sure about chrome - may need re-done.

I know - I can pick up a used one in seemingly better condition for almost certainly less cost. But this mic has incalculable sentimental value and cannot be replaced. I'd love to return it to like-new condition.

Yes, based on the time of purchase, this obviously was used as a CB mic. In my defense, I was *heavily* into CB radio long *before* the craze hit. All that trucker crap was always a big embarrassment for me; CB was my version of amateur radio - all I could afford (actually more than I could afford) as a high school student. I still own an original Hy-Gain Penetrator 500, complete, and someday I'll find a good use for it. In the meantime, the radio bug has never completely left me and I can see amateur activity in my future.

Does anyone have any advice on where/who/how/whether this can be done? I would most surely appreciate hearing from you. Thank you.

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Mike

6017. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 08:53:34 UTC
From: Big Endian <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <nospam-F85363.02533423122005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 11890

In article <_jGqf.9656$Dd2.8544@newsread3.news.atl.earthlink.net>,
"Ralph Mowery" <rmowery28146@earthlink.net> wrote:

> "Big Endian" <nospam@nospam.com> wrote in message
> news:nospam-CADC7D.16323022122005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com...
> > In article <67dce$43ab0528$42a1c00b$29616@FUSE.NET>,
> > "Jim Leder" <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net> wrote:
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> repeater. It was so strong I could not squelch it out. Not sure where the
> Belkin puts the spurs if it has them.

Also, be sure to either wire yourself or buy the straight through
ethernet cables that are wired for the 568-A standard, CAT 5E, enhanced.
Makes a big difference in long runs for connectivity and maybe in RFI.
They will tell you there is no difference in operation between a 568-A
and 568-B, but I can tell you from personal experience there is.

6018. Re: Ethernet Router RFI

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 14:05:36 UTC
From: Jim Leder <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net>
Message-ID: <b3856$43ac042f$42a1c00b$14839@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 11891

Thanks for all the suggestions, I do appreciate the input. I think Dave hit the nail on the head, namely that all routers will PROBABLY generate something, some worse than others. Dave, I read your reply over and over and I am quite amazed at the tenacity you went after your problem. Didn't sound like an easy bug to chase.
Now on to what I did to MINIMIZE my RFI problem. I say minimize because it's not totally eliminated, but it's at a point where I can tolerate it. My DSL modem and router are about 10 feet apart and I make all my own cables, so I know they are made correctly. I attempted removing all 4 to see if one of the cables to a PC was at fault and none of them were, however when I removed the shorty cable between the modem and the router, the noise stopped (the cable is only about 20 inches long). I tried all kinds of things (and yes, I did put a 6 foot cable in to get away from near resonance on 2 meters), like wrapping the cable in foil, making it into a ball and just moving it around in different positions, etc., but when I used an iron core bead on the ROUTER end and wrapped as much of the cable around it as I could, the problem all but disappeared. Putting the iron at the modem end had no effect. The other thing I did was work an even trade of my old Dlink router with my neighbor for his old Linksys router. The Linksys is in a solid aluminum case (well shielded) and initially helped my problem. This little Linksys has NO plastic on the outside and seems to be a bit quieter because of it.
Lastly, I have all my antennas either outside or 20 feet away up in my attic and on 2, all were affected. I will admit that if I put a rubber duckie on my TS2000 and listen on 2, it was really bad. So the outside, more distant antennas do help. I've only noticed this problem on 2 meters, no where else. HF and 440 seem to be clean.
As Dave suggested, the problem is indeed coming from the routers, whether it be the power supply or just the electronics of Ethernet, I'm not sure. I'm guessing the electronics of the Ethernet is generating the spurs.
I think the Dlink DI-604 is a fine router, it has given me years of perfect service but it looks like time to make a change. I may end up going through several different wireless routers before finding that fits my operation, but I always have the Linksys to fall back on.
Hope this discussion can help others.
Thanks again for the really great suggestions and Happy Holidays to all.

Jim Leder ... K8CXM since 1962

"Jim Leder" <k8cxm@spam.fuse.net> wrote in message
news:67dce$43ab0528$42a1c00b$29616@FUSE.NET...
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6019. Re: FT/FS Amp Supply LK800 SOLD

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 17:56:34 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <sheoq1hlhpef7fkt3i2c3rbmkj17hmqmum@4ax.com>
Source record: 11892

Sold Thanks for all replies

On Thu, 22 Dec 2005 15:42:45 -0500, ritchi50@optonline.net wrote:

>FT/FS Amp Supply LK800 NTC TNY
>Forsale Or Trade for ham gear etc.
>Hi
>I have a LK800 TNY NTC No tune amp
>I bought it a month ago and spent 3200.00
>Beleive it or not.
>I see it arked on the high voltage board and I see where it is,
>looks like a diode?? Anyway, I replaced the fuses
>and it comes back on and voltage reads correct 3000 Volts
>The softstart light now does'nt come on so I do have a new one in the
>box to go with it. It needs work and I'm moving on because I have
>another amp.
>So again Make offer or trade offer.
>Rich
>reply email
>ritchi50@optonline.net

6020. Re: VHF HT's For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 19:11:50 UTC
From: k5die@sbcglobal.net
Message-ID: <1135365110.782211.287560@g43g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11893

Yeah, I didn't even think a response to that question was necessary.

Sales are pending on both items.

tnx es 73 de Jim
K5DIE

6021. FS Alinco DR-610 VHF/UHF Rig

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 22:38:13 UTC
From: Matthew Steger <n3ntj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <p%_qf.9633$nm.5500@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 11894

For Sale - Alinco DR-610T - VHF/UHF FM Twin Bander Mobile Transceiver

Rarely used Alinco DR-610T VHF/UHF Radio in Excellent condition. Even still has the factory installed plastic on the detachable front panel as it came out of the box. Great base or mobile rig. Includes the stock EMS-12 Hand mic with full keypad and cables for detaching the radio and the face. EJ-24U CTCSS encode/decode installed. Will run 9600 bps packet as well. Manual included. I may still have the mounting bracket.

Asking $250.00 USD + S/H or Best Offer! See specs below.

Alinco Specs:
Tx: 144.000-147.995/438.000-449.995 MHz FM
Rx: 108.000-173.995 AM/FM / 420.000-470.000 MHz
* Channel Scope (to monitor nearby freqs or channel)
* Full duplex between VHF & UHF
* DSQ selective call
* CTCSS encoder/decoder EJ-24U installed
* Autodialer
* VHF 50W/UHF 35W max. (down to 5 Watts)
* Separatable front panel control with cable EDS-2/3
* UHF x UHF/VHF x VHF operation
* 9600 bps connector for packet
* Time-out-timer
* Remote DTMF control
* S-meter squelch
* 120 memory channels, expandable up to 240 channels

A very nice radio I simply don't need anymore since I've upgraded to a new HF radio with VHF/UHF built in. Easy and fun to use, very nice audio, and still looks like it just came out of the box. Approx. 40~50 hours of use over a 3 year span.

Email me direct. I can email pictures and answer questions.

73
n3ntj@earthlink.net
Matt Steger, N3NTJ

6022. FS: HP 608e VHF Signal Generator

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 22:40:07 UTC
From: Matthew Steger <n3ntj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <b1%qf.9634$nm.5694@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 11895

For Sale - HP 608e VHF Signal Generator

Very Good condition. Covers 10-480 MHz AM-CW-pulse; 1 and 5 MHz calibration check points over entire range make +/-0.05R accuracy possible. Modulation 400 or 1000 Hz internal; extermal 20 Hz-20 KHz. 0-95%. Large 3.5" dia. meters indicate Percent Modulation and Output Volts-DBM. Requires 115/230VAC 50-400 Hz; 16.4x13.3x21, 72 lbs.

$150 USD or best offer + S/H.

Email me direct at: n3ntj@earthlink.net
Matt Steger, N3NTJ

6023. Re: Kenwood ts130

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 22:46:12 UTC
From: Matthew Steger <n3ntj@earthlink.net>
Message-ID: <U6%qf.9635$nm.8650@newsread2.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 11896

I had a TS-440S and it had the same problems. Sometimes just decimal points and no numbers; sometimes rolling numbers on the display. I think the processor had some issues as well as the PLL. At times on 10m and 15m, it would just draw huge amounts of current and blow the fuse within tenths of a sec.

Last summer, I took a close lightning strike and it destroyed the radio. Replaced it with a new FT-897D.

Good luck.

"o" <o@o.net> wrote in message news:do2sef$m01$1@news.iquest.net...
> Hi All,
> have a question about the ts130s...has anybody had intermittant display
> or
> no display problems with this rig? Mine was intermittant, but now display
> is dead...looked at mods.dk but the answer for display problems wasnt
> what
> was wrong with my rig..can anybody help? Tnx in advance de AA9YP
>
>

6024. NOS Amphenol 2 pin Mic connectors for Heathkit, Eico, Johnson ect.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-23 23:55:26 UTC
From: m <chris@piexx.com>
Message-ID: <43ac8b23$1_2@newspeer2.tds.net>
Source record: 11897

Here is a link to hard to get 2 pin mic connectors used on Heath, Johnson, Eico ect...

http://www.piexx.com/ then click on the components Category

6025. Re: D-104 Refurbish?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 05:42:59 UTC
From: All Your Base <K-six-AYB@barovelli.com>
Message-ID: <7bnpq15a3svo4ud5bjba4aj111koi1c5i6@4ax.com>
Source record: 11798

"Mike Fairleigh" <cantreplytothis@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

>Hello,
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>I have a D-104 lollipop which I obtained new in 1975 or '76, which I'd like
>to rebuild. Unfortunately, it needs a lot of work:
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>1. Head connector (female side in the top of the neck)
>2. New leaf switches
>3. Ceramic element - I don't know it's condition. The mic was stored away
>in an unairconditioned attic for quite a few years.
>4. New cord & strain relief spring
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>I know - I can pick up a used one in seemingly better condition for almost
>certainly less cost. But this mic has incalculable sentimental value and
>cannot be replaced. I'd love to return it to like-new condition.
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>Yes, based on the time of purchase, this obviously was used as a CB mic. In
>my defense, I was *heavily* into CB radio long *before* the craze hit. All
>that trucker crap was always a big embarrassment for me; CB was my version
>of amateur radio - all I could afford (actually more than I could afford) as
>a high school student. I still own an original Hy-Gain Penetrator 500,
>complete, and someday I'll find a good use for it. In the meantime, the
>radio bug has never completely left me and I can see amateur activity in my
>future.
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>Does anyone have any advice on where/who/how/whether this can be done? I
>would most surely appreciate hearing from you. Thank you.

I've considered nearly the same thing. Thought about putting a Heil
element in my 'sentimental' UG8 D104 when I get on HF.
http://www.heilsound.com/amateur/hcelements.htm

My story is a lot like yours. I wanted to be on CB since my first part
95 walkie talkies. In '74 I got a real radio, then in 76 I got a
license ;).

I won the unamplified mic & stand at a West Coast Radio Club Jamboree,
then proceeded to mod it. Put a TU Kit in it to turn up the modulation
and talk like a big strapper. Replaced the gray straight cable with a
blue coiled cord from a Turner mic. Added a mechanical bell and
striker to make a fake ping like Browning Eagles.

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"From spongecake to satellites, it's gotta be Krebstar"

6026. FA: HT1000 Radio with Charger & Mic

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 06:15:17 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <5H5rf.3588$nj1.3087@fed1read07>
Source record: 11799
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: HT1000 Radio with Charger & Mic

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7573694330&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6027. FA: Motorola UHF Duplexer-Base/Reeater

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 06:18:21 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <ZJ5rf.3589$nj1.2227@fed1read07>
Source record: 11800
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola UHF Duplexer-Base/Reeater

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7573910036&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6028. FA: Motorola UHF HT1000 16-Ch w/Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 06:20:44 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <CN5rf.3591$nj1.1670@fed1read07>
Source record: 11801
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola UHF HT1000 16-Ch w/Accessories

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7573698417&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6029. FA: Motorola GTX 2Way Portables... 800 MHz Band...w/Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 06:25:30 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <GQ5rf.3592$nj1.71@fed1read07>
Source record: 11802
Cross-posted to: alt.marketplace.online.ebay,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Motorola GTX 2Way Portables... 800 MHz Band...w/Chargers

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7574247778&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6030. FA: Wireless Radio Remote Control-200' range-Electronic Projects-NR

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 06:30:13 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <5V5rf.3593$nj1.1304@fed1read07>
Source record: 11803
Cross-posted to: alt.marketplace.online.ebay,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA: Wireless Radio Remote Control-200' range-Electronic Projects-NR

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5845330934&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6031. Re: D-104 Refurbish?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 10:19:48 UTC
From: Mike Fairleigh <cantreplytothis@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <f-udnT44kqXyvDDenZ2dnUVZ_sGdnZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 11804

"All Your Base" <K-six-AYB@barovelli.com> wrote in message
> I've considered nearly the same thing. Thought about putting a Heil
> element in my 'sentimental' UG8 D104 when I get on HF.
> http://www.heilsound.com/amateur/hcelements.htm
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> My story is a lot like yours. I wanted to be on CB since my first part
> 95 walkie talkies. In '74 I got a real radio, then in 76 I got a
> license ;).
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> I won the unamplified mic & stand at a West Coast Radio Club Jamboree,
> then proceeded to mod it. Put a TU Kit in it to turn up the modulation
> and talk like a big strapper. Replaced the gray straight cable with a
> blue coiled cord from a Turner mic. Added a mechanical bell and
> striker to make a fake ping like Browning Eagles.

A person after my own heart. You know what I'm talkin' about. When the Brownings fired up, everyone else just shut up and listened ;~). Remember your first call sign? KOX4151 here.

Thanks for sharing a bit of your story.

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Mike
NRA Life Member

6032. اي جمامعة فى منـح تعليميـة مجانية فى مجال برمجة الكمبيوتر

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 10:38:01 UTC
From: Dr_mohamed_hassan_82 <Dr_mohamed_hassan_82@yahoo.com>
Message-ID: <1135420681.470364.219390@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11805

من يرغب فى دراسة برمجة الكمبيوتر فهناك
شركة تدعى مؤسسة النمام العربى تقدم منح
مجانية - للمزيد من المعلومات

Oracle 10G Developer Users - OCP
Oracle application server
Oracle designer
Oracle 10g database administration - OCA

Microsoft Certified Solution Developer - MCSD
Microsoft Certified Systems Engineer - MCSE
International Computer Driving Licence - ICDL

CISCO - CCNA
CISCO - CCNP

Multimedia - 2D
Multimedia - 3D

Linux - power user
Linux - adminstration

PHP

Java programming

System analysis
System design

أتصل بمؤسسة النمام العربى فى 4522041
القاهرة
http://www.egyptwebs.tk

6033. FS: Motorola GTX 800mhz Portables

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 13:54:44 UTC
From: Wayne Redick <wayner@REMOVEnycap.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Eqcrf.54991$ME5.50307@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 11806
Cross-posted to: alt.marketplace.online.ebay,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

I have 3 for sale.Came off 800mhz LTR system 2 months ago.Includes battery,antenna,charger and
speaker microphones.
$75 each or $200 for all 3 units.
If interested email me at wkreddich @ hotmail dot com
Thanks for reading
Wayne

6034. Halicrafters S-40B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 14:57:11 UTC
From: "James F. Mayer" <jfma@ix.netcom.com>
Message-ID: <bldrf.9283$3Z.3158@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net>
Source record: 11807
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

Does any one know where I could obtain a copy of a manual and/or schematic for my S40B. It did work at one time but now it won't. There seems to be voltage on the antenna terminal and I don't think that is a good sign.

6035. Re: Halicrafters S-40B Manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 15:10:53 UTC
From: Caveat Lector <UALLBeware@9984reader.com>
Message-ID: <cxdrf.3604$nj1.3440@fed1read07>
Source record: 11808
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

FreeBees see BAMA at
http://bama.sbc.edu/hallicra.htm

And maybe Nostalgia Air Vintage Radio References
http://www.nostalgiaair.org/

If not lots of manual vendors can supply them
See URL:
http://ac6v.com/manuals.htm

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CL -- I doubt, therefore I might be !

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6036. Re: FS Kenwood TM-V7

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 15:36:40 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <cWdrf.33$Rb.31@trndny02>
Source record: 11809
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

SOLD IT!!!!
"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:I8%nf.9548$b57.6088@trndny06...
>I have a nice Kenwood TM-V7 with manual and mount for sale.This is the one
>with the cool blue face that is removable.This is dual band 2 meter and 440
>bands.It is in top notch condition and works great.I am asking $275.00 or
>BRO.Please don't insult me with your ridiculas offers.No international scam
>artist either.I will sell to anyone in the good old USA.Thanks for looking.
>

6037. Re: D-104 Refurbish?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 15:58:06 UTC
From: All Your Base <K-six-AYB@barovelli.com>
Message-ID: <ftrqq1t46lemv0sotseu6knkihj99mmogm@4ax.com>
Source record: 11810

"Mike Fairleigh" <cantreplytothis@sbcglobal.net> wrote:

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>Thanks for sharing a bit of your story.

KNF5597 was the call.

There are highlights of my collection of CB QSLs at
http://www.barovelli.com/radio/cb/
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"From spongecake to satellites, it's gotta be Krebstar"

6038. Re: Halicrafters S-40B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 16:34:52 UTC
From: Reloader <Reloader.20kc6p@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <Reloader.20kc6p@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 11812

James F. Mayer Wrote:
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> schematic
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> voltage on the antenna terminal and I don't think that is a good sign.

Go to http://bama.sbc.edu/. They have what you need for FREE!

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Reloader

6039. Re: Halicrafters S-40B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 16:48:46 UTC
From: Don Bowey <dbowey@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <BFD2BBEE.1F1B6%dbowey@comcast.net>
Source record: 11811
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

On 12/24/05 6:57 AM, in article
bldrf.9283$3Z.3158@newsread1.news.atl.earthlink.net, "James F. Mayer"
<jfma@ix.netcom.com> wrote:

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I suggest you use the BAMA site, but if you have a problem, email me if you
want me to email them to you. The schematic is in three sections.

There aren't any likely fault possibilities in the receiver that would cause
a voltage on the antenna terminal. What type of voltage do you see, how
much, and if it's DC what is the polarity?

Even if the capacitor (C33) on the grid of the RF Amp was shorted, you would
measure nothing, because the slight voltage would be well grounded through
the inductors.

Don

6040. Re: Halicrafters S-40B

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-24 23:37:14 UTC
From: "fuse19@aol.com" <fuse19@aol.com>
Message-ID: <1135467434.356400.90080@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11813
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics.repair

their are caps from the ac line to ground maybe one is leaky and
putting the chassis to the hot side of the line reverse the plug and
see if the term. is hot what voltage dc or ac ?? del k9fcm
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> the inductors.
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> Don

6041. No link attitude!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 04:29:39 UTC
From: n9zle <NoSpam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <TkKrf.37462$dO2.31409@newssvr29.news.prodigy.net>
Source record: 11814

No link attitude!

http://www.n9zle.com/forum/

What is it with this no-link to other site attitude?
Years ago when the internet was in its infancy just about any site would add your site as a link from theirs. In return you would do the same. But now it has come to NO-LINKS. Not even in the forums. I have had a website located on tripod for about 9 years over those nine years I had a link to qrz dot com That site received over a million hits. And many users went from that site to qrz and on-to Icomamerica dot com. I have always supported Icom. They have never given a link on their site to mine. I have always supported qrz. But of course he(AA7BQ) never put a link on his site to mine. Well you may say that "I never asked". And that is true. But recently I have noticed he has been deleting my posts. ALL OF THEM. He never contacted me telling me why. AA7BQ just deleted them. I build CIV cables and sell a few of them every week to amateur operators who want them. When I posted one on his site. I found he deleted the post soon after it was placed there.

My beliefs are.
1. QRZ AKA AA7BQ no longer has the amateur radio attitude.
2. AA7BQ has gone fully commercial but calls his site "The Ham Radio Super Site"
3. AA7BQ does not have your best interest in mind.

I can also prove what I am writing here.
For one if he claims he is nothing but a commercial site then why does he ask for donations?
If he is not a commercial site than why will he not allow me to post my CIV cables on his site?

That takes care of number 2
Now for number 1 and 3. If some one knows the truth about something but keeps it from you he is a liar.
No mater how you put it, he is a liar. On the QRZ site Fred is there to help you renew your license. Or so he leads you to believe so. He charges you for it. Mr. Lloyd has never revealed it to any amateurs that you can renew your license or do an address change at the fcc.gov web site for FREE. Yes TOTAL FREE at the FCC web site.
The forms at the FCC web site or no harder to fill out than his.

His CD. He charges 24.95 plus tax and shipping. On that CD is data he obtained from the FCC and got it for FREE, he sales it to you. Also he has software, created by programmers like MYSELF. And MODS that have been made available from the manufactures and other HAMS like ME! I have been contributing to Amateur Radio community for greater than 10 years, and have

received very little for software I created. Never complained when it was copied. I have performed and created several of the MODS for various transceivers. Never asked a penny for it. I never commercialized HAM RADIO. And NEVER took money from some one for something they could get FREE else where.

I am sure many of you would like to ask me "what I am going to do about it?" Here is my answer.

I have created an open forum on my web site http://www.n9zle.com/forum/

There you can post a link to your own site even if it is a commercial site. You can post any ham radio equipment you have for sell on the site.

You can do a callsign lookup at my site from the FCC database, not that stupid qrz thing.
I will soon put together an open source database that I will sell for the price of the CD plus the true cost of shipping. About two bucks total. Once you install the database on your system, you will be able to download updates for FREE. I will make drivers available to programmers to access the database in several different languages and operating systems. I will also attempt to make the database available on the internet for FREE to download.

I only ask for a little help from other HAMS like myself. I need a few elmers that are willing to moderate some of the forums. It is easy and you will find it fun. If you have any suggestions on new forums or sections please logon to my site and make a post.

73s N9ZLE

6042. Want schematic Akigawa PR1

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 15:46:38 UTC
From: Jerry <kk5ix@cox-internet.com>
Message-ID: <YeUrf.213504$0l5.205325@dukeread06>
Source record: 11815

Looking for copy of a schematic for a Akigawa PR1 Tuner,, my friend has a resistor burned out , needs to find out value of resistor. Thanks KK5IX

6043. RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 21:10:04 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <M_Yrf.1360$7S2.412@trndny09>
Source record: 11816
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Just a note to let all you ham operators out there that want to buy
programing software from RT Sytems,Please rethink about it.They do not want
to help you if you have a problem with their software,They are slow in any
contacting and are not willing to help you when in need.
I have bought several programs in the past few years from them for different
Yaesu radios etc.I spent a lot of money on them.Now I need help in getting
one of my programs to work,(one for the FT-8000 radio),and now they say they
will not help me because I have misplaced my box with all my original
software from them.I have explained that I have made copies of all my
software from them so that I do not damage or corrupt the originals as most
everyone does.Now I cannot locate the box with about six programs from them
as I have had to move several times since the programs were purchased.I do
however have the copies and now they refuse to help me out.
So just thought i would pass this on.
signed
Pisssed off

6044. FA: SGC SG-715 MANPACK HF PORTABLE TRANSCEIVER 2-15 MHz

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 21:30:36 UTC
From: Radio <radioReMoVe@mts.net>
Message-ID: <XhZrf.3120$794.1339@fe24.lga>
Source record: 11817

SGC SG-715 MANPACK HF PORTABLE TRANSCEIVER 2-15 MHz

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5846777512

6045. Anyone have SKANTI TRP7201 Workshop Manuals?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 22:13:36 UTC
From: simon_chenery@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1135635216.700469.138700@g47g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11818
Cross-posted to: rec.boats.electronics,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I am looking for a workshop manual for SKANTI TRP 7201 transceiver, the control unit and the antenna tuning unit. Anyone know where I can find this online or does someone have a printed copy?

Cheers,

Simon.

6046. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 22:44:21 UTC
From: Clif Holland <clif@avvid.com>
Message-ID: <9n_rf.117$eU6.67@trnddc05>
Source record: 11819
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Amazing, loose all the originals but none of the copies. Ought to be a
Guiness record there somewhere.

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Clif

"Walt Davidson" <g3nyy@despammed.com> wrote in message
news:0vq0r1lgptqopq2u02u5tml9gc7pdnf1e8@4ax.com...
> On Mon, 26 Dec 2005 21:10:04 GMT, "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote:
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> Not many companies will continue to offer support for software that
> was bought in 1968.
> :-)
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> 73 de G3NYY
>
> --
> Walt Davidson Email: g3nyy @despammed.com

6047. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 22:49:41 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <9s_rf.1365$7S2.1152@trndny09>
Source record: 11820
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hey Cliff
Have you ever misplaced anything???

"Clif Holland" <clif@avvid.com> wrote in message
news:9n_rf.117$eU6.67@trnddc05...
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> Clif
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6048. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 22:51:41 UTC
From: paul w <pwj@paulwjorourk.com>
Message-ID: <dops3q$l5u$0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 11821
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I have always had excellent dealings with RT System Softwares.
Perhaps *you* are the problem?

6049. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 23:02:14 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <WD_rf.1001$yx.735@trndny01>
Source record: 11822
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Ok Paul
Why do say that?I am looking to get a problem solved with programing my
radio with software I purchased from them.Is that a problem to ask for help?
My has this world gone backwards.I have had no other problems with any of
the other software from them also.Does that mean that it will never be a
problem?Get a life.
"paul w" <pwj@paulwjorourk.com> wrote in message
news:dops3q$l5u$0@pita.alt.net...
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6050. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 23:03:39 UTC
From: Jack O'Neill <tokras@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <%E_rf.8235$LE4.4458@fe09.lga>
Source record: 11823
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

paul w wrote:

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>
Oh stop, be nice!!

My software for the 8000 works.
The one for the FT-50 sucks!
Although the software is OK, I almost ALWAYS
get the damn ERR on the radio when uploading.
Anybody out there using "EVE" or "YARD" for the newer radios?
They had versions for the FT-51 and the VX-5. EXCELLENT!!
Or does anyone know of another software package for the newer radios?

Gen. J. O'Neill

6051. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 23:13:26 UTC
From: paul w <pwj@paulwjorourk.com>
Message-ID: <doptde$r6q$0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 11824
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
news:WD_rf.1001$yx.735@trndny01...
> Ok Paul
> Why do say that?????????drivel snipped//////

Anybody can see you are one of the many whiney little
geeks who inhabit Usenet. You come here whining and
crying, expecting someone to hold your hand you freaking little
worm. If you have a beef with RT Sytems,
DEAL WITH IT dont come whining and crying on
Usenet. Ham radio is too full of little fruits like you.......
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(sound of you crying & whining)

RT Systems probably got tired of your whiney little crap too and
finally told you to get lost.

6052. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-26 23:39:49 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <9b%rf.1319$D43.327@trndny06>
Source record: 11825
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

Hey Paul
You afraid to use your real email address?I am not.
Here is my message to you.
Hey Paul
Take a flying f--- and get off your old horse.You sound like a F---ing
asshole now I see you are one.Thanks for your comments.We really get off
when assholes like you get on here.

"paul w" <pwj@paulwjorourk.com> wrote in message
news:doptde$r6q$0@pita.alt.net...
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> "N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
> news:WD_rf.1001$yx.735@trndny01...
>> Ok Paul
>> Why do say that?////////drivel snipped//////
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> Anybody can see you are one of the many whiney little
> geeks who inhabit Usenet. You come here whining and
> crying, expecting someone to hold your hand you freaking little
> worm. If you have a beef with RT Sytems,
> *DEAL WITH IT* dont come whining and crying on
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6053. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 00:36:15 UTC
From: paul w <pwj@paulwjorourk.com>
Message-ID: <doq27slac0@pita.alt.net>
Source record: 11826
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap

I learned a long time ago to keep mental fruits like you at
arm's length. That way I don't get anon hang up calls
at 2 a.m. in the morning. Next time I talk to RT Sys
I'll mention you. I bet the guy does belley laughs!
ROTFLMAO!

"N1RSP" <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote in message
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> Here is my message to you.
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6054. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 01:01:06 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <41bi2iF1dton5U1@individual.net>
Source record: 11827
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Hmm, if you bought from them they will have a record of your purchases.
I "lost" and before I found the disks, I went back into my record of
purchase, and asked for some "info", they were very helpful!!!

N1RSP wrote:

> Ok Paul
> Why do say that?I am looking to get a problem solved with programing my
> radio with software I purchased from them.Is that a problem to ask for help?
> My has this world gone backwards.I have had no other problems with any of
> the other software from them also.Does that mean that it will never be a
> problem?Get a life.
> "paul w" <pwj@paulwjorourk.com> wrote in message
> news:dops3q$l5u$0@pita.alt.net...
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>>I have always had excellent dealings with RT System Softwares.
>>Perhaps *you* are the problem?
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Bob N9LVU

6055. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 01:05:12 UTC
From: N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net>
Message-ID: <cr0sf.1053$yx.769@trndny01>
Source record: 11828
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Bob
That is what I thought.They should have a record of the programs I have but
they say no.So that is my problem until I find the originals.I just found
some others that I have ,but not the box with the other FT programs.
"Robert Kubichek" <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net> wrote in message
news:41bi2iF1dton5U1@individual.net...
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> Bob N9LVU

6056. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 01:32:24 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <doq5j8$2f2$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 11829
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc

In article <M_Yrf.1360$7S2.412@trndny09>, N1RSP <n1rsp@verizon.net> wrote:
>Just a note to let all you ham operators out there that want to buy
>programing software from RT Sytems,Please rethink about it.They do not want
>to help you if you have a problem with their software,They are slow in any
>contacting and are not willing to help you when in need.
>I have bought several programs in the past few years from them for different
>Yaesu radios etc.I spent a lot of money on them.Now I need help in getting
>one of my programs to work,(one for the FT-8000 radio),and now they say they
>will not help me because I have misplaced my box with all my original
>software from them.I have explained that I have made copies of all my
>software from them so that I do not damage or corrupt the originals as most
>everyone does.Now I cannot locate the box with about six programs from them
>as I have had to move several times since the programs were purchased.I do
>however have the copies and now they refuse to help me out.
>So just thought i would pass this on.
>signed
>Pisssed off

George -- if you put yourself in their position for a moment, it would be
obvious why they're reluctant to help you: You only have a copy of the
software, not the original with its VERY important serial number.

The fact that you've purchase several of their programs means you're
quite happy with their products.

Just to offset your potentially damaging post, I'm going to their website
right now to make a purchase. So there.

No 73 for you,
Jeff KH6O
--
Chief Petty Officer, U.S. Coast Guard
Mathematics Lecturer, University of Hawaii System

6057. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 13:45:51 UTC
From: pointyhead <folcom@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <43b1451f$0$20957$6d36acad@roc.nntpserver.com>
Source record: 11830
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

Shut up you silly twat.

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> Hey Paul
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> Here is my message to you.
> Hey Paul
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> asshole now I see you are one.Thanks for your comments.We really get off
> when assholes like you get on here.
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6058. Re: RT System Softwares

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 15:29:52 UTC
From: pointyhead <ftscum@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <Q5dsf.15688$f7.3781@newsfe3-win.ntli.net>
Source record: 11831
Cross-posted to:
alt.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.swap,uk.radio.amateur

pointyhead wrote:

Imitation is the sincerest form of flattery. Thanks.

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Proud Holder of Old Nick's Deputy First Class Badge

6059. FA: Realistic CB-FONE 23 TRC-56 Citizens Band Transceiver

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 15:50:22 UTC
From: jimbradley@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1135698622.091740.171910@g14g2000cwa.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11832

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5847042479

6060. for sale - uniden pc68xl

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-27 20:13:10 UTC
From: jimbradley@gmail.com
Message-ID: <1135714390.703995.59070@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11833

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=5847171935

6061. FA: 3 Pro Books: ELECTRONICS, LOW POWER DIGITAL CMOS DESIGN, Microelectronics, Device Modeling, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 02:37:49 UTC
From: Danny <danny@dljowoijamca.com>
Message-ID: <271220052137492103%danny@dljowoijamca.com>
Source record: 11834
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4600280316

6062. FA: 3 Books: ELECTRONICS, INSTRUMENTATION, CIRCUIT ANALYSIS...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 02:38:09 UTC
From: Danny <danny@dljowoijamca.com>
Message-ID: <2712200521380933348%danny@dljowoijamca.com>
Source record: 11835
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&item=4600280324

6063. Re: Price for Collins 30L-1 ?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 04:33:08 UTC
From: Spock <starbase01@optusnet.com.au>
Message-ID: <43b21589$0$17708$afc38c87@news.optusnet.com.au>
Source record: 11836

Have you sold the amp? if not how much do you want?
73 Lee.
"Bob" <do.not@spam.me> wrote in message
news:97179882Ebob@netnews.bresnan.net...
>
> Thanks for the info. I will be moving to a new QTH that does not allow
> outdoor antennas so I know for sure I will be selling my 30L-1.
>
>>In the condition you claim with a manual:
>>Round Emblem up to 600 dollars.
>>Winged Emblem up to 550 dollars.
>>Some may ask more but these prices are realistic. 73 de Fred.
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>>Bob wrote:
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>>> Anyone know the going price for a Collins 30L-1 Amp that is in fully
>>> operational and cosmetically Excellent conditon?

6064. APRSPoint holiday special

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 08:46:30 UTC
From: hxc98@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1135759589.986739.255680@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11837

APRSPoint is a complete APRS package with integrated street-level maps.

We are offerring a holiday special right now. You can APRSPoint license

plus MapPoint 2004 for more than 30% off the regular price. Please
visit
http://www.aprspoint.com/ for details. Thanks.

6065. Re: FA: 3 Pro Books: ELECTRONICS, LOW POWER DIGITAL CMOS DESIGN, Microelectronics, Device Modeling, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 12:41:23 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns973A4E39AD8CFjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11841
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

6066. Re: FA: 3 Books: ELECTRONICS, INSTRUMENTATION, CIRCUIT ANALYSIS...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 12:41:34 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns973A4E41C8E13johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11838
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

6067. Re: FA: 3 Pro Books: OPTICS, OPTICAL ENGINEERING, LASERS, THIN FILMS, ELECTRONICS, etc.

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 12:41:44 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns973A4E48D664EjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11839
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

6068. Re: FA: Book: THE ART OF PROGRAMMING EMBEDDED SYSTEMS (Microprocessors, etc.)

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 12:41:54 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns973A4E4FC209AjohnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11840
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

6069. Re: FA: Book: SPREAD SPECTRUM SYSTEMS: An Advanced Electronics/Math Book

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 12:42:04 UTC
From: "John E. Golden" <johnisgolden@NOSPAMsbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <Xns973A4E5757398johnisgoldenNOSPAMsb@207.115.17.102>
Source record: 11842
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Auctions should be listed in [alt.marketplace.online.ebay]...NOT here!

6070. Re: FA: Book: SPREAD SPECTRUM SYSTEMS: An Advanced Electronics/Math Book

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-28 23:21:40 UTC
From: **THE-RFI-EMI-GUY** <rhyolite@nettally.com>
Message-ID: <43B31EC2.3010601@nettally.com>
Source record: 11843
Cross-posted to: alt.ham-radio.marketplace,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

THANKS FOR SPAMMING US WITH YOUR ANTI-SPAM!

John E. Golden wrote:

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Joe Leikhim K4SAT
"The RFI-EMI-GUY"ï¿½

"Treason doth never prosper: what's the reason?
For if it prosper, none dare call it treason."

"Follow The Money" ;-P

6071. FS Yaesu FT-102 Accessories

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 14:47:37 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <MFSsf.44799$ih5.15405@dukeread11>
Source record: 11844

For Sale: Yaesu SP-102P speaker/phone patch for FT-102.
Front Panel is perfect. Cabinet in very nice. Has a small ding on back edge
of cabinet. Overall, looks and works great. Price is $85 plus shipping.
I also have a brand new Yaesu XF-455C CW Filter for the Yaesu FT-102
Transceiver.
It is No. 04-Y. Price is $65. Thanks, Charlie Hugg

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

6072. FS Blue Racer Bug

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 15:09:30 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <h_Ssf.44804$ih5.15830@dukeread11>
Source record: 11845

I have an old Blue Racer Standard Bug for sale. It has the grey base and the SN is 199465. It is in good shape, but does have a few nicks in the paint around the edges of the base. I can send digital pictures on request. Price is $155 shipped in lower 48. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

6073. Scom 7K Repeater Controller

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 16:02:50 UTC
From: Gary KW4Z <kw4z@charter.net>
Message-ID: <BFD972DA.A875%kw4z@charter.net>
Source record: 11846
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,alt.ham-radio.fm,alt.ham-radio.marketplace

Greetings all. I have some SCOM 7K repeater controllers with autopatch that I'm preparing to list on ebay. If there is someone interested in these before I seek to auction them drop me a note and let me know .

Gary

6074. Talk about a Cadillac Radio line...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 17:43:25 UTC
From: Ed <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net>
Message-ID: <Xns973B62F4F6CEDspectrumhogstarbandn@198.186.192.196>
Source record: 11847

Nice gear! But I never heard of this company before....

http://www.dtwc.com/

Click on "Products"

Ed K7AAT

6075. Free: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 20:48:13 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <dp1i2d$g32$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 11698
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

I have a nice copy of the 55 page HR-2510 service manual.
Price schedule:
20 wpm Extra: free
13 wpm Advanced: $5
13 wpm General: $10
5 wpm Tech+: $15
5 wpm Novice: $20
5 wpm Extra: $25
5 wpm Advanced: $30
5 wpm General: $35
0 wpm Tech: $5,000.

(Buyer also pays postage -- about $4 via Priority Mail)

73,
Jeff KH6O
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Chief Petty Officer, U.S. Coast Guard
Mathematics Lecturer, University of Hawaii System

6076. Re: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 21:46:18 UTC
From: Hamguy <hamguy@arrl.net>
Message-ID: <KOYsf.56302$XC4.24920@twister.nyroc.rr.com>
Source record: 11699
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Would you take Paypal for the $5,000.00 ?

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:dp1i2d$g32$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>I have a nice copy of the 55 page HR-2510 service manual.
> Price schedule:
> 20 wpm Extra: free
> 13 wpm Advanced: $5
> 13 wpm General: $10
> 5 wpm Tech+: $15
> 5 wpm Novice: $20
> 5 wpm Extra: $25
> 5 wpm Advanced: $30
> 5 wpm General: $35
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> (Buyer also pays postage -- about $4 via Priority Mail)
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> 73,
> Jeff KH6O
> --
> Chief Petty Officer, U.S. Coast Guard
> Mathematics Lecturer, University of Hawaii System

6077. Re: Free: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 22:56:33 UTC
From: Dick <LeadWinger>
Message-ID: <5bq8r1tpnvkb62lvpdo9lp7l56i5c6gub5@4ax.com>
Source record: 11700

On 29 Dec 2005 20:48:13 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
wrote:

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>(Buyer also pays postage -- about $4 via Priority Mail)
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>73,
>Jeff KH6O

You left out the 13wpm Extra. Would that be $2.50? :-)

6078. InvisibleHamAntennas.com - FOR SALE - $50

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-29 23:39:22 UTC
From: rfimages@yahoo.com
Message-ID: <1135899561.921279.310860@z14g2000cwz.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11701

InvisibleHamAntennas.com - - domain name is for sale. The is one of a number of domain names that I own. I just do not have the time to develope this name so I am selling it. The price is $50. Transfer costs should be about $7.50.

Click on this link to see the parking page:
http://www.InvisibleHamAntennas.com

Thank you for looking.

Bill

6079. Re: Free: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 00:20:02 UTC
From: Brenda Ann <brendad@shinbiro.com>
Message-ID: <dp1u8fmap1@news2.kornet.net>
Source record: 11702

"Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
news:5bq8r1tpnvkb62lvpdo9lp7l56i5c6gub5@4ax.com...
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> wrote:
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>>13 wpm Advanced: $5
>>13 wpm General: $10
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6080. Re: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 00:32:28 UTC
From: Norm Mann <folder0735@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <we%sf.742$MV3.682@trnddc05>
Source record: 11703
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

"Jeffrey Herman" <jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu> wrote in message
news:dp1i2d$g32$1@news.hawaii.edu...
>I have a nice copy of the 55 page HR-2510 service manual.
> Price schedule:
> 20 wpm Extra: free
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I don't think a 5 wpm Advanced exists. Wasn't Advanced class taken out of
the upgrade path when the 5 wpm classes were established?

-NM

6081. Re: Free: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 02:09:46 UTC
From: Ken Taylor <ken123@xxxxtra.co.nz>
Message-ID: <MF0tf.11264$vH5.547753@news.xtra.co.nz>
Source record: 11704

Brenda Ann wrote:
> "Dick" <LeadWinger> wrote in message
> news:5bq8r1tpnvkb62lvpdo9lp7l56i5c6gub5@4ax.com...
>
>>On 29 Dec 2005 20:48:13 GMT, jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu (Jeffrey Herman)
>>wrote:
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>
No doubt you have to order via Morse.....

Ken

6082. Re: Free: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 03:08:59 UTC
From: jeffreyh@Hawaii.Edu
Message-ID: <dp28cb$s9v$1@news.hawaii.edu>
Source record: 11705

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I posted that tongue-in-check. It would go for free to the first ham
who responded, and it so happened that an Extra did respond.

73 from Hawaii,
Jeff KH6O

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Chief Petty Officer, U.S. Coast Guard
Mathematics Lecturer, University of Hawaii System

6083. Re: R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 03:22:58 UTC
From: Fred W4JLE <w4jle@w4jle.com>
Message-ID: <a0eab$43b4a841$471d2513$27196@ALLTEL.NET>
Source record: 11706

The radio activity is caused by the glow in the dark meter markings. More tree hugger bull crap.

"Murray Green, K3BEQ" <mgreen@erols.com> wrote in message news:439CBDED.858A59DA@erols.com...
>
> In this weekend's Radio Amateur Information Network (R.A.I.N.) audio
> news, they featured Michael Crestohl, W1RC, at the 2000 Dayton Ham-
> Vention. Michael was deeply involved at the time in working with the
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> were "radio active" and had to be removed before the equipment could
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> demilitarized. I had one for many years and this was the first I
> heard about the needles.

6084. Re: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 03:46:11 UTC
From: dalite01@bellsouth.net
Message-ID: <l02tf.74270$k76.19439@bignews6.bellsouth.net>
Source record: 11707
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Your Tax-Payer Dollars at Work....

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> Chief Petty Officer, U.S. Coast Guard
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6085. FS: Meissner Signal Shifter variable frequency exciter

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 11:03:08 UTC
From: David J Windisch <davidjw@cinci.rr.com>
Message-ID: <Mt8tf.92242$lh.40641@tornado.ohiordc.rr.com>
Source record: 11708

FS: Meissner Signal Shifter variable frequency exciter in good working and physical condition; 3.4-30 MHz, copy of book. 4-6W out; tuning eye good. Pix available.

$75 you pay shipping; $100 I ship conus gnd.

Tks for reading. 73 Dave N3HE

6086. Re: R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 12:12:46 UTC
From: Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net>
Message-ID: <l50ar193neqfqdlpp4oqbentcd1s5ack7f@4ax.com>
Source record: 11709

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It's nothing to worry about. They are no different than the "glow in the dark" clock and radio dials from back in the 40's 50's and maybe 60's. There was a small amount of radio active material mixed in with the phorphour causing it to glow.

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I once broke a device in my hands with enough radioactive Cesium in it to really light up the counters. The hazmat team found the device in the lab under a metal pail, a string of clothes down the hall, and me standing in the shower. Again they said as long as I had not put my hands near my mouth, nose, or eyes or gotten the material in some cuts (the counter confirmed I hadn't) they said I did the right thing. BTW, I even got my clothes back. <:-))

Back in the days when they were making the dials, word has it that some of the women doing the painting were getting sick. They'd twirl the end of the brush on their tongues to keep a point on the brush and were ingesting the material.
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For any one who has been around a while, look at how they treat mercury now and how we used to treat it 50 and 60 years ago. Break a thermomenter and they close a lab while the hazmat team cleans up. We used to "silver" coins and rigs with the stuff and carry it around. I'd guess the Mercury is far more dangerous than any radioactivity from those dials and markings.

Roger Halstead (K8RI & ARRL life member)
(N833R, S/N CD-2 Worlds oldest Debonair)
www.rogerhalstead.com

6087. Avoid!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 16:59:58 UTC
From: Demitri <cometopapa@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <4ldtf.21$SG6.10@fe08.lga>
Source record: 11710

Warren Gregoire and Associates LLC

Do not deal with these people!!!
I'm over 19 years HAM, my call sign is AK2P (ex UB5FBG, UR5FBG, ER5/UR5FBG)
I have Never seen such rude and dishonest people.......... They hang on me with insults... don't pick up phone.... never call back... There are no men to talk with....
Headsets what they sell is complete garbage. Waste of money.
Don't buy, don't support them.

6088. Re: Avoid!!!!!!!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 18:17:55 UTC
From: joe <joe@nospamforme.com>
Message-ID: <43B579D0.7940D3@nospamforme.com>
Source record: 11711

hi,

they advertise in QST, why not email arrl about the situation,
they have high standards for the advertisers.

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6089. Re: HR-2510 service manual

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 19:16:36 UTC
From: Big Rich Soprano <BucSoprano@gmail.com>
Message-ID: <er1br1pjr9htdplaej3mjdrs7fpcljll0@4ax.com>
Source record: 11712
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

>I don't think a 5 wpm Advanced exists. Wasn't Advanced class taken out of
>the upgrade path when the 5 wpm classes were established?

I thought so too. My friend Jim can tell ya. He's as advanced as they
come...

6090. 4 sale REVISED

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 20:09:01 UTC
From: Robert Kubichek <bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net>
Message-ID: <41lietF1etghlU1@individual.net>
Source record: 11713
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Radio Specialty Model 1179-22-1 Repeater------------------$ 50
Appears to be complete, minus crystals.
I have no way to verify operation.
Has 2 settable PL tones...
Outside of case is scuffed, but inside is very clean!
Repeater is in a wall mountable battleship gray cabinet,
that is 4" deep by 13.5" wide, by 21.5" tall, and is
around 30# in weight. It is a VHF base/repeater used by
the BLM out west...
It also has on the front cover, I-5YACC, then under it is
271, under that VHF REPEATER. There are a lot of FCC type
acceptance # all over inside, plus the maker, and maker's
partial address, and part # for transmitter, and receiver
sections.
NO documentation.

2 Kenwood TR-7950-----------------------------------EACH---$ 80
Each comes with mobile mount, and 1st sale gets the
packet adapter. Are in very good shape, but do not include
the TU-79 PL boards which are available at www.piexx.com
They will not come in original box, and if I do not have
the manual, I will photocopy, or pdf one (your choice)...

Standard C468A LNIB---------------------------------------$ 75

LinkXcel PS-141B 4 port KVM Switch with 4 cables-----------$ 65
-Like New- This is the PS2/VGA model -No manual-

Pioneer DRM-602X Scsii cd changer that uses Pioneer--------$ 15
audio cd carts. -No manual-

Sanyo SCP5000-------------(Sprint)-9/10---------------BEST OFFER
1 desktop charger
2 AC adapters
2 12v adapters
1 data cord

Samsung SCH3500----------(Sprint)-6/10----------------BEST OFFER
1 extra battery
1 holster
1 desktop charger
1 12v adapter
1 data cord
NO MANUAL or BOX

Nokia 252----------(unknown)-8/10----------BEST OFFER
2 extra batteries
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All items will include manuals unless noted.
Shipping is NOT included on any item(s).

Pictures of the radios can be found at;
http://www.mantico.com/4sale.htm
I will have all items on line as soon as possible.

Robert Kubichek N9LVU
1502 South 10th. Street
Manitowoc, WI 54220-5706
bobn9lvu@sbcglobal.net

6091. Elecraft reports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 23:00:48 UTC
From: jawod <jawod@fuse.net>
Message-ID: <2c43f$43b5bc21$42a1bfc2$29648@FUSE.NET>
Source record: 11714

I am re-entering ham radio after a very long hiatus. Any comments on Elecraft K-2, either kit building experience or operating experience?

John

6092. Re: Elecraft reports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-30 23:25:47 UTC
From: Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
Message-ID: <slrndrbgfr.2j9d.bit-bucket@shell.config.com>
Source record: 11715

On Fri, 30 Dec 2005 18:00:48 -0500, jawod wrote:
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> Elecraft K-2, either kit building experience or operating experience?

http://groups.google.com/groups?as_q=Elecraft+K-2&as_ugroup=rec.radio.amateur.*

6093. Re: R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 00:05:12 UTC
From: Big Endian <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <nospam-3EC597.18051230122005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 11716

In article <a0eab$43b4a841$471d2513$27196@ALLTEL.NET>,
"Fred W4JLE" <w4jle@w4jle.com> wrote:

> The radio activity is caused by the glow in the dark meter markings. More
> tree hugger bull crap.

A few years back I put a Geiger counter within inches of an old Timex
watch with a "radium dial" and it pegged out the meter. It was a
significant amount of radiation if worn on your wrist. Worth the risk?
Not for me.

Anyway have fun with your R390 and it's "radium dial" meter.

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6094. Re: R-390A FYI - Radio Active Meter Needles?

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 00:09:04 UTC
From: Big Endian <nospam@nospam.com>
Message-ID: <nospam-117BAD.18090430122005@news-rdr-03.rdc-kc.rr.com>
Source record: 11717

In article <l50ar193neqfqdlpp4oqbentcd1s5ack7f@4ax.com>,
Roger <Delete-Invallid.stuff.groups@tm.net> wrote:

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> cuts (the counter confirmed I hadn't) they said I did the right thing.
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> from those dials and markings.
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> Roger Halstead (K8RI & ARRL life member)
> (N833R, S# CD-2 Worlds oldest Debonair)

> www.rogerhalstead.com

Short term, no effect. Long term, years, decades...unknown. Good luck.

6095. HT Battery Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 01:02:07 UTC
From: bw <justme@nomail.com>
Message-ID: <jMktf.667649$_o.390375@attbi_s71>
Source record: 11718

I need to get a new battery for my Kenwood TH-G71 hand held and am thinking about going with an after market NiMH type instead of the OEM NiCad.

Two questions:

Are there any recommendations on where to purchase the NiMH battery?

Can I use the original charger on the new battery?

I'm just using the original BC-17 wall charger and the manual says to charge the stock PB-39 NiCad for 15 hours. How do I know how long to charge the NiMH battery and/or how do I know when it's fully charged?

Any info on this is greatly appreciated.

73,
Bruce

6096. Re: HT Battery Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 01:31:53 UTC
From: dplatt@radagast.org
Message-ID: <11rbns9f3abu96f@corp.supernews.com>
Source record: 11719

In article <jMktf.667649$_o.390375@attbi_s71>, bw <justme@nomail.com> wrote:

[Comments which follow are my own opinions only. Other people may disagree. Your mileage may vary. Void where prohibited.]

>I need to get a new battery for my Kenwood TH-G71 hand held and am thinking
>about going with an after market NiMH type instead of the OEM NiCad.

NiMH has some advantages and some disadvantages over NiCD. Biggest and most obvious advantage is greater capacity. Biggest disadvantage is a somewhat higher self-discharge rate - NiMH batteries can lose 20-30% of their charge per month just sitting on the shelf un-used, while NiCd batteries can hold their charge quite a bit longer.

For this reason, NiMH is probably not the best choice for batteries/packs which will spend weeks or months sitting in your ARES "go-pack" - they'll probably have self-discharged just when you need 'em.

I'm told that some of the new NiMH batteries have a greatly reduced self-discharge rate, but can't recommend specific types or brands.

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I've been happy with the couple of purchases that I made from Batteries America (http://www.batteriesamerica.com/). We bought a bunch of the 6-AA-cell battery holders for the Icom W32, and the fit/finish/function of the cases seems as good as Icom's own product at a rather lower cost.

They have several different packs for the TH-G71 available. You get your choice of NiCd or NiMH, with several different combinations of battery voltage and battery capacity. If you'd be satisfied with a maximum transmit power of 3 watts you could go for the NiMH 7.2V 1800 mAh pack, or for full transmit power get any of three 9.6V packs (600 mAh NiCd, or 1100 or 1450 mAh NiMH).

They can also sell you cells, or complete insert sets, if you want to try cracking open your existing battery pack and rebuilding it.

Other vendors may also provide you with a similar range of choices.

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>the stock PB-39 NiCad for 15 hours. How do I know how long to charge the

>NiMH battery and/or how do I know when it's fully charged?

As a general rule, you _can_ use a charger designed for NiCd batteries with NiMH batteries, but may not get the best results (in terms of total capacity and/or number of charge/discharge cycles).

The PB-39 sounds like a standard "trickle" charger, with a low and coarsely-regulated charge current. You can probably use this, and just multiply the original charge-time specification by the ratio of the packs' capacities. If the stock pack took 15 hours and was in the range of 600 mAh, then an 1100 mAh pack would take almost 30 hours.

For fast-charging, it's best to have a charger which "understands" the charge-cutoff behavior of NiMH batteries. A fast-charger for NiCd batteries will usually charge until the battery starts to heat up... this can be detected because the battery's terminal voltage stops rising, and actually starts falling a bit. The charger detects this "negative delta V" condition and shuts off the charge (or switches back to a trickle-charge).

This method will actually overcharge a NiMH battery. NiMH is happier with a "zero delta V" shutoff... the charger switches off the fast-charge when the battery voltage stops rising, before it begins falling.

Getting the best out of a NiMH battery seems to be a someone controversial topic... not unlike the question of charging gel cells, AGM batteries, and so forth. Lots of opinions, not a lot of completely solid answers. The best information I've been able to find about NiMH suggests:

- The best recharge regime is a fast-charge (at C/2 rate or so), with several different mechanisms used to detect full charge and shut off the fast-charge current: zero-delta-V, a temperature-rise sensor, and a timer for safety.

- Following the fast-charge with a few hours of low-current trickle charging can be beneficial in cramming the last little bit of capacity into the battery.

- NiMH batteries may not deliver their full advertised capacity until they've been through several cycles of "full charge, nearly full discharge."

- Like NiCds, it's best not to run NiMH batteries all the way down to zero - they don't like the resulting "reverse charging" impact on their weaker cells. When they're drained to 1.0 volts per cell, consider them fully discharged!

- If you're going to store NiMH batteries for an extended period, discharge them to the 1.0 volt level first. Recharge 'em before you use 'em.

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Dave Platt <dplatt@radagast.org> AE6EO
Hosting the Jade Warrior home page: http://www.radagast.org/jade-warrior
I do _not_ wish to receive unsolicited commercial email, and I will
boycott any company which has the gall to send me such ads!

6097. FA:MIDLAND 70-1527B UHF-25WATT-16-CH VERY SMALL UNIT

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 03:49:44 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Acntf.151$B93.135@fed1read07>
Source record: 11720
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:MIDLAND 70-1527B UHF-25WATT-16-CH VERY SMALL UNIT

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7577339607&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6098. Re: Talk about a Cadillac Radio line...

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 08:39:33 UTC
From: Pete KE9OA <p.gianako@comcast.net>
Message-ID: <cradnUZMhYFf3ivenZ2dnUVZ_sednZ2d@comcast.com>
Source record: 11721

That appears to be the company that took over
Transworld.....you can see some of this equipment in the Jane's
Millitary Manuals. Nice equipment. I had a couple of TW100s for awhile, or
were they TW1000s?
It's been a few years.

Pete

"Ed" <Huckleberry_REMOVE_@bigvalley.net> wrote in message
news:Xns973B62F4F6CEDspectrumhogstarbandn@198.186.192.196...
>
>
> Nice gear! But I never heard of this company before....
>
> http://www.dtwc.com/
>
> Click on "Products"
>
>
>
> Ed K7AAT

6099. Re: Elecraft reports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 09:04:02 UTC
From: Andy McMullin <Andy@rickham.net.NPSPAM>
Message-ID: <v8icr1dg7mer6sb4oibe5dkfiamik2vuns@4ax.com>
Source record: 11722

On 30 Dec 2005 23:25:47 GMT, Allodoxaphobia <bit-bucket@config.com>
wrote:

>On Fri, 30 Dec 2005 18:00:48 -0500, jawod wrote:
>> I am re-entering ham radio after a very long hiatus. Any comments on
>> Elecraft K-2, either kit building experience or operating experience?
>
> http://groups.google.com/groups?as_q=Elecraft+K-2&as_ugroup=rec.radio.amateur.*

You might also try the main mailing list and its archives:

http://mailman.qth.net/mailman/listinfo/elecraft
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Regards
Andy, G8TQH
http://www.rickham.net/

6100. FA: Radio (RF Type) Short Range Controller-Can be used for various radio type projects

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 16:32:10 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <nnytf.168$B93.93@fed1read07>
Source record: 11723
Cross-posted to: alt.video.equipment.broadcast,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap,sci.electronics.equipment

FA: Radio (RF Type) Short Range Controller-Can be used for various radio type projects

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=5845330934&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6101. FS Yaesu FT-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 16:33:19 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <Noytf.46468$ih5.42917@dukeread11>
Source record: 11724

I have a Yaesu FT-102 HF Transceiver for sale. This one was Malcomized by Mal, NC4L in March of 1997. It has had all of the relays replaced plus other upgrades performed by Mal. It has a CW Filter but no AM/FM Board. Cosmetically it is in good but not mint shape. The cabinet looks good and the front panel is nice. There are some nicks and scratches mainly on the trim around the front panel. It works but has problems. On bands above 20 meters, sensitivity is low as is power output. It loads up to over 100 watts on 20. On 40 meters the VFO does not change frequency. One meter lamp is burned out. Price is $425 plus shipping. No mic or manual. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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See my Signal/One, Collins & Drake
Photo Galleries and my Hallicrafters
Virtual Museum at http://hug-a-bug.com

6102. FS Yaesu FT-102

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 16:33:50 UTC
From: Charlie Hugg <hug-a-bug1@cox.net>
Message-ID: <gpytf.46469$ih5.26189@dukeread11>
Source record: 11725

I have a Yaesu FT-102 HF Transceiver for sale. This one was Malcomized by Mal, NC4L in March of 1997. It has had all of the relays replaced plus other upgrades performed by Mal. It has a CW Filter but no AM/FM Board. Cosmetically it is in good but not mint shape. The cabinet looks good and the front panel is nice. There are some nicks and scratches mainly on the trim around the front panel. It works but has problems. On bands above 20 meters, sensitivity is low as is power output. It loads up to over 100 watts on 20. On 40 meters the VFO does not change frequency. One meter lamp is burned out. Price is $425 plus shipping. No mic or manual. Thanks, Charlie Hugg, K5MBX

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6103. Sell your Tube Gear!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 16:57:28 UTC
From: Jeff James <cbstv@optonline.net>
Message-ID: <WLytf.11991$L75.11095@fe12.lga>
Source record: 11726

Happy New Year!
The Boatanchor Classifieds
http://www.dealamerica.com/deal/cgi-bin/ads/bcads.cgi
Dedicated to Vintage Amateur Radio..

6104. Need manual for a CES-5200 Telephone Interconnect

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 18:22:11 UTC
From: TimBob <tmize57@juno.com>
Message-ID: <1136053331.400600.143970@f14g2000cwb.googlegroups.com>
Source record: 11727

I am in need of the manual for the CES 5200 Telephone Interconnect, I
will compensate for any costs involved. Thanks!
Tim N7XAU
tmize57@juno.com

6105. Re: Elecraft reports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 18:22:21 UTC
From: de Mac <de.Mac.20xauz@news.radiobanter.com>
Message-ID: <de.Mac.20xauz@news.radiobanter.com>
Source record: 11734

jawod Wrote:
> I am re-entering ham radio after a very long hiatus. Any comments on
> Elecraft K-2, either kit building experience or operating experience?
>
> John

Hello John
The K-2 is a very good radio, don't know how much experience
you have with kit building, but would not try the K-2 as first bite
it has taken some op's months to finish their K-2
If you have lots of solid state kit experience
go for it, if not try geting a few smaller projects under your belt

started playing around building qrp kits about 5 years ago
had not built a kit since the 60's
found out first thing
new solid state radio parts, are not big and beefy like the old days

that with out a good magnifying light
(not a cheep magnifying light, found out the hard way, had to go out
and buy a good light, after I had wasted cash on the cheep one)
I could not even id the parts #'s,
also
had to also buy a good soldering station few other tools
but then, I was on my way

built a 2 fer transmitter and then a dc style receiver,

then the Red Hot Radio Nor Cal 20
when I opened up the parts bag
thought oh no,
I have truly biten off more than I can chew

did not try to act like I was
big time radio op, ex signal corps microwave radio repair
and think I could short cut or 2nd guess building steps

took my time followed instructions to the letter

8 hours latter was finished and it worked,
since then have built about a dozen other new age qrp style kits
have had lots of fun, wonders of wonders all of them worked first try

this is from a hard core lover of tube gear
you can see some of my simple tube transmitters in oct 05 CQ mag

what to first build depends on your experience, skills, and
how brave you are, yes some ops with out any kit building
experience have built the K-2

Small Wonder Labs makes lots of very nice easy to build kits
Love my 40 meter DSW, lots of fun in a very small box,

might want to try a easy simple, cheap kit
before you melt solder, on a radio kit that set you back over $1,000

but man oh man, yet to talk to anybody that owns a K-2
that does not love the radio

yours truly Mac dit dit

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de Mac

6106. FA: 8 Air Variables + other stuff too

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 18:24:08 UTC
From: Heytubeguy <heytubeguy@worldnet.att.net>
Message-ID: <c1Atf.210245$qk4.34676@bgtnsc05-news.ops.worldnet.att.net>
Source record: 11728
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.boatanchors,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment

Have several air variables and other items too : see at:

http://search.ebay.com/_W0QQfgtpZ1QQfrppZ25QQsassZheytubeguy

Tnx for looking. More Heathkit item coming soon, 73 heytubeguy

6107. FA:3-EA MOTOROLA P110 Portable Radio's-UHF-4W-Chargers

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 19:43:22 UTC
From: !!Lou <Radwaves@cox.net>
Message-ID: <CaBtf.178$B93.122@fed1read07>
Source record: 11729
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

FA:3-EA MOTOROLA P110 Portable Radio's-UHF-4W-Chargers

http://cgi.ebay.com/ws/eBayISAPI.dll?ViewItem&rd=1&item=7577480743&ssPageName=STRK:MESE:IT

6108. Re: HT Battery Info Needed

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 19:51:03 UTC
From: gsm@mendelson.com
Message-ID: <slrndrdo4p.d8d.gsm@cable.mendelson.com>
Source record: 11730

Dave Platt wrote:

> NiMH has some advantages and some disadvantages over NiCD. Biggest
> and most obvious advantage is greater capacity. Biggest disadvantage
> is a somewhat higher self-discharge rate - NiMH batteries can lose
> 20-30% of their charge per month just sitting on the shelf un-used,
> while NiCd batteries can hold their charge quite a bit longer.

Motorola claimed that their NiMH cellular batteries for the old "flip phones"
lost as much as 1/3 of their charge in the first week. My casual experiments
showed me they were pretty close.

Contrary to many maker's claims NiMH cells do develop "memory". When
flip phones were popular people used to give me their old batteries that
would no longer hold a charge. 99% of them were NiMH and most of them came
back to normal after being "reconditioned".

They were reconditioned by a charger that did three discharge/charge cycles
in a row. It was a "smart" charger, it could determine if a battery was NiCad
or NiMH and charge accordingly.

>
> For this reason, NiMH is probably not the best choice for
> batteries/packs which will spend weeks or months sitting in your ARES
> "go-pack" - they'll probably have self-discharged just when you need
> 'em.

> I've been happy with the couple of purchases that I made from
> Batteries America (http://www.batteriesamerica.com/). We bought a
> bunch of the 6-AA-cell battery holders for the Icom W32, and the
> fit/finish/function of the cases seems as good as Icom's own product
> at a rather lower cost.

I've never dealt with them, but my recemendation is for AA packs.
You can charge them more easily in stand alone chargers, mine will do six
at a time. You can also keep a set of NiCads or alkeline batteries for
an emergency spare.

If you do keep a set of alkeline batteries make sure to buy a good brand,
and rotate them.

> They can also sell you cells, or complete insert sets, if you want to
> try cracking open your existing battery pack and rebuilding it.

Being far away from ordering the batteries from companies catering to
the ham replacment market, I've done it often with battery packs sold
for cordless phones. They come in many sizes and capacities. Make sure

to remove and re-install any diodes, heat sensors, fuses, etc in the
old pack.

> As a general rule, you _can_ use a charger designed for NiCd batteries
> with NiMH batteries, but may not get the best results (in terms of
> total capacity and/or number of charge/discharge cycles).

I agree with that. It's also important to make sure that your charger
really does work propely. Over the years, I've bought several used
packs that were "cooked" by bad chargers, or overcharging. I've even
had an Icom one that cooked batteries on its own. :-(

Geoff.

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The trouble with being a futurist is that when people get around to believing
you, it's too late. We lost. Google 2,000,000:Hams 0.

6109. Re: Elecraft reports

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 19:59:26 UTC
From: Phil Kane <Phil.Kane@nov.shmovz.ka.pop>
Message-ID: <cuvyxnansvbet.isdgj2n.pminews@newsgroups.comcast.net>
Source record: 11732

On Sat, 31 Dec 2005 09:04:02 +0000, Andy McMullin wrote:

>>> I am re-entering ham radio after a very long hiatus. Any comments on
>>> Elecraft K-2, either kit building experience or operating experience?
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>> http://groups.google.com/groups?as_q=Elecraft+K-2&as_ugroup=
rec.radio.amateur.*
>
>You might also try the main mailing list and its archives:
>
>http://mailman.qth.net/mailman/listinfo/elecraft

Why can't someone come up with a simple one-sentence or
one-paragraph answer in human language such as "I like it - it was
easy to build and easy to operate" (or the opposite) before spewing
out a string of URLs?

Here's mine -

I don't own one yet, but I have several ham friends who do and are
totally pleased with it. I may get one this year (2006) but I will
have to have someone build it for me (yes, there are folks who will
do that) because I'm partially blind and can't do fine soldering
anymore.

There - was that so hard?

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73 de K2ASP - Phil Kane

From a Clearing in the Silicon Forest
Beaverton (Washington County) Oregon

6110. Help: Ameritron AL-82 blown fuses

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 20:43:19 UTC
From: ritchi50@optonline.net
Message-ID: <0brdr1pq9nkn8c3f4jpml9uj4dtd8ntl0s@4ax.com>
Source record: 11731

Help: Ameritron AL-82 blown fuses
I bought an Ameritron AL-82 and it sat for over a year.
Worked perfect before that. Now when you turn it on
the two fuses on back of amp blow. So I replaced the two fuses
and this time I left the top cover off and it comes on. No problem.
The minute you pust the button down where the top cover goes on, it
will blow the two fuses again. The button is a safety feature.
Can someone tell me what I may need to check and replace?
Thanks and Happy New Year.....Rich

6111. Free Competition - Last few days!

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 20:49:03 UTC
From: Richard g4tut <g4tut@southgatearc.org>
Message-ID: <6lrdr152lj6s22isv1a6f8qikscpr16u6s@4ax.com>
Source record: 11733

Free Competition - Last few days!

Our free competition to win an Icom IC-V82 handheld transceiver,
closes at midnight on the 4th of January, 2006.
So, you only have a few days left to get your entries in.
Remember, 'You've got to be in it to win it'

So go to http://www.southgatearc.org/competitions/ic-v82.htm
for your last chance of winning this fabulous prize.

Good Luck!

May I also take this opportunity to wish all readers a
Happy and Prosperous New Year

6112. Texas Trader Net Listings

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 21:35:22 UTC
From: WD=?ISO-8859-1?B?2A==?=HCO <wd0hco@ev1.net>
Message-ID: <BFDC55B9.5D1F%wd0hco@ev1.net>
Source record: 11735

Howdy do from Texas...

I'm Biz WDï¿½HCO - I put together the "over the air" listings for 4 major trading nets here in the greater Southwest part of the ol USA.

Who knows? Maybe what your looking for might be here...

http://www.oldrigs.com

6113. FS: Heil Yaesu Mic Cable

Newsgroup: rec.radio.amateur.equipment
Date: 2005-12-31 21:52:16 UTC
From: Steve <sahd@hotmail.com>
Message-ID: <1oadnfUDDukPYCveRVn-qw@comcast.com>
Source record: 11736

I have a Heil Yaesu 8 pin to a 4 pin .

Will sell for $25 or swap for a Icom Cable.

Steve